

# Nautical Quiz

| No | Question   | Answer |
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| 1  | Around which island which lies between English Channel and the Solent was the very first '100 Pounds Cup' now the "Americas' Cup" held in 1851?  |        |
| 2  | True or False.....<br>The first 'Ark Royal' was originally named 'Ark Rayleigh'?   |        |
| 3  | What was the name of Christopher Columbus' flagship?   |        |
| 4  | During the Spanish Armada of 1588, who was in command of 'Ark Royal'.....Martin Frobisher; John Hawkins; Charles Howard?   |        |
| 5  | What nautical hallmark is stamped on silver objects struck in Birmingham?  |        |
| 6  | In 1608 the then ruling Monarch renamed Ark Royal, what name was she given.....Elizabeth Royal; Anne Royal; Mary Royal?  |        |
| 7  | What was Captain Hook's pirate ship called?  |        |
| 8  | The second 'Ark Royal' was commissioned in 1914. Where did her aircraft first see action in World War I.....Battle of the Falklands; The Dardanelles; Battle of Jutland?                     |        |
| 9  | Which British Prime Minister did Ian Smith meet on board HMS Tiger 1966, and HMS fearless in 1968?   |        |
| 10 | In 1920, the 'Ark Royal' took RAF aircraft to help end the 'Mad Mullah's Revolt'. In which country was this revolt.....Ethiopia; British Somaliland; Sudan?                                  |        |
| 11 | What type of vessel was the main theme of the film Grey Lady Down?   |        |
| 12 | In 1934 the 'Ark Royal' was renamed 'Pegasus', why was this?<br>She joined the Pegasus Class of Fighter Catapult Ships;<br>A new 'Ark Royal' had been commissioned.                          |        |
| 13 | In maritime time-keeping, how long are eight-bells?  |        |
| 14 | True or False.....The third 'Ark Royal' was the Royal Navy's first purpose-built 'flat top' aircraft carrier?  |        |
| 15 | Which nuclear powered submarine passed under the north pole in August 1958?  |        |
| 16 | In 1941, which German battleship was crippled by torpedoes from aircraft flying off 'Ark Royal'...Bismarck; Graf Spree; Tirpitz; Scharnhorst?  |        |
| 17 | Which two British destroyers were sunk off the Falklands in 1982?  |        |
| 18 | The fourth 'Ark Royal' was launched in 1950. What was the name of the documentary depicting life aboard this aircraft.....Sailor; Rolling Home; Sailing; Heart of Oak?                       |        |
| 19 | In which disaster film was an ocean liner overturned by a massive wave?  |        |
| 20 | The fifth HMS Ark Royal was built in the 20th century and had two sister ships. Their names were..... 'Endurance' and 'Roebuck'; 'Invincible' and 'Illustrious'; 'Glasgow' and 'Gloucester'? |        |

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