

It Happened in November

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All the following questions relate to events that happened in the month of November

Questions

- 1) November was the month in which this British heroine was born. She famously rescued survivors from a shipwreck off Northumbria in 1838. Who was she?
- 2) Lewis Carroll's novel Alice's Adventures in Wonderland was published in November 1865. What was the writer's real name?
- 3) In Nov 1990 who became the first female President of Ireland.
- 4) One of the most popular board games ever devised was launched by Parker Brothers in 1935.
- 5) In 1940 which politician became the only U.S. President to win a third term in office?
- 6) Which politician resigned as British Prime Minister in 1940 and died in November of the same year?
- 7) Who became King of Spain following the death of Franco in 1975?
- 8) In Nov of which year did Angela Merkel become the first female Chancellor of Germany? a) 2001 b) 2003 c) 2005
- 9) In 1957 what was the name of the dog Russia launched into orbit around the earth?
- 10) In 1995 - what was the name of the Israeli Prime Minister who was assassinated while at a peace rally?

Answers

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Charles Lutwidge Dodgson

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Mary Robinson

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Monopoly

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Franklin D. Roosevelt

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Neville Chamberlain

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Laika

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Yitzhak Rabin