

DUBLIN QUIZ LEAGUE 2022-23 SEASON

MATCH 9 - Played 13/03/2023 - Set by Team Irish Life

RUNNING ORDER + INDIVIDUAL QUESTIONS

START OF QUIZ

Teams to toss a coin to determine A & B order

<u>Round 1 - Individual</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>Answer</u>
Q1a (Team A Person 1)	According to the nursery rhyme <i>Hey Diddle Diddle</i> , who did the spoon run away with?	The Dish
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	According to the nursery rhyme <i>Hey Diddle Diddle</i> , what animal laughed to see such fun?	The little dog
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	<i>Harry's House</i> by Harry Styles won Album of the Year at this year's Grammys. It beat, among others, the album <i>Renaissance</i> by which multi-Grammy winning US singer?	Beyoncé
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	<i>Harry's House</i> also beat, among others, the album <i>30</i> by which multi-Grammy winning UK singer?	Adele
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	The Australian rugby union team based in Sydney is New South Wales Waratahs. What is a waratah?	Plant / tree / shrub (accept similar)
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	The Australian rugby union team based in Canberra is A.C.T. Brumbies. What is a brumby?	Wild or feral horse
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	The 18th century Leinster House, on Dublin's Kildare Street and now home to the Irish parliament, was designed for the Earl of Kildare by which German-born architect? He also designed Russborough House in Wicklow.	Richard Cassels (accept Castle)
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	The 18th century Parliament House on Dublin's College Green, the original home to the parliament of Ireland and now owned and occupied by Bank of Ireland, was designed by which Meath-born architect? He also contributed to the design of Castletown House in Celbridge, Co. Kildare.	Edward Lovett Pearce

Round 2 - Team

Team **A** to pick a topic first

Team **B** to pick a topic second

Round 3 - Individual

	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	LOT is the national airline or flag carrier of which European country?	Poland
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	TAP is the national airline or flag carrier of which European country?	Portugal
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	Which TD for Cork South-West recently became the new leader of the Social Democrats, replacing Catherine Murphy and Roisin Shortall?	Holly Cairns
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	Murphy and Shortall launched the Social Democrats in 2015 alongside which other, then independent, TD? He left the party just over a year later.	Stephen Donnelly
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	In the 1990's sketch show <i>Harry Enfield & Chums</i> , what was the first name of either of the two "Old Gits" played by Enfield and Paul Whitehouse? Their surname was, of course, Git!	Alf / Fred (accept either)
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	In the 1990's sketch show Harry Enfield & Chums , what was the first name of either of the two "Self-Righteous Brothers" played by Enfield and Whitehouse? Their surname was Doberman.	Frank / George (accept either)
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	Which country's ten, twenty and fifty euro cent coins feature the portrait and signature of Miguel de Cervantes?	Spain
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	Which county's one euro coin features the portrait and signature of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart?	Austria

Round 4 - Team

Team **B** to pick a topic first

Team **A** to pick a topic second

Round 5 - Individual	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team A Person 1)	Which song, most famously sung by Elvis Presley, was apparently inspired by its writer seeing a man annoyed that an item of his clothing was being scuffed while he danced?	Blue Suede Shoes
Q1b (Team B Person 1)	Which song, most famously sung by Elvis Presley, was apparently inspired by a news story about a lonely man, committing suicide from the window of the run-down establishment in which he was staying?	Heartbreak Hotel
Q2a (Team A Person 2)	Written by Dav Pilkey, which series of children's novels, later spun off into a movie and TV series, centres around two schoolboys George and Harold, and their ill-tempered school principal Mr. Krupp, who moonlights as the title character?	Captain Underpants
Q2b (Team B Person 2)	Written by Francesca Simon, which series of children's novels, later spun off into a movie and TV series, centres around the title character, a unruly English schoolboy, his brother Peter and his annoying parents?	Horrid Henry
Q3a (Team A Person 3)	What is the married surname of the Dublin woman born Alison Stewart in 1961 and prominent as an activist and businesswoman? She is possibly better known as the wife of a very famous Irish musician, who is not usually known by his birth name.	Hewson
Q3b (Team B Person 3)	What is the married surname of the Dublin woman born Rachel O'Neill in 1971? A well-known TV chef, she married into a famous family of cooks having met her husband Isaac in the family-run cookery school in Cork.	Allen
Q4a (Team A Person 4)	Which winter Olympic sport can be competed as singles, two-person or four-person events? The singles event was only introduced for women at the 2022 winter games.	Bobsleigh
Q4b (Team B Person 4)	The Winter Olympic event the biathlon combines skiing and what other discipline?	Rifle shooting

