

KENT AREA OF NAFAS

WINTER FLORAL QUIZ

As the winter weather and short days keep us indoors here is a quiz about all things floral (although some connections are a little loose!). The quiz is just for fun. We will send out the results at the end of January

Anagrams – can you unscramble these plant names?

1. THY CHAINS **HYACINTHS**
2. CAROLINE **LONICERA**
3. ANGRY HEAD **HYDRANGEA**
4. ADORN PANGS **SNAPDRAGON**
5. DRAINAGE **GARDENIA**
6. A SUGAR SAP **ASPARAGUS**
7. A PAGANS HUT **AGAPANTHUS**
8. CAMILLAS MOLEHILL **ALCHEMILLA MOLLIS**
9. AERIAL STORM **ALSTROMERIA**
10. SHAM EMAIL **HAMAMELIS**

People

1. Often called England's greatest gardener, what is 'Capability' Brown's first name? **Lancelot**
2. A yellow flowering shrub was introduced to the UK by the ancestor of which entertainer? **Bruce Forsyth**
3. Which flowering shrub is named after Botanist Dr Leonard Fuchs? **Fuchsia**
4. Born Betty Diana Little gardener from Essex demonstrated flower arranging? **Beth Chatto**
5. Which TV gardener appeared with Morecombe and Wise and Benny Hill and was the subject of a This is Your Life episode? **Percy Throver**
6. Which poet and writer created the gardens at Sissinghurst? **Vita Sackville-West**
7. What was the name of the female garden designer that created many of the gardens for buildings designed by Sir Edwin Lutyens? **Gertrude Jekyll**
8. Which king created the Hanging Gardens of Babylon? **Nebuchadnezzar II**
9. Who wrote "The Constant Gardener"? **John La Carre**
10. Which gardener wrote "Only Dad" and amongst many other things is a bell ringer? **Alan Titchmarsh**

Music – can you complete the lyric?

1. I beg your pardon, I **never promised you a rose garden**
2. So I'll continue to continue to pretend my life will never end and **flowers never bend with the rainfall**
3. When it's spring again, I'll bring again **tulips from Amsterdam**
4. Why don't you build me up **buttercup**
5. Up from the ashes grow **the roses of success**
6. If you're going to San Francisco **be sure to wear a flower in your hair**
7. I'll be your clown or your puppet or your April Fool, if you'll be my sunshine **daisy from LA**
8. **London Pride** has been handed down to me, **London Pride** is a flower that's free
9. Blossom of snow **do you bloom and grow, bloom and grow for ever, Edelweiss....**
10. How many kinds of sweet flowers grow in English Country garden **daffodils, heart's ease and flox, meadowsweet and lady smock**

Answers for foliage

1. Mahonia
2. Hosta 'Halcyon'
3. Eucalyptus gunii
4. Euonymus fortunei 'Emerald Gold'
5. Cotinus Coggia 'Royal Purple'
6. Senecio Candidans 'Angel Wings'
7. Alchemilla mollis
8. Griselinia littoralis
9. Rubus tricolor

Literature – who wrote these?

1. The Secret Garden **Frances Hodgson Burnett**
2. The Chrysanthemums **John Steinbeck**
3. Daisy-Head Mayzie **Dr Suess**
4. The Name of the Rose **Umberto Eco**
5. The Scarlet Pimpernel **Emmuska Orczy (accept Baroness Orczy)**
6. The Adventure of Wisteria Lodge **Arthur Conan Doyle**
7. The Perks of Being a Wallflower **Stephen Chbosky**

8. The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel **Deborah Moggach**
9. Tom's Midnight Garden **Philippa Pearce**
10. The Chamomile Lawn **Mary Wesley**

General Knowledge

1. Which blue flower of the genus Veronica is also the name of the ship which was to accompany the Mayflower with the Pilgrim Fathers? **Speedwell**
2. In Buddhism, which flower is a symbol of enlightenment? **Water lily**
3. Saffron comes from which type of flower? **Crocus**
4. Which plant takes its name from the Italian phrase for "beautiful woman"? **Belladonna**
5. Which daisy like flower, the national flower of Mexico, gets its name from an 18th Century Swedish botanist? **Dahlia**
6. Which flower is also the goddess of the rainbow in Greek mythology? **iris**
7. Who is the patron saint of gardeners, horticulture, florists, brides and brewers? **St. Dorothy**
8. Vanilla flavouring is derived from which flower? **Orchid**
9. What colour is a Welsh poppy? **Yellow**
10. What tree features in the middle of the flag of Lebanon? **Cedar**

Name that flower

1. Hydrangea Macrophylla Blauling – 'Blue Lord'
2. Zantadeschia 'Picasso' or calla
3. Trachelium caeruleum
4. Craspedia globosa
5. Lathyrus odoratus 'Chelsea Centenary'
6. Helleborus orientalis
7. Euphorbia fulgens 'Orange King'
8. Gypsophilia paniculata 'snowflake'
9. Carthamus tinctorius 'Safflower'
10. Dahlia 'Café au Lait'
11. Eryngium giganteum 'Miss Wilmott's Ghost'
12. Scabiosa caucasica
13. Amaranthus caudatus
14. Alstroemaria 'Princess Diana'
15. Astilbe