

Woking and District Sports Quiz Questions

Theme Round - 1986

ATHLETICS - Which three Brits won Gold, Silver and Bronze in the Mens 800 metres final at the Edinburgh Commonwealth Games?

Steve Cram - Tom McKean - Peter Elliott

TENNIS - Appearing in all three slam finals, Ivan Lendl lost to Boris Becker at Wimbledon. Which two men did he defeat to win the French and U.S. Open? Neither man won a slam during their careers.

Michael Pernfors (French) - Miroslav Mecir (U.S. Open)

HORSE RACING - Which horse & jockey partnership did the 1,000 Guineas/Oaks double?

Midway Lady - Ray Cochrane

DARTS - The Lakeside Country Club staged the BDO World Championships for the first time. Who did Eric Bristow brush six - nil to win the title?

Dave Whitcombe

RUGBY LEAGUE - Which club won their fourth and last Challenge Cup defeating Hull K R 15-14?

Castleford

BOXING - 27th September 1986 saw which Briton cause the Ring "Upset of the Year" in Atlantic City?

Lloyd Honeyghan

ROWING - Between 1975 & 1992 in the Boat race which Universities only win came in 1986?

Cambridge

GOLF - Jack Nicklaus won his 18th and last major when winning The Masters. Whose only major win came at The PGA when he chipped in from a bunker on the 18th?

Bob Tway

Boxing

Doing so in 1960, 1974, and 1986, who were the first three men to regain a World Heavyweight title?

Floyd Patterson - Muhammad Ali - Tim Witherspoon

Winning consecutive Lightweight Golds at the 2000 & 2004 Olympics, which two future world champions did Mario Kindelan defeat in the finals?

Andreas Kotelnik - Amir Khan

At which two London pubs did Jim Wicks and Terry Lawless have their gyms?

Thomas A Beckett - Royal Oak

Naoya Inoue is currently the only undisputed World Champion. At what weight?

Junior featherweight (will accept Super Bantamweight)

Which venue in New Jersey staged the first Million Dollar Gate fight between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier on 2nd July 1921?

Boyles Thirty Acres

Which five weight class world champion is nicknamed "The GWOAT"?

Claressa Shields

What, specifically links Louis Laurie (1936), Philip Waruinge (1968) and Roy Jones Jr (1988)?

Only 3 Boxers to win the "Val Barker Trophy" but not win Gold at The Olympics.

Who recently became the IBF Light Middleweight champion when beating Bakhram Murtazaliev by majority decision at the Newcastle Arena?

Josh Kelly

Horse Racing

Name any two of trainer Ralph Beckett's three English Classic winners?

Look Here, Talent and Simple Verse

Which are currently the first and last Group one races in the British Flat season?

2,000 Guineas and the Futurity Trophy

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On which horse did the late Brian Rouse twice win the Cambridgeshire handicap in 1978 and 1980?

Baronet

Which course hosted the 1,000 and 2,000 Guineas Trial Stakes from 1979 up to their discontinuance in 1986?

Salisbury

Name any two of the three jockeys who rode Wayward Lad to victory in the King George VI Chase?

John Francome, Robert Earnshaw and Graham Bradley

Name trainer Nicky Henderson's two Cheltenham Gold Cup winners?

Long Run and Bobs Worth

Which trainer landed a five timer at the 104th Far Hills Race Meeting, New Jersey in October 2025?

Gordon Elliott

Which Irish hurdler has the highest ever Timeform rating of 177 for a horse who did not win a Champion Hurdle?

Limestone Lad

Golf

At which five courses did Tom Watson win his five Claret Jugs?

Carnoustie

Turnberry

Muirfield

Royal Troon

Royal Birkdale

Tennis

Name the three countries Italy have beaten in the final to win the Davis Cup from 2023 to 2025?

Australia, Netherlands and Spain

Ons Jabeur reached three Grand Slam singles finals between 2022 to 2023. Name any two of the three women she lost to?

