



Coronavirus Virtual "Run" Number 438

25th June 2020

Living rooms across Merseyside, Chester, Grantham and Julich

The Pack: SMS (Hare), Compo, Snoozanne, Mad Hatter, Overdrive, Cleo, 10secs, Carthief, fcuk, ET, Victim, Austin Powers



Screenshots this time supplied by Overdrive in the absence of Eccles. Once again we had a completely different quiz from previous occasions, this time set by SMS. He was raring to go and we were soon looking at the 1st Round where we had to identify various robots. Our android knowledge was tested to the limits and there were lots of cries of bemusement. The next round was a series of classic film quotes; surprisingly hard to get right even if you knew the general gist. In an odd twist, the Forrest Gump film still appeared to give his full name as Nathan Bedford Forrest Gump, and Austin Powers remarked that Nathan Bedford Forrest was one of the founders of the Ku Klux Klan. A bit of Wikipedia reveals that Forrest Gump's mother tells him that they are related and he is named after him. Continuing the BAME theme, Mad Hatter

denounced The Blues Brothers on the grounds that "White men can't sing the blues".

The final round consisted of outlines of countries; again, one often recognised the outline but couldn't bring the name of the country to mind. The Zoom session expired unexpectedly while we in full flow, but only the Hare seemed confused by this and soon we were all back with our glasses recharged. After finishing off the answers we compared notes on the scores. There were some pretty low ones and Overdrive and Cleo had toppled Snoozanne and Mad Hatter from their usual eminence with 15.5 out of 30ish. Compo was awarded the wooden spoon with 4 points.



fcuk then announced that down-downs were awarded to:



Fcuk,

10 secs: for squealing "I've scored" at some point in Round 1, seemingly implying a more exciting lockdown than most... Also the bluffers award for confidently announcing the wrong answer to the Fight Club quote.

Compo: for giving the answer of "South Georgia" at the most plausible point in the quiz.

Austin Powers and Mad Hatter: the Simon Wiesenthal award for rooting out racism

fcuk, Snoozanne, Mad Hatter, SMS...: failure to wear hash gear. Cleo was specially commended for her Vienna hash T-shirt which neatly referenced the Hare's origins.

Everyone then revealed their current tipples.



Snoozanne shows us the results of spending long hours drinking on the balcony. Only joking, this was cider delivered (or should it be secreted?) by the Black Toad in Hoylake at 6.58 that very evening



Mad Hatter is on the Darwin's Origin from Shropshire



This is shiraz from a box



Austin Powers was drinking his own creation; real ales being hard to come by in Julich. Fenugreek flavoured, and christened "Bitter Old Me".



10 secs had attacked his beer can in a rage at his low score



ET is on the Yellow Tail



Compo said this was a patriotic choice since he was born in London – Fulham to be precise.

We also saw:

Overdrive: Amber Post by Windmill Ales

Cleo: Newkie Brown; someone said she should be drinking it straight from the bottle, but according to Overdrive the correct local etiquette demands a glass.

