General Knowledge Quiz (Round 364)

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- 1) Which British film director, known for movies like "Trainspotting" and "Slumdog Millionaire", also directed the opening ceremony of the London 2012 Olympics?
- 2) Which British actress starred in "The Favourite" and "The Lobster", and won an Academy Award for Best Actress for "The Favourite"?
- a) Rachel Weisz b) Kate Winslet c) Olivia Colman
- 3) Which British playwright wrote the contemporary classics "Jerusalem" and "The Ferryman"?
- 4) Which post-punk British band released albums "Unknown Pleasures" and "Closer"?
- 5) Which British children's author wrote "The BFG", "Matilda", and "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"?
- a) C.S. Lewis b) Enid Blyton c) Roald Dahl
- 6) The crime drama series "Broadchurch" was set in a fictional town in which British county?
- 7) Which British actor played Sherlock Holmes in the BBC series "Sherlock"?
- 8) "Quadrophenia", a film adaptation of The Who's rock opera, is centered around which subculture?
- a) Punks b) Goths c) Mods

Answers:

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Answer: Danny Boyle.

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Answer: c) Olivia Colman.

3) Which British playwright wrote the contemporary classics "Jerusalem" and "The Ferryman"?

Answer: Jez Butterworth.

4) Which post-punk British band released albums "Unknown Pleasures" and "Closer"?

Answer: Joy Division.

- 5) Which British children's author wrote "The BFG", "Matilda", and "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"?
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Answer: c) Roald Dahl.

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Answer: Dorset.

7) Which British actor played Sherlock Holmes in the BBC series "Sherlock"?

Answer: Benedict Cumberbatch.

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Answer: c) Mods.