Elena Rybakina, Iga Swiatek and Marketa Vondrousova

Who are the youngest singles champions, men and women, to have won the French Open?

Michael Chang and Monica Seles

Who is the only man in the Open era to win an Olympic singles and an Olympic mens doubles gold medal at the same Games?

Nicolas Pietrangeli

What nationality is Belinda Bencic, the 2020 Olympic champion?

Swiss

Which man reached the semi-finals of the singles at the Australian Open three times in the 1970's but did gain his only two Grand Slam wins in the men's doubles at the same tournament in 1975 and 1982?

John Alexander

Which woman has made the most consecutive appearances at Wimbledon, spanning both the amateur and Open eras?

Virginia Wade

Who invented the tiebreak?

James Van Allen

Rugby

Which international teams compete for the following trophies? (a) Auld Alliance Trophy; (b) James Bevan Trophy

(a) France v Scotland; (b) Australia v Wales

Name the two teams who are tied for third place in the list of winners of the Gallagher Premiership Rugby Trophy with six wins each? This trophy has had a number of previous names due to sponsorship, including just Premiership Rugby.

Wasps and Saracens

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Which player has won the most international caps for France with 118 caps?

Fabien Pelous

What is the name of the ground which is the home to Sale Sharks?

CorpAcq stadium (accept Salford Community Stadium)

Who are the most capped players for the following nations. A) New Zealand, B) Fiji

A) Ruben Wiki B) Kevin Naiqama

Rugby League World Cup. Ignoring Great Britain, who have won the trophy 4 times and finished Runners-up three times, Australia and New Zealand, name any two of the three individual nations who have lost a Rugby League World Cup final and never won the final.

England (3) France (2) Samoa (1)

The first rugby league cup final played at Wembley saw Wigan beat Dewsbury. Name the year?

1929

The Lance Todd Trophy is awarded to the man of the match at the Rugby League Cup Final. Which position in the team has provided the most winners, with fifteen winners?

Scrum Half

Cricket

13 England bowlers have taken 30 or more wickets in T20 internationals, Adil Rashid and Chris Jordan have both taken over 100, name 10 of the 11 who have over 30 but less than 100 wickets

Stuart Broad

Sam Curran

Mark Wood

Graeme Swann

David Willey

Moeen Ali

Jofra Archer

Jade Dernbach

Reece Topley

Liam Livingstone

Chris Woakes

Athletics

Name any three of the four men who successfully defended their individual Olympic title at Paris in 2024?

Arnaud Duplantis, Ryan Crouser, Soufiane El Bakkalie and Milliat's Tentoglu

Which gold/silver medallists were given the same time in the final of the Womens 100 metres at the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta?

Gail Devers and Merlene Ottey

Which woman set a British High Jump record of 2 metres at the Diamond League, Zurich in August 2025?

Morgan Lake

At which Olympics was the women's 3000m Steeplechase added to the programme?

2008 Beijing

Which Englishman holds the Commonwealth Games Marathon record set in 1974?

Ian Thompson

Which country will host the outdoor European Athletics Championships in 2028?

Poland

Which two Britons won IAAF male and female athletes of the year in 1993?

Colin Jackson and Sally Gunnell

What is the height of Arnaud Duplantis' pole vault world record set at the 2025 World Championships in Tokyo?

6.30 m

Cricket

First Ashes test of the 2010/11 tour England declared their second innings closed on 517-1, which three men all scored centuries?

Alistair Cook, Andrew Strauss, Jonathan Trott

Which 2 English batsmen have been given out "handled ball" in test matches?

Graham Gooch, Michael Vaughan

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Who scored 201 not out against Bangladesh in 2006. A record high score for a nightwatchman?

Jason Gillespie

Which country were dismissed for twenty six in a Test versus England in 1955?

New Zealand

During the 2007 T20 World Cup which Indian batsman hit six sixes in an over and who was the bowler?

Yuvraj Singh, Stuart Broad

Which is the only currently active team to have never reached an IPL final?

