

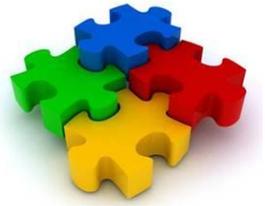
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Hi Everyone,

Snowy white snow and slightly less severe restrictions would seem to be what is happening in December and January.

So yet again, we will follow all the rules around visits and shopping, and allow ourselves to look forward to happier times. We, also know that the vaccination programmes being set up will take us into 2021 for several months.

Although we have been unable to meet since March, we have raised income from donations and grants during the year including £506.25 from Bolton Hospice Lottery. Thank you to all who have contributed. After all the income and expenditure over the past year we have enough funds to confirm that once COVID restrictions are lifted we are in a position to continue.

Included with this newsletter, to members, is a voting form for the election of your Committee for 2021/2022. Please complete the form and place in the enclosed stamped envelope to be addressed to Gwyneth Johnson at the address on the bottom of the form.

All that needs to be said now is



HAVE A VERY MERRY AND SAFE CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

DECEMBER QUIZ

1. Who was lead singer with Culture Club?
2. What flightless bird is similar to the ostrich but is three toed?
3. Which Canadian territory has Whitehorse as its capital?
4. What was the surname of the youngest champion of the Wimbledon's men's singles in 1984?
5. Of which republic is Kabul the capital?
6. What type of missile is shot from a submarine?
7. What mountain-dwelling grouse has plumage that turns white in winter?
8. Which horse won the Grand National three times in the 1970's?
9. In what country was Omar Sharif born?
10. What was the surname of Greta, the Swedish born actress?
11. Which was the Beatles' second feature film?
12. What unit is used in measuring the height of a horse?
13. What was the first name of the architect Lutyens and Landseer?
14. What was the first name of 1960's singer Ms Springfield?
15. What is the name of the largest Scottish island in the Firth of Clyde?
16. What is a female rabbit or deer?
17. What are the fruits of the rose called?
18. Which residential area of Trafford was historically part of Cheshire?
19. What completes the term Nobel -----, for the highest prize for peace or literature?
20. Which US baseball legend's first names were George Herman?

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS FOR JANUARY 2021

Margaret McEwan Kath Maguire Dele Sikiru Joan Armstrong Maisie Wood

Wynn Nuttall Pat Morrison Audrey Parker Margaret Rowland Jean Clarke

Shelagh Fitzgerald Jim Hargreaves Graham Shaw Katrina Adamson

HUMOUR SECTION

What do you get when you cross a snowman with a vampire? Frostbite!

Who is Santa's favourite singer? Elf-is Presley!

Just a quick reminder that if you are leaving an alcoholic beverage for Father Christmas this year, it must be accompanied by a 'substantial meal'.

Who delivers presents to baby sharks at Christmas? Santa Jaws!

How did Scrooge win the football game? The ghost of Christmas passed!

SAD NEWS

It is with regret that we have to inform you that Harry Preston died on the 16th of November after a long illness. Our condolences to Jean, family and friends. Also, thanks to his friends and family who have donated £185 to JIGSAW in his memory.



SAD NEWS

It is with regret that we have to inform you that Jack Rowland died on the 26th of November. Our condolences to Margaret, family and friends.



ANSWERS TO NOVEMBER QUIZ

1. Who played John Brown when Judi Dench was Victoria on TV? **Billy Connolly**
2. Which two Princes have birthdays in June? **Philip and William**
3. Which Motown group featured Lionel Richie before he went solo? **The Commodores**
4. Which Irish county would you be in if you were in Tipperary? **County Tipperary**
5. Which British school did Kurt Hahn found in the 1930's? **Gordonstoun**
6. Who sang lead vocals on the only UK No 1 single to have the word 'hit' in its title? Ian Brown, Ian Curtis or **Ian Drury**?
7. In 1961 Yuri Gagarin's trip into space lasted how long? **1 hour and 48 minutes**, 1 week and 9 hours or 1 month and 2 days?
8. What word meaning 'lawful' in Arabic describes meat prepared according to Islamic custom? **Halal**
9. Which Italian port was the birthplace of Columbus? **Genoa**
10. What was the surname of the family in 'The Darling Buds of May'? **Larkin**
11. Which type of coniferous tree is often used as a Christmas tree? **Spruce**
12. Which Russian composer wrote 'Peter and the Wolf'? **Prokofiev**
13. Reykjavik is the capital of which country? **Iceland**
14. What completes the title of the 1961's hit for the Four Seasons? **Rag Doll**
15. What was Rod Stewart's first No. 1 album? **Every picture tells a story**
16. 'Dead Ringer' was the first No 1 album for whom? **Meat Loaf**
17. Which David spent most weeks in the charts in 1973, 1974 and 1983? **Bowie**
18. Which Beatles album featured a zebra crossing on the cover? **Abbey Road**
19. In 2011, Harry Kane made his Football League debut playing for which club? **Leyton Orient**
20. Concorde and Louise Bonne are types of which fruit? **Pears**

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