

SGC69 Oxford Sixties Quiz Answers

First man in space

Yuri Gagarin, 1961 (April)

Cuban missile crisis

1962 (October)

World's first heart transplant

Doctor Christiaan Barnard

Cape Town, South Africa (Groote Schuur Hospital) in (November) 1967

Recipient was Louis Washkansky (53) who died after 18 days

The first UK transplant was in 1979

Apollo 11 Moon Landing

Michael Collins

Command module was named Columbia

Cultural Revolution

Started in 1966 (ended in 1976)

Les Evenements

May 1968 (lasted 7 weeks)

The March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom

1963 (August)

Vietnam General

General William Westmorland

Jaguar E-Type

Launched in July 1961 (produced until 1974)

Great Train Robbery

1963 (August)

Buckinghamshire

Kray Trial

1968

Farthing

1960

Harold Macmillan

Six week tour of Africa, early January to mid February 1960

Wind of Change speech in Cape Town

Travelled back to UK by boat, so out of the country for six weeks

Profumo Affair

Cliveden (Bucks)

Stephen Ward

Film title was “Scandal”

White Heat Speech

Labour Party Conference

Scarborough, 1963

Spy

Kim Philby

1963

Trinity College

One of the Cambridge Five with Donald Maclean, Guy Burgess, Anthony Blunt, John Cairncross

Devaluation

1965 (November)

Jim Callaghan (who then resigned)

\$2.40 to the £

Enoch Powell Rivers of Blood Speech

Birmingham

1968 (April)

"Rivers of Blood" alludes to a prophecy from Virgil's *Aeneid* which Powell (a classical scholar) quoted:

As I look ahead, I am filled with foreboding; like the Roman, I seem to see 'the River Tiber foaming with much blood'

He also went to Trinity College

Theatrical Censorship

Started in the eighteenth century (1737)

Ended in 1968

The scripts of all stage plays had to be submitted to The Lord Chancellor

Liberal Party Leader

Jeremy Thorpe, from 1967 (to 1976)

Jo Grimond

Bonnie and Clyde

Foggy Mountain Breakdown

Georgy Fame

Coronation Street

1960

Ena Sharples and Albert Tatlock

Barbarella

Duran Duran (the character was actually Durand Durand)

Machine was called the Exsexsive Machine

Was the second highest grossing film in UK in 1968

BBC2

Launched 1964

Mascots were Hullabaloo and Custard

Colour Television

Autumn 1967

Very limited, for several years TV guides showed which programs were in colour

The Avengers

Honor Blackman (played Cathy Gale)

Linda Thorsen (played Tara King)

Four Yorkshiremen Sketch

At Last the 1948 Show, 1967

Cream

Royal Albert Hall, 1968 (November)

Eurovision

France Gall, 1965

Composer was Serge Gainsbourg

French Singer

Françoise Hardy

Jacques Dutronc

Fr. Dominic once brought a tape recorder into French class and went through the lyrics

Kinks

Terence Stamp and Julie Christie (who were romantically connected at the time)

Ray Davies stated this in 1967, may have retracted it later

Split Trousers

P.J. Proby, 1965

At the ABC Croydon, January

Who?

Yves Saint Laurent

Founded his fashion label in 1962

Twiggy

Lesley Hornby

Justin de Villeneuve (hairdresser, real name Nigel Davies)

The face of 1966 (Express)

What Style

Teddy Boys

Wore Edwardian frock coats

Shoes

Winkle Pickers

Teddy Boys

Dress

Mary Quant

Dress of the year 1963

Now on display at The Fashion Museum, Bath

Who?

Pattie Boyd

Dollie Bird (or Dollie Girl)

Boots

Go-Go boots

Nancy Sinatra

These boots were made for walkin'