

LEAGUE MATCHES THURSDAY 5 MARCH 2015

QUESTIONS BY LITTLE JACK HORNER

First Verbal Round

- In which mountain range is Le Grand Ballon at 1424m the highest point?
Vosges
- Who has been *Barging Round Britain* for ITV?
John Sergeant
- Which horseshoe-shaped bone when found to be fractured gives strong indications of strangulation in adults?
Hyoid
- In which Hemingway novel do we meet Robert Jordan?
For Whom The Bell Tolls
- Which comedian plays the lead role of Satan in the Radio 4 comedy *Old Harry's Game*?
Andy Hamilton
- Only two players have scored more than 50 Premiership goals for Southampton. Matt Le Tissier is one, who is the other?
James Beattie (68 goals)
- By population what is the fourth largest city in Italy?
Turin
- What is the lowest common multiple of 4, 5, 6, and 7?
420
- The British record for an art auction is £65 million, for a representation of a tall very thin man. This subject matter is typical of the sculptor; name him.
Alberto Giacometti
- What is the national flower of Spain?
Carnation
- Who wrote: '*Matilda told such dreadful lies, It made one gasp and stretch one's eyes, Her aunt, who, from her earliest youth, Had kept a strict regard for truth*'?
Hilaire Belloc
- In *Coronation Street* what was the name of the child born to Ken Barlow and Denise Osborne?
Daniel
- In Japanese sushi cuisine what is *ika*?
Squid
- Which unit of measurement is used to measure the amount of visible light?
Lumen
- Who were the parents of James Scott, Duke of Monmouth (1649–85)?
Charles II and Lucy Walter

16. Which is Charles Dickens's first full novel?
Pickwick Papers
17. Which pharmaceutical company manufactures Prozac?
Eli Lilly
18. Which element whose name is derived from the Greek for 'difficult to reach' has an atomic number of 66?
Dysprosium
19. At the 2011 census which of the ten Greater Manchester boroughs was the only one to show a drop in population?
Stockport
20. What feature can be seen at the National Trust property Badbury Hill near Swindon?
Iron age hill fort
21. Who painted *The Hireling Shepherd* which can be seen in the Manchester Art Gallery?
William Holman Hunt
22. In 1994, Steven Spielberg, Jeffrey Katzenberg and which other media mogul founded Dreamworks SKG?
David Geffen
23. Which Premiership football team comes out to *Liquidator* at the start of every home match?
Chelsea
24. During the reign of William IV there were only two American presidents in office; name either?
Andrew Jackson or Martin Van Buren
25. Which South East Asian country's flag features a red horizontal band at the top and bottom, with a white disc on a blue band in the middle?
Laos
26. Who is Britain's most successful male Olympian?
Sir Chris Hoy
27. Which iconic album cover from the 1990s features a baby swimming after a dollar bill?
Nevermind (by Nirvana)
28. In *Breaking Bad*, what is the character name of the lawyer used by Walter White? (Both names needed)
Saul Goodman
29. In which year; was Edvard Munch's painting *The Scream* stolen in Oslo, Ayrton Senna killed in an accident and Justin Bieber born?
1994
30. Who wrote the poem *The Listeners* whose first line is '*Is there anybody there?*' said the traveller?
Walter de la Mare

First Written Round **THERE IS A THEME**

31. In which London Borough would you find London City Airport?
Newham

32. Who was born on 12 February 1809 and went on to become the 16th President of the United States of America?
Abraham Lincoln
33. Which profession would use a legate and a shearing hook?
A thatcher
34. Who was married to John McEnroe between 1986 and 1994?
Tatum O'Neal
35. Who were the first brothers to win gold medals at the same sport in the same Olympics?
Michael and Leon Spinks (Montreal 1976) **see note 1**
36. Which genetic disorder was first recognised as a specific disease by American physician Dorothy Andersen in 1938?
Cystic fibrosis
37. Which Ivy League University's alumni include Michelle Obama, Google's Eric Schmidt, President Woodrow Wilson and mathematician John Nash?
Princeton
38. In which city was Barack Obama born?
Honolulu
39. In which country was the then Princess Elizabeth when she heard news of the death of her father King George VI?
Kenya
40. What is the RAF equivalent of Second Lieutenant in the army?
Pilot Officer

Theme: all answers contain the name of a recording artist that has had a UK top ten hit:

Wham, A-Ha, Cher, Tatu, Pink, Bros, Prince, Lulu, Enya, Pilot.

