

ABOUT BURY

1. Which British Journalist, newsreader and broadcaster was born in Ramsbottom in 1968?
Victoria Derbyshire
2. What is the name of the band who in 2008 won the Mercury Music Prize for their album Seldom Seen Kid and was awarded the Freedom of the Borough
Elbow
3. At the last census, what was the population of the Metropolitan Borough of Bury? To the nearest thousand;
a. 127 b. 137, c. 167 **d. 187**
4. Name all the stations on the East Lancs Railway
Heywood, Bury, Burrs, Summerseat, Ramsbottom, Irwell Vale, Rawtenstall
5. How old was Victoria Wood when she passed away?
A 61, **b. 62,** c. 63, d. 64
6. Bury FC share the record for the highest score in an FA cup final.
Who did they beat? **Derby County**
What year was it ? **1903**
What was the score? **6 - 0**
7. What is the Saxon meaning of Bury?
a. The Underground
b. The Stronghold
c. Fortified Town
d. Army Crossing
8. What year was the Interchanged opened?
a. 1976, b. 1978 **c. 1980** d. 1982
9. In 1733 John Kay invented the “picking peg” for the cotton industry. Which pub in Bury shared the name that this was better known as? (He came from Walmersley Road)
The Flying Shuttle
10. Which famous film director was born in Radcliffe?
Danny Boyle

To which famous songs are these the opening lyrics?

1. "You were working as a waitress in a cocktail bar when I met you..."
Don't You Want Me – Human League
2. "See the stone set in your eyes..."
With or Without You – U2
3. "I still don't know what I was waiting for and my time was running wild..."
Changes – David Bowie
4. "What'll you do when you get lonely and no-one's waiting by your side?"
Layla – Derek and the Dominoes
5. "I got this feeling inside my bones, it goes electric, wavy when I turn it on..."
Can't Stop the Feeling – Justin Timberlake
6. "Like the legend of the phoenix, all ends with beginnings..."
Get Lucky – Daft Punk
7. "Thanks for the times that you've given me, the memories are all in my mind..."
Three Times a Lady – Commodores
8. "She's got a smile that it seems to me reminds me of childhood memories..."
Sweet Child O' Mine – Guns 'N Roses
9. "I wonder if one day that you'll say that you care..."
Puppet on a String – Sandie Shaw
10. "You can get yourself clean, you can have a good meal, you can do what about you feel"
YMCA – Village People

General Knowledge

1. What is the capital of Brazil?
Brasilia
2. What temperature does water boil at in degrees C?
100 degrees C
3. Which country is famous for tulips?
Netherlands
4. Acrophobia is the phobia of?
Heights
5. who was the first President of America?
George Washington
6. how many lords are there in the House of Lords?
800
7. Which species has the tongue 1.5 times in length of its body?
Chameleon
8. which is the richest country per capita in the world?
 - a. United Arab Emirate
 - b. Switzerland
 - c. **Qatar**
9. 'Daffodils' is a famous poem written by which poet?
William Wordsworth
10. In which year did the Beatles Band begin?
 - A 1956**
 - B 1958
 - C 1961
 - D 1964