

Round One- Individual

1.	Name either of the main presenters of 'Blue Peter'?	BARNEY HARWOOD or HELEN SKELTON
2.	Which comedian created the character 'Cosmo Smallpiece'?	LES DAWSON
3.	What is the capital city of Croatia?	ZAGREB
4.	Which Scot rode the Derby winner four times between 1979 and 1994?	WILLIE <u>CARSON</u>
5.	Which 1932 novel has characters 'Flora Poste', 'Seth Starkadder' and 'Adam Lambsbreath'?	'COLD COMFORT FARM'
6.	Which US space project came between 'Mercury' and 'Apollo'?	'GEMINI'
7.	Which king was married to Mary of Teck?	GEORGE V
8.	Whose album '21' topped the UK charts for 18 weeks last year?	'ADELE'

Round Two - Team Round

1.	Which Prime Minister was MP for two Birmingham constituencies - Ladywood from 1918 to 1929, then Edgbaston from 1929 to 1940?	NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN
2.	On the sleeve of the 'Beatles' album 'Abbey Road', who has a cigarette in his right hand?	PAUL <u>McCARTNEY</u>
3.	Who wrote the plays 'The Real Inspector Hound' and 'Arcadia'?	TOM <u>STOPPARD</u>
4.	SEDBUK is used to compare the energy performance of which household items?	BOILERS (<u>S</u>easonal <u>E</u>fficiency of <u>D</u>omestic <u>B</u>oilers in the <u>U.K.</u>)
5.	In which US state are 'Bob Hope Airport' and 'John Wayne Airport'?	CALIFORNIA
6.	South African born Matt Stevens won a Gold Medal in the Choir Olympics when at school. At which sport does he play for England?	<u>RUGBY UNION</u>
7.	Who assists Alexander Armstrong with the t.v. quiz 'Pointless'?	RICHARD OSMAN
8.	Who is this? Lived 1800 to 1877. Born in Melbury Abbas, Dorset. Pioneered photography. Inventor of the calotype process.	HENRY <u>FOX TALBOT</u>

Round Three - Individual

1.	Which is the most easterly of these Libyan cities: Benghazi, Misrata, Sirte, Tobruk, Tripoli?	TOBRUK
2.	Which England spin bowler won 'Beard of the Year' in 2006?	MONTY <u>PANESAR</u>
3.	In the 2009 film 'The Gruffalo', who voiced the 'Gruffalo'?	ROBBIE COLTRANE
4.	To which former model is singer Jamie Cullum married?	SOPHIE DAHL
5.	Who resigned as President of Germany in February?	CHRISTIAN <u>WULFF</u>
6.	In a Cole Porter song who "regrets she's unable to lunch today"?	'MISS OTIS'
7.	Much of the action in Shakespeare's 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' is set in a wood near which city?	ATHENS
8.	The 'Numbat' is a small mammal native to which country?	AUSTRALIA

Round Four - Individual

1.	The painting 'Las Meninas' in the Prado includes the artist at work. Who is the artist?	DIEGO <u>VELAZQUEZ</u>
2.	A character from which Roald Dahl work appeared on a 1st. class issued in January?	'CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY'
3.	In which year was the Battle of Bannockburn?	1314
4.	Give a year in the life of composer Frederic Chopin?	1810 - 1849
5.	Who played 'Tim the Enchanter' in the film 'Monty Python and the Holy Grail'?	JOHN CLEESE
6.	Who was the 'Muse of Tragedy'?	MELPOMENE
7.	Name either of the countries in South America which do not border Brazil?	ECUADOR or CHILE
8.	When Real Madrid won the 1960 European Cup Final 7-3, only two players scored their goals. Name either?	FERENC <u>PUSKAS</u> (4) or ALFEDO <u>DI STEFANO</u> (3)

