

2024 Christmas & New Year Quiz Instructions

Dear Quiz Contestants,

Back by popular demand....the Annual Lord's Taverners Quiz!

We have really enjoyed putting it together, and we hope that it will be fun for you, your family and friends. If you are playing as a group, can we suggest the following?

- **Split your Group into equal teams. 4 per team is the ideal number!**
- **The quiz consists of up to 140 questions in 7 rounds, each of 20 questions.**
- **We have enclosed a Joker, which each team can play once during the quiz, to double the score for that round.**
- **Don't reveal the titles of all 7 rounds at the beginning but announce only the title of the next round and ask the teams to decide if they want to play their joker on that round, before handing it out.**
- **Once the decision has been made and the round distributed it is too late for teams to change their mind!**
- **If the joker has not been played before the last round it automatically goes on round 7.**
- **Time allowed per round is c. 15 minutes. State "a few minutes to go" and gauge the reaction from the room as to whether teams have finished.**
- **Swap papers for marking and record the marks. (Easier if you do this cumulatively).**

We would suggest that you undertake the quiz in the following sequence:

- 1. Decades**
- 2. Places**
- 3. Famous People**
- 4. Just Games**
- 5. 2024 – The Year That Was**
- 6. Foodie**
- 7. Split Personalities**

Have a great Christmas & New Year!

David Gower & the Lord's Taverners Quiz Team

Decades – but which one!! Name the decade against each event

(for avoidance of doubt based on the current decade our definition is it starts 2020 ends 2029)

1. Tesla opened their first car dealership in the UK in Kensington, London
2. Stuart Broad made his England Test debut against Sri Lanka
3. King Charles III was born
4. David Cameron becomes Prime Minister
5. England Men's Football Team last won the World Cup
6. The border between East and West Germany was opened seeing the end of the Berlin Wall
7. The Sony PlayStation arrives in the UK
8. The Barbie doll's official birth date! (This was the date when she was officially announced to the world)
9. Ed Sheeran released his first single "The A Team"
10. Neil Armstrong first man to walk on the moon
11. The Paw Patrol Children TV series starts
12. Dame Mary Quant's Mini Skirts first hit the mannequins
13. The sinking of the Titanic
14. Known for the Great Gatsby era
15. Disney releases its first full-length animated feature film "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs"
16. Slade released their single "Cum on Feel the Noize"
17. Marvel Infinity Saga Films started with Iron Man
18. Morecambe & Wise classic Christmas Special was first screened
19. 90-year-old grandmother Margaret Keenan became the first person in the world to receive the Pfizer COVID-19 jab following its clinical approval
20. And finally, the picture below was an interesting (!) major fashion statement for men that really took off during the last Century – in which decade did it begin!



