



The Big Fat Mobberley Quiz

Section 1 - How much do you know about our village?

1. Mobberley appears in the Domesday Book as Mobberley, Maberley, Motburlege or Mobberleigh?
2. The area of Mobberley is 8 sq miles, 18 sq miles or 28 sq miles?
3. Mobberley Parish Church is dedicated to St Wilfrid and which other Saint?
4. When was the Mobberley Parish Church Tower built: 1233, 1333, 1433 or 1533?
5. The Patronage of Mobberley Parish Church was bought by which family?
6. How many bells are there in the Parish Church Bell tower?
7. There was a Priory on the site of Mobberley Parish Church. What denomination was this Priory?
8. The Manor House was built in the 13th Century. Why was it demolished in the 1950s?
9. Which is the odd one out: The Bird in Hand; The Bulls Head; The Church Inn; The Frozen Mop; The Plough and Flail; The Railway; The Roebuck
10. The graveyard on Graveyard Lane was founded by which religious sect?
11. Mobberley Railway station was opened in 1842, 1852, 1862 or 1872?
12. Why are the Brooks and Watson Daylight Camera Company associated with Mobberley?
13. The Victory Hall was built to commemorate those killed in the Great War. In what year was it completed?
14. We have 12, 22, 32 or 42 miles of public footpath in Mobberley?
15. What is the classification of the main road through Mobberley?
16. Which Cheshire cycleway passes through the Parish?
17. Name the long distance footpath which passes through Mobberley?

18. Which festival is held in Mobberley each year at the beginning of June?
19. Mobberley Conservation Area was created in 1976, 1986, 1996 or 2006?
20. Name the three playing fields in Mobberley called?
21. What is the number of the bus service that passes through Mobberley?
22. The annual Wakes Festival commenced in Mobberley on the first Sunday after 12 October. What was the previous Sunday called?
23. Where in the village are the stocks sited?
24. The present Methodist Chapel on Faulkner Lane was opened in 1852, 1882, 1912 or 1942?
25. Where was the earlier Methodist Chapel built in 1836?
26. In what year was the first Mobberley By-pass constructed?
27. In what year did Mobberley Cricket Club hold its first annual meeting: 1857, 1877, 1897 or 1907?
28. The Rose Queen started as a May Day Festival, but in what year?
29. If you stand on the Community Meadow, which is the house due south?
30. What was the Community Meadow formerly called?
31. If you stand on the Community Meadow, in which direction is the Station?
32. When did Mobberley Parish Council purchase the Community Meadow?
33. In towns we have Home Watch. What similar organisation do we have here in the countryside?

Section 2 - General Knowledge

1. According to the makers what is the most popular flavour of Walkers crisps?
2. Crack and pussy are varieties of what tree?
3. 'Flammable air' was an early name for which gas?
4. What is the book *A la recherche du temps perdu* by Marcel Proust most famous for?
5. Dump, floater and wipe are terms used in which sport?
6. Which material is used in the art form known as scrimshaw?
7. A common addition to the words on a 'kiss me quick' hat are 'squeeze me...' what?

8. Which comic strip character is known in Germany as Willi Wakker?
9. Where did Aerosmith find love in a 1989 hit single?
10. Steely McBeam is the mascot of which American football team?
11. What colour are the spacesuits NASA space shuttle astronauts worn?
12. Which French explorer discovered Prince Edward Island?
13. According to Tolstoy, Napoleon would tug on what part of a person's body if they were in his favour?
14. Which organ in the body acts as a filter for your blood, cleaning it of bacteria and viruses?
15. At what country estate was the World War Two German Enigma code broken?
16. Traditionally, sailors would get a tattoo of what bird after travelling over 5,000 nautical miles?
17. In 1948, the Empire Windrush arrived in London from which Caribbean Island?
18. Which newspaper in 1906 coined the word 'suffragette'?
19. According to the first line of 'Pride and Prejudice', a "single man in possession of a good fortune" is in want of what?
20. What is the minimum numbers of players a football team must have for a match to start or restart?

Section 3 - Food and Drink

1. What type of wine is 'Sekt'?
2. An Indian meal which included 'masoor' would have what ingredient?
3. 'Hendrick's', 'Larios' and 'Seagram's' are some of the best-selling brands of which spirit?
4. Which type of tea, originally from the Chinese province of Fujian, gains its distinctive flavour from being smoke-dried over pinewood fires?
5. Castelo Branco cheese originates from which country?
6. 'Black Krim', 'Green Zebra' and 'Yellow Pear' are all varieties of which salad ingredient?

7. 'Breede River Valley' is a wine-producing region in which country?
8. Production of Singha beer began in which country in 1934?
9. If you saw 'chou-fleur' on a French menu which vegetable would the dish includes?
10. From which sea-creature is 'tomalley' obtained?
11. In which country is the Staropramen brewery?
12. From which type of flower does a vanilla pod come?
13. Which salad vegetable has varieties named 'White Icicle', 'Sparkler' and 'Cherry Belle'?
14. Which mineral water has been marketed with the slogan 'Live Young'?
15. Claret is a dry red wine produced in which region of France?
16. How many standard 750ml bottles of wine would fit into a Methuselah?
17. In a 'Carpetbag Steak', what are placed into a pocket cut into the meat?
18. What is the national dish of Hungary?
19. 'Scrag End' is the name for a cut of which type of meat?
20. Which came first: McDonalds or KFC?

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Prize Giving Ceremony – Quiz Treasure Hunt and Children’s Colouring Competition Sat 25th June 2pm at Mobberley Methodist Church.

All contact details supplied will be destroyed at the end of the competition unless you wish to remain on the Church database.

