



## CHRISTMAS QUIZ 2021

A few teasers to keep your brain active over the festive period.

Free to enter!

Closing date 5pm Sunday 2nd January 2022.

1	You are the first player in a game of Scrabble. You put down the word <b>OXYGEN</b> with the X on a Double Letter tile. How many points have you scored?	
2	Can you find the rhyme from these picture clues? 	
3	Which author wrote, " <i>I come from De Moines. Somebody had to</i> "?	
4	Snow White gave each of the elves a new scarf for Christmas. Grumpy, Sneezzy and Doc were not happy with the colours and decided to swap. Grumpy gave his red one to Sneezzy in exchange for his yellow scarf. Grumpy then changed with Doc for the green one. Then Sneezzy and Doc swapped scarves. Who has which scarf?	
5	What's the connection between the names of these famous people? <b>Yoko Ono    John Hannah Monica Seles    Trevor Eve</b>	
6	What new gift did " <i>my true love give to me</i> " on the seventh day of Christmas?	
7	Solve the dingbat: <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PPPP</b> Our planet</p> </div>	
8	Finish the title of this play - " <i>Cat on a Hot ____ ____</i> ".	



9	Missing vowels: Find the title of a favourite children's book. ' <b>Thnrmscrcl</b> '	
10	What was the name of the dog in " <b>Three Men in a Boat</b> "?	
11	Why do we use a letter 'x' to shorten the word 'Christmas' to 'Xmas'?	
12	ANAGRAM: unscramble these letters to make the first name and surname of a recent Booker Prize winner.  <b>D R E A S B V I R E N N I T A O E</b>	
13	What does '42' mean in the ' <b>Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy</b> '?	
14	What is the title of the second book in Richard Osman's Thursday Murder Club series?	
15	Which musical theatre production was adapted from a book by Bond writer Ian Fleming?	
16	Jane Austen's sister drew the image we most associate with her. What was Jane's sister's first name?	
17	In Dicken's ' <b>A Christmas Carol</b> ', what was the name of Scrooge's fiancée?	
18	The Duchess of Sussex wrote a children's picture book, published in 2021. What is the title?	
19	Which author wrote a novel from notes left by the late writer William McIlvanney, published in 2021?	
20	A song based on one of his short poems is sung at every Labour Party conference and on every day of home English Test cricket matches - and is the unofficial anthem of the Women's Institute. Who is the poet?	

Thanks to Noelle and Lynn on the Steering Group who compiled this year's Christmas Quiz.



### Competition Rules:



Completed entries can be returned by email to:

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or by post to:

20 St Luke's Close, Evesham, Worcs. WR11 2ET

**Closing Date: 5pm on Sunday 2nd January 2022.**

(Please remember to include your name, telephone number, and email.)

**Entries received after the closing date will not be considered.**

**Prizes:** There will be a prize (£10 book token) for the winning entry. In the event of a tie, the winning entry will be randomly selected from all with the highest score.



Thanks for supporting our Christmas Quiz, and hope to see you at some of our Evesham Festival of Words events in 2022.

Our **Short Story Competition** (for adults only) was launched **1<sup>st</sup> November**, with a closing date of **Friday 11th March 2022**. (*Competition Rules on our website*).

After a very strange year in 2021 we are hoping to bring a great selection of events in 2022.



If you are not yet on the Festival email list and would like your name to be added, please email to [info@eveshamfestivalofwords.org](mailto:info@eveshamfestivalofwords.org)



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