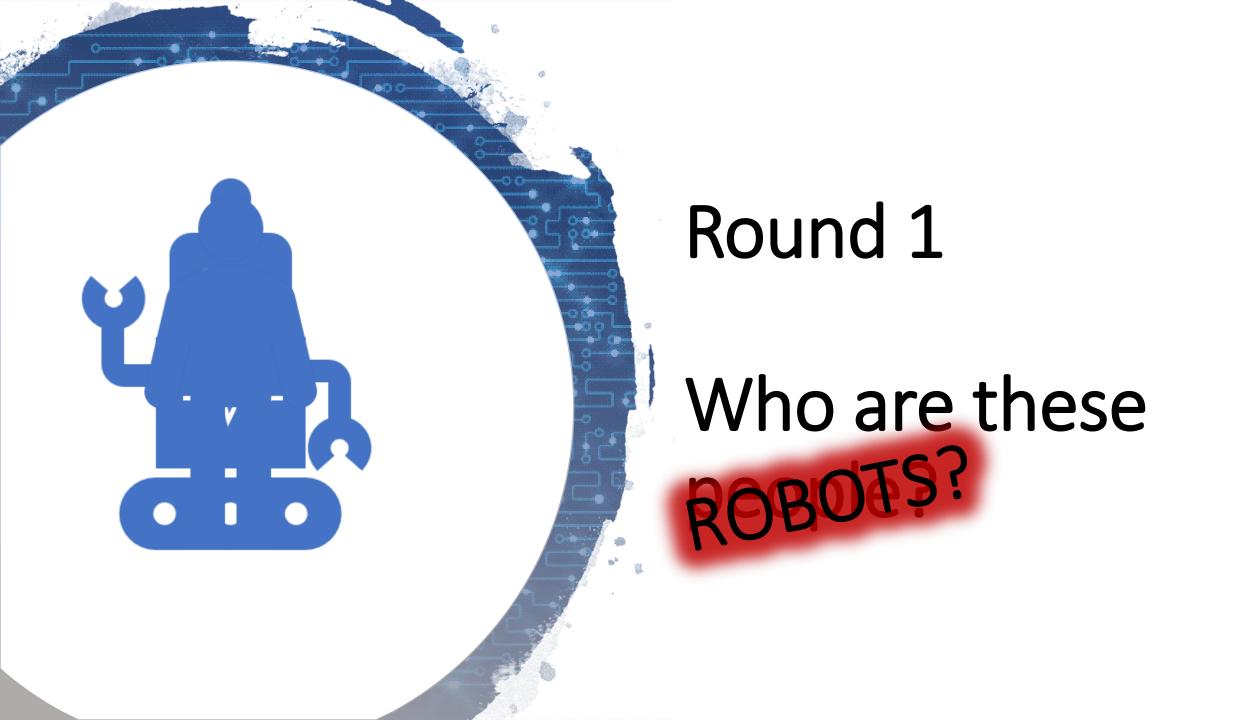
Carthief: Water

fcuk had cycled to the park and didn't have a drink.

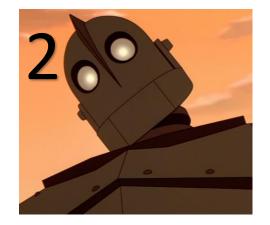
We finished with a discussion of future hashes and decided to alternate "real" hashes with virtual ones on a weekly basis, with a bring-your-own-food —and beer Hilbre hash in two weeks time.

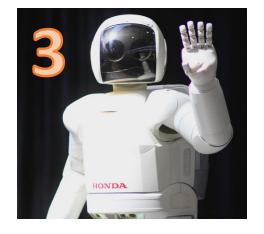










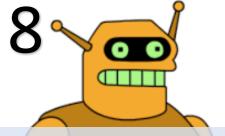
















ASIMO HAS SOMETHING IN COMMON

WITH 4 OTHER ROBOTS 14

- ·WHAT IS IT? (1 POINT)
- ·WHAT ARE THE ROBOTS? (2 POINTS)

Round 2 Finish the Quote

One point for the quote, one for the character who said it.





"The first rule of Fight Club is: ____ '_ ____.





"They may take our lives, ____ '__ ____!"



















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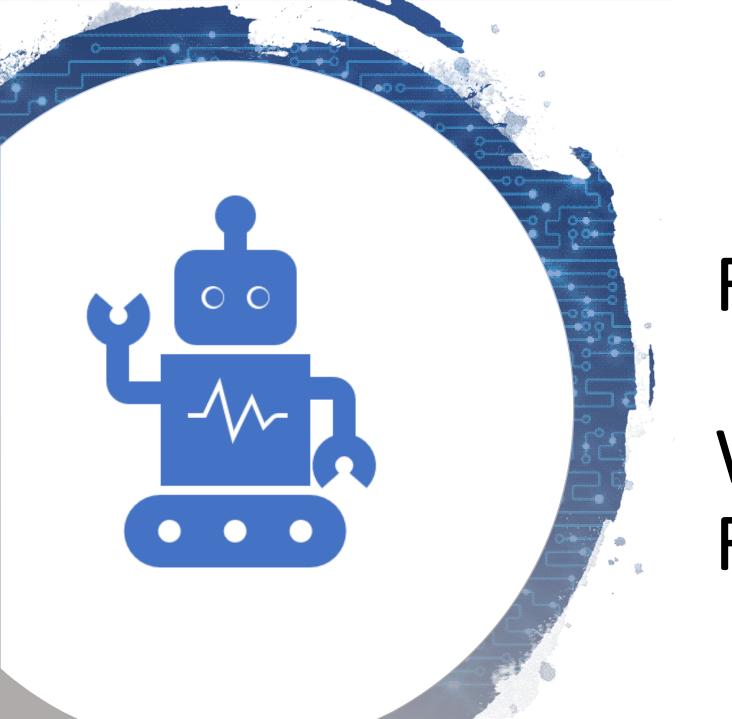




What links the answers?

3 points for this

THE



Round 1

Who are these Robots?

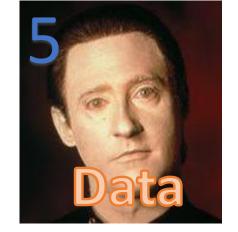
Answers













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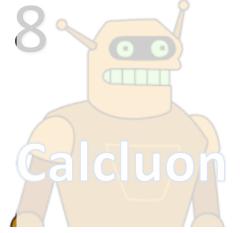


