

U3A FRIDAY NIGHT QUIZ ANSWERS 01 May 2020

- 1 St George was a Christian martyr how did he die - **A. Beheaded**
- 2 The Gunfight at the O.K. Corral took place in which city?
A. Tombstone
- 3 Rebecca Rolfe died in 1617, from small pox and was buried in Gravesend - how is she better known **A. Pocahontas**
- 4 In which decade was the first in flight movie shown on a passenger aircraft **A. 20's 1925 (Conan Doyle's "The Lost World")**
- 5 What did Percy Shaw invent **A. "Cats eyes"**
- 6 Which common bird has the latin name Pica Pica? **A. Magpie**
- 7 Which car manufacturer is named after the country that it targets?
A. Lexus (Luxury Export to United States).
- 8 What is the name of the closest star to Earth? **A. The Sun**
- 9 On arriving in New York, which writer famously said... "I have nothing to declare but my genius"? **A. Oscar Wilde**
- 10 What film has the line "A boy's best friend is his mother."
A. Psycho
- 11 True or false, Eskimos have 9 different words for the word "ice"
- **A. False they actually have 16**
- 12 True or false, Neil Armstrong's mother's maiden name was Moon?
A. False (but Buzz Aldrin's mother's was)
- 13 True or false, Charlie Chaplin once won first prize in a Charlie Chaplin look-a-like contest? **A. False (though he did come third in one)**
- 14 What sport or pastime would you be playing if your balls were black and blue and your opponent's were red and yellow? **A. Croquet .**
- 15 In which year were three points for a win introduced into the English football league? **A. 1981**
- 16 In what athletics event do you have to go backwards to win?
A. Tug Of War
- 17 In which sport are competitors required to change lanes after every lap?
A. Speed Skating
- 18 What did Arthur Wynne invent in 1913? **A. The Crossword**
- 19 Which Beatles song has a lyric based on a novel by a man named Lear? **A. Paperback Writer**
- 20 Whose last words were "I am just going outside and I may be sometime"? **A. Captain Lawrence Oates**