

QUIZ 1 ANSWERS FOR 26 JULY 2011

1. What type of animal beats its chest? **Gorilla**
2. In mythology, what type of animal was Pegasus? **Winged Horse**
3. What country is Amsterdam the commercial capital of? **Holland or Netherlands**
4. What TV series did Annie Walker appear in? **Coronation Street**
5. What is the chance of throwing an even number in one roll with a fair die (dice)? **1/2**
6. What is the common name for the clavicle bone? **Collar bone**
7. What is sake, a Japanese drink, made from? **Rice**
8. Which is the correct spelling – weird or wierd? **Weird**
9. What is a collection of dogs called? **Pack or Kennel**
10. What Christian festival celebrates the resurrection of Jesus? **Easter**
11. What is the capital city of Iraq? **Baghdad**
12. What part of Pinocchio gets larger when he lies? **Nose**
13. 4 lemons cost 60p. What would one lemon cost? **15p**
14. Which are the smallest types of blood vessels? **Capillaries**
15. What pickled vegetable does the German dish Sauerkraut contain? **Cabbage**
16. What is the common abbreviation for the Royal National Lifeboat Institution?
RNLI
17. What is a female horse, aged between 1 and 4, called? **Filly**
18. Who is the patron saint of lost causes? **St Jude**
19. In what country is the Severn River? **England and Wales (According to the internet 'The longest river in England is the Severn River in Wales'. It is 220 miles long.)**
20. In 'A Christmas Carol', what is the name of Scrooge's chief clerk? **Bob Cratchit**
21. What is the shape of a rolling pin? **Cylindrical**
22. What is the more usual name, or abbreviation, for tuberculosis? **TB**
23. How many years marriage is a Silver wedding anniversary? **25**
24. What word is 'plates of meat' the rhyming slang for? **Feet**
25. What race course, famous for hats, lies south of Windsor? **Ascot**

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1. What does a lizard lose in order to escape predators? *Tail*
2. A water carrier is the zodiac sign for what? *Aquarius*
3. In which country is the Murray-Darling River? *Australia*
4. In what film does the character Mrs Robinson appear? *The Graduate*
5. Which of the following numbers is odd? 22 or 17? *17*
6. What eye disease makes the lens opaque? *Cataract*
7. How many carats are there in pure gold? *24*
8. What is the noun in this sentence: 'The large ship sailed'? *Ship*
9. What is a male bear called? *Boar*
10. What is the common name for Shrove Tuesday? *Pancake Day*
11. What does the Richter scale measure? *Earthquakes*
12. Who wrote 'Pride and Prejudice'? *Jane Austen*
13. How many sides does a pentagon have? *5*
14. About how many blood cells are destroyed every second? 4,000 or 4 million? *4 million*
15. In golf, what is the term for two over par? *Double bogey*
16. Which famous sportsman used to say 'I am the greatest'? *Muhammad Ali*
17. Do snakes have bones? *Yes*
18. Which artist was famous for painting 'The Haywain'? *John Constable*
19. Where is Hyde Park? *London*
20. Who wrote '1984'? *George Orwell*
21. In mathematics, what is another name for 'summing'? *Adding*
22. What is the name for the chemical formula H₂O? *Water*
23. What football team has a home ground at Old Trafford? *Manchester United*
24. What is the American term for Pimple? *Zit*
25. Who was the German King who succeeded Queen Anne? *King George I*