

## LEAGUE MATCHES THURSDAY 14 MAY 2015

### QUESTIONS BY THE PRINTERS

#### First Verbal Round

1. A dog of which breed was awarded Best in Show at Crufts in 2015?  
**Scottish Terrier**
2. Which famous culinary dish was first created in Cardini's restaurant in Tijuana, Mexico in 1924, according to its creator's daughter, Rosa?  
**Caesar Salad**
3. In the Book of Genesis, which name is shared by the son of Cain and the father of Methuselah?  
**Enoch**
4. The paintings entitled *We Are Making a New World* (painted 1918) and *The Menin Road* (painted 1919) are among the works of which British surrealist and war artist?  
**Paul Nash**
5. Often featuring in newspaper stories due to its use as a 'legal high', how is the substance designated under EU law as a type of propellant as E942 better known?  
**Nitrous oxide** (or laughing gas)
6. Which poem begins with the line '*What passing bells for these who die as cattle*'?  
**Anthem For Doomed Youth** (by Wilfred Owen)
7. Which Mexican modernist painter was the husband of artist Frida Kahlo?  
**Diego Rivera**
8. Who presented the BBC children's TV quiz show *Finders Keepers* from 1981 to 1985, as well as performing its theme tune?  
**Richard Stilgoe**
9. The first British branch of which hot food outlet opened in Fishergate, Preston in 1965?  
**Kentucky Fried Chicken** (it has recently closed)
10. The 1987 Crufts Best in Show winner, owned by Chris Amoo of Liverpool soul group The Real Thing, was of which breed?  
**Afghan Hound**
11. Which poem begins with the line '*Stop all the clocks, cut off the telephone*'?  
**Funeral Blues** (by W H Auden)
12. In the Old Testament, what name is shared by the eldest son of King Saul and the priest who fathered Zechariah?  
**Jonathan**
13. Who took over from Michael Rodd as presenter of the BBC children's quiz *Screen Test* in 1979?  
**Brian Trueman**
14. The substances designated by E-numbers 421 and 951, mannitol and aspartame respectively, are added to food products for what purpose?  
**As sweeteners**

15. In a karate bout, an *ashi-barai* is a kicking move described how in English?  
**Leg sweep**
16. Which UK military organisation has a motto that translates into English as *Ready for Anything*?  
**The Parachute Regiment** (*Utrique Paratus*)
17. Mayim Bialik, who plays Amy Farrah Fowler in the TV series *The Big Bang Theory*, played the title character in which early 1990s US TV show?  
**Blossom**
18. As of 4 May 2015, who is the Prime Minister of India?  
**Narendra Modi**
19. Which UK military organisation has an insignia bearing the motto *By Strength and Guile*?  
**Special Boat Service**
20. In a karate bout, a *kinteki-geri* is a kick delivered to which area of the body?  
**The groin**
21. Who killed 16 people including his mother on 19 August 1987 in Hungerford, before killing himself?  
**Michael Ryan**
22. Neil Patrick Harris, who played Barney in the TV series *How I Met Your Mother*, played the title role in which US TV series of the late '80s/early '90s?  
**Dougie Houser MD**
23. When Richard Owen coined the taxonomic term *Dinosauria* in 1842 for the 'fearfully great lizards', only three examples had been discovered and identified. *Megalosaurus* and *Hylaeosaurus* were two, what was the third?  
**Iguanodon**
24. Which landlocked country is bordered by Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, Uganda and Tanzania?  
**Rwanda**
25. Chandigarh is the administrative capital of which Indian state, a state with its own distinctive language?  
**Punjab** **see note 1**
26. The first fossil teeth from what was later scientifically described as a *Tyrannosaurus rex* were discovered by Arthur Lakes in 1874, in which US State?  
**Colorado**
27. What nickname was used by John Graham in his capacity as a crossword setter for *The Guardian* until his death in 2013, aged 92?  
**Araucaria**
28. Who killed 16 schoolchildren and a teacher in Dunblane on 13 March 1996, before killing himself?  
**Thomas Hamilton**
29. Which landlocked country is bordered by Georgia, Azerbaijan, Turkey and Iran?  
**Armenia**
30. What is the nickname used by the regular crossword compiler in *Private Eye* magazine?  
**Cyclops**

## First Written Round **THERE IS A THEME**

31. In the English translations of the *Asterix* stories, what is the name of the village fishmonger who has a wife called Bacteria?

**Unhygienix**

32. Which group of languages includes Turkana, Maasai, Luo and Burun?

**Nilotic languages** (accept Nilo-Saharan)

33. What was the name of the British Navy battleship launched on 10 February 1906, its entry into service representing a major advance in naval technology?

**HMS Dreadnought**

34. Which coastal city in Mexico, 78 miles south of San Diego, is known locally as *La Cenicienta del Pacifico* or *The Cinderella of the Pacific*?

**Ensenada**

35. What is the title of the last studio album to be released by Bard of Salford John Cooper Clarke, which appeared back in 1982 and contains such poetic masterpieces as *The Day My Pad Went Mad* and *Travel in Biscuits*?

**Zip Style Method**

36. Which four words complete this quotation from philosopher David Hume: '*Tis not contrary to reason to prefer the destruction of the whole world to the...*'?

**Scratching of my finger**

37. What was the name given to the day in the Roman calendar which was eight days prior to the Ides?

**The Nones**

38. What was the title of the TV drama written by Jack Rosenthal, first broadcast in January 1972, concerning a football referee played by David Swift officiating at a Sunday league game?

**Another Sunday and Sweet F.A.**

39. In economics and game theory, what term describes a situation where one participant's potential gains are exactly equal to their opponent's potential losses?

**Zero-Sum**

40. In the 1984 mock-rockumentary film *This is Spinal Tap*, what is the working title which Spinal Tap guitarist Nigel Tufnel gives to a delicate piano composition which he is heard to play?

**Lick My Love Pump**

**Theme is 'nothing', or terms for it: nix, nil, nought, nada, zip, scratch, none, sweet FA, zero, love.**

## Second Verbal Round

41. What is the name of the hotel in central Belfast which is known as the world's most bombed hotel, having been subjected to 28 bomb attacks during 'the Troubles'?

**Europa Hotel**

42. Which car manufacturer's current models include the Camaro and the Silverado?

**Chevrolet**

43. Which silent movie star took the lead role in both *Steamboat Bill Jr.* and *The Cameraman* in 1928 and appeared in a cameo role in *Sunset Boulevard* in 1950?

**Buster Keaton**

44. Giant Papillon, British Giant, English Spot, Harlequin, Lionhead and Sussex are all breeds of what animal?

**Rabbit**

45. Having played Test cricket for England, who is (as of 4 May 2015) club captain for Surrey?

**Gareth Batty**

46. At the George Hotel in which town was the meeting held in 1895 by 21 Lancashire and Yorkshire clubs at which the decision was taken to secede from the Rugby Football Union and found the forerunner of the Rugby League?

**Huddersfield**

47. Black Phantom, Bleeding Heart, Congo, Buenos Aires, Emperor, Glowlight, Penguin and Rummy-nose amongst others are all species of which fish?

**Tetra** (accept Characin)

48. The films *The Ring* (1927), *Downhill* (1927) and *The Farmer's Wife* (1928) were silent films made by which famous director, whose success blossomed in the 'talkie' era?

**Alfred Hitchcock**

49. Which brand of alcoholic spirit was advertised using the taglines '*Not a drop sold till it's seven years old*' and '*What's the rush?*'?

**Jameson's Irish Whiskey**

50. Having played one-day international cricket for England, who is the current (as of 4 May 2015) club captain of Sussex?

**Ed Joyce**

51. What was the name of the Lewisham-born art forger who was arrested by the UK police in 1977 after confessing to forging 2,000 works of art, including works by Rembrandt, Fragonard, Degas and Gainsborough, although he would never give a full list?

**Tom Keating**

52. What is the Spanish word for 'Friday'?

**Viernes**

53. In the opening lines of *Emma* by Jane Austen, how old is Emma?

**Twenty** ('*She had lived nearly 21 years*')

54. Which brand of whisky has been advertised with the slogans 'Independently minded. Independently made' and '*Single source of inspiration*'?

**Glenfiddich**

55. With 58 road/motorway service stations up and down the UK, which company is the largest operator of these outlets?

**Moto**

56. What is the most famous work of East German-born forger Konrad Kujau, which ultimately led to his serving three years of a four-and-a-half-year prison sentence from August 1984?

**The Hitler Diaries**

57. What is the Italian word for 'Saturday'?

**Sabato**

58. Which character in the stage and film musical *The Sound of Music* is '*Sixteen Going on Seventeen*'?

**Liesl von Trapp**

59. Which ruler, whose kingdom had expanded to an area of 11,500 square miles by 1825 through war and conquest, was assassinated in 1828 by two of his half-brothers and one of his advisors?

**Shaka Zulu** [see note 2](#)

60. The 2003 Children in Need single, which reached number 2 in the UK charts, was a cover version by Shane Ritchie of which hit for Wham?

***I'm Your Man***

61. The London base for which major religious figure was established in 1778 at number 49 City Road and is still visited by his followers today?

**John Wesley**

62. What was the character name of the Doctor Who companion played by Louise Jameson from 1977 to 1978?

**Leela**

63. Which Liverpool-based group originally wrote, recorded and enjoyed a hit with the song *Valerie* which was later a bigger hit for Mark Ronson with Amy Winehouse?

**The Zutons**

64. This ruler emancipated the serfs in his country in 1861 and was assassinated in a bomb attack on his retinue 20 years later. Who was he?

**Alexander II** (of Russia)

65. In a TV context, what connects James Nathan, Ping Coombes and Tim Anderson?

**All winners of *Masterchef***

66. Famous London venue the 100 Club, which has hosted diverse musical performances since 1942, is located at number 100 on which London thoroughfare?

**Oxford Street**

67. Jennie Lee, the Labour MP who was Minister for the Arts from 1964–70, had been the wife of which other prominent Labour Party politician?

**Aneurin ('Nye') Bevan**

68. In a TV context, what connects Craig Phillips, Brian Dowling, and Kate Lawler?

**All winners of *Big Brother***

69. What was the character name of the Doctor Who companion played by Nicola Bryant from 1984 to 1986?

**Peri** (or Perpugilliam Brown)

70. What was the name of the Labour Chief Secretary to the Treasury who wrote the note left in the office for his Tory successor in May 2010 which read '*Dear Chief Secretary, I'm afraid there is no money left. Kind regards, and good luck!*'?

**Liam Byrne**

## Second Written Round

71. What name is shared by an Archangel of Death in Hebrew, Arabic and Sikh folklore and the cat belonging to the evil wizard Gargamel who is always trying to catch the Smurfs?

**Azrael**

72. The world's smallest Metro transport system at just 3.8km/2.4 miles long is located on which Mediterranean island?

**Sicily** (*Metropolitana di Catania*) [see note 3](#)

73. What, in a lyrical context, is the unusual connection between the hit songs *Virginia Plain* by Roxy Music, *Up the Junction* by Squeeze and *Enjoy the Silence* by Depeche Mode?

**The title is only uttered as the last line of the song**

74. What are the names of the four largest moons of Jupiter, discovered by Galileo in 1610?

**Ganymede, Europa, Io and Callisto**

75. At nearly nine years, Paul Tisdale is the longest-serving English football league manager after Arsène Wenger (nearly 19 years). As of 5 May 2015, which English League 2 side does he manage?

**Exeter City**

76. What is the name of the bridge which links the cities of Copenhagen and Malmö across the strait which separates them?

**Oresund Bridge**

77. Which famous historical figure was born Amy Lyon in Ness, near Neston, Cheshire in 1765?

**Lady Emma Hamilton**

78. In the animated adult TV series *Archer* (not to be confused with moribund radio soap *The Archers*) what is the full name of the title character's beautiful African-American secret-agent colleague, who is always stigmatised for having big hands?

**Lana Kane**

79. Which global drinks company, a self-confessed 'world leader in beverage alcohol' owns the brand Archers Peach Schnapps (which should also not be confused with moribund radio soap *The Archers*)?

**Diageo**

80. In which of Shakespeare's tragedies are the remains of Chiron and Demetrius baked into a pie which is fed to their mother Tamora in an act of revenge?

**Titus Andronicus**

## Spares

1. What nationality is supermodel Giselle Bündchen?

**Brazilian**

2. Apart from Barbara and Janet, who is the other female member of Enid Blyton's *Secret Seven*?

**Pam** (or Pamela)

3. What was the real first name of TV cook Fanny Craddock?

**Phyllis**

4. Which car manufacturer was founded as the company Laurin and Klement in 1895, before being acquired by a neighbouring arms manufacturer who provided the company with its more familiar name, and is now wholly owned by Volkswagen?

**Skoda**

5. Born in Birkenhead, and married to Roy Hodges until his death in 1976, this Labour MP retained her London seat by only 42 votes in 2010 and will have retired from the Commons by the time this quiz goes out. Who is she?

**Glenda Jackson**

6. Which part of the human body is operated upon in the procedure known as a *meatotomy*?

**Penis**

## Notes

1. 'Haryana' is an equally acceptable answer.
2. An equally acceptable, if much less likely, answer is 'Shaka kaSenzangakhona'.
3. Other underground rail systems, such as the [Carmelit](#) in Haifa, Israel or Istanbul's [Tünel](#) have competing claims to be the world's smallest metro system.

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