

# WORLD SHIP SOCIETY – DORSET BRANCH – MAY 2020 KWIK KWIZ

*Kwizmasters decisions are final!*

*Surprise Prize to an outright winner (I'll think again if you all get the same score!) ... Good Luck.*

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~ Q1 ~

## MY SHIP MATHEMATICS

**The fleet are registered in Malta and most of the fleet sport a numbered name ...  $A \times B = C$ ?**

*Can you work out the ship in "a" and "b" ... 1 point per correct ship name ... an extra point for "c".*

- (a) The newest ship in the fleet delivered last year ... her one sistership already sailing with the fleet ... GRT 111,500 ... *das schiff gehort TUI Kreuzfahrt* ... name the ship?
- (b) Entered service in 2017 ... third and last ship in the class ... GRT 98,800 ... passenger capacity 2,534 ... *das schiff wurde in Turku gebaut* ... name the ship?
- (c) Using the two numbers above ... what does " $a \times b$ " = ?

~ Q2 ~

## TITANIC TEASERS & CARPATHIAN CONUNDRUMS

**Can you unravel these queries?**

*Nine points on offer from this question ... 1 point per correct answer.*

- (a) What was the name of Captain Smith's wife (he being master of Titanic)?
- (b) What type of dog did Captain & Mrs. Smith have as a pet?
- (c) Bruce Ismay (Chairman & Managing Director of White Star Line) had a country house in Dorset, which is now a boarding school. What is the name of the school?
- (d) The Carpathia had three officers serving in the ship when they went to the rescue of Titanic who went on to be commodores of the Cunard Line. What were their names? First name?
- (e) ... Second name?
- (f) ... Third name?
- (g) Two events of maritime interest both occurred on the 31<sup>st</sup> May during the second decade of the twentieth century. Name the event and the year for each. ... First event & year?
- (h) ... Second event & year?

~ Q3 ~

## TWENTIETH CENTURY TRANSATLANTIC LINERS

### Wordsearch

*How many ship names can you spot?*

*Search down, up, right to left, left to right, (no diagonals, no corners) ... 1 point per correct name*

R	M	L	O	H	S	G	N	U	K
O	O	S	T	O	R	E	A	N	N
T	E	M	E	M	O	I	I	I	A
T	N	E	E	U	Q	D	N	T	K
E	A	S	T	S	U	N	A	E	I
R	I	M	P	E	R	A	T	O	R
D	E	T	I	N	U	M	I	E	E
A	I	N	A	T	E	R	U	A	M
M	T	A	N	I	A	O	Q	P	A
Q	U	E	E	N	A	N	A	L	Y

*How many ship names can you spot?*

~ Q4 ~

**NOW & THEN**

**Match the current name of the ship with its original name**

*Give me a list of current name / original name ... 1 point per correct pair ... beware – six spurious names!*

GNV Atlas	Amera	Splendour of the Seas	Blenheim	FairMajesty
Marella Discovery	Artania	Pacific Explorer	Cotentin	Island Escape
Royal Viking Star	Columbus	Royal Princess	Black Watch	Island Breeze
Dawn Princess	Balmoral	Olau Britannia	Amadea	Stena Baltica

~ Q5 ~

**IF ONLY SHIPS COULD TALK**

**Who am I? Guess the ship from the description given**

*De-cypher the clues and give me a ship's name ... 1 point per correct name*

- (a) I might not be a "Raptor Class" ship like my three fleet-mates but I'm more than 20 years younger than them. Before I reach the Prince Consort cardinal buoy I will be turning south to enter the river towards our island berth. What's my name?
- (b) I was designed as an extended & improved version of my near-sistership ... she was sold last year so I'm now oldest ship in the fleet ... but as current holder of the Golden Cockerel trophy you can be assured "there's life in the old girl yet". What's my name?
- (c) South Quay enabled the Dorset port to take ships up to 220m and since then I set out to be a frequent visitor although this looks like being my final year after five years with my current owner. What's my name?

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