Round 6 - Team

Team A to pick a topic first

Team B to pick a topic second

Round 7 - Individual

	Question	Answer
Q1a (Team B Person 1)	In a traditional "quattro stagioni" or four seasons pizza, name either of the two ingredients which represent summer? One is technically a fruit, the other a herb.	Tomato / Basil (accept either)
Q1b (Team A Person 1)	In a traditional "quattro stagioni" or four seasons pizza, name either of the two ingredients which represent winter? One is a technically a fruit, the other a meat.	Proscuitto (or ham) / Olive (accept either)
Q2a (Team B Person 2)	Who directed the films <i>Raging Bull</i> , <i>Goodfellas</i> , <i>Gangs of New York</i> , <i>The Departed</i> and <i>The Wolf of Wall Street</i> ?	Martin Scorsese
Q2b (Team A Person 2)	Who directed the films <i>Pulp Fiction</i> , <i>Kill Bill</i> , <i>Inglourious Basterds</i> , <i>Django Unchained</i> and <i>Once Upon a Time in Hollywood</i> ?	Quentin Tarantino
Q3a (Team B Person 3)	Who is the current US Secretary of State? This person served as deputy secretary of state under Barack Obama's presidency.	Antony Blinken
Q3b (Team A Person 3)	Who is the current US Secretary of the Treasury? This person was previously head of the US Federal Reserve.	Janet Yellen
Q4a (Team B Person 4)	Serving for just over 16 years, who was the longest serving Chancellor of Germany to have served at any time during the 20th century?	Helmut Kohl
Q4b (Team A Person 4)	Serving for nearly 14 years, who was the longest serving President of France to have served at any time during the 20th century?	Francois Mitterand

Round 8 - Team

Team **B** to pick a topic first

Team **A** to use last remaining topic

END OF QUIZ

Spare questions

(only use if necessary)

Question	Answer
"Weird Al" Yankovic's 1984 song <i>Eat It</i> is a parody of what 1983 Michael Jackson hit?	Beat It
"Weird Al" Yankovic's 1985 song <i>Like a Surgeon</i> is a parody of what 1984 Madonna hit?	Like a Virgin
Periwinkle and sapphire are shades of what colour?	Blue
Chartreuse and jade are shades of what colour?	Green
One hundred years ago this week, nine anti-Treaty prisoners were executed in Ballyseedy in one of the worst atrocities of the Civil War. In which Irish county is Ballyseedy?	Kerry
Often cited as the first skirmish of the War of Independence, the Soloheadbeg ambush happened in January 1919. In which Irish county is Soloheadbeg?	Tipperary
Which Sligo Rovers striker was leading scorer in the League of Ireland Premier Division in 2022 with 18 goals? He has since moved to Cheltenham Town in League One in England.	Aidan Keena
Which Shamrock Rovers striker won League of Ireland Player of the Season for 2022? His 10 goals during the season helped Rovers to their third title in a row.	Rory Gaffney

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TEAM QUESTIONS

French Regions

Q1 France is sub-divided into 18 administrative regions. You are about to be tested on them! The île [pronounced "eel"] de France region is the most populous French region, with nearly 13 million inhabitants. What is the capital and largest city of this region?	Paris
Q2 The largest region by area is Nouvelle-Aquitaine, which takes up most of the south-western part of France. What is the capital and largest city of this region?	Bordeaux
Q3 The most northerly region is Hauts-de-France (literally Upper France). What is the capital and largest city of this region - it's the ninth largest city in France?	Lille
Q4 What is the name of the most southerly administrative region of France? It's capital is Saint-Denis, although it is located some 9,000 kilometres from the Saint-Denis suburb of Paris.	Réunion

Akira Kurosawa

Q1 Which 1960 Western, starring Yul Brynner and Steve McQueen, is a remake of Akira Kurosawa's 1954 film <i>Seven Samurai</i> ?	The Magnificent Seven
Q2 Which 1964 spaghetti Western, the first in a trilogy directed by Sergio Leone and starring Clint Eastwood, is a remake of Kurosawa's 1961 film <i>Yojimbo</i> ?	A Fistful of Dollars
Q3 Kurosawa's 1985 Oscar and Golden Globe nominated <i>Ran</i> tells the story of an aging Japanese warlord, who hands his kingdom over to his three sons. It is heavily based on which play by William Shakespeare?	King Lear
Q4 Which 2022 film, starring Bill Nighy, had two Oscar nominations for Best Actor and Best Adapted Screenplay at yesterday's Oscars? The screenplay was adapted from Kurosawa's 1952 film <i>Ikiru</i> .	Living

