

"It's behind you! ... all that hard work... it's behind you!"...

As each deadline of my Quizzes approaches, I am always on the lookout for somebody quite unique to ask to make the Draw from the large pile of correct entries, to find our 4 Winners.



This year, I was delighted to meet with the much loved Star of Stage & Screen, Shane Richie, who appeared over Christmas in Pantomime featuring in the title role of Dick Whittington at Nottingham's Theatre Royal.

We met in one of the Star Dressing Rooms at The Theatre between matinée and his final evening performance. To see more details and a video of the Draw, please use this link

https://bit.ly/3HpF6FL

I am very proud that we will be donating £4,140 to the Nottingham Branch of ChildLine from all those generous entrants from our Annual Quiz. I am always amazed with your generosity and the completing of Gift Aid forms for what is simply, a Quiz... that seems to bring so much enjoyment and frustration. Every call to ChildLine costs £4 to answer and your donations will make a huge difference to the lives of 1035 vulnerable children! *Jonathan Hammond M.B.E.*

Many congratulations to....

The Winner of our 1st Prize... Mr B Maddison of Bingham

and the three other Prize Winners have also been selected... the letters & their winnings are on their way!

the correct answers are below... I hope you enjoyed the challenge.



Pre-flight cheques

A proud moment... for one of my many passions... with Pre-flight cheques being made!

A project to create a Landmark Sculpture, entitled "On Freedom's Wings", received a boost with support from locally based Estate Agent, Jonathan Hammond of Hammond Property Services, presenting a cheque for £1,000 to Ken Sadler, the Chairman of the Bomber County Gateway Trust.

The Project will result in a life-size sculpture of a Lancaster Bomber on the County border of Nottinghamshire & Lincolnshire where many Bomber Command situated. bases were Indeed, the landmark sculpture will be visible on the A46 at Norton Disney, between Newark and Lincoln and will be angled as if turning to land at the previous base of RAF Swinderby. The final design denotes a Lancaster Bomber that actually flew from the base.



Jonathan commented, "The £750,000 project is well underway with the concrete base and support stanchions now in place and the successful push for the final £90,000 will result in the steel sculpture components being purchased and put into place.

Whilst I am asking 100 companies to donate £1,000 each, it didn't seem fair if I didn't do the same! I am looking forward to driving up and down the A46 with the glorious sight of a landmark statue on the horizon and to feel that I was part of that project and I would invite you to consider doing the same; maybe in memory of a family member or someone you know who flew in Bomber Command".



If you wish to donate or learn more about the Project, then please visit https://www.bombergatewaytrust.co.uk/



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Well... it's all over for yet another year! All of the entries have been marked and the winners are being notified in the post! For those who requested a list of the answers, this is it! You can now see where you went right AND where you may have gone wrong AND if you are still struggling to see how some of the more devious and cryptic clues were worked out, please feel free to contact me by telephone, e-mail or letter and I will explain all!

I am particularly grateful to all those who took the time to write to me with such positive comments yet again and confirming the pleasure (and frustration!) that our Annual Quiz creates. We have again received entries from all over England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Europe as well as our regular entries from China & Australia

The important statistic for you – to encourage you to enter our next guiz later this year is...!

Percentage of <u>all</u> correct entries =

BUT.... THE BEST NEWS..... As a result of the donations made by many of those that entered the Quiz, we will be presenting the local branch of ChildLine with all of the £2 coins AND the £5 and £10 notes AND the many cheques from all those entrants who 'enjoyed' the quiz – the final figure is below!

A huge thank you to all those who made donation of £5, £10 or more – a call to ChildLine costs £4 to answer... you really have helped to make a difference to the lives of 1035 vulnerable children and young people who would otherwise have no one else to turn to and this figure includes donations from those who did not manage to complete the guiz and yet still generously gave to this extremely worthy cause.

I really do hope that you enjoyed battling away to solve the clues - and work will begin at the start of March for this year's Quiz to be ready around September / October time.

Quizzingly yours!

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How much raised from generous donations for the 2023 Quiz? ONLINE, ON THE PHONE, ANYTIME

