

Themed Thursday: Quiz Seven:

Down the Tube.

Well even though we have seen the first tentative signs of the lockdown easing I doubt many of you will be intending to travel in and around London for a while. So to make up for it this week's Themed Quiz is designed to test your knowledge of the London Underground System - the answers to the questions below are all the names of Stations on the London Underground but you will need to solve the cryptic clues as to which ones they are which will hopefully get those grey cells working!
As usual I'll send the answers out on Monday.

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| 1. A much loved bear | Paddington..... |
| 2. A store for weapons | Arsenal..... |
| 3. Would Gerry make bread here? | Baker Street..... |
| 4. Napoleon's loss but Abba's gain! | Waterloo..... |
| 5. Where Charles II hid | Royal Oak..... |
| 6. You might find Wombles here | Wimbledon..... |
| 7. Dominicans | Blackfriars..... |
| 8. Barclays, or HSBC for example | Bank..... |
| 9. ..but you are more likely to find Lloyds here surely? | Black Horse Road..... |
| 10. Heavenly messenger | Angel..... |
| 11. Huge, absolutely enormous | Wapping..... |
| 12. Finish at 1760 yards | Mile End..... |
| 13. A TV school | Grange Hill..... |
| 14. You must be mad to go here | Barking..... |
| 15. It's falling down | London Bridge..... |
| 16. Alpine dwelling | Swiss Cottage..... |
| 17. Red Rose entrance | Lancaster Gate..... |
| 18. Does Liz go along here? | Queensway..... |
| 19. Clowns amongst the dreaming spires | Oxford Circus..... |
| 20. Might you find rabbits in this thoroughfare? | Warren Street..... |
| 21. A place for ballet and vegetables | Covent Garden..... |
| 22. Oriental actor? | East Ham..... |

23. Where Nellie might have met Barbara?	Elephant & Castle....
24. Shaped like a rugby ball?	Oval.....
25. Victoria is very innocent.	Wood Green.....
26. Look after the sheep by this shrub	Shepherds Bush.....
27.irate monarch	Kings Cross.....
28. The nobleman's been captured	Earls Court or Barons Court.
29. Remember your passport!	Pimlico.....
30. The miners will!	Colliers Wood.....
31. Trap the stream!	Snaresbrook.....
32. Goose annoyed	Brent Cross.....
33. Aircraft shelter for Lois	Hanger Lane.....
34. She was not amused	Victoria.....
35. Fowl lager?	Cock Fosters.....
36. Open space in Rotterdam?	Holland Park.....
37. A jealous cleric?	Parsons Green.....
38. Maidstone or Tunbridge Wells?	Kentish Town.....
39. A crossing for sir?	Knightsbridge.....
40. A tree caught fire!	Burnt Oak.....

Hope you enjoyed it and it wasn't too difficult!

Comments:

Q3 The Gerry referred to was Gerry Rafferty who had a hit with the song "Baker Street"

Q23 Nellie was of course an elephant = altogether now "Nellie the Elephant packed her trunk and said goodbye to the circus" etc and Barbara was Barbara Castle a well-known name in the 1960's and 1970's.

Q28 I was after **Earls** Court but just realised there is also a nearby station called **Barons** Court which also fits so a point for either (but not two points for both!)

Q29 I was looking for Pimlico after the film starring Stanley Holloway etc – definitely **not** one of the Heathrow Stations as on the same basis you could claim St Pancras where the Eurostar goes from etc.