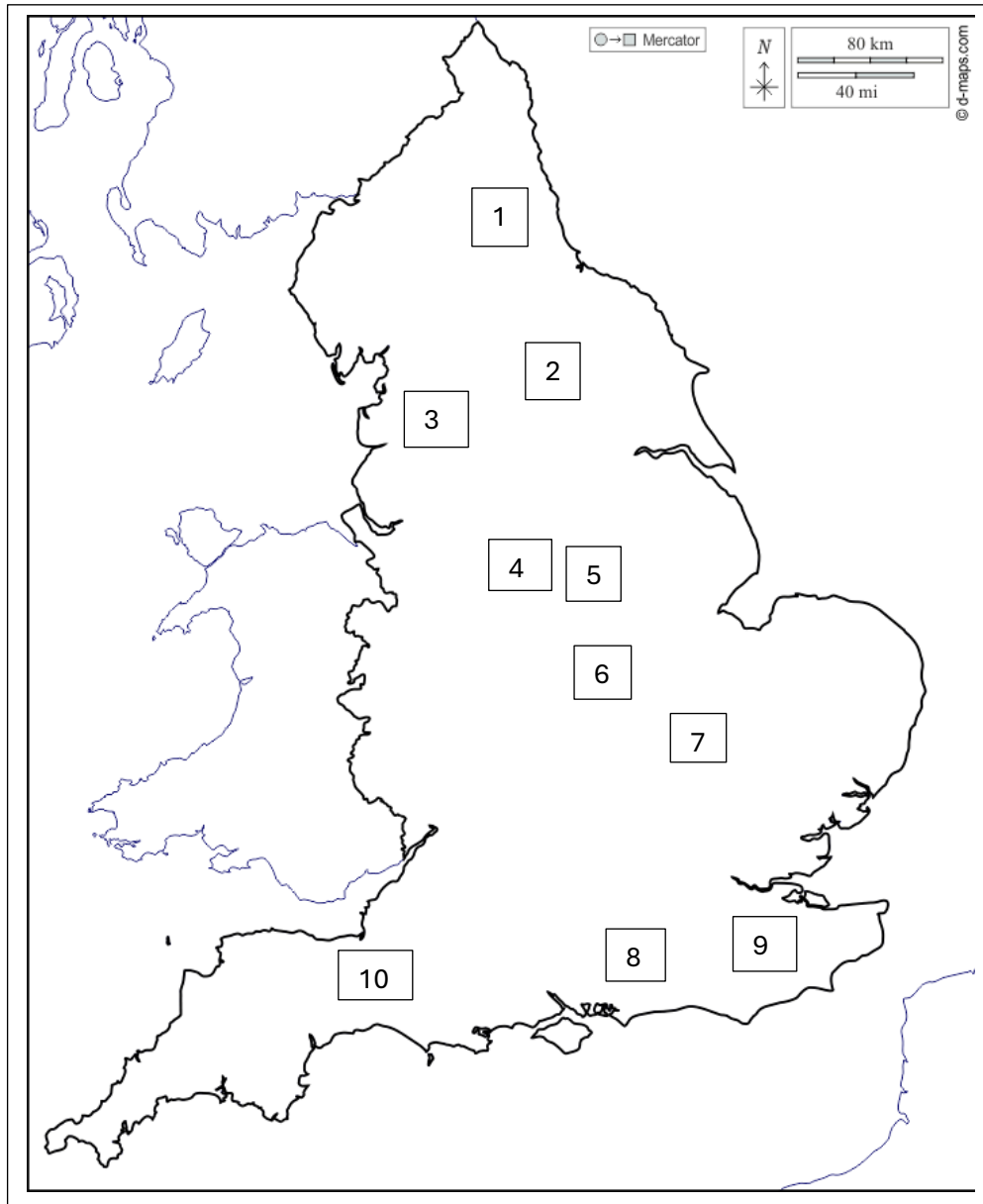
Check round the table at Christmas to see how many actually wore them – WE DID!!

PLACES QUESTIONS PART 1

(Note This Round has 2 parts each of 10 questions)

Name these 10 English Cities / Towns.

(Additional Clue they are the home of County Cricket Teams)



Circle / Choose 10 of the following :

Manchester Nottingham Leeds Birmingham Chester-Le-Street
Cardiff Derby Chelmsford Bristol Southampton Canterbury
Leicester Northampton Taunton Hove Worcester



PLACES QUESTIONS PART 2

(Note This Round has 2 parts each of 10 questions)

UK LANDMARKS - WHAT ARE THEY?



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Famous People – but who are they?

