

Answers to General Knowledge Quiz (12th March 2021)

1. Which letter of the English alphabet hasn't changed its shape since its introduction in around 130BC? - O

2. Which song links Millie and Bad Manners? - MY BOY LOLLIPOP

3. Which solider, who conquered Sicily and Naples in 1860 gave his name to a type of Biscuit?- GARIBALDI

4. Which currency is used by Jordan, Iraq and Libya?- DINAR

5. What is name of the holiday camp in Hi-De-Hi? - MAPLINS

6. What job links Abraham Lincoln and Rock Hudson? - THEY WERE BOTH POSTMEN

7. What role was Elmo Lincoln playing when he stabbed his co-star to death while filming a 1918 movie? - TARZAN

8. What type of creature is a Painted Lady? - BUTTERFLY

9. Who was England's goalkeeper in the 1966 World Cup final?- GORDON BANKS

10. May Hardman was the first death in which TV Soap? CORONATION STREET

11. At what temperature in Fahrenheit does water boil? - 212 DEGREES

12. What does QC stand for? - QUEENS COUNCIL

13. Who was Gordon Bennett?- A US NEWPAPER PUBLISHER

14. Which Enzo founded one of the world's leading car manufacturers? - ENZO FERRARI

15. The name of which Middle East capital means 'God's Gift'?- BAGHDAD

16. In which 1959 film did Tony Curtis and Jack Lemmon appear in drag? - SOME LIKE IT HOT

17. How much is the letter K worth in Scrabble? - 5

18. Which type of Lorry is named after a Hindu god? - JUGGERNAUT

19. In which English county is the Isle of Purbeck? - DORSET

20. Who wrote the children's story The Old Man of Lochnagar - PRINCE CHARLES

21. Which awards were made of wood to conserve metal during World War Two? - THE OSCARS

22. Who was the first British man to reach the world's top ten in Tennis rankings? - GREG RUSEDSKI

23. What is the hardest bone in the human body? - THE JAWBONE

24. Tahiti is the largest of which group of Islands? - THE SOCIETY ISLANDS

25. What are roller, roman and Venetian? - TYPES OF BLINDS

26. What sporting activity takes place at Fairyhouse? - HORSE RACING

27. Which bird lays its eggs in the nests of other birds? - CUCKOO

28. Which singer has a cousin who has scored an FA Cup Final goal? - ELTON JOHN his cousin is Roy Dwight

29. Which tinned meat celebrated its 80th birthday in 2017? - SPAM

30. Who got in a basket with Teddy and Andy Pandy? -LOOBY LOO

31. Which singer was born Annie Mae Bullock? - TINA TURNER

32. Which games was Francis Drake playing as the Spanish Armada approached? - BOWLS

33. What were made compulsory on cars in Britain in 1954? - FLASHING INDICATOR LIGHTS

34. Jason Durr took over from Nick Berry in which TV series? - HEARTBEAT

35. In which city is the Millennium Stadium? - CARDIFF

36. In which city do Juventus Football club play? - TURIN

37. What is a baby Kangaroo called? - JOEY

38. What caused the Six Nations Rugby Championship to be carried over to the autumn of 20017 - FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

39. Who was Dick Turpin's sidekick? - SWIFTNICK

40. What does the horned toad squirt from its eyes to deter attackers? - BLOOD

41. Who was christened Manchester United's 'baby-faced assassin'? - OLE GUNNER SOLSKJAER

- 42. What is a Grackle? A BIRD
- 43. Which comedian's real name is Bob Davis? JASPER CARROT
- 44. Which European country is made up of around 500 islands? DENMARK

45. In which newspaper did the cartoon strip 'Andy Capp' first appear? - DAILY MIRROR

- 46. What is Siderophobia?- A FEAR OF STARS
- 47. What is the Roman numeral for 65? LXV
- 48. Which bird took Manfred Mann to Number one in 1966? PRETTY FLEMINGO
- 49. What statue stands in London's Piccadilly Circus? EROS
- 50. What percentage of a Melon is water? 95%