

Dear all,

Please find attached the answers to Mondays Word Quiz on colours. Hopefully they didn't prove too tricky but just a few comments from me about some of the answers:

Q6 - I was looking for Cilla Black but those in the know may well have gone for her "real name" which was Priscilla White so either will do.

Q15 - the Caroline referred to was Caroline Lucas who is the MP for Brighton & Pavilion and the leader of the Green Party and to date their only MP.... but of course you knew that!

Q19 - I had originally put May 1st 1840 which would have been the Penny Black but was persuaded to be devious and this was the second ever stamp produced some five days later, the answer being Two Penny Blue

Q26 - again the answer I was looking for was the obvious one Silver as in "Hi Ho Silver" but I believe he had an earlier horse called Dusty which also fits.

Q44 - an obvious answer The Red Arrows, but I only mention them as apparently those living in Essex may have seen them fly over on Friday (V.E. Day) when they came down the coast from Norfolk and then turned up and followed the river Crouch from Maldon and headed over us on route to London. If it helps I missed them as well!!

Q47 - again I was hoping to be devious and lead you astray to put Black Adder: this though ran from 1983 to 2000 and the answer that fits the clue is The Thin Blue Line.

Anyway hopefully a little less strenuous on the brain cells is this week's General Knowledge Quiz which is also attached, the answers to which will be sent out tomorrow,

As ever, stay safe, stay healthy and stay sane!

Peter.