

## **It Happened in May Quiz (Round 4)**

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**Who became the first Mayor of London in 2000?**

Ken Livingstone

**Who disappeared in May 2007 in Praia da Luz, Portugal and is still the subject of much speculation?**

Madeleine McCann

**Elena Baltacha sadly died in May 2014 at only 30 years old. At what sport did she excel?**

Tennis

**The construction of which significant waterway in the Americas was begun in 1907?**

Panama Canal

**In May of which year did the nine day general strike in the United Kingdom take place?**

1926

**Who won the Pulitzer Prize for The Old Man and the Sea in 1953?**

Ernest Hemingway

**In 1626 the Dutch explorer Peter Minuit arrived at which island in what was then called New Netherland, what is it known as now?**

Manhattan Island

**Which infamous criminal started an eleven year prison sentence for tax evasion in May 1932?**

Al Capone

**Which environmental organization founded in Canada in 1971 as 'Don't Make A Wave Committee' changed its name the following year to what?**

"Greenpeace Foundation"

**Which glamorous actress, who became known as an English version of Marilyn Monroe, died in May 1984?**

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