Stoneway Guest House Quiz

Please do not use the internet and cheat.

Section 1

Match the capital city to the country.

BOGOTA	columbia
HAVANA	cuba
N'DJAMENA	chad
NICOSIA	cyprus
OTTAWA	canada
PHNOM PENH	cambodia
SAN JOSE	Costa rica
SANTIAGO	chile
YAOUNDE	Cameroon
ZAGREB	croatia

Section 2 - Film and TV

- What was the name of the pub frequented in 'Two Pints of Lager and a Packet of Crisps'? The Archer
- **2.** The 1986 novel 'It' by Stephen King was turned into a film in 2017. What is the name of the clown? *Pennywise*
- **3.** Which film won the 'Best Picture' Oscar in the 90th Academy Awards on 4th March 2018? *The Shape of Water*
- **4.** Which former 'Coronation Street' actress plays 'Doctor Foster' in the BBC drama series of the same name? *Suranne Jones*
- **5.** Which actor's film roles have included Mr Brown in the 2014 film version of 'Paddington' and Mr Rushworth in 'Mansfield Park'? *Hugh Bonneville*
- **6.** What was the surname of Polly, the long-suffering waitress and general assistant at 'Fawlty Towers'? *Sherman*
- **7.** What was the name of the charlatan psychic played by Whoopi Goldberg in the hit 1990 film 'Ghost'? *Oda Mae Brown*
- 8. How many contestants are on each team in 'University Challenge'? Four
- **9.** What was the real name of 'The Saint', as featured in a series of books by Leslie Charteris and a 1960s TV series starring Roger Moore? *Simon Templar*
- **10.** Who played Phileas Fogg in the 2004 film comedy version of 'Around the World in 80 Days'? *Steve Coogan*

Section 3 Name the President:

On Mount Rushmore there are 4 presidents, Washington, Roosevelt, Lincoln and Jefferson.

Which one wore an eye glass? Roosevelt

Section 4 - Science

- 1. In which modern-day country was the physicist and chemist Marie Curie born? *Poland*
- 2. Which is the largest internal organ in the human body? *Liver*
- 3. The MMR vaccine protects against which three diseases? *Measles, mumps and rubella (German measles)*
- 4. Which two letters of the alphabet make up the chemical symbol for mercury? Hg
- 5. Of what is 'cynophobia' a fear? Dogs
- 6. What would a woman be suffering from if she had hirsutism? Excess hair growth
- 7. Which number on the pH scale would indicate a neutral substance? 7
- 8. 3. What is the primary function of red blood cells in the human body? *To transport oxygen around the body*
- 9. 5. What is the Fahrenheit equivalent of one hundred degrees Celsius? 212 degrees Fahrenheit (Boiling point of water)
- 10. Which planet is smaller: Saturn, Uranus or Neptune? *Neptune (Saturn is the largest of the three)*

Section 5 LINK

All the following answers have a link. Can you name the link?

- 1. What condiment has varieties that are English, French and American? mustard
- 2. What did Jack Horner pull out of his pie? plum
- 3. Who was the lead actress in Lost in Translation? Scarlett johannson
- 4. Natalie Bennett is from which political party? green
- 5. What type of blood cell protects your body from infection? white

What is the link? Cluedo characters

<u>Section 6 – General Knowledge</u>

- 1. What symbol represents your current position on a computer screen? CURSOR
- 2. Jutland is in which country? **DENMARK**
- 3. Postage stamp is the name of a hole on what British golf course? ROYAL TRUNE
- 4. When driving if your indicators fail, what is the hand signal for turning left? RIGHT ARM TURNING IN A CIRCLE
- 5. In which country was Lego invented? **DENMARK**
- 6. What side of the road do you drive on in France? RIGHT
- 7. Who killed Cock Robin? SPARROW
- 8. Who wrote Far from the madding crowd? THOMAS HARDY
- 9. Which famous newspaper is based in Edinburgh? THE SCOTSMAN
- 10. The proximity of which geographical makes a Golf course a Golf links? THE SEA

Section 7 True or False

- 1. Ostriches lay the largest egg of living creatures in the world? False
- 2. In the Uk we have homing pigeons, in Japan they have homing bats? False
- 3. Laughing gas or nitrous oxide, was originally used for public entertainment? True
- 4. The AA automobile association was founded in 1905 to provide scouts to warn of police speed traps? True
- 5. Louis Braille was not blind himself? False

Section 8 Who am I?

I was born on 29th November 1898 in Belfast.

I held academic positions at both Oxford and Cambridge Universities, yet I am best known for my fictional writing.

I was a close friend of J. R. R. Tolkien and my most famous literary work is a series of seven fantasy novels.

C. S. Lewis