

Quiz 13

1. Which Italian word for 'half', is also a classical female singing voice? Mezzo (Soprano)
2. Which country's vehicles have the international registration mark GBZ? Gibraltar
3. What is measured in hertz? Frequency
4. Which explorer discovered Jamaica? Christopher Columbus (1494)
5. Which acclaimed film about King Henry II takes place over the Christmas holidays in the year 1183? The Lion in Winter
6. Who was the first recipient of the BBC Sports Personality of the year? Chris Chataway (1954)
7. Where are the Cambrian mountains? Wales
8. Who composed the British First World War song *Keep the Home-Fires Burning*? Ivor Novello
9. What word describes tiny animals and plants that live on the surface water of seas and lakes? Plankton
10. Which English scientist is credited as having invented the World Wide Web in 1989? Tim Berners-Lee (Sir)
11. What Art Movement is Dali most famously associated with? Surrealism
12. Which chemical element is also known as quicksilver? Mercury
13. Who was Edmond Dantes? The Count of Monte Cristo
14. The 1812 Overture was written to celebrate the defeat of Napoleon in which city? Moscow
15. What is the medical name for the shinbone? Tibia
16. Which tree do we get turpentine from? Pine
17. What was the name of Captain Nemo's submarine? Nautilus
18. The biathlon is a winter event that combines which two sports? Cross-country skiing and rifle shooting
19. Which 2006 politician competed as a sprinter in the 1960s? Menzies Campbell
20. Where was the German fleet scuttled in 1919? Scapa Flow