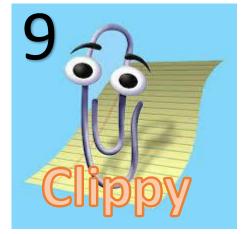








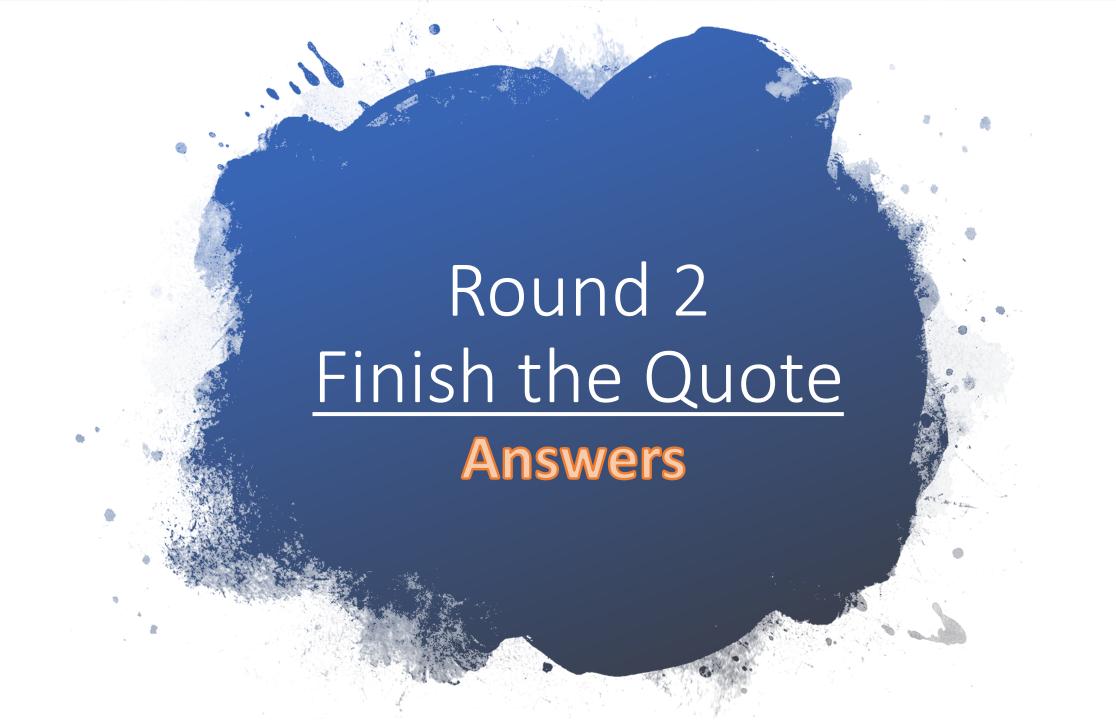








All 5 are real robots that are used by humans to perform real tasks (e.g. bashing another robot!)
All the rest are all fictional robots which only have their existence in games or movies





"The first rule of Fight Club is: You don't talk about fight club."





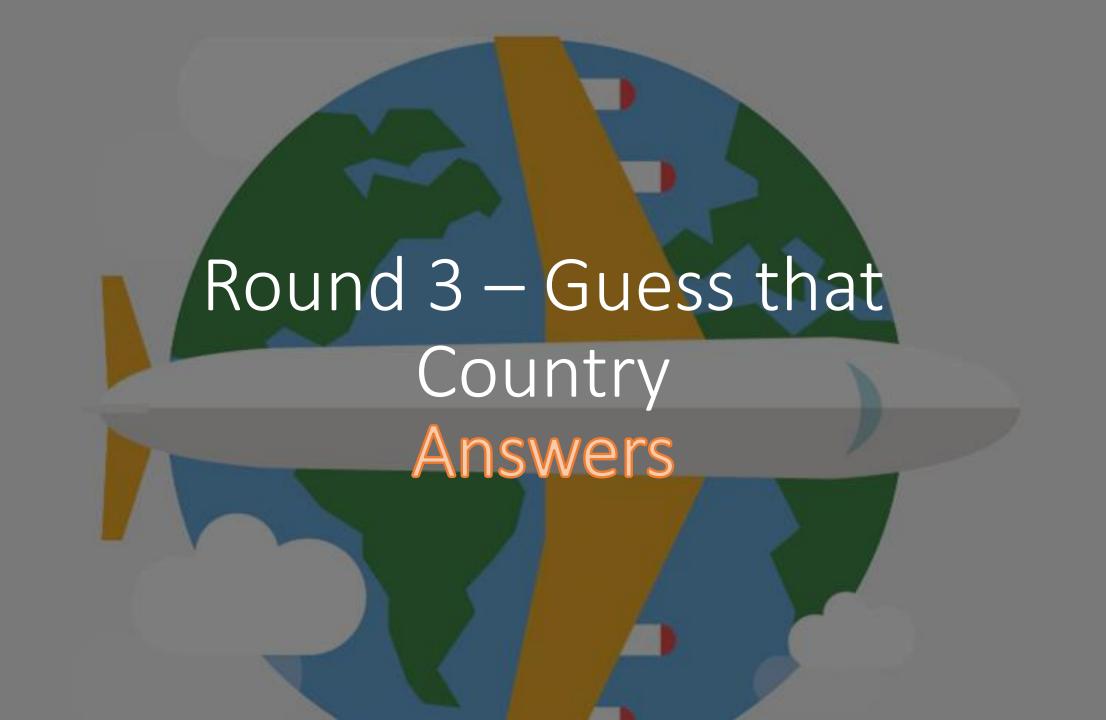
"They may take our lives, but they'll never take our freedom!"











1. Greece



2. Netherlands

3. Indonesia



4. Haiti



5. Switzerland



6. Austria



7. Honduras



What links the answers?

Greece

Netherlands

Indonesia

Haiti

Switzerland

Austria

Honduras

3 points for this