

Stoneway Guest House Quiz 7

Please do not use the internet and cheat.

Section 1

Match the past or present Prime Minister to the country

1	Mary McAleese	Australia	
2	John Howard	Bermuda	
3	Jennifer Smith	Falklands Islands	
4	Howard Pearce	Grenada	
5	Keith Mitchell	Iceland	
6	David Oddson	Ireland	
7	Percival J Patterson	Israel	
8	Helen Elizabeth Clark	Jamaica	
9	Bashar Assad	New Zealand	
10	Pervez Musharraf	Norway	
		Pakistan	
		Syria	

Section 2 Food Anagrams

1. to ritual ale - french vegetable dish
2. drab glacier - anathema to Peter Kay
3. hot toe inhaled - classic English dish
4. abstracting hop area - a favourite for Italians
5. toot her chaplains - originates in this northern county
6. needlessly each wee - made famous by Wallace and Gromit
7. ma soak us - staple dish in Greece

Section 3 The link

All the following answers have a link. Can you name the link, it is a nursery rhyme?

1. What is the common name given to central criminal court in London?
2. Who was Manchester United's Goalkeeper in 1968, when they became the first England club to win the European cup?
3. What is the name of the National forest close to Wyoming's city of Laramie.
4. Who landed at Torbay in Devon and assumed the throne of England?
5. In which film does Bob Hope play a racetrack bookie that owes money to a gangster?

Section 4 – Politics

1. Former Downing St Press secretary who now champions mental health issues.
2. In the House of Commons, who as of 2016, is the current 'Father of the House'?
3. Which stately home, by convention, is placed at the disposal of the Chancellor of the Exchequer?
4. As of the 2015 election, how many political parties are represented in parliament?
a) 12, b) 15, c) 18
5. Who has been the only woman to be selected as Speaker of the House of Commons?
6. How many MPs were elected at the 2015 General Election?
7. The Parliamentary procedure which allows one or more MPs to delay or entirely prevent a vote on a proposal, by extending a debate is known as what?
8. Since 2010 what parliamentary position has been held by Lieutenant-General David Leakey?
9. How long does Prime Minister's Question Time last?
10. In a parliamentary election what minimum percentage of the vote must a candidate achieve to avoid losing their deposit?

Section 5 -What are these?

The mistral, The pampero and The chinook?

Section 6 General Knowledge

1. The Victoria Cross was established in which year?
a) 1856 b) 1866 c) 1876
2. A baguette is a long thin loaf of French bread, but what does the word Baguette mean in English?
3. Ford were the first motor company to introduce which radical innovation in 1913?
4. Symphony No.9 in E minor, or From the New World is a symphony by which composer?
5. The Denier scale is used to denote the density of what?
6. Marble is a common name for which chemical compound?
7. As of season 2018 which county had won most T20 Championships in cricket?
8. How did a supply of tea from T.E. Stockwell influence the largest grocery retailer in the UK?
9. What does the Beaufort scale measure?
10. Aristotle Onassis founded which airline in 1957?

Section 7 True or False

1. Elizabeth I founded the church of England?
2. The Atlantic ocean is the largest in the world?
3. By area the state of Florida is bigger than England?
4. Ice-wine is the name given to wine made from grapes that are picked when frozen on the vine?
5. Cape of Goodhope is in Africa?

Section 8 – Who am I?

I was born on the 11th of June 1959 in Oxford, Oxfordshire, England. I was the youngest of four children with an elder brother and two older sisters.

My father was a medical doctor and also won a gold medal in the Olympics in 1948.

Whilst studying, I was a member of the university dramatic club which has produced well known actors and comedians.

In 1981 me and my rowing partner J.S Palmer were runners-up in the Silver Goblets.

At the Footlights, I met Emma Thompson with whom I became very good friends with.

I am also famous for my acting in various projects such as Blackadder, Alfresco and sketches for the BBC.

As of August 2010, I am the highest paid actor in a drama series on US Television.

Who am I?