

LEAGUE MATCHES THURSDAY 15 FEBRUARY 2018

QUESTIONS BY THE TIVIOT

First Verbal Round

1. Which animal shares its name with both an infamous murderer and the Rugby Union world record-holder of the most points scored in a first class career?
Hare (William and 'Dusty')
2. Which country uses the civil aviation marking ZK?
New Zealand
3. As of 31 January 2018 which Greater Manchester MP is Shadow Secretary of State for Education?
Angela Rayner (MP for Ashton-under-Lyne)
4. For which 1960 film did Elizabeth Taylor win Best Actress Oscar?
BUtterfield 8
5. What is the common name for the zygomatic bone?
Cheekbone (also accept 'malar bone')
6. *Bad to the Bone* and *Flat Cap* are beers from which brewery?
Bank Top
7. '*Life imitates Art far more than Art imitates Life*' are lines penned by which writer?
Oscar Wilde (in *The Decay of Lying*)
8. Who had a UK hit in 1982 with *Living on the Ceiling*?
Blancmange
9. Who was lead singer with The Frantic Elevators before he became famous with his next band?
Mick Hucknall (of Simply Red)
10. What is the state capital of Nevada?
Carson City
11. Which Lincolnshire town lies approximately five miles east of Rutland Water?
Stamford
12. Which Manchester building with links to literature is in the 2018 Historic England's top ten sites for music and literature?
Chetham's Library
13. Which town, population circa 22,000, lies five miles from Cardiff city centre on the south shore of Cardiff Bay?
Penarth
14. If the key signature of a major key is 3 flats, what note is *soh*?
B flat
15. Aegina, Hydra and Spetses form part of which Greek Island group?
The Saronic Islands **see note 1**
16. Name the Habsburg royal family summer palace on the outskirts of Vienna on Schlosstrasse 47.
The Schönbrunn Palace

17. Known as '*the father of nuclear physics*', which Nobel prize-winning scientist discovered the concept of radioactive half-life?

Ernest Rutherford

18. Where in the UK is Kettle's Yard museum/gallery?

Cambridge see note 2

19. *Merluza* is Spanish for which sea fish?

Hake

20. What three ingredients make up *soffritto*, the base of many Italian ragùs?

Celery, carrot and onion

21. Which three words were the Suffragettes' slogan?

Deeds Not Words see note 3

22. Currently on a Tuesday evening, who hosts the Radio 2 programme *The Organist Entertains*?

Nigel Ogden

23. Which Ambridge landowner is currently under investigation for polluting the local river and land?

Brian (Aldridge)

24. What is the name of the small magnifying glass used by jewellers and watchmakers?

Loupe

25. The Carnation Revolution of 1974 ultimately led to the downfall of which dictator?

Dr Marcello Caetano (Portugal)

26. Who was the wife of Charles II?

Catherine of Braganza

27. The fictional Medical Examiner Kay Scarpetta is the creation of which US crime writer?

Patricia Cornwell

28. In which English county is Keddleston Hall?

Derbyshire

29. Clovers and vetches are members of which family of plants?

Pea family (also accept '*Fabaceae*') see note 4

30. Name the year: Sidney Poitier is the first black actor to win the Best Actor Oscar; West Ham win the FA cup; Team Spirit wins the Grand National.

1964

First Written Round **THERE IS A THEME**

31. Eunice Kathleen Waymon is better known as whom?

Nina Simone

32. What is the common name for the shrub or small tree *Cercis siliquastrum*, originally from Southern Europe and Western Asia, which is sometimes planted in British gardens for its prolific pink flowers in spring?

Judas Tree

33. Who captained East Germany in their last ever soccer international in 1990 and was named Player of the Tournament at Euro '96, held in England? First name and surname required.

Matthias Sammer

34. Name the English actress/comedian who co-created the sketch show *Smack the Pony*, played Tilly in the sitcom *Miranda* and appeared as Sharon in all the *Bridget Jones* films.

Sally Phillips

35. *Shroud for a Nightingale*, *The Private Patient* and *An Unsuitable Job for a Woman* are novels by which author?

P. D. James

36. Grannie Clark's Wynd is a public right of way, linking a town to a beach, across which world-famous sporting venue?

St Andrews (also accept 'Old Course')

37. Which English new town founded in 1948 is named after a locally-born coal miners' union leader?

Peterlee

38. Which actress plays Jenny Connor, formerly Bradley, in *Coronation Street*?

Sally Ann Matthews

39. Irma 'the Soul Queen of New Orleans' and Carla 'the Queen of Memphis Soul' share which surname?

Thomas

40. Which record-breaking aviator died in a crash landing in the Thames estuary in 1941?

Amy Johnson

Theme is Apostles: Simon, Judas, Matthias, Phillip, James, Andrew, Peter, Matthew, Thomas and John.

Second Verbal Round

41. Which Manchester site with links to music is in the 2018 Historic England's top ten sites for music and literature?

The Hacienda

42. Which three colours were used by the Suffragettes on their sashes and banners?

Green, white and violet/purple (representing 'Give Women the Vote')

43. What is the state capital of Montana?

Helena

44. Who is the Ambridge character currently preparing for single motherhood?

Pip (Philippa Archer)

45. Who had a UK hit in 1984 with *Young at Heart*?

The Bluebells

46. The Tulip Revolution of 2005 led to the overthrow of the President of which country?

Kyrgyzstan

47. *Odin* and *Manchester Skyline* are beers from which brewery?