Baseball

Q1 How many players are on a baseball team?	9
Q2 With the initials SS, what name is given to the baseball field position between second and third base?	Short Stop
Q3 Which team won their second World Series title in 2022, beating the Philadelphia Phillies by four games to two? City or franchise name will suffice.	Houston Astros (accept city or franchise name)
Q4 Baseball has been a competitive event at six summer Olympic Games. Which country has won a baseball medal at five of those six games? Surprisingly it's not the US, who "only" won 4 medals.	Cuba (three golds and two silvers)

Pulitzer Prize for Fiction

Q1 Which author was initially chosen for the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction in 1941 but the award was overturned and not presented that year? He would have to wait 12 years before eventually winning the prize for his novel <i>The Old Man and the Sea</i> .	Ernest Hemingway
Q2 Which author won the Pulitzer Prize for fiction in both 1955 and posthumously in 1963? Perhaps surprisingly, he wasn't successful with earlier works such as <i>The Sound and the Fury</i> and <i>As I Lay Dying</i> .	William Faulkner
Q3 Another posthumous win came in 1981, when which novel, featuring the central character Ignatius J Reilly, was selected? This was twelve years after its author's death.	A Confederacy of Dunces (by John Kennedy Toole)
Q4 Another double Pulitzer-winner, this time more recently, is Colson Whitehead. He won in 2017 for <i>The Underground Railroad</i> and in 2020 for what novel based on the events at an abusive school in Florida?	The Nickel Boys

The Masked Singer

Q1 Name any of the three people who have been panellists or judges on all four series of <i>The Masked Singer</i> in the UK? Two are well-known British TV presenters and the third is a successful singer-songwriter.	Davina McCall / Rita Ora / Jonathan Ross (accept any)
Q2 The most recent UK series ended last month and was won by Rhino, who turned out to be the singer Charlie Simpson. Simpson first came to fame in 2001 as a singer, lead guitarist and drummer with which British band?	Busted
Q3 Which Irish singer, performing as Robo-bunny, finished in third place in last year's <i>The Masked Singer</i> UK?	Mark Feehily
Q4 <i>The Masked Singer</i> franchise was launched in 2015 with the show <i>King of Mask Singer</i> . This competition ran in which country?	South Korea (prompt on "Korea")

All About that "Base"

Q1 In chemistry, bases are chemical substances which have a "potential of Hydrogen" or pH greater than what number? Pure water has a pH of this number.	7
Q2 The Eagle lunar module was landed by Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin at which "base" on the moon? It is named after the lunar sea in which it is located.	Tranquility Base
Q3 BASE jumping is a sport which involves jumping from fixed objects using a parachute. In this context, if the B stand for buildings, the A for antenna and the E for earth, what does the S stand for?	Spans (for example, bridges)
Q4 Named after the 19th century Irish scientist, Joseph Pentland, the mineral pentlandite is the most common source of what base metal? The mineral is a compound of iron, sulphur and this metal.	Nickel

The Saints are Coming

Q1 As well as being patron saint of Ireland, St Patrick is also patron saint of which large African country? Its flag is, completely coincidentally, also similar to Ireland's, except with the orange replaced by a second green band.	Nigeria
Q2 Ireland's third patron saint, St. Columba or Colmcille, reputedly founded which north Dublin town? The town now has boys and girls national schools and a GAA club named after the saint.	Swords
Q3 Which 20th century Italian saint was the subject of a concert last Saturday night in the National Concert Hall? The concert's posters dubbed this man "Ireland's Favourite Saint".	Padre Pio
Q4 Which Irish nun of the 6th century is one of the co-patrons of Limerick? She is reputed to have been a foster mother to Brendan the Navigator and founded her church in the Limerick parish of Killeedy.	Saint Ita (accept Ide or Ida)

The Regency

Q1 Who was shot dead in February 2016 at a boxing weigh-in in Dublin's Regency Hotel?	David Byrne
Q2 Which former Sinn Fein councillor pleaded guilty to aiding the killers of Byrne and testified against the accused at the long-running murder trial that ended earlier this year?	Jonathan Dowdall
Q3 Name either of the two men accused of Byrne's murder alongside Gerry Hutch in the recent trial?	Paul Murphy / Jason Bonney
Q4 Not that he has anything to do with these events, but the boxing promotion company co-founded by Daniel Kinehan is called MTK Global. What does the "MTK" stand for in this case? No bonus points for singing the answer.	Mack The Knife