

2021–2 Season: Week 5 – 11 January 2022

All questions set by **Harrington Diamonds**.

Specialist Rounds

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Round 1: Neil's History Round – History of Medicine

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| 1 | Which English doctor in the late 18th century used cowpox to prevent smallpox – this being the first use of vaccination? |
| | Edward Jenner |
| 2 | Who discovered the circulation of blood in the 17th century? |
| | William Harvey |
| 3 | What did Wilhelm Conrad Röntgen discover in 1895? |
| | X Rays |
| 4 | What did Karl Landsteiner discover in the early 20th century? |
| | Blood groups |
| 5 | How did Howard Florey and Ernst Chain help to save countless lives from the mid 1940's? |
| | They developed the mass production of penicillin |
| 6 | Why is Louis Washkansky famous in the field of medicine? |
| | First successful heart transplant . He lived for 18 days before dying of pneumonia |
| 7 | Which chemist discovered that micro-organisms caused beverages such as beer, wine and milk to spoil and then linked these micro-organisms to being the cause of human disease? |
| | Louis Pasteur |
| 8 | Which surgeon working in Glasgow was the first to use antiseptics (carbolic spray in this instance) when operating? |
| | Joseph Lister |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Why is Louise Brown born in July 1978 famous? |
| | First IVF birth |
| 2 | Near which city was the first cloning of a sheep achieved? |
| | Edinburgh |

Round 2: Sport – It's Always the Germans

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| 1 | Which popular sport do the Germans call Radfahren? |
| | Cycling |
| 2 | Name a German winner of the Wimbledon Gentlemen's singles, apart from Boris Becker. |
| | Michael Stich (1991) |
| 3 | Likewise, name a German winner of the Wimbledon Ladies Singles, apart from Steffi Graf. |
| | Angelique Kerber (2018) or Cilly Aussem (1931) |
| 4 | Which pundit famously said: "Football is a simple game: 22 men chase a ball, and then the Germans win"? |
| | Gary Lineker |
| 5 | Marita Koch of East Germany set a world record of 47.6 seconds in 1985, which has never been beaten. What was the athletics event? |
| | 400m (women) |
| 6 | In the club name Bayern Munich (or Munchen), what's the translation of the word Bayern? |
| | Bavaria |
| 7 | Name one of the two playersd who scored for West Germany in the 1966 World Cup final. |
| | Wolfgang Weber or Helmut Haller |
| 8 | Which Olympic team sport, virtually unknown in Britain, has been won three times by various German men's teams? |
| | Handball |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Who holds the record for the most goals for the German men's football team? |
| | Gerd Muller |
| 2 | Which football club's ground features a huge standing area behind one goal called the Yellow Wall? |
| | Borussia Dortmund (yellow because it is virtually compulsory to wear club colours if you stand there) |

Round 3: Geography from Derek

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| 1 | What's the capital of Azerbaijan? |
| | Baku |
| 2 | Which continent has the shortest coastline? |
| | Africa |
| 3 | What's the county town and administrative headquarters of Anglesey? |
| | Llangefni |
| 4 | What's the state capital of New Hampshire, sharing its name with an aircraft? |
| | Concord |
| 5 | Peru has borders with 5 other countries. Chile, Bolivia, Brazil, Ecuador are four of them; what's the fifth? |
| | Colombia |
| 6 | Huntingdonshire existed as an administrative county until 1974. Which county did it merge with? |
| | Cambridgeshire |
| 7 | What's the name of the main river of Myanmar (formerly Burma)? |
| | The Irrawaddy |
| 8 | Which city is the highest capital city in Europe? |
| | Madrid |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Name either of the two countries with which Costa Rica has a land border. |
| | Nicaragua or Panama |
| 2 | Name either of the two countries that are immediately south of Tunisia. |
| | Algeria or Libya |

Round 4: Science – Metal Guru (courtesy of Gill)

