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- Quiz Questions for Monday 26th July 2021 - Compiled by Ed Ficek

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ROUND ONE

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: What was the currency of the Netherlands before it was replaced by the Euro? A: GUILDER	2 Q: What was the currency of Portugal before it was replaced by the Euro? A: ESCUDO
3 Q: The dermis and the hypodermis are two of the three layers of the human skin. What name is given to the third, and outermost, layer? A: EPIDERMIS	4 Q: Dentin, cementum and pulp are three of the four main tissues that make up human teeth. What name is given to the outermost tissue, a hard substance which covers the crown? A: ENAMEL
5 Q: "Beefeater", "Tanqueray" and "Hendrick's" are all brands of which alcoholic spirit? A: GIN	6 Q: "Jack Daniel's", "Jameson" and "Jim Beam" are all brands of which alcoholic spirit? A: WHISKY
7 Q: What three letter prefix makes new words with:- "Technology", "Logical" and "Fuel"? A: BIO	8 Q: What three letter word can follow: "Wing", "Chest" and "Pea" to make three other words or phrases? A: NUT

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letter will be given in the question

1 Q: When it was part of the Austro- Hungarian Empire it was called Pressburg. Beginning with letter "B" - what is the European city named now? A: BRATISLAVA	2 Q: Which book with letter "M" won the Man Booker prize for 2018? A: MILKMAN (BY ANNA BURNS)
3 Q: Which word with letter "R" can be a Canadian rock band, a 2013 film about Formula One & a waterside plant? A: RUSH	4 Q: With letter "S" - What was the name of James Bond's childhood home? A: SKYFALL
5 Q: With letter "B" - Which English club is the oldest Rugby Union club in the world having been founded in 1858? A: BLACKHEATH	6 Q: With letter "D" - What name is given to the science of dating using tree rings? A: DENDROCHRONOLOGY
7 Q: With letter "A" - Which Greek word means the highest point in a city or "upper City"? A: ACROPOLIS	8 Q: "With letter "C" - Which measurement of length used in the Bible is about 18 inches? A: CUBIT



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ROUND THREE

INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 World Heritage Sites

3 & 4 Composers

5 & 6 Films

7 & 8 Advertising Slogans

1 Q: The World Heritage Site of "Jam" is situated in which Asian country? A: AFGHANISTAN	2 Q: The World Heritage Site of "Borobudur Buddhist Temples" are situated in which Asian country? A: INDONESIA
3 Q: Which classical (Russian) composer wrote an orchestral version of the popular song of 1925 "Tea for Two", giving it the title "Tahiti Trot"? A: DIMITRI SHOSTAKOVICH	4 Q: Which Russian composer wrote an orchestral arrangement of "Happy Birthday to You", first performed in 1955 for his friend, the conductor Pierre Montreux? A: IGOR STRAVINSKY
5 Q: Which 1998 John Madden film, that starred Gwyneth Paltrow, Joseph Fiennes and Geoffrey Rush is famous for controversially beating "Saving Private Ryan" and "Life is Beautiful" to win the Best Picture award at the Oscars? A: SHAKESPEARE IN LOVE	6 Q: Which 2004 Paul Haggis film, that starred Sandra Bullock, Don Cheadle and Thandie Newton, is famous for controversially beating "Brokeback Mountain" and "Munich" to the Best Picture Award at the Oscars? A: CRASH
7 Q: "There are somethings money can't buy" is an advertising slogan for which Financial Services company? A: MASTERCARD	8 Q: "Don't leave home without it" is an advertising slogan for which Financial Services company? A: AMERICAN EXPRESS