Lucknow Super Giants

Which bowler played 46 times for England between 1972 & 1981, taking 143 wickets and had the middle name of Middleton?

Chris Old

Who is England Womens record Test run scorer? She made her debut in 1979 and her final game was in 1998. Sadly passing away in 2017

Janette Brittin

Football

Name any three of the four league teams Harry Kane played for whilst on loan?

Orient, Millwall, Norwich, Leicester City

Which two Yorkshire teams appeared in A. 1992/3 UEFA Cup and B. 2014/15 UEFA Europa League?

A Sheffield Wednesday, B Hull City

Which Scottish player who began his career at St Johnstone played two seasons at Sunderland scoring eight goals in 56 games?

Ally McCoist

Who is Germany's record international goal scorer with 71 goals?

Miroslav Klose

Which country have finished third twice in the World Cup but never appeared in the final ?

Poland

Which two Frenchmen have been sent off in a World Cup final?

Marcel Desailly, Zinedine Zidane

Who, on 30th November 2024, became the first player to score a hat-trick of penalties in the Premier League?

Justin Kluivert

Who is currently the coach/manager at Watford?

Ed Still

Tennis

Name any five of the six Women that Iga Swiatek has defeated in slam finals.

Sofia Kenin

Coco Gauff

Karolina Muchova

Jasmine Paolini

Amanda Anisimova

Ons Jabeur

General Sport

Formula One: Lando Norris clinched the drivers championship at the final race of the season. Where was this race held and who won it?

Yas Marina, Abu Dhabi, Max Verstappen

What sporting weapon fires a Quarrel?

Crossbow

Which Briton, twice winner of the Indianapolis 500, was killed in a multi car accident in 2011?

Dan Wheldon

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NFL: At the end of this regular season Mike Tomlin and Mike McDaniel both left their roles as head coach of which two teams?

Pittsburgh Steelers, Miami Dolphins

Darts: Five players have won the Darts Triple Crown of the World Championships, Premier League and World Matchplay. The two Lukes are the most recent winners, name the other three?

Phil Taylor, Michael Van Gerwyn; Gary Anderson

Which sport officially became an Olympic sport in 1992 having initially been a demonstration event in 1972 China have dominated the sport winning 23 Gold medals?

Badminton

Snooker: Which player won the 2023 Players Championship. The tournament had twenty three century breaks of which he scored eleven, including the five highest?

Shaun Murphy

Lottie Dod won the Ladies singles at Wimbledon five times in the late 1800's, but at which sport did she win Olympic Silver in 1908?

Archery

Golf

Name three of the four European venues to host two or more Ryder Cup Matches?

1935 & 37 Southport & Ainsdale, 61 & 77 Royal Lytham, 65 & 69 Birkdale, 85,89,93 & 2002 The Belfry

Who won the 2023 BMW PGA Championship thirty six years after his father won the Rugby World Cup?

Ryan Fox

Seve Ballesteros won five majors, the 1984 Open at St Andrews was one but at which two courses did he win the other four?

Royal Lytham, Augusta

Three New Zealand golfers have won a major, Bob Charles won the Open in 1963 who are the other two?

Michael Campbell, Lydia Ko

Which American course was the venue for the infamous War on the Shore?

Kiawah Island

Two Englishmen have won the Seniors British Open, one in 1987 and one in 2016 name either?

Neil Coles, Paul Broadhurst

Who won Europes only full point at the 2025 Ryder cup singles matches?

Ludvig Aberg

The Korda Sisters have played together in Solheim Cups for USA but which sisters played for Europe in the 1998 Solheim Cup?

Annika & Carlotte Sorenstam

HORSE RACING

Liam Treadwell famously rode Mon Mome to a shock Grand National win in 2009. Since then, Irish jockeys have dominated the race. Can you name the last ten different Irish riders to triumph at Aintree.

Mr Patrick Mullins

Paul Townend

Derek Fox

Rachael Blackmore

Davy Russell

David Mullins

Leighton Aspell

Daryl Jacob

Jason Maguire

A P McCoy