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| 1 | Apart from iron name another magnetic metal. |
| | Nickel or cobalt |
| 2 | Name the common process of applying heat to ore in order to melt out a base metal. |
| | Smelting |
| 3 | Which metal's name is derived from the Greek word meaning colour? |
| | Chromium |
| 4 | Name the metal vital to form the light-absorbing green plant pigment chlorophyll. |
| | Magnesium |
| 5 | In legend, what did alchemists think was capable of turning base metal into gold? |
| | The Philosopher's stone |
| 6 | Which radioactive metal, discovered in 1898, was named after the discoverer's homeland? |
| | Polonium |
| 7 | What name is given to two lengths of steel and copper joined together to convert a temperature change into a mechanical displacement? |
| | A bimetallic strip |
| 8 | What is the lightest metal in the periodic table? |
| | Lithium |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Which precious metal has the same name as a well-known theatre? |
| | Palladium |
| 2 | Which metal was discovered in Cornwall in 1791 and named after a second generation of divine beings in Greek mythology? |
| | Titanium |
| 3 | Which metal has the highest percentage by mass in the human body? |
| | Calcium |
| 4 | From which metal is the Statue of Liberty made? |
| | Copper |

Round 5: Art's Fruit & Veg Stall

Each answer contains the name of a fruit or vegetable.

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| 1 | Which popular TV show was hosted by Cilla Black from 1985 to 2003? |
| | Blind Date |
| 2 | Robert Davis is the real name of which British comedian? |
| | Jasper Carrot |
| 3 | What's the name of the producer of many James Bond films, including <i>Octopussy</i> and <i>The Spy Who Loved Me</i> ? |
| | Cubby Broccoli |
| 3 | The well-known painting <i>Bubbles</i> , by John Millais, was used to advertise which product? |
| | Pears' soap |
| 5 | What links the actress Ingrid Bergman, the footballer Zlatan Ibrahimovic and the inventor of dynamite, Alfred Nobel? |
| | They're all swedes |
| 6 | In the 1980s TV cartoon series, Eric Twinge was the real name of which superhero? |
| | Bananaman |
| 7 | Which Staffordshire town is twinned with the Italian town of Este? |
| | Leek |
| 8 | Which popular dance craze of the 1960s involved swivelling backwards and forwards on both feet while moving up and down? |
| | The mashed potato |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | What's the title of the 1962 hit instrumental by Booker T and the MGs? |
| | Green Onions |
| 2 | In the 1991 film, what was being served at the Whistle Stop Café? |
| | Fried green tomatoes |

Round 6: Can I Have a P Please Bob – courtesy of Gill

Each answer is a letter of the alphabet.

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| 1 | Which agent does Will Smith play in the <i>Men in Black</i> films? |
| | J (Agent J) |
| 2 | Which letter is commonly used to refer to the vertical axis on a co-ordinate graph? |
| | Y |
| 3 | What letter comes before 'Bahn' in the name of the Berlin underground railway system? |
| | U (U-Bahn) |
| 4 | In <i>The Simpsons</i> , Homer has a middle initial. What is it? |
| | J (Jay) |
| 5 | The primary backing band of Bruce Springsteen since 1972 |
| | E (E Street Band) |
| 6 | The blood type of people who are universal donors |
| | O (actually O negative) |
| 7 | Which letter is the symbol for a billion (1 000 000 000) in the metric system? |
| | G (giga) |
| 8 | What sort of tips are often used to describe a cotton bud in the US? |
| | Q (Q-tips) |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | What letter represents the unit of electrical capacitance? |
| | F (farad) |
| 2 | The head of MI6, the Secret Intelligence Service, signs letters in green ink with what one letter initial? |
| | C (Commander) |
| 3 | Which colonel, voiced by Stephen Fry since 2015, is the pompous head of the Secret Service and Danger Mouse's boss? |
| | K (Colonel K) |

Round 7: Mike's Art Collection

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| 1 | Which Italian artist, between 1508–12, got a very bad neck in the cause of art? |
| | Michelangelo (painting the Sistine Chapel ceiling) |
| 2 | Which British Pop artist designed the record cover for <i>Sergeant Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band</i> ? |
| | Peter Blake |
| 3 | Who worked as a stockbroker in Paris before becoming a painter, eventually dying in the South Seas? |
| | Paul Gauguin |
| 4 | Which Bristol-based artist has significantly raised the value of some buildings? |
| | Banksy |
| 5 | In pottery, what is slip? |
| | Liquid clay |
| 6 | Cinnabar is a pigment of what colour? |
| | Bright red (vermillion – accept orange) |
| 7 | Max Ernst and Rene Magritte were part of what movement? |
| | Surrealism |
| 8 | Which visionary artist (1757–1827) also wrote poetry including <i>Songs of Innocence</i> ? |
| | William Blake |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Which Surrealist artist collaborated with Luis Bunuel on the films <i>Un Chien Andalou</i> and <i>L'age D'or</i> ? |
| | Salvador Dali |
| 2 | The Bauhaus was a famous art school in what country? |
| | Germany |

Round 8: Flowers by Christine

Each answer contains the name of a flower.

