

General Knowledge Quiz (Round 300)

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Questions

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- 4) If a Bingo caller shouted 'Duck and Dive' what number would he be calling?

- 5) In what sport would you hear the term 'Third Man'?

- 6) In what competition did Wanderers beat the Royal Engineers 1-0?

- 7) Which of Henry VIII's wives survived him?

- 8) In which Shakespeare play would you find the characters of Portia, Antonio, and Shylock?

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1900s (1909)

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Newcastle Upon Tyne

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Cricket

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Football Association Cup (1872)

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Catherine Parr

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The Merchant of Venice

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Rowan Williams

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Albert Einstein