IBBERTON PLATINUM JUBILEE QUIZ



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**TAKE A JOURNEY DOWN MEMORY LANE THROUGH THE 70 YEAR REIGN OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II.**

**THERE ARE NO PRIZES BUT HOPEFULLY YOU WILL HAVE SOME FUN AND IT WILL BRING BACK A FEW MEMORIES FOR YOU. “That was before my time” COMMENTS ARE FORBIDDEN!**

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1952 – At which Kenyan resort was Princess Elizabeth staying when she heard she had succeeded to the throne?

1953 - Which jockey won the Derby this year at the age of 49, still the only jockey to have been knighted?

1954 – Marilyn Monroe married which American baseball star?

1955 – Which film highlighting the exploits of Guy Gibson and 617 squadron was released this year?

1956 – Who was British prime minister during the Suez Crisis of this year?

1957 – Which famous music club opened its doors in Liverpool?

1958 – Which award recognising achievements by young people was extended to include girls as well as boys in this year?

1959 – Which iconic car designed by Sir Alec Issigonis was first launched by the British Motor Company in the UK?

1960 – Having been banned since 1928, which novel by DH Lawrence was published this year, selling over 200,000 copies in a single day?

1961 – “Barbie” got a boyfriend – called??

1962 – The BBC satire show nicknamed “TW3” was launched with David Frost, Millicent Martin and others – what was its full name?

1963 – On 8th August which famous heist took place in Buckinghamshire?

1964 – Leslie Crowther took over as host of what popular BBC children’s programme?

1965 – Which decoration did the Queen present to the Beatles?

1966 – The Queen presented the Jules Rimet Trophy to which English football captain?

1967 – Who died on Coniston Water attempting to break his own water speed record?

1968 – Which English music festival (not Glastonbury) was first held this year, headlined by Jefferson Airplane?

1969 – Which new London Underground line was opened by the Queen?

1970 – Which coin ceased to be legal tender?

1971 – Who was stripped of his British Show-jumping Championship for making a “v” sign?

1972 – Which popular poet, famous for the line “come friendly bombs and fall on Slough, it isn’t fit for humans now”, was made Poet Laureate by the Queen?

1973 – Who did Princess Anne marry?

1974 – Abba won the Eurovision Song Contest in which seaside English town (now a city)?

1975 – Which iconic single by Queen was released and topped the charts for 9 weeks?

1976 – Which IT company was started by Steve Jobs and Steve Wozniak and launched its first personal computer in April?

1977 – Who won the Ladies Singles at Wimbledon in the Silver Jubilee year?

1978 – Which Andrew-Lloyd Weber musical based on the life of Eva Peron opens in the West End?

1979 – The final episode of which TV sit-com set in a hotel in Torquay was broadcast in October?

1980 – Who became prime minister of Zimbabwe, retaining power until 2017?

1981 – Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, dies at the age of 97. She was the last surviving grandchild of which monarch?

1982 – Which British Army Colonel was awarded a posthumous Victoria Cross after the Battle of Goose Green in the Falklands War?

1983 – Which Derby winning racehorse was kidnapped from his stud and eventually killed by the IRA?

1984 – Torville and Dean won figure skating Olympic gold in which European city?

1985 – Queen stole the show at Live Aid – their members were Roger Taylor, John Deacon, Brian May and who?

1986 – What finally completed Motorway was opened by Margaret Thatcher?

1987 – Which royal prince dropped out of the Royal Marines after 4 months basic training?

1988 – Which Health Minister created uproar when saying most eggs in production in the UK were contaminated by salmonella?

1989 – Betteshanger Colliery closes – the last coal mine in which south-eastern English county?

1990 – Which German discount supermarket opened its first UK branch?

1991 – Who became the first Briton in space?

1992 – With what two-word Latin phrase did Her Majesty describe this year?

1993 – Which American singer-songwriter released the song River of Dreams which includes the line “England’s got a new Queen”?

1994 – What 32 mile long, underground structure was officially opened?

1995 – From which long-running soap did Julie Goodyear leave after 25 years playing Bet Lynch?

1996 – Which royal couple were divorced this year?

1997 – What was the name of the first cloned sheep born in the UK this year?

1998 – Who hosted the new ITV game show, “Who Wants to be a Millionaire”?

1999 – Which royal couple married at St Georges Chapel, Windsor?

2000 – Which infamous doctor was found guilty of murdering 15 patients between 1995 and 1998?

2001 – Which film about a young wizard was released this year?

2002 – Whose funeral took place in Westminster Abbey – she was 101 years old?

2003 – Which supersonic aircraft made its last commercial flight?

2004 – Which journalist, now an opinionated TV presenter, was sacked as editor of the Daily Mirror?

2005 – Where in Hampshire became the 12th National Park in England?

2006 – Which north London football club’s new stadium was opened by the Duke of Edinburgh?

2007 – Who won a Golden Globe, a BAFTA and an Oscar for her starring role in “The Queen”?

2008 – Whose debut album “19” was released this year?

2009 – Which flamboyant celebrity TV chef, rarely seen without a glass of wine in his hand, died of a heart attack?

2010 – Which actress played Princess Elizabeth’s mother in the film “The Kings Speech”?

2011 – Which city in New Zealand was badly damaged by a powerful earthquake?

2012 – Who won the gold medal in the men’s tennis at the London Olympics?

2013 – Which royal Prince was born on 22nd July?

2014 – Which venue in Russia hosted the Winter Olympics?

2015 – Who was elected as Leader of the Labour Party?

2016 – Which football team won the Premier League, having been 5,000:1 outsiders at the start of the season?

2017 – Which east Yorkshire city became the UK City of Culture for the year?

2018 – Who were married on 19th May in St Georges Chapel, Windsor watched by a worldwide TV audience of an estimated 1.9 billion?

2019 – Tiger Roll wins which horse race at Aintree for the second time?

2020 – Who was elected (and still is) Leader of the Liberal Democrats?

2021 – Who won the US Open tennis women’s singles?

2022 - What is the name of the new Crossrail train line opened in London on 24th May?