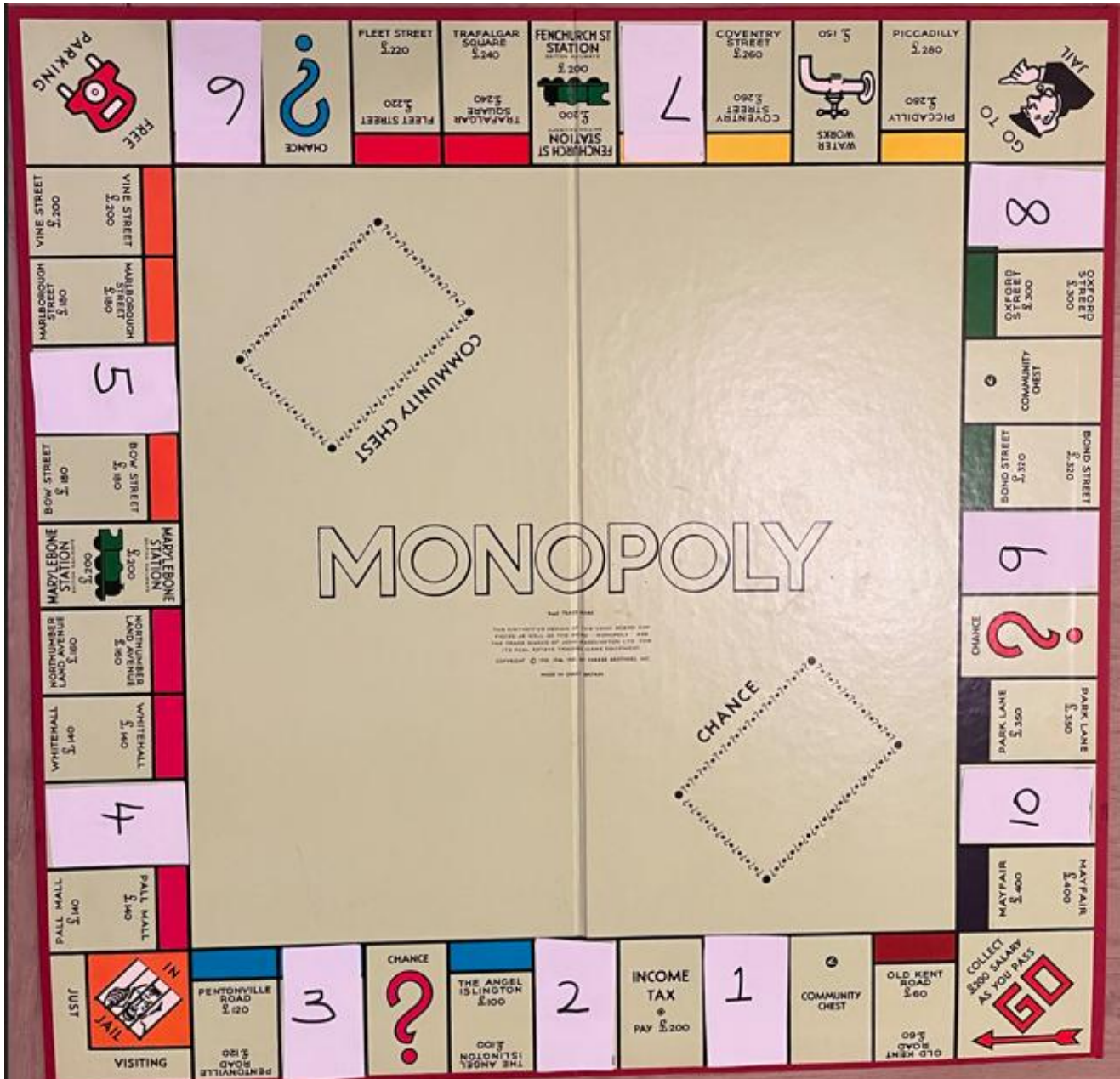
(The clue and their initials should help you find the answer)

1. All round British entertainer who died in 2017 - B F
2. NFL Player who is the boyfriend of Taylor Swift (as at time of writing!) – T K
3. First footballer (and he was English) in the world to earn over 100 international caps – B W
4. English Designer born in London in 1971 – S M
5. English Cricketer born on April Fool's Day in 1957 – D G
6. American Singer, Song writer & Actress who performed at Joe Biden's inauguration – L G
7. Who represented the UK in the 2022 Eurovision Song Contest, coming 2nd – S R
8. 17-year-old darts player who won the 2024 Grand Slam of darts – L L
9. Shortest serving Prime Minister in UK history – L T
10. TV Presenter who hosts The Chase – B W
11. Current England Women's Football Manager (as at the time of writing) – S W
12. British Journalist, newsreader & presenter born on 1964 – C M
13. Famous for baking cakes – M B
14. He used to drive cars and now he owns a farm – J C
15. A British gold medal winner in the heptathlon - J E-H
16. He was a judge on this year's "The Voice", appeared in this year's "I'm a celebrity get me out of here" and also made the final of "Celebrity MasterChef" in 2022 – D J
17. Who ran for office against Donald Trump in the recent US Elections – K H
18. Cricketing Umpire who was born in Barnsley in 1933 – D B
19. In 1988 this politician warned us about the danger of eggs – E C
20. A comedian and entertainer, he is the oldest winner of "Strictly Come Dancing" when he was partnered with Oti Mabuse – B B

JUST GAMES

(Note this round has two parts each of 10 questions)

PART 1 Can you match each of the 10 blanked out properties from the list below?