THANK YOU FOR TAKING PART AND FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION A bookmaker who also arranges a tour around Hungarian capital Author 1) A couples cruise ship, just after the beginning of the weekend Arkwright A horse found in a new role Logger A major predecessor who oversaw a coverup in housing Thatcher A negative picture develops after he shoots his subject **Photographer** A private man who possibly is older **Soldier** A small firm starts at the beginning of October, for every one Cooper A spy from Eastern state **Estate Agent** After 1499, views changed (many times for Henry) **Midwives** Afternoon drink made with two thirds cherry **Teacher** Aptly, he could also be a moon starer Astronomer Armani re-designed this high-flyer's uniform Airman Balthazar has a cleaner **Bottle Washer** Bromium, about a small amount Bouncer Charles arrives after machine is repaired Mechanic Cold oats mixed with a drug that's been shaken up **Coast Guard** Corn expert is pictured at work **Pedicurist** Danish leader has bust surgery in Oman, without oxygen **Dustbin Man** Filing assistant who needs a hand to get to work **Manicurist** First of all, Jury understands defendant gets examined Judge Carpenter Fish go into what he wood create Following a request, it's the space traveller we rave about **Basket Weaver** For everyone that goes after Chemical Water Hooper He draws his new machine and cleans up Dishwasher He goes overboard, working under great pressure **Deep Sea Diver** 25) He is behind The Times with his cutting remarks Newspaper Editor He is known as a man outstanding in his field Farmer He is the fare-minded worker who gets told where to go Cabbie He makes a good impression and he scrapes a living **Etcher and Engraver** He may need a suit and a case to go to work Lawyer He may take shortcuts to make a lock change we seek, we rent, we Auction. Barber & WE QUIZE He normally works closely with his P.A. Announcer He often lets people down if they are late **Funeral Director** He produces positive results in the Film Industry Developer He puts on a coat to do his job, whatever the weather 35) **Painter** He recommends the whistle-blower who makes the bookings Referee He usually has plenty of time in his hands to do his work **Watch Repairer** He works in a dead-end job and is a dangerous driver Undertaker He writes the score on note paper **Music Composer** He's often seen at the wheel or clearing tables Potter His breath-taking job shows the clear effects of inflation **Glass Blower** His job is to hammer down lots of things **Auctioneer** His research is digging up dirt about others **Archaeologist** HorClorOorNorFor in a better shape **Gas Fitter** 45) Hungarian flower I get mad about Housemaid I'm going back in case the drug dealer appears Chemist In any case, they can always take a peek **Customs Officer**

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Initially, voted against Labour every time	Valet
Iris, Rose and Daisy might make other arrangements here	Florist
50) It is an obstacle to a Churchman in Spain	Fence Erectors
It is said that he needs the dough after a rake is broken	Baker
It's for each and everyone around the old Ship	Parker
It's half coot and half rook	Cook
It's the Last thing that he will use to shape his output	Cobbler
55) It's what tenants pay back for wine from Bordeaux	Vintner
It's Whisky for the Spanish and the German	Welder
Joanna, in short, run around for the main celebrities	Journalist 💮 🦰
Last month's Speaker	Decorator
Lithium and Iron are fused together with some form of protection	Lifeguard
60) Little Andrew is trapped in a Hotel with another bloke	Handyman
Makes tea with only half filter	Brewster
Moan audibly the French sea song	Wine Merchant
Mum takes her off-spring to see this man at work	Mason
Musical piece of furniture	Hairdresser
65) New recruit, sad Guy	Security Guard
Nice article edited for a current expert	Electrician
Oddly, daywear items need colouring by him	Dyer &we QUIZ!
Old timers got a treatment from a skin specialist	Dermatologist
One sitcom about Adam Smith	Economist
70) One who is seldom seen on the seas, as his business is taking a	
One who removes a stack of dirt	Chimney Sweep
P	Midshipman
Personal hygiene problem of your little boy, we hear	Bosun
Port is left on the side every time he is all at sea	Sailor
75) Ray broke down after confidential information was revealed	Secretary
Run back to Selenium	Nurse
Runners may re-organise his growing business	Nurseryman
Schubert loses his head before a new composition	Butcher
Similar to a Librarian but not as willing to lend	Book-keeper
80) Six transport the Minister at Church	Vicar
Straight to the point or	Director
Stretch your neck to see a musical story without a beginning nor end	Crane Operator
Sun worshipper, Princess Royal, is seen in Turkey	Tanner
The charge for letters from the late Queen	Bill Poster
85) The first month inheritor loses in her maintenance job	Janitor
The German author Eliot with a Mother from Norway	Huntsman
The Hero of Eritrea hid this worker a cover up job!	Roofer
The lowest level of critic	Bottom Knocker
The second King Charles lost his	Deputy Head
90) The way the crime was done, led back to the first of September	Models
Their business is growing as they are cropping up everywhere	Arable Farmers
There's danger all around the Emergency Room	Gardener
	Doctors
They are known for not treating anyone well They take the temperature from Fish	
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95) They work in exchange for making connections	Switchboard Operators
This musical young lady is caught between two extremes	Nannies
To ask for something or someone possibly at the bar	Solicitor
To bury Peter? That's about right	Interpreter
Two foreign Nationals present themselves before the Queen	French Polisher
100) U-boat returns to put deep swimmer right inside	Bus Driver
Upstart back-bencher having lost half of attire	Umpire
Very loudly regret going back after the Church gold	Chauffeur
We hear it's not high in mine	Pilot
When all at sea, he goes right after the Prize Money	Purser
105) Whilst being seated, he is seen to be a bit of a glorious hero	Usher
Women's organisation left in the dark	Mudlark
You will find half of what in ale?	Beater
Young lad gets the credit for a polished performance	Shoeshine Boy

Now that it is all over for yet another year, I hope that you managed to work out all of the answers above. However, if there are any questions that you are still struggling to see how the answer fits, then I usually have 2 weeks or so of entrants contacting me for an explanation.

Please do contact me to help to put you out of your misery and frustration!!!

Either by email at

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or on 01949 87 86 85 – if I am out and about, please leave a message with one of my team and I will get back to you.

Best wishes again and thank you for taking part... by kindly donating an amazing £4,140, you have all made a huge difference to a vulnerable or frightened child's life to enable them to reach out for help. Take a bow...

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You can also visit our **VouTube** page for the full video of the draw