

# OUR NEWS

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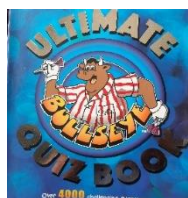
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### THINGS ARE LOOKING UP, I THINK?

Well Spring an Summer have arrived, the sun is out, an the sky is blue!!! Well for now anyway. Hope you are all staying safe and have had yer jags. Have we turned the corner, it will be guid to see everything opening up again, an hopefully we can see some light at the end of the tunnel? But for now, we will carry on with our zoom meetings. It's not ideal we know but at least we get to see one another and have a wee blether, details of this month's zoom meeting can be found in the newsletter, also this month we will do another brain teaser of a quiz courtesy of the 'Bullseye', quiz book!



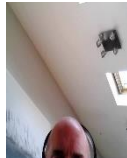
'Yeh cannae beat a bit bully!!'

Also details of what's going on if you havenae got a computer, of which we are well aware there are quite a few of you out there. Unfortunately, there is not a lot happening, again we apologise. We are working on an idea from our treasurer Gordon. An we are maybe gonnae try and have a committee meeting out in the open air, but we will rely on a long spell oa guid warm weather for this so watch this space. Other than that, we hope you enjoy your read, an we'll see you all in the not too distant future. Now let's see what you could've won!

### WHAT THE HECK'S GARY UP TO NOW?

IT'S LIKE THE GOLDEN SHOT AS  
GARY PREPARES FURRA NOTHER  
MEETING ON ZOOM!

DOWN A BIT



LEFT A BIT



UP A BIT



FIRE!!



'Flight 007 you are now clear  
for take-off!'

Gary says he loves zoom  
meetings he just finds them so  
relaxing.

Bring on them fellow  
zoomsters!! Gary cannae wait  
till the next meet!!!!!!!

THE ANSWERS, 50/50  
1 Declan Donnelly 2 Over 1000 3  
Stan Laurel 4 Mouse 5 Canada

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE  
1 C 2 C 3 A 4 B 5 D  
6 B 7 A 8 A 9 C 10 D

### BORDERS PARKY'S WHAT'S ON GUIDE

### NEVER CAST A CLOUT, UNTIL WE'VE HAD THE MAY ZOOM MEETING

Right folks here are the details  
of this month's zoom meeting.  
This month's meet on zoom will  
be on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 1400  
hours.

Hopefully, we will have Jill  
Anderson our Parky Nurse  
Specialist in attendance even if  
it is furr 15 minutes, fingers  
crossed.

Remember you can access zoom  
from a computer, a tablet or on  
an android phone. If you have  
any doubts get in touch with  
Gary and he'll do what he can to  
help. So, join Gary an hopefully  
Jill on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May at 1400  
oorz!

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/72234883976?pwd=YnhvQWh4aEJVSFFnQUo1dk9Hbkxkdz09>

Meeting ID: 722 3488 3976

Passcode: QctS5B

Look forward to seeing you there  
(god I hope this works)

# COMING UP...

## WAHATS ON

WE'RE AFRAID WE HAVE NOTHING NEW TO REPORT, SAME OLD SAME OLD... SORRY. BUT LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE, NOW THE LIGHTER NIGHTS ARE HERE, AND SUNNIER DAYS, AND THE FACT THAT IT'S WARMER MEANS WE CAN GET OUT FURRA WALK, OR GET INTO THE GARDEN,

ME? I'M AWAY BACK UP INTO MA ATTIC!!



RE-OPENING OF PEEBLES COMMUNITY CENTRE  
THEY LOOK FORWARD TO RE-OPENING FROM 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, WELCOMING GROUPS IN PHASES STARTING WITH THE MAIN HALL BEING FIRST.

So, what are your thoughts to that one we never seen that coming!

## GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- 1 What colour is Kermit the Frog?  
A Tartan B Blue C Green D Purple
- 2 How many metres in a kilometre?  
A 10 B 100 C 1000 D a lot
- 3 What word is Spanish for sun?  
A Sol B Soon C Moon D Grand Yellow Thing In The Sky
- 4 Who was Bob Hope's partner in the Road to ..... films?  
A Tony Curtis B Bing Crosby C Frank Sinatra D Danny Kaye
- 5 Who discovered penicillin?  
A Alexander Graham Bell B Robert Louis Stevenson C Dr Victor Penicillin D Alexander Flemming
- 6 Where is the most northerly racecourse in the UK?  
A Aberdeen B Perth C Inverness D Dundee
- 7 What is Lipton the world's biggest selling brand of?  
A Tea B Coffee C Irn Bru D Hot Chocolate

## MOOOOOOOOOOOOO!!

### YE CANNAE BEAT A BIT OA BULLY!

- This quiz consists of 5 questions and they are all 50 /50.
- 1 Who was born first Ant or Dec?
  - 2 Have there been over 1000 or under 1000 episodes of Come Dine With Me?
  - 3 Who was older Laurel or Hardy?
  - 4 What has more bones, a human or a mouse?
  - 5 Which country has the larger land area, USA or Canada?
- "And Bully's Special Prize, "Super, smashing, great."***
- 8 What city has won the Britain in Bloom competition a record-breaking ten times?  
A Aberdeen B Newcastle C Birmingham D London
  - 9 How many of the seven dwarfs had beards?  
A 2 B 4 C 6 D 8
  - 10 What would you add to lager to make it a lager tops?  
A Lime B Prosecco C Cola D Lemonade

## MORE INFORMATION

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