CHRISTMAS 2021 QUIZ QUESTIONS

Round 1 - Food and drink

Questions:

- 1 In which country is it tradition to eat KFC for Christmas dinner?
- 2 What item is traditionally hidden in a Christmas pudding?
- 3 In the first-ever commercially produced Christmas cards, children are pictured drinking a surprising festive beverage what is it?
- 4 How many different types of sweets are there in a standard box of Quality Street?
- 5 In Tudor times, single women believed eating a festive treat would help them find a husband which treat was it?
- 6 Which way are you meant to stir your mincemeat, Christmas cake and Christmas pudding for good luck?
- 7 In a 2006 TV special, Nigella Lawson stunned viewers with the surprising way she prepares her turkey to guarantee it stays moist. What was it?
- 8 What is normally served as pudding on Christmas Day in Scotland?
- 9 Leah Shutkever holds the world record for the fastest time to eat three of which Christmas item? (She managed the impressive feat in 52.21 seconds, on September 25, 2019)
- 10 Which fruit is traditionally put in a Christmas stocking?

Round 2 - Christmas songs

Questions:

- 1 In total, how many Christmas gifts are given in the Christmas carol 'The 12 Days of Christmas'?
- 2 A social media campaign managed to usurp the Christmas Number One spot in 2009 with a surprising choice of song, what was the song?
- 3 Which Queen song has been Christmas number one twice?
- 4 Who has Elton John teamed up with this year for a Christmas hit?
- 5 Which Christmas song, first released in 1994, reached Christmas number
- 6 How many 'la's follow the 'fa' in the chorus of Deck the Halls?
- 7 In the song 'We Wish You a Merry Christmas', the carollers won't leave until they get some: What do they want?
- 8 In what song is Father Christmas asked for "a '54 convertible", "a yacht" and "the deed to a platinum mine"?
- 9 Who co-wrote Do They Know It's Christmas with Bob Geldof in 1984?
- 10 Which British artist has a whopping eight Christmas number ones under their belt, with different acts?

Round 3 - Film and TV

Questions:

- 1 Who proposes to who in the 2008 Gavin & Stacey Christmas special?
- 2 How old is Kevin McAllister (played by Macauley Culkin) in Home Alone?
- 3 In everyone's favourite Christmas Rom Com, Love Actually, what song is Billy Mack (Bill Nighy) trying to get to Christmas Number One?
- 4 In the classic Vicar of Dibley Christmas special 'The Christmas Lunch Incident', how many Christmas dinners does Geraldine Granger have to eat?
- 5 Arguably a Christmas movie, in which city is the film Die Hard set?
- 6 What is the name of the reindeer in Frozen?
- 7 Which famous TV family has a dog called Santa's Little Helper?
- 8 After watching Downton Abbey's 2012 Christmas special, viewers were devastated by the death of which character?
- 9 What do Excitable Edgar and Monty the Penguin have in common?
- 10 Which English actor joins Kermit the Frog and Miss Piggy for a starring role in The Muppets Christmas Carol?

Round 4 - History

Questions:

- 1 Which monarch delivered the first Christmas Day message on the radio?
- 2 Which country began the tradition of the Christmas tree?
- 3 On Christmas Day 1914, British and German soldiers in the trenches initiated an unofficial ceasefire. What activity were British and German soldiers reported to share in No Man's Land?
- 4 Which of Shakespeare's plays was written as a Christmas gift for Elizabeth I?
- 5 Who banned Christmas carols after the English Civil War in 1647?
- 6 What date in January should all your Christmas decorations come down by, according to tradition?
- 7 Who was crowned King of England on December 25, 1066?
- 8 In which modern-day country was St. Nicholas born in?
- 9 What beverage company is credited with changing the colour of Santa's suit from green to red, since he first started appearing in their advertising from 1931?
- 10 East End baker Tom Smith invented an item in 1847 which is now a staple on the table at Christmas dinner what is it?

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