ROUND FOUR

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Romans

1 Q: Who was the First Emperor of Rome? A: AUGUSTUS (CAESAR AUGUSTUS)	2 Q: Who was the second Emperor of Rome? A: TIBERIUS
3 Q: In ancient Roman cities, what was the marketplace and meeting area called? A: FORUM	4 Q: What were a common feature in Ancient Roman dwellings, providing light and ventilation to the interior? A: ATRIUM (ATRIA)
5 Q: The second of the so called "Good Emperors". Which Roman Emperor, who reigned from 98 to 117, was officially declared by the senate optimus princeps (best ruler)? His reign is remembered for the great military expansion achieved by the empire. A: TRAJAN	6 Q: Under the reign of which Roman Emperor, did the conquest of Britain begin in AD 43? It was a gradual process that would not be completed until AD 87. A: CLAUDIUS
7 Q: In the 1976 TV adaptation of I Cladius ,which British actor played Nero ? - He is also appeared in Rentaghost (1978-83) and Childrens TV show "On Safari" in the early 80s. Frequently plays "Widow Twanky" in Aladdin on stage. A: CHRISTOPHER BIGGINS	8 Q: In the 1976 TV adaptation of I Cladius which actor played "Herod Agrippa"? - Clue he played Randyll Tarly in the television series Game of Thrones (2016–2017), and best known for playing Pope Sixtus IV in the television series Da Vinci's Demons (2013–2015) A: JAMES FAULKNER



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: Which Football League One side are known as the Railwaymen? A: CREWE ALEXANDRA (ACCEPT CREWE)	2 Q: Which Football League One side are known as the Imps? A: LINCOLN CITY (ACCEPT LINCOLN)
3 Q: Which 215km river that forms part of the border between England and Wales, runs from its source on Plynlimon in mid Wales to the Severn estuary? The river passes through Hereford and past Tintern Abbey A: RIVER WYE	4 Q: Which 170km river that was an important river for shipbuilding and British Empire trade, travels through the city of Glasgow and has its source in the Lowther Hills in South Lanarkshire? A: RIVER CLYDE
5 Q: Which dish of cold cooked chicken meat, herbs and spices, and a creamy mayonnaise-based sauce, was first prepared for a 1953 event involving Queen Elizabeth II? A: CORONATION CHICKEN	6 Q: Which chicken wing dish, is generally deep-fried then coated or dipped in a sauce consisting of a vinegar-based cayenne pepper hot sauce and melted butter? It is named after the city in New York State it was invented in. A: BUFFALO WING(S)
7 Q: Who was king of England in 1503? A: HENRY VII	8 Q: Who was king of England in 1604? A: JAMES I (JAMES VI is his SCOTTISH REGNAL NUMBER)

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

British Olympians (Not Para-Olympians)

1 Q: Which Brit won the Mens 100m at the 1980 Moscow Olympics? A: ALAN WELLS	2 Q: In which Olympic discipline did Team GB win their one and only Gold at the 1996 Atlanta Olympics? A: ROWING (REDGRAVE & PINSENT)
3 Q: Who alongside Chris Hoy and Mo Farah jointly holds the record for most individual Olympic gold medals A: SIR BEN AINSLIE	4 Q: Which Brit has the most overall medals by a British Olympian,? A: 8 (BRADLEY WIGGINS)
5 Q: Who alongside Kathleen McKane Godfree, with five medals is the most decorated female British Olympian? A: KATHERINE GRAINGER	6 Q: Which British female won double gold in the 800m and 1500m at the 2004 Olympics? A: KELLY HOLMES
7 Q: Who finished with a silver medal at the Seoul 1988 Olympics in the womens 10,000 metres? A: LIZ MCCOLGAN	8 Q: Who finished with a silver medal at the Los Angeles 1984 Olympics in the mens 10,000 metres? A: MIKE MCLEOD



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ROUND SEVEN

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters will be given in the question

1 Q: With letters "WO" - What was the name of the 1989 American erotic film directed by Zalman King and starring A: WILD ORCHID	2 Q: With Letters "WW" - What is the name of the city in New South Wales, midway between Sydney and A: WAGGA WAGGA
3 Q: With letters "TMB" - How is "Halvard Solness" described in the title of an 1893 play by Henrik Ibsen? A: THE MASTER BUILDER	4 Q: With letters "UPU" - Established in Switzerland in 1874 and now part of The United Nations, which agency co-ordinates postal policies amongst member countries? A: UNIVERSAL POSTAL UNION
5 Q: With letters "DT"- A fictional computer in a best selling 1979 book and the winner at the 1989 World Computer Chess Championship. Two words. A: DEEP THOUGHT	6 Q: With letters "TWH" - A horse named Pilgrim is a central character in which 1998 film? A: THE HORSE WHISPERER
7 Q: With letters "HMWYRS" - Which hit song mentions the deserts of Sudan, the gardens of Japan, the dock of Tiger Bay and the vineyards of Bordeaux? A: HIT ME WITH YOUR RHYTHM STICK (IAN DURY AND THE BLOCKHEADS)	8 Q: With letters "AM" - Which prestigious horse race, that was first won by Willie Shoemaker in 1981, is ran annually in August in Illinois? A: ARLINGTON MILLION