Put a number against these properties

EUSTON ROAD

COMMUNITY CHEST

THE STRAND

WHITECHAPEL ROAD

KINGS CROSS STATION

SUPER TAX

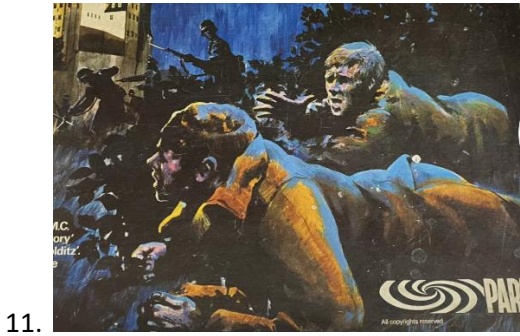
REGENT STREET

ELECTRICITY COMPANY

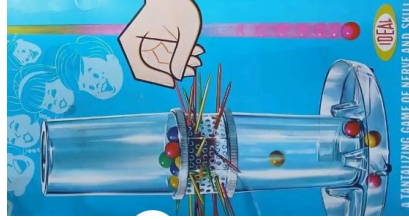
LEICESTER SQUARE

LIVERPOOL STREET STATION

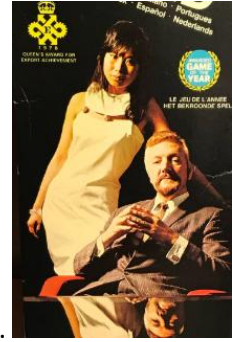
PART 2 NAME EACH OF THESE GAMES



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2024 : THE YEAR THAT WAS

- 1. Who said 'I call again for an immediate ceasefire in Gaza and return of the sausages...hostages' - KEIR STARMER, NIGEL FARAGE, RISHI SUNAK?**
- 2. Was 2024 a Leap Year - YES / NO?**
- 3. How do you write 2024 in Roman Numerals?**
- 4. In the Chinese Zodiac, 2024 is the year of the - RAT, TIGER, DRAGON?**
- 5. A single Bitcoin's value surpassed what milestone for the first time - \$50,000, \$100,000, \$150,000?**
- 6. The maiden voyage of the Icon of the Seas, the world's largest cruise liner (365 meters long and 20 decks) It can host how many passengers - 5,600. 7,600, 9,600?**
- 7. India went to the polls in a general election. How many million people voted - 400m, 600m or 800m?**
- 8. Who survived an assassination attempt at a political rally in Pennsylvania?**
- 9. Which country became the world's first where electric cars out numbered petrol cars NORWAY, SWEDEN, FINLAND?**
- 10. After 80 years which iconic plastic kitchenware brand filed for bankruptcy?**
- 11. Who won the FA Cup final at Wembley - MANCHESTER CITY, MANCHESTER UNITED, LIVERPOOL?**
- 12. Who won the Cricket County Championship Division 2 - SUSSEX, YORKSHIRE, MIDDLESEX?**
- 13. Who won the Grand National - I AM MAXIMUS, I AM CLAUDIUS, I AM CAESAR?**
- 14. Who won both Men's and Women's Boat Race?**
- 15. Who won the Wimbledon Men's Final?**
- 16. Which driver won the British Grand Prix at Silverstone?**
- 17. Which film won Best Film at the 96th Academy Awards?**
- 18. Which musician became the world's first billionaire solely from songs and concerts?**
- 19. Which well loved 'dowager' playing actress and Dame died at the age of 89?**
- 20. Which TV 'Soap' had the most viewing in October 2024 - CORONATION STREET, EASTENDERS , HOLLYOAKS?**



FOODIES : TEST YOUR COCKTAIL KNOWLEDGE

1. Dry, Wet, Gibson and Vodka are all variations of which cocktail?
2. Havana, Cuba is often referred to as the birthplace of which cocktail whose core ingredients include white rum, lime juice and mint?
3. 'Strained Pineapple' is the translation for which fruity cocktail?
4. A Bellini is made with Prosecco and the nectar or puree of which fruit?
5. Which actor plays bartender Brian Flanagan in the 1988 movie 'Cocktail'?
6. The Caipirinha is a cocktail made of cachaca, sugar and lime. Which country is it the national cocktail of?
7. What scandalous vodka-based cocktail are you ordering which often includes peach schnapps, orange juice and cranberry juice?
8. Which brand of Tennessee Whisky is produced in a 'dry' USA county so it cannot be sold there?
9. Name one of the two alcoholic ingredients in the cocktail known as the French 75?
10. Which cocktail made with Drambuie and Scotch Whisky is something that you would not want to tread on!

NAME THE COUNTRY, NATIONALITY OR CITY ASSOCIATED WITH THESE FOODS

11. _____ MUFFINS
12. _____ DUCK
13. _____ PASTRY
14. _____ STEW
15. _____ ROLL
16. _____ ORANGES
17. _____ SALAD
18. _____ EGG
19. _____ OMELETTE
20. _____ BEANS

SPLIT PERSONALITIES

Name both halves of the faces from the picture and clue. A point for each half.



You won't see normally see
these WAG's this close!!



You might find these near
a Dance floor



This pair have recently
been in an Australian Jungle.



Very important people!



One no longer playing
One still on the pitch



Two many Cooks!!



They used to keep us
updated on a daily basis



One is still at the crease
the other is not



So one is on the left and
the other on the right



A pair of Jokers



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