Round Five - Individual

1.	Which Prime Minister created the first Life Peerages?	HAROLD <u>MACMILLAN</u>
2.	Which company with a trademark (£, a German 'L') similar to a £ sign released the first nine 'Beatles' albums?	PARLOPHONE
3.	Who wrote the plays 'Relatively Speaking' and 'Absent Person Singular'?	ALAN <u>AYCKBOURN</u>
4.	'A' is the lowest band for Council Tax in England. What is the highest?	'H'
5.	Which painting by Thomas Gainsborough is thought to be of Jonathan Buttall, the son of a wealthy hardware merchant?	'THE BLUE BOY'
6.	An image of which building designed by Sir Basil Spence appeared on a stamp issued in February?	COVENTRY CATHEDRAL
7.	In which year was the Battle of Agincourt?	1415
8.	Give a year in the life of composer Johann Sebastian Bach?	1685 - 1750

Round Six - Free Guess. (following an incorrect answer the question is first passed to another member of the same team for a bonus before being offered to the opposition)

1.	Which is Israel's southernmost city, located on the Red Sea?	EILAT
2.	Michael Watson won the Helen Rollason Award in 2003 for completing the London Marathon, despite being told that he would never walk again following an injury in which sport?	BOXING
3.	In 'Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone' what is the name of the three-headed dog provided by 'Hagrid' to guard the trapdoor leading to the chamber where the stone was kept?	'FLUFFY'
4.	Which actress is married to singer Chris Martin?	GWYNETH PALTROW
5.	The 'Leonardo Express' links which capital city with its largest airport?	ROME
6.	Which England batsman was a chorister at St. Paul's Cathedral Choir School in London?	<u>ALASTAIR COOK</u>
7.	Who replaced Paul Merton as the host of 'Room 101' on BBC t.v.?	FRANK SKINNER
8.	Who is this? Lived 1736 - 1819. Born in Greenock, Inventor, Partnered Matthew Boulton?	JAMES <u>WATT</u>

Round Seven - Individual

1.	Who voices 'Queen Lillian' in the 'Shrek' films?	<u>JULIE ANDREWS</u>
2.	Who was the Muse of Comedy?	THALIA
3.	Canada has 10 provinces and 3 territories. One of the territories is Northwest Territories. Name either of the other two?	NUNAVUT or YUKON
4.	When Alex Ferguson joined Manchester United on November 6th 1986, who was manager of Liverpool?	KENNY <u>DALGLISH</u>
5.	Who became Prime Minister of Greece last November?	LUCAS <u>PAPADEMOS</u>
6.	In 'Fairytale Of New York' by 'The Pogues', "the boys of the NYPD choir were singing", which song?	'GALWAY BAY'
7.	Which is Shakespeare's longest play with 4024 lines?	'HAMLET'
8.	The Platypus together with the four species of which mammal are the only surviving 'Monotremes'?	ECHIDNA (accept Spiny Anteater)

Round Eight - Individual

1.	In which 1932 novel set in the year '632 AF' (After Ford) is 'Lenina Crowe' a vaccination worker at the 'Central London Hatchery and Conditioning Centre'?	'BRAVE NEW WORLD'
2.	Cassini-Huygens is a spacecraft mission to which planet and its satellites?	SATURN
3.	Which king was married to Alexandra of Denmark?	EDWARD VII
4.	Following which singer's death last year did the album 'Back To Black' top the UK charts for three weeks?	AMY WHITEHOUSE
5.	On the show for over twelve years, who is the longest serving 'Blue Peter' presenter?	JOHN <u>NOAKES</u>
6.	'Dicky Mint', 'Mick the Marmaliser' and 'Nigel Ponsonby-Smallpiece' belong to which entertainers?	'THE DIDDY MEN'
7.	What is the capital city of Estonia?	TALLIN
8.	What is the name of the horse ridden by Zara Phillips, which she affectionately calls 'Noddy'?	TOYTOWN

Spares

1.	How is the former G-Mex Centre in Manchester now known?	MANCHESTER CENTRAL
2.	In which 1571 battle did Miguel de Cervantes take part?	LEPANTO
3.	In which Yorkshire town does 'Pocktoberfest' take place?	POCKLINGTON
4.	In 1995 who famously walked out of the play 'Cellmates' after three days of its London run?	STEPHEN FRY
5.	In which sport did the father of Hugh Laurie, a doctor, win a Gold Medal at the 1948 Olympics?	ROWING (Coxless Pairs)