Brightside

48. Sue Grafton, American crime writer who died in December, wrote a series of novels called the 'alphabet series'. Who is the featured investigator in this series?

Kinsey Millhone

49. For which 1965 film did Julie Christie win Best Actress Oscar?

Darling

50. The various wildflowers known as *cranesbills* are members of which genus of plants?

Geranium

51. Which country uses the civil aviation marking VH?

Australia

52. Which bird shares its name with a former General Secretary of the TUC and a European Cup-winning English footballer?

Woodcock (George and Tony)

53. If *mi* in a major musical scale is F sharp, what is the key of the music?

D major

54. As of 31 January 2018 which Greater Manchester MP is Shadow Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy?

Rebecca Long-Bailey (MP for Salford and Eccles)

55. Name the Prussian royal palace in Potsdam, built on the orders of Frederick the Great to rival Versailles and close to Berlin.

Sanssouci

56. The incus bone is more commonly known as what?

The anvil (in the ear)

57. Where in the UK is Abbot Hall museum/gallery?

Kendal [see note 2](#)

58. 'A thing of beauty is a joy forever' are lines from a work by which poet?

John Keats (*Endymion*)

59. What are the essential three ingredients of a Genoese pesto (excluding oil)?

Parmesan cheese, basil and pine nuts

60. Originally lead singer with Hot House and unaccredited vocalist of the UK version of *Ride On Time* by Black Box, who became famous as lead singer with her next band?

Heather Small (of M People)

61. Who hosts Radio 2's *Listen to the Band*, currently broadcast on a Tuesday evening?

Frank Renton

62. Name England's ninth-largest reservoir. Opened in 1992, it lies half way between Matlock and Ashbourne.

Carsington Water

63. What is the name of the tall chef's hat with many folds?

Toque [see note 5](#)

64. Caldey Island lies about three miles south of which Welsh town?

Tenby

65. Who was James I's wife?

Anne of Denmark

66. By both area and population size, which is Greece's second largest island?

Evia (or Euboea)

67. The National Trust property Moseley Old Hall, an Elizabethan farmhouse which hid Charles II on his escape from the battle of Worcester, is in which county?

Staffordshire

68. Known as '*the architect of the nuclear age*', who led the team that created Chicago Pile-1 – the world's first nuclear reactor?

Enrico Fermi

69. Name the year. Leeds win the FA cup; Gene Hackman wins the Best Actor Oscar; Well To Do wins the Grand National.

1972

70. *Fletan* is French for which sea fish?

Halibut

Second Written Round

71. Of the 92 teams in the top four flights of English football only five have the letter 'k' in their name. Name all five.

Stoke City, Blackpool, Blackburn Rovers, Queens Park Rangers and Milton Keynes Dons.

72. Eventually to become Blackburn-based, Digby is currently under training in Northallerton as the first animal of his type to become what?

Guide horse for the blind

73. Which Soviet spy ring's members included Harry Houghton, Ethel Gee and Gordon Lonsdale?

Portland spy ring

74. Which planet has the longest rotation period (243 Earth days) in the solar system?

Venus

75. Which Mexican boxer, a six times world champion in three weight divisions, was dubbed *The Lion of Culiacán*?

Julio César Chávez

76. *Hypertrichosis* is an abnormal amount of what?

Hair growth (anywhere on the body)

77. The copper-zinc alloy *pinchbeck* closely resembles which precious metal?

Gold

78. Which US artist known for his 'plate paintings' directed the film *The Diving Bell and the Butterfly*?

Julian Schnabel

79. At Towton in 1461 Edward of York defeated Queen Margaret (of Anjou) to become which English monarch?

Edward IV

80. Which non-ministerial government department regulates qualifications, examinations and tests in school in England?

Ofqual

Spares

1. What do the letters in the name of the magazine GQ stand for?

Gentleman's Quarterly

2. Which founder of English Renaissance poetry, a cousin of Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard, was beheaded in 1547?

Henry Howard (Earl of Surrey)

3. The playing surface of which Olympic sport measures 9 feet by 5 feet?

Table tennis

4. Founded in 1968 by the veterinary surgeon John Cathary, what does the company Royal Canin produce?
Dog and cat food (specific answer required)
5. The GWR 4900 Class No. 5972 *Olton Hall* steam locomotive was used in which films?
Harry Potter (as the Hogwarts Express)

Notes

1. 'Argo-Saronic Islands' is also an acceptable answer.
2. A reminder on the question-setting guidelines:
When asking a question that requires a location as its answer state clearly how specific the answer should be. For example, 'Wembley Stadium', 'London' and 'England' are all valid answers to the question 'Where was the 1966 Football World Cup Final played?'. Rather than using 'where' it is better to ask 'In which country/city/building...'
3. 'Deeds Not Words' was **a** slogan, rather than **the** slogan. There were others, e.g. 'Votes for Women'.
4. '*Leguminosae*' and 'legumes' are also acceptable answers.
5. The full/formal name—*Toque **blanche***—is obviously an equally-acceptable answer.

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