ROUND EIGHT

INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Disney

3 & 4 Parliaments

5 & 6 Monopoly

7 & 8 2010's Music

1 Q: What is the name of the recently released Walt Disney film set on the Italian Riviera in the 1950–1960s, around a sea monster boy with the ability to assume human form on land? A: Luca	2 Q: What is the name of the Walt Disney film released earlier this year and follows a warrior princess who seeks out a fabled dragon, with hopes of restoring the dragon gem that would once again banish the plague Druun and reunite the tribes? A: Raya and the Last Dragon
3 Q: What is the name of the Parliament of Japan? A: DIET	4 Q: What is the name of the Parliament of Israel? A: KNESSET
5 Q: On a Monopoly board which is the first station visited? A: KINGS CROSS	6 Q: On a Monopoly board which is the last station visited? A: LIVERPOOL STREET
7 Q: Which singer had chart success in 2017 with the songs 'Skin' and 'Human'? A: RAG 'N 'BONE MAN	8 Q: Which band had chart success in 2017 with the songs 'Symphony' and 'Rockabye'? A: CLEAN BANDIT



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ROUND NINE

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Which Two

1 Q: Between which two nations are the Diomed Islands located? A: RUSSIA AND THE USA.	2 Q: Which two countries are the largest wine producers in South America? A: ARGENTINA & CHILE
3 Q: What are the two books of the Bible named after women? A: RUTH & ESTHER	4 Q: Which two comedians play the lead parts in Channel 4's sitcom Back? A: DAVID MITCHELL & ROBERT WEBB
5 Q: Which two Presidents of the USA were Quakers - both in the twentieth century? A: HERBERT HOOVER OR RICHARD NIXON	6 Q: Which two countries fought the so-called "Winter War" of 1939/40? A: FINLAND & RUSSIA (SOVIET UNION)
7 Q: In the Star Wars films, which two actors have played Obi Wan Kenobi? A: ALEC GUINNESS AND EWAN MCGREGOR.	8 Q: A person born in June could have either of two birth signs. Which two? A: GEMINI / CANCER

ROUND TEN

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: What name is shared by a chocolate biscuit bar first produced by William McDonald in 1932 and a publishing house founded by Allen Lane in 1935? A: PENGUIN	2 Q: What name is shared by a coastal sea bird and also the longstanding children's imprint of the British publishers Penguin Books? A: PUFFIN
3 Q: Kosovo has two official languages. Serbian is one. What is the other? A: ALBANIAN	4 Q: Moldova has two official languages. Moldovan is one. What is the other? A: ROMANIAN
5 Q: "Heaven Must Have Sent You" is a 1966 song written by Holland, Dozier, Holland, that was first released by which Motown band? A: THE ELGINS	6 Q: "You Lost the Sweetest Boy" is a 1963 song written by Holland, Dozier, Holland, that was first released by which Motown artist? A: MARY WELLS
7 Q: In the British science fiction television series Thunderbirds, who was the usual pilot of Thunderbird 2? A: VIRGIL	8 Q: In the British science fiction television series Thunderbirds, who was the usual pilot of Thunderbird 4? A: GORDON



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.

They must not be included in the score of the main quiz competition

1 Q: A hanging valley is evidence of which geological process? A: GLACIATION	2 Q: The Burton Union System is a method for producing what? A: BEER
3 Q: Which large jib or foresail shares its name with an Italian city? A: GENOA	4 Q: Which then Liverpool player became the first player to wear white boots in a FA Cup Final? A: JOHN BARNES
5 Q: In the Royal Navy, 100 fathoms make one what? A: CABLE	6 Q: Which company produced the first waterproof watch? A: ROLEX
7 Q: The Pistol' is the nickname of which Northern Irish snooker player? A: MARK ALLEN	8 Q: The River Barrow is second longest in which European country? A: IRELAND
9 Q: In Japan, what is a netsuke? A: A WOODEN OR IVORY CARVED ORNAMENT.	10 Q: Who wrote the poem, "The Wreck of the Hesperus"? A: HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW.