

How much has been raised from generous entrants since we started asking for Donations for our Quizzes?



£23,893

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## MEET THE GUINEA PIG

Due to Lockdown restrictions, unlike previous years, I was not able to call upon the talents of a local celebrity to make the draw for the Winners for this year's Quiz from the entries that we received.

So, within my Lockdown Bubble is my father, Michael Hammond, who is the Guinea Pig for all the Quizzes I have set over many years – it was he who started me off with Quizzing & Cryptic Crosswords when I was a teenager – and we both continue to enjoy the challenges! Whilst you have only 108 Questions to solve, I provide him with about 200! Once he has tackled and solved them all, we go through them and he has a major input into which clues worked... and which ones were 'not as good'... and we whittle them down and end up with the 108 that you are asked to solve.

Please visit our  **YouTube** page for the full video of the draw  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g0UxZCDc2PU>

I am very proud that we will be donating a staggering **£3,712** to the Nottingham Branch of ChildLine (our highest annual figure) from all those generous entrants from our Annual Quiz. You have all excelled yourselves with your generosity this year and the completing of Gift Aid forms. Every call to ChildLine costs £4 to answer and your donations will make a huge difference

to the lives of **928** vulnerable children! *Jonathan Hammond*

Thank you for the many letters that have arrived from entrants... with a wide range of comments, thanks and tales of frustration and a great deal of pleasure having finally solved the last clues! Oh, and the following comments...

*"As ever, a fun brain workout – now off to rest in a quiet and dark place!"*

*"My favourite clue was the one with the answer - Extractor Fan"*

*"You must spend hours thinking up these clues – very clever"*

*"Phew, what a struggle – you owe me one bottle of correction fluid!"*

*"Thank you – it is the highlight of the year!"*

*"Another enjoyable and thought provoking Quiz"*

*"Stuck under Lockdown in California, we really enjoyed the distraction of your well thought out Quiz – we look forward to the 2021 Quiz"*

*"Yet another fantastic Quiz"*

*"Many thanks for hours of enjoyment, I save the Quiz until Christmas Day each year – it's my treat to myself!"*

Many congratulations to....

The Winner of our 1<sup>st</sup> Prize...

**Mr Radley of Torquay**

and the two 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.*

**THE ANSWERS**  
**you have all**  
**been waiting for**



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, **as well as California on the West Coast of America**, one from Switzerland, two from Guernsey, and two from Belfast... The important statistic for you – *to encourage you to enter our next quiz later this year is...!*

Percentage of all correct entries = **76%!!!** (still too easy?)

**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 **928** 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 quiz 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 has already started for this year's Quiz to be ready around September / October time.

Quizzingly yours!

Jonathan Hammond  
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**DON'T FORGET – ALL THE ANSWERS ARE ON THE LAST PAGE.... JUST NOT IN THE RIGHT ORDER!!!**

1) A hotplate found in a roast oven	Stove
A piece of clothing I washed blue	Vestibule
A pressure point - it was Titanic's undoing	Cornice
A seaman's poem	Abode
5) A type of fish and in France it's wall to wall	Carpet
A type of rune fruit	Furniture
Afghanistan residence	Country House
After a single French student left the gibbet	Bungalows
Airline left Colorado and New York	Balcony
10) Alteration made to robe worn by doll	Doorbell
An animal found in the Netherlands	Newel
An endless number have sold around Hindhead	Threshold
At the end of June, vase was smashed	Eaves
Babbling stream by flower border with plenty of space	Master Bedroom
15) Be very poorly in a London museum	Villa
Behold it's 12 inches long and it's a large snake	Loft ladder
Bloke is back on for this place	Mansion
Boiled lentils	Lintels
Boss of holiday centre has second in command	Studio
20) Bran	Barn conversion
Broken chess piece captured by returning spy	Door knob
Calvin Klein is put in new role	Locker
Changing fool tries to cover up on top	Roof tiles
Charlie, he is to get money back	Chimney
25) Ched	Semi-detached
Colorado rally takes a long time	Cottage
Cool cooler	Fridge Freezer
D	Front Door
Discovered a leaderless Nation	Foundation
30) Drag back in French	Garden
Drunk Roman Henry has a flower named after him	Manor House
Fifty one take wine with wedding member	Living Room
Figurehead in case two points go missing	Finca
Flyers return at the beginning of March	Farm
35) Former leader is changed to head of department	Dormer
Fruit seen at the side of the railway	Orangery
Georgia has completely new gear	Garage
Go fishing with the French	Castle
H I J K L M N O caught short around when you don't win	Water Closet
40) 	Block of Flats
Had a nice cocktail	Hacienda
He used to collect Massey Fergusons	Extractor fan
Headfirst to the river ferry	House Boat
How pork's cooked	Workshop
45) I get two points	Mews
If you search, obviously, it's found inside	Hob
Indeed, chat about being alone	Detached

**WE SELL, WE RENT, WE AUCTION, WE RELOCATE &... WE QUIZ!**



Inquire about a worker  
 It can be drunk in charge of little Oscar  
 50) It is a drawback to this Chamber  
 It is said that you can end your diet here  
 It is the place where more toast is prepared  
 It sounds like the purchaser of a farm building  
 It's about the Spanish fifty found in jail  
 55) It's just not on, to lose half of the police  
 It's quiet in South Africa  
 It's rood  
 It's the place to live in when Norma is upset  
 It's the sign of a cross animal  
 60) It's where the crooks may be hung  
 Just sit around? It's not on!  
 Little Edward is found in besom  
 Loud thespian appears on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July  
 Male sheep trapped in irons  
 65) Monumental newspaper article  
 Moroccan leader is poorly  
 Note, the Member of Parliament – can be quite bright or dim!  
 Oddly haunts this outdoor structure  
 Only a fraction of houses have these  
 70) Penny has a limitless ration  
 Penny, Oscar and Romeo all go to Church  
 Pests swarm around to new levels  
 Place around a building fit for a king  
 Reindeer incurs a broken wish  
 75) Relaid floor once Labour leader had left  
 Remove nonfluids and you will find it in there, cooking!  
 Reporter appears after the first of September  
 Risers  
 Romeo and Juliet travelled around the south  
 80) Sally loses a friend and is poorly  
 Separated blokes initially got to Mr Elliott  
 Shakespeare accepts Oscar inside room  
 Sign of equilibrium right at the end of the day  
 Slight change to a charmer  
 85) Sodden piece of wet earth disappears  
 Sticks around the student  
 Susan is seen to be hiding it in a range of rooms  
 Sweep around a battered hat  
 Talk about the French  
 90) Team leader stuck in peculiar hole  
 The first killer appears around the beginning of the Bible  
 The French cat had its own water  
 The Greek leader can!  
 The ideal place for a spar

**Pantry**

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**Portico**

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**Ward Room**

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**Breakfast Room**

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**State Room**

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**Byre**

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**Cell**

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**Office**

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**Spa**

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**Back door**

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**Manor**

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**Timeshare**

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**Staff Room**

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**Soffit**

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**Bedroom**

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**Factory**

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**Frames**

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**Column**

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**Mill**

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**Lamp**

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**Hut**

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**Quarters**

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**Patio**

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**Porch**

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**Steps**

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**Palace**

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**Dishwasher**

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**Roof**

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**Oven**

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**Shack**

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**Upstairs**

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**RSJ**

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**Sill**

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**Apartments**

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**Boardroom**

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**Library**

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**Light switch**

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**Den**

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**Blinds**

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**Suite**

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**Bathroom**

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**Chalet**

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**Hotel**

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**Cabin**

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**Chateau**

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**Gable**

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**Box Room**

95) The redhead is caught between the French and the German	Larder
The young man went to the Spanish place of worship	Chapel
This arises when car seat is repaired	Staircase
This is a well held belief about men	Tenement
This is only to be used by the P.M.	Morning Room
100) This may become dusty once tidied up	Study
Throw insult around a headless animal	Insulation
Tube	Downpipe
Wall needs repairing in hay	Hallway
Watt tree has adequate space	Washroom
105) When at home, the soldier jeers loudly	Barracks
Who is upset in the Scottish leader's chamber	Showroom
Witch mode of transport goes around everywhere	Ballroom
With danger all around, trapped inside, she died	Garden shed

Bingham's Community  
Estate Agent

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 [quiz@hammondpropertyservices.com](mailto:quiz@hammondpropertyservices.com)

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, you have all made a huge difference to a child's life to enable them to reach out for help.



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### \* Prizes \* Prizes \* Prizes \*

If you wish to generously donate a Prize for our 2021 Quiz, please contact our **Quiz Setter Jonathan Hammond** on **01949 87 86 85** or email

[quiz@hammondpropertyservices.com](mailto:quiz@hammondpropertyservices.com)

*Balloon Flights? Wine Tasting events? Hotel Accommodation? Spa Days? Track Days? Electrical Goods? Weekend Breaks? Beauty Treatments? Personalised Items? Driving Lessons? Ice Skating Lessons? Meals out? Shopping Vouchers? Anything else you can suggest that will help to promote your business?*

Entries have come from all over the world this year – and your donated Prize could be seen by thousands of different people. The 2021 Quiz will be available on the Internet for 4 months from September through to the beginning of January 2022 as well as over 4000 copies being sent or emailed to previous entrants.

**There were also over 1,713 visits to our Quiz Web Page during this year's Quiz**

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