



HSQE quiz - Thursday 11 June

Question 1

- Q: Who celebrates their 99th birthday this month?
 - a) Betty White
 - b) Sean Connery
 - c) Prince Phillip
 - d) Captain Tom Moore

Question 2

- Q: What is the name of the north star?
 - a) Betelgeuse
 - b) Polaris
 - c) Antares
 - d) Vega

Question 3

- q: From which country does tennis player Andres Gomez, winner of the 1990 French Championships, come?
 - a) Ecuador
 - b) Peru
 - c) Portugal
 - d) Spain

Question 4

- Q: In 1896 the first person fined for speeding, Walter Arnold, was travelling at what speed?
 - a) 8mph
 - b) 12 mph
 - c) 33 mph
 - d) 35 mph

Question 5

- Q: The Anglo-Zanzibar war is known as the shortest war in history. How long did it take for the Zanzibar Sultanate to surrender?
 - a) 11 minutes
 - b) 3 days
 - c) 17 hours
 - d) 38 minutes

Question 6

- Q: What was Alfred Hitchcock's first sound film which opened in 1929?
 - a) Murder
 - b) Rebecca
 - c) Number 17
 - d) Blackmail

Question 7

- Q: There are roughly 6,500 spoken languages in the world today. What's the most popular one?
 - a) Mandarin Chinese
 - b) English
 - c) Spanish
 - d) Arabic

Question 8

- Q: What's the fastest fish in the world?
 - a) Marlin
 - b) Sailfish
 - c) Blue whale
 - d) White shark

Question 9

- Q: Where did the world's first successful human heart transplant take place?
 - a) Chicago
 - b) London
 - c) Cape Town
 - d) Colorado

Question 10

- Q: What was the name given to Hawaii by Captain James Cook in 1778?
 - a) Snack island
 - b) Sandwich island
 - c) Lunch island
 - d) Pineapple island

Question 11

- Q: The tallest building in the world is located in which city?
 - a) London
 - b) Dubai
 - c) New York
 - d) Shanghai

Question 12

- Q: What is Postman Pat's surname?
 - a) Addington
 - b) Bell
 - c) Cunliffe
 - d) Clifton

Question 13

- Q: What is the hottest chilli pepper in the world?
 - a) Infinity Chili
 - b) Cayenne Pepper
 - c) The Carolina Reaper
 - d) Dragon's Breath

Question 14

- Q: What does GIF stand for?
 - a) Graphics interchange format
 - b) Graphics illustration figure
 - c) Graphics imagery formula
 - d) Graphics image funny



Question 15

- Q: “Stinks in here, dunnit?” were the first words spoken in which tv soap?
 - a) Coronation Street
 - b) Casualty
 - c) Hollyoaks
 - d) Eastenders