



9th April Quiz

General Knowledge

1. Who had the first No 1 with “Unchained Melody”?
2. Which rogue trader brought about the downfall of Barings Bank?
3. Who played Hercule Poirot in the 2017 version of “Murder on the Orient Express”?
4. In which country is the Dordogne?
5. What kind of creature is a natterjack?
6. West Bay in Dorset was the location for which TV drama series?
7. Which cricket team plays home county games at Edgbaston?
8. How is the letter S represented in morse code?
9. If something is Cantonese which country does it come from?
10. Where did Elizabeth Fry disappear from in 2017?
11. Who said, “Anyone who hates children and dogs can’t be all bad”?
12. In our solar system which planet takes the least time to orbit the sun?
13. What is the name of Rene’s wife in “Allo Allo”?
14. Whose cave inspired Mendelssohn to compose his Hebrides overture?
15. Who wrote the Waverley novels?
16. Which word can go after blue and before neck?
17. In Greek tragedy, which king married his own mother?
18. Is an okapi animal, vegetable or mineral?
19. Angelia Jolie and Russell Brand share an exact birthday, June 4, in which year?
20. On which country’s stamps would you find the words, Magyar Posta?

Around the UK

1. The Severn, the Trent and the Ouse are all what?
2. Is Dundee on the east or west coast of Scotland?
3. Which is the second-largest city in England?
4. What is Wales's highest mountain?
5. In which county are the seaside resorts of Clacton and Southend?
6. Whose 'Causeway' lies on the north coast of Ireland?
7. Which seaside resort is famous for its Tower and its Golden Mile?
8. Which is the most northerly point on the British mainland?
9. What is the name of the famous cathedral in York?
10. Is Belfast on the east or west of Northern Ireland?
11. What is the capital of Wales?
12. Which river runs through London?
13. Which is further north, Southport or Northampton?
14. Which islands give their name to ponies and wool?
15. Which is the only Welsh county to have a first-class cricket team?
16. Caerphilly is a town and also what type of food?
17. Which river flows through Glasgow?
18. Which town is further south, Aberystwyth or Swansea?
19. Which part of the country would a Geordie come from?
20. Near which large city would you find the Wirral?