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| 1 | Who played Private Pike in <i>Dad's Army</i> ? |
| | Ian Lavender |
| 2 | In <i>Coronation Street</i> , who played Ena Sharples? |
| | Violet Carson |
| 3 | Which flower is the emblem of the Marie Curie charity? |
| | The daffodil |
| 4 | Which flower is the emblem of the Alzheimer's Society? |
| | The forget-me-not |
| 5 | Which common garden flower derives from the wildflower heartsease? |
| | Pansy |
| 6 | Which tall garden flower is also known as the sword lily? |
| | Gladiolus |
| 7 | Which <i>Strictly Come Dancing</i> contestant is named after a flower? |
| | Rose Ayling-Ellis |
| 8 | Which celebrity chef's forename is the scientific name of Love-in-a-mist? |
| | Nigella Lawson |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Which widely advertised perfume by Marc Jacobs is named after a flower? |
| | Daisy |
| 2 | Who wrote the Booker Prize winner, <i>The Sea, The Sea</i> ? |
| | Iris Murdoch |

General Knowledge

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| 1 | Apart from the 400m, in which individual event did the US athlete Michael Johnson win Olympic gold? |
| | 200m |
| 2 | Cerumen is the technical name for which bodily substance? |
| | Ear wax (accept wax) |
| 3 | Which Cheshire-born novelist wrote the books <i>Mr Norris Changes Trains</i> and <i>Goodbye to Berlin</i> ? |
| | Christopher Isherwood (well, High Lane was in Cheshire when he was born!) |
| 4 | Which New York thoroughfare is famed as the centre of the American advertising industry? |
| | Madison Avenue |
| 5 | The bunyip is a legendary monster in which culture? |
| | Aboriginal |
| 6 | Gentoo, Adelie and Macaroni are all types of which bird? |
| | Penguin |
| 7 | Released as a double A-side single with <i>Something</i> , what's the opening song of the Beatles' <i>Abbey Road</i> album? |
| | Come Together |
| 8 | Which Dutch artist is known for his lithographs of impossible structures? |
| | Escher |
| 9 | Four US states have the preface 'New'. New York, New Jersey and New Mexico are three of them; what's the fourth? |
| | New Hampshire |
| 10 | Which singer had major parts in the films <i>Merry Christmas</i> <i>Mr Lawrence</i> and <i>The Last Temptation of Christ</i> ? |
| | David Bowie |
| 11 | Which battle of World War I is known by Germans as the Battle of Skagerrak? |
| | Battle of Jutland |
| 12 | In which city is the Hepworth Art gallery? |
| | Wakefield |
| 13 | Which two-word French phrase, commonly used in English, literally translates as 'knowing how to do'? |
| | Savoir faire |
| 14 | What name is given in English to the area on the west bank of the Nile at Luxor, which contains the tombs of many pharaohs? |
| | The Valley of the Kings |



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| 15 | <i>Epistaxis</i> is a Greek word meaning 'dripping'. But it is the medical term for what common problem? |
| | Nosebleed |
| 16 | Which racecourse usually hosts The Oaks? |
| | Epsom |
| 17 | Which tree shares its name with a ski resort in the United States? |
| | Aspen |
| 18 | Which book by George Orwell relates his experiences in the Spanish Civil war? |
| | Homage to Catalonia |
| 19 | Who plays Gavin in <i>Gavin and Stacey</i> ? |
| | Matthew Horne |
| 20 | What's the common name for the childhood ailment which affects the parotid salivary gland? |
| | Mumps |
| 21 | The name of which English football team is an anagram of 'sweat in the mud'? |
| | West Ham United |
| 22 | Which English novelist is named in the title of a play by Edward Albee? |
| | (Who's Afraid of) Virginia Woolf |
| 23 | On a standard London Monopoly board, what square is between Vine Street and the Strand? |
| | Free Parking |
| 24 | Seen in many online gambling ads, the "Acca" is an abbreviation of which type of bet? |
| | Accumulator |
| 25 | By what name is the capital city of Austria known in German? |
| | Wien (pronounced <i>Veen</i>) |
| 26 | The western roll was the standard technique used in which athletics event, before an American athlete made it obsolete at the 1968 Olympics? |
| | High jump |
| 27 | <i>I'm Into Something Good</i> was the breakthrough hit of which group, formed in Manchester in 1963? |
| | Herman's Hermits |
| 28 | By what name is the city of Florence known in Italian? |
| | Firenze |
| 29 | In which present US state did Custer's last Stand take place? |
| | Montana |
| 30 | Which Cornish village claims to be the birthplace of King Arthur? |
| | Tintagel |
| 31 | In the United States, what surname is given to an unidentified person (for instance someone admitted to hospital in an unconscious state)? |
| | Doe (John or Jane) |

