

## THE 2024 QUIZ



## THE OLIVE BRASSINGTON WELLS DRESSING QUIZ

August 2024

Congratulations to the entrants who returned papers with 100% correct answers and were entered into the prize draw. Quizmaster is sorry for the incorrect clues (corrected in yellow below). The prize winners are:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Nigel Watson, Chelmsford  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Jo Horne, Taddington  
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### The correct answers to each of the quiz questions are as follows:

This year the theme for the Wells Dressing Quiz is  
"Flora, Fauna and Folk"

Clues can be straightforward, cryptic, hidden or anagrams. All answers are linked to the Quiz Theme, the city of New York, Paris Olympic Games Cup & 2024 anniversaries

All answers in this section are **2024 ANNIVERSARIES**

Mad, bad and dangerous to know, till death 200 years ago (4,5)	Lord Byron
Absurdist who died aged 40 a century ago (5,5)	Franz Kafka
Saggy old cloth cat that appeared 50 years ago (7)	Bagpuss
200 year old site of sunflowers in Trafalgar Sq (8,7)	National Gallery
Titular maneater released literally 50 years ago (4)	Jaws
Venetian globetrotter who died 700 years ago (5,4)	Marco Polo
Bicentenary for college of city – united too (10, 10)	Manchester University
Nupro site that exploded 50 years ago (11)	Flixborough
Bicentennial for creators of Bournville (7)	Cadbury
Coastal lifesavers for 200 years (5,8,8,11)	Royal National Lifeboat Institution

All answers in this section are connected to the **CITY OF NEW YORK**

Head in Buxton, arms in Taddington (6)	Queens
Place to see the starry night (6,2,6,3)	Museum of Modern Art
Wireless conurbation is music hall (5,4)	Radio City
Organisational development term takes in solid, liquid or gas (6,5,8)	Empire State Building
Hustle our countryman in the Big Apple (5)	Sting
Proclaim North surrounded by sea (6,6)	Staten Island
Floral entity featuring Pele & Beckenbauer (6)	Cosmos
Chap with cap to turn brown for Second World War project (9)	Manhattan
Anita leaves Dutch city with travellers (6,13)	Harlem Globetrotters
Enlightening the world from the harbour (6,2,7)	Statue of Liberty



All answers in this section are connected to **PARIS OLYMPIC GAMES**

Produced from recycled <i>dame de fer</i> (6)	Medals
French civil engineer linking the preceding two clues (7,6)	Gustave Eiffel
I hit at crashing surf (6)	Tahiti
Mash with spring onions of red planet (5,2,4)	Champ de Mars
Pleasant change for Tour de France finish (4)	Nice
Smashing new event for 2024 games (8)	Breaking
A sound mind, I hear, set for opening (5)	Seine
Inspired by sprinters of 1924 games (8,2,4)	Chariots of Fire
Smiler ale brewed for yachtsmen (9)	Marseille
Started out from Chamonix 100 years ago (6,7,5)	Winter Olympic Games

All answers in this section are connected to **FLORA**

Tasty article in Roman house (7)	Vanilla
Umpire gets into some hard work (7)	Trefoil
Part of flower that pales badly (5)	Sepal
Copper and zinc I lead to California (8)	Brassica
Tiny worker in Salisbury's grassland (8)	Plantain
Fetch Victoria to overrule false start (5)	Vetch
The edge in writing (8)	Primrose
Some of current unit are in the county (8)	Samphire
Foppish Leo? Sounds like it! (9)	Dandelion
Grandpa and son stewed plant (10)	Snapdragon

Enjoy and Good Luck!

All answers in this section are connected to **FAUNA**

BeeGee atop gives the Goodies a funky one (6)	Gibbon
I hear Ringo could be a lily or a stag (6)	Beetle
One of many making a conurbation (5)	VOID – incorrect clue
Principally all pubs exclude primate (3)	Ape
In juror case, it's black and white (4)	Orca
Fish eggs? Sounds a bit expensive (3,4)	Roe deer
Salesman with ceramic is cold blooded (7)	Reptile
Group found in Latin section of CD (6)	Insect
I hear coastal golf course also forms part of a chain (4)	Lynx
Mistake involving Irish leafeater (7)	Giraffe

All answers in this section are linked to **FOLK (PEOPLES OF THE WORLD)**

Confused ox snags loan for ancient Britons (5,6)	Anglo Saxons
Andeans in a train carriage (4)	Inca
Sleep with Open University at home (7)	Bedouin
Scandinavian / Roman six monarch (6)	Viking
I roam giddily to perform haka (5)	Maori
Daniel Day Lewis played the last one (7)	Mohican
Reindeer hunting reserved for Laplanders (4)	Sami
Record French name in reverse (6)	Mongol
Craftiness in lengths of bridges (8)	Spartans
Americans finally groom a hairy alpaca (4)	Maya

Thank you for your donation

Winners and correct answers will be published in mid-September on village notice boards and at

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All answers in this section relate to **other 'F WORDS'**

Trend on scary monsters & super freaks (7)	Fashion
Small beer barrel sounds almost rude (6)	Firkin
Dick's disaster? He's for the high jump! (7,4)	Fosbury flop
Barney's next door neighbour (4,10)	Fred Flintstone
Shot in 1914, sang 'Take Me Out' (5,9)	Franz Ferdinand
Department in far west occupied by Bretons (9)	Finistere
Fun role I mix is a gas (7) (8)	Fluorine
Pollock digits for tea? (4,7)	Fish fingers
Dougal's friend in Tuscany (8)	Florence
Apparently, giant golf balls on North Yorkshire Moors (11)	Fylingdales