Second Verbal Round

41. Who wrote the poem *The Laboratory* in which an apothecary prepares a poison for a young woman?
Robert Browning
42. In which year: was motorist Rodney King filmed being beaten by Los Angeles police, tycoon Robert Maxwell's body found in the Atlantic and Ed Sheeran born?
1991
43. The US mystery crime drama *Gracepoint*, is based on which UK TV show which won a BAFTA in 2014 for Best Drama Series?
Broadchurch
44. Which iconic album cover from the 1970s features two men shaking hands, one of which is on fire?
Wish You Were Here (Pink Floyd)
45. Who is Britain's most successful female Olympian?
Victoria Pendleton **see note 2**

46. Which Central American country's flag features a blue horizontal band at the top and bottom, with five blue stars on a white band in the middle?
Honduras
47. During the reign of Edward VIII there was only one American President and one British Prime Minister in office; name either?
Franklin D Roosevelt or **Stanley Baldwin**
48. Which Premiership football team comes out to *Going Home (Theme of the Local Hero)* at the start of every home match?
Newcastle United
49. The 1977 autobiography *Tall, Dark and Gruesome* is by which British Actor, who was born on 27 May 1922?
Christopher Lee
50. Who painted *Work*, which is presently exhibited in the Manchester Art Gallery?
Ford Madox Brown
51. What can be seen at the National Trust property at Chedworth, near Cheltenham?
Roman villa
52. At the 2011 census, which Greater Manchester borough had the smallest population?
Bury
53. Which element whose name is derived from the Greek for 'to escape notice' has an atomic number of 57?
Lanthanum
54. Which pharmaceutical company manufactures Viagra?
Pfizer
55. Which is Charles Dickens last complete novel?
Our Mutual Friend
56. Who were the parents of the Black Prince and John of Gaunt?
Edward III and Phillipa of Hainault
57. Who or what is classified using the Munsell system?
Colour
58. In Japanese sushi cuisine what is *tako*?
Octopus
59. In *Coronation Street* who were Ken Barlow's parents?
Frank and Ida (Barlow)
60. Who wrote '*How doth the little crocodile improve his shiny tail, and pour the waters of the Nile on every golden scale*'?
Lewis Carroll (*Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*)
61. What is the national flower of Australia?
Golden Wattle (accept 'wattle')
62. What is the title of the painting by Paul Gauguin, which recently set the world auction record of \$300 million?
When Will You Marry (or *nafea faa ipoipo* in Tahitian)
63. Which is the only whole number between 100 and 1000 that is both a perfect square and a perfect cube?

64. By population what is the fourth largest city in Spain?

Seville

65. Only two players have scored more than 50 Premiership goals for Aston Villa. Gabby Agbonlahor is one, who is the other?

Dwight Yorke (60 goals)

66. Who presents the weekday morning show between 6am and noon on Imagine FM?

Paul Willett

67. In which Steinbeck novel do we meet the Trask family?

East of Eden

68. Where in the body would you find the vomer?

The nose

69. Who has been *On The Road* for ITV?

Richard Wilson

70. In which mountain range is Le Crêt de la Neige, at 1720m, the highest point?

Jura

Second Written Round

71. A rare California Spyder Ferrari sports car was sold earlier this year for about \$21 million. Which French actor had previously owned the car?

Alain Delon

72. From 1982-1996, who was the only woman tennis player to win the Wimbledon singles title other than Martina Navratilova and Steffi Graf?

Conchita Martinez (1994)

73. Which airline sponsors all five of Chicago's main sports teams?

United see note 3

74. The new £1 coin to be introduced in 2017 is to have how many sides (exclude heads and tails)?

Twelve

75. What do people suffering from *trichotillomania* have a compulsion to do?

Pull out their hair

76. Which manufacturer makes the trams which operate on the Metrolink?

Bombardier

77. How is singer Nicole Prescovia Elikolani Valiente better known?

Nicole Scherzinger

78. Where is *the gourde* the basic monetary unit?

Haiti

79. What are gobelin, jacquard and shell types of?

Needlework Stitches

80. Walter Gropius was the founder of which school of architecture?

Bauhaus

Spares

1. Warsaw lies on which river?

Vistula

2. In heraldry, what colour is *vert*?

Green

3. Which unit of the Roman army consisted of approximately 480 men?

Cohort

4. How old was Hitler when he died?

56

5. Who co-owned Sex, the 'punk emporium' in the 1970s, with entrepreneur Malcolm McLaren?

Vivienne Westwood

Notes

1. At the Athens Games of 1896 John Paine and his brother Sumner both won gold in the same sport (shooting), although in different events: 25m military pistol and 30m free pistol respectively.
2. It could be argued that Rebecca Adlington's two gold and two bronze medals represent 'success' which is equal to or greater than Victoria Pendleton's two golds and one silver.
3. United is a sponsor of **four** of Chicago's 'five main' sports teams, if these are taken to be the Bears, Blackhawks, Bulls, Cubs and White Sox. The Cubs used to be sponsored by United, but earlier this year signed a new deal with American Airlines.

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