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| 32 | What's the only English anagram of the word 'hatter'? |
| | Threat |
| 33 | Who was the last British governor of Hong Kong? |
| | Chris Patten |
| 34 | Which newspaper has been published in Edinburgh since its foundation in 1817? |
| | The Scotsman |
| 35 | Which English pop duo, big in the 1990s, consisted of Andy Bell and Vince Clarke? |
| | Erasure |
| 36 | In which town did the Flintstones live? |
| | Bedrock |
| 37 | The term 'bunny boiler' derived from the plot of which movie? |
| | Fatal Attraction |
| 38 | Cheryl Tweedy and Sarah Harding were founder members of which girl group, big in the 2000s? |
| | Girls Aloud |
| 39 | What word is the opposite of <i>halal</i> , meaning 'forbidden' in Arabic? |
| | Haram |
| 40 | Which is the world's most visited art gallery? |
| | The Louvre |
| 41 | Who was the first British male to receive a Covid-19 vaccination? |
| | William Shakespeare |
| 42 | Which horse won the 2021 Aintree Grand National? |
| | Minella Times |
| 43 | What's the name of Australia's most prestigious horse race? |
| | Melbourne Cup |
| 44 | To which of his characters was Charles Darwin referring when he wrote, "Like many fond parents, I have in my heart of hearts a favourite child"? |
| | David Copperfield |
| 45 | What's the name of the new global prize for the environment, designed to incentivise change and help repair planet Earth over the next ten years? |
| | The Earthshot Prize |
| 46 | Name one of the two finalists that Andy Murray defeated at Wimbledon, in either 2013 or 2016. |
| | Novak Djokovic or Milos Raonic |
| 47 | As of December 2021, who is fifth in line to the British throne? |
| | Prince Louis of Cambridge |
| 48 | Who has been the First Minister for Wales since December 2018? |
| | Mark Drakeford |

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| 49 | What's a baby pig called? |
| | A piglet |
| 50 | Which American actor, with a very English name, played the part of Fantine in Tom Hooper's 2012 film version of <i>Les Misérables</i> ? |
| | Anne Hathaway |
| 51 | How many sides does a heptadecagon have? |
| | 17 |
| 52 | Name the South Korean survival drama, streamed on Netflix in 2021, in which players risk their lives in a series of deadly children's games for financial gain. |
| | Squid Game |
| 53 | The female footballer Alex Putellas, who has won the 2021 Ballon d'Or, is from which country? |
| | Spain |
| 54 | Who wrote the 2021 Man Booker Prize winner, <i>The Promise</i> ? |
| | Damon Galgut |
| 55 | The Fourth Plinth in Trafalgar Square is currently occupied by a sculpture called <i>The End</i> . What is its main feature, apart from a drone, a fly and a cherry? |
| | Giant swirl of whipped cream |
| 56 | According to Arthurian legend, on which island was Excalibur forged? |
| | Avalon |
| 57 | Rising to 6,961 metres above sea level, what's the highest mountain in Argentina and in the Andes? |
| | Aconcagua |
| 58 | Which is the only country whose national flag is not quadrilateral in shape? |
| | Nepal |
| 59 | Which female actor's 2021 autobiography – described as "eye popping, hilarious and candid" – is entitled <i>This Much is True</i> ? |
| | Miriam Margolyes |
| 60 | Cava is a sparkling wine from which country? |
| | Spain |
| 61 | Who sang the theme song for the 1981 Bond film <i>For Your Eyes Only</i> (starring Roger Moore)? |
| | Sheena Easton |
| 62 | Podgorica is the capital city of which European country? |
| | Montenegro |
| 63 | In the Olympic decathlon, what's the first throwing event? |
| | Shot putt |
| 64 | For which film did Anthony Hopkins win the Best Actor Oscar in April 2021? |
| | The Father |

