

Kids vs Adults Weekly News S'Quiz

Hello Squiz Kids Quizzers -

And welcome to the Kids v Adults Weekly News S'Quiz ... your chance to prove who's been paying the most attention to the week that just was.

I'm Bryce Corbett -

You know the drill five questions for kids about the wonderful world's happenings of the past seven days, then five questions for adults ... whoever answers the most correct questions takes a victory lap.

Easy as.

Plus - of course - because it's a Friday - we've got all today's birthday shoutouts and all the shoutouts for the weekend coming ... including the birthday reggae tune – because it wouldn't be a Friday without it.

You ready, y'all? Let's do this ...

Alright kids - here are your five questions ...

1. Let's start with a sporting question ... The Ashes cricket series kicks off next week in Perth .. which will see Australia take on the team from which country?

2. There was a special day this week marking the end of World War I - a day to commemorate all of those who fought in wars to secure for us the freedom that we enjoy to this day ... what is that day called? Is it (a) Don't Forget Day (b) Memory Day or (c) Remembrance Day?

3. In the podcast yesterday Christie told us how archeologists had discovered prehistoric crocodiles were capable of doing what .. was it (a) somersaults into the water (b) climbing trees and dropping down onto prey or (c) flying.

4. In the Pacific Championship NRL final last weekend - which team won - was it New Zealand or Samoa?

5. We heard in the podcast this week that once again, a cartoon dog who loves a bit of keepy-uppy will be among the massive balloons floating in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York ... which dog am I talking about?

Answers:

1. England
2. C - Remembrance Day
3. B - drop crocs ... just imagine!
4. New Zealand
5. Bluey

Alrighty ... how did you go kids? Did you show those adults how it's done..Do they looking scared?

I'll bet they are.

Just before we get into the adult questions... in this weekend's Squiz Kids Science Short - we're heading into space for a close encounter with 3I/ATLAS — a mysterious object hurtling through our solar system at more than 200,000 kilometres an hour! Some scientists say it's an ordinary comet from another star, while others think it might be something... out of this world. Christie breaks down the alien spacecraft theories, the real science behind interstellar visitors, and why 3I/ATLAS has astronomers so curious.

Tune in to the Squiz Kids podcast feed on Saturday morning — or watch Christie explain it all on the Squiz Kids YouTube channel!

Ok, well, Let's see how the big people go ...

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Alright adults - now it's your turn ... time to show those kids how it's done...

1. Prime Minister Anthony Albanese signed a landmark security treaty in Sydney this week with the President of which neighbouring country?
2. A severe solar storm meant star gazers in Australia were this year treated to the spectacular night show of the southern lights ...what's the Latin name for the light spectacular?
3. Speaking of cricket ... in which Australian capital will the first Test match in the upcoming Ashes series be played?
4. Name the international broadcaster that was in hot water this week and facing a law suit by US President Donald Trump after airing a documentary with edited footage of one of his speeches ...
5. Which American metal band has been touring Australia this week in stadium concerts in capital cities, playing hits including Master of Puppets and Enter Sandman ...

Answers:

1. Indonesia
2. Aurora australis
3. Perth
4. BBC
5. Metallica

How did you go adults? How many did you get right?

Who's the winner this week? All bow down to your braniac superiority.

If you've missed any of those cool news stories throughout the week and you want to refresh your memory - all of this week's Squiz Kids episodes are available for a re-listen wherever you get your podcasts ...

Alright, time for some birthday fun—because now it's time for...

(That's the end of the quiz - which means now it's time for ...)

SHOUTOUTS!

It's Friday, November 14 - ahh - it's my Mum's birthday ,,, and also the birthday of King Charles, don't you know. Happy birthday to my mum the Queen of our family ... and to the King too ...

Today is also a special day for these Squiz Kids celebrating a birthday today, and over the coming weekend... and because it's a Friday

let's crack out the 'ol birthday reggae tune... hit it!

It's a happy birthday to... Alvin from Springvale, Theo from Maroubra, Darcy from Westbury, Cawaner from Cremorne, Penny from Woolloowin, Maddison from Marsden

Park, Shadow and Arzish from Lyneham, Jordan from Casula, Max and Amy from Goornong, Arlo from Port Macquarie and Lucas from Carlingford.

A belated birthday wish goes to...

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And don't forget to tune in this Sunday – when a new episode of our *From The Vault* series drops — where we blow the cobwebs off a favourite Shortcut from years gone by and bring it back out into the light.

This week, it's *our Shortcut on The Ashes* — everything you've ever wanted to know about one of the world's great sporting rivalries.

Catch *From The Vault: The Ashes* in the Squiz Kids podcast feed this Sunday!

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I hope you're enjoying these quizzes.

Don't forget there will be a new one dropping first thing every Friday morning .. and the best bit? They're absolutely free.

Check it all out at squizkids.com.au ... or simply subscribe to Squiz Kids in your favourite podcasting app and all the audio content will magically appear.

For now though - this is Bryce Corbett signing off - and reminding you to get out there and have a most excellent day ... over and out.