

Films and Comedy Quiz – 25th June | QUESTIONS

- 1. In which film does Alec Guinness's character plan and carry out a theft of gold bullion? (The film also starred Stanley Holloway, Sidney James and Audrey Hepburn.)
- 2. A Night to Remember, of 1958, was about which disaster?
- 3. Which Ealing film of 1955 sees a gang of criminals defeated by their little old landlady?
- 4. Which Hitchcock film has James Stewart's character confined to his room from which he spies on his neighbours?
- 5. Which 'post-World War III' film starring Gregory Peck, Ava Gardner and Anthony Perkins, is based on a novel by Neville Shute?
- 6. Which 1956 film, starring Yul Brynner and Deborah Kerr was a remake of Anna and the King of Siam?
- 7. Which 1957 British film, starring Alastair Sim and Joyce Grenfell, sees a group of unruly schoolgirls going off on a UNESCO prize trip to Rome?
- 8. Gregory Peck starred in which film of 1956 based on a Herman Melville novel?
- 9. Who wrote the music for West Side Story?
- 10. Which was the first James Bond film?
- 11. In which black comedy film did Peter Sellers play an RAF officer, a mad scientist and a US President?
- 12. Who were the two main stars in Midnight Cowboy?
- 13. The Sentinel, a short story by Arthur C Clarke, was the basis for which film?
- 14. What was the title of the 1962 epic about the D-Day landings?
- 15. The Good, the Bad and the Ugly is a typical example of which film subgenre?

- 16. Which 1965 film is based on a novel by Boris Pasternak?
- 17. Which star of One Foot in the Grave also appeared in Duck Patrol?
- 18. Which series was the sequel to Porridge?
- 19. Which impressionist had several BBC series from 1974 onwards, but moved to ITV in 1982?
- 20. What was the name of Bernie Winter's double-act dog?
- 21. Which TV stand-up comedian was known as the 'Rochdale Cowboy'?
- 22. Who was Dame Edna Everage's mute sidekick?
- 23. Which spoof chat show featured a band led by Glen Ponder?
- 24. In 'Allo 'Allo, which German officer had a crush on Rene Artois?
- 25. Which show starred Danny de Vito as Louie De Palma and Christopher Lloyd as 'Reverend Jim'?
- 26. Which comedy starred Victoria Wood and Julie Walters as long-lost sisters who are reunited on a TV show?
- 27. In Men Behaving Badly, who played Dermot?
- 28. Who were the two ex-bouncers who fled the Phoenix Club in a mobile home, only to end up in a sequel to Phoenix Nights?
- 29. Which US series from the early 1990s starred Brett Butler as a feisty, man-wary divorcee?
- 30. Who was Caroline Aherne's chat show alter-ego?