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| 65 | Which actor played the title character in Armando Iannucci's 2019 film <i>The Personal History of David Copperfield</i> ? |
| | Dev Patel |
| 66 | Cinnabar is an ore of which metal? |
| | Mercury |
| 67 | In the acronym COP26, what does the P stand for? |
| | Parties (Conference of the Parties – 26th meeting) |
| 68 | <i>Cutis anserine</i> is the medical term for what occurrence, common at this time of year? |
| | Goose pimples |
| 69 | Which US president led his country into World War I in 1917? |
| | Woodrow Wilson |
| 70 | In 2017 Edward Enninful became the first black editor-in-chief of which British magazine? |
| | (British) Vogue |
| 71 | Which Slovenian rider won the Tour de France in 2021? |
| | Tadej Podacar (Pod-Archer) |
| 72 | What's the Oxford English Dictionary's Word of 2021, which has been used 72 times more than it was in 2020? |
| | Vax |
| 73 | In Greek legend, Oedipus killed his father and married his mother. What was his mother's name? |
| | Jocasta |
| 74 | What's the largest island in Canada? |
| | Baffin Island |
| 75 | Where will the 2022 British Golf Open be held? |
| | St. Andrews (Old Course) |
| 76 | What was the name of the cruise ship that struck a rock and sank off the coast of Italy in January 2012? |
| | Costa Concordia |
| 77 | Whose 1994 suicide note concluded with "It's better to burn out than fade away"? |
| | Kurt Cobain |
| 78 | In trigonometry, what is calculated by the adjacent over the hypotenuse? |
| | Cosine |
| 79 | Which king of Babylon gave his name to the largest champagne bottle, which holds 20 standard bottles? |
| | Nebuchadnezzar |
| 80 | What's the name of the complex carbohydrate, found in plant cell walls, that gives them strength? |
| | Cellulose |

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| 81 | Brother and sister Steve and Susie Fletcher feature in which popular TV programme? |
| | The Repair Shop |
| 82 | Who is the host of the daytime TV quiz <i>The Tournament</i> ? |
| | Alex Scott |
| 83 | In the traditional magpie rhyme, starting "One for sorrow, two for joy", what do you get if you see six magpies? |
| | Gold |
| 84 | In the traditional nursery rhyme <i>Bye Baby Bunting</i> , why did Baby Bunting's father go hunting? |
| | To get a (little) rabbit skin (to wrap Baby Bunting in) |
| 85 | In which Cornish town does the 'Obby 'Oss procession take place each May Day? |
| | Padstow |
| 86 | Which town in Kent holds an annual Oyster Festival? |
| | Whitstable |
| 87 | Which famous popular singer was born in Tupelo, Mississippi? |
| | Elvis Presley |
| 88 | Which popular singer was born in Hoboken, New Jersey? |
| | Frank Sinatra |
| 89 | Whose 2019 autobiography is entitled <i>Me</i> ? |
| | Elton John |
| 90 | Whose recent autobiography is entitled <i>Windswept and Interesting</i> ? |
| | Billy Connolly |
| 91 | Which jazz trumpeter's albums include <i>Kind of Blue</i> and <i>Sketches of Spain</i> ? |
| | Miles Davis |
| 92 | With which instrument do you associate Fats Waller and Oscar Peterson? |
| | Piano |
| 93 | What's the name of the Harvard University professor who features in books by Dan Brown? |
| | Robert Langdon |
| 94 | In the books by Peter Robinson, which Detective Inspector solves crimes in the town of Eastvale? |
| | Alan Banks |
| 95 | In George Orwell's <i>Animal Farm</i> , what kind of animal was Boxer? |
| | A horse |
| 96 | What's the name of the horse in the Christmas song <i>Jingle Bells</i> ? |
| | Bobtail |

Supplementaries:

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| 1 | Which is the best-known statue in the Galleria del Academia in Florence? |
| | Michaelangelo's David |
| 2 | In Greek mythology, who was the god of the heavens and father of the Titans? |
| | Uranus |
| 3 | In Roman mythology, who was the goddess of wisdom and justice? |
| | Minerva |