



PETERBOROUGH LIONS QUIZ 2017/18

'TOM, DICK & HARRY (PAT & DEN TOO)'
(EVERY ANSWER CONTAINED ONE OF THE NAMES SHOWN ABOVE)

A huge "Thank You" from Peterborough Lions Club goes to everyone who took part in this year's quiz! Money is still coming in, but even so far we've raised a lot of money for good causes with your help. (Last year we raised well over £5000). Thanks of-course also to Lion John Cheetham and his team for creating yet another brainteaser; it's been my pleasure to take on the role of administrator this year.

The trickiest question this year turned out to be Q14: "Contrast between two things" (9 letters). As you'll see overleaf, the answer was "dichotomy" ("a division or contrast between two things that are or are represented as being opposed or entirely different", according to the Oxford English Dictionary). The most common wrong answer was "antipathy" (which the OED defines as "a deep-seated feeling of aversion").

The most commonly misspelled answers this year were both names: Q48 (Judi, not Judy) and Q65 (Denzel, not Denzil).

How did you do? Were you tripped up by one of those three questions? If you were then you were in good company – out of around 1100 quizzes returned for marking (from around 9000 sold), the prizes were drawn from just 38 completely correct answers, so it really is worth returning them if you think you've done well! (My own score was closer to 50% so well done to everyone who came close!)

We hope you enjoyed it however well you did, and that you'll be back again next year. Providing some light entertainment to keep those brain cells working in the run up to Christmas is of-course one of the reasons we do this every year, but the bigger reason is to support the good work that Lions do in the community. A big thank you comes from the users of our community minibus which enables a whole host of activities to take place around Peterborough, and from the hundreds who attend our annual Showtime, which is a rare night out for many of our elderly and disadvantaged neighbours.

As Lions, we are part of Lions Clubs International, the world's largest service organisation. We are all unpaid volunteers giving a little of our time back to our communities; every penny we make from selling quiz sheets and other activities goes to good use (all our admin costs are covered by club members). It genuinely does make it worthwhile when people come looking for the quiz every year, or come to talk to us about projects we've been involved with in the past or might be in the future.

If you do have a little spare time and would be interested in putting it to good use, then please drop us a line. If you're not local to us – this quiz goes far and wide – then we'll put you in contact with a local club if we can. Of-course volunteering is, rather obviously, voluntary, and if like most people you don't have the time free or are already involved with other organisations then please do continue to come and say hello when you see us shivering outside a supermarket. Even the little things such as "liking" and "following" us on Facebook help us to get our messages out there, and will let us remind you that you can buy our quiz sheets online via our website when the next one is released in a few months time.

2017 was Lion John Cheetham's last as quizmaster; very large shoes to fill but I'll do my very best. The best compliment that I could hope to receive at the end of 2018 would be that I haven't deviated from his high standards; Peterborough Lions Quiz is an institution that we hope to preserve for many years to come. Thanks again for all your support – see you in September!

Lion Carol Rogers

Peterborough Lions Quiz Coordinator

On behalf of my team of markers (John, John, Sheila, Steve, Sandra, Fred, Jean, Sue, Mark) and the rest of Peterborough Lions Club.

Peterborough Lions Club thank you for supporting our 28th Charity Quiz, and we sincerely hope you enjoyed doing it.

Here are the answers to the 2017/18 Lions 'Tom, Dick and Harry (Pat and Den Too)' Quiz

1 Dengue Fever	26 Patrick Moore	51 Tom Sawyer	76 Tomahawk
2 Tommy	27 Pat Phoenix	52 David Dickinson	77 Dennis the Menace
3 Mr Dick	28 The / Les Ardennes	53 Harry Belafonte	78 Harry
4 Cleopatra	29 Entomology	54 Patterdale	79 Spatula
5 Stephen Tompkinson	30 Moby Dick	55 Garden of Eden	80 Warden
6 Despatch / Dispatch	31 Harry Worth	56 Optometrist	81 Tomato
7 Ardent	32 Pattern	57 Hickory, Dickory Dock	82 Niroshan Dickwella
8 Great Tom	33 Despondent	58 Harry Hill	83 Flash Harry
9 Stomach	34 Diatoms	59 Pat Moss	84 Patina
10 George S. Patton	35 Dick Turpin	60 Sweden	85 Adenoids
11 Cressida Dick	36 Prince Harry	61 Tomorrow	86 Symptoms
12 Dickin Medal	37 Compatible	62 Dickleburgh	87 Tomfoolery
13 Stomp	38 President	63 Harry Palmer	88 Harry Corbett
14 Dichotomy	39 Tom Collins	64 Patella	89 Portpatrick
15 Dickie Bird	40 Dick Barton	65 Denzel	90 Denim
16 Harry Houdini	41 Harry Enfield	66 Phlebotomy	91 General Tom Thumb
17 Patagonia	42 Patriot	67 Uncle Tom's Cabin	92 Tommy Cooper
18 Aden	43 Denmark	68 King Harry Ferry	93 Harry Lime
19 Tompion	44 Tombola	69 Patchwork	94 Apatosaurus
20 Spotted Dick	45 Charles Dickens	70 Hidden	95 Dirty Den
21 Harry Secombe	46 Old Harry Rocks	71 Tom-Tom	96 Stomata
22 Paternal	47 Spatter	72 Spat	97 Bottom of the Sea
23 Baden Powell	48 Judi Dench	73 Harry Potter	98 When Harry Met Sally
24 Epitome	49 Phantom	74 Tom Cat	99 Patricia Routledge
25 Dicky Seat	50 Dicky Fit	75 Maiden Pink	100 Dentures

Once again we had a large number of all-correct entries, and so a draw had to be made for the prizes. If you were not lucky enough to win this year, then please accept our congratulations and sympathy - at least you are safe in the knowledge that your effort will assist many local charitable needs. Better luck next time!

The alternative answers allowed, after much searching, are shown in the above answers by an oblique (/).

Each year the quiz has a completely different theme. **If you enjoyed this year's quiz and would like to receive the next one, you can obtain it by post or online.** It will be on sale from September 2018. To order your copy now, please complete and return the coupon below with a stamped addressed envelope.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT. IT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

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I enclose a cheque for £....., payable to Peterborough Lions Club, and a stamped self addressed envelope.

Please contact me about volunteering for Peterborough Lions (tick box)

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