

THE 2025 QUIZ



- 1st Mrs S Taylor, Buxton
2nd H.Egan, Sheffield
3rd Pip Graham, Taddington

The correct answers to each of the quiz questions are as follows,
with some of the more problematic ones highlighted:

This year the theme for the Wells Dressing Quiz is
"Our Creative World"

Clues can be straightforward, cryptic, hidden or anagrams. All answers are linked to the Quiz Theme, railways, fictitious places, Bradford & 2025 anniversaries

All answers in this section are linked to **THE CREATION**

- In the beginning, He said let there be... (5)
Finally finds dark monkey for heaven (3)
Book featuring Tony, Mike, Phil and others (7)
Ultimately protest for "Save The Forests" (5)
Left with confused Dan to get to Earth (4)
Initially set up nightclub for daylight hours (3)
Beetlejuice and Polaris are headliners on Day 4 (5)
Precedes walk, dust and shine (4)
Livestock, creeping things and beasts of the earth (7)
Appeared on Day 6 to attack Tippi Hedren, included Ronnie Wood (5)

Light
Sky
Genesis
Trees
Land
Sun
Stars
Moon
Animals
Birds

THE OLIVE BRASSINGTON WELLS DRESSING QUIZ RESULTS

August 2025

Congratulations to the six entrants who returned papers with 100% correct answers and were entered into the prize draw. The prize winners are:

All answers in this section are linked to a **BRADFORD**

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| Conjurer that turns motion into electricity (6) | Dynamo |
| Award for lathe operator? (6,5) | Turner Prize |
| Barbara Taylor Bradford title, played by Jenny Seagrove (1,5,2,9) | A Woman of Substance |
| Pamplona runners make 13 member team (5) | Bulls |
| Site of catastrophic fire 40 years ago (6,6) | Valley Parade |
| Runs into Bradford at Alport (8) | Lathkill |
| Author who wrote about his English journey (1,1,9) | J B Priestley |
| DIY dock haven destroyed for painter (5,7) | David Hockney |
| 150-1 outsider who won World Snooker Championship (3,7) | Joe Johnson |
| Stab man badly for footballers' nickname (7) | Bantams |



All answers in this section are connected to **CRAFTS**

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| Needed to sew or knit on Isle of Wight (7) | Needles |
| Aged coupe mangled for paper decoration (9) | Decoupage |
| One found on Wedgewood's bicycle? (7,5) | Potter's wheel |
| Moss, garter or stocking perhaps (6) | Stitch |
| Mix, stir or fly for arrangements (9) | Floristry |
| Take time out from musical note (7) | Crochet |
| Paste reformed an attempt in Bayeux? (8) | Tapestry |
| A blank one to start with in Mexican vase (6) | Canvas |
| Distressed ram came full of knots (7) | Macrame |
| Initially put up rigid line for knitwear (4) | Purl |

All answers in this section are **'V WORDS'**

Days in Europe and Japan 80 years ago (7)	Victory
Salt chocolate lover I hear can be a pain in the foot (7)	Verruca
Class of trident carriers (8)	Vanguard
Roman residence at home for cad (7)	Villain
RAF base for Prince William's training (6)	Valley
Quantity of fluid or sound (6)	Volume
Air gap in oven tray (4)	Vent
Hitchcock's aversion to the heights (7)	Vertigo
Palindrome leads German supermarket to composer (7)	Vivaldi
Source of material to bury Herculaneum (8)	Vesuvius

Enjoy and Good Luck!

All answers in this section are **FICTITIOUS PLACES**

Discovered at the back of the wardrobe (6)	Narnia
Workplace for slow horses (6,5)	Slough House
Victoria's consort is not trendy (6,6)	Albert Square
Origin of the timelords (9)	Gallifrey
Home for hobbits; designed by Seve (3,5)	The Shire
Reputedly inspired by Charlotte Bronte's visit to North Lees Hall near Hathersage (10,4)	Thornfield Hall
Pole to infuriate Westminster's, perhaps (10,5)	Northanger Abbey
Town where detectorists show their finds (8)	Danebury
From corner to corner, we hear it's a magic place to shop (6,5)	Diagon Alley
HQ for International Rescue (5,6)	Tracy Island

All answers in this section are linked to **2025 ANNIVERSARIES**

"Are Go" for the first time 60 years ago (12)	Thunderbirds
King of the Waltz born 200 years ago (6,7)	Johann Strauss
Achieved Derbyshire Senior Cup and FA Trophy double 50 years ago (7,4)	Matlock Town
In Grantham a century ago, was born to be a leading lady (8,8)	Margaret Thatcher
Century ago, first car to exceed 150 mph (4,4)	Blue Bird
Author born in Hants 250 years ago (4,6)	Jane Austen
Jeeves' creator who died on Valentines Day 50 years ago (1,1,9)	P G Wodehouse
Hustler? Actor born a century ago (4,6)	Paul Newman
Appointed Brian Clough 50 years ago (10,6)	Nottingham Forest
Derbyshire railway formed by Act 200 years ago (8,3,4,4)	Cromford and High Peak

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Winners and correct answers will be published in mid-September on village notice boards and at

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All answers in this section relate to **RAILWAYS**

Used to travel from Rowsley to Matlock (4,4)	Peak Rail
Pot sin worried at change in direction (6)	Points
Charles's cruciform (5,5)	Kings Cross
Scene of homicide between Paris and Istanbul (6,7)	Orient Express
Axil bongs noisily near a junction (6,3)	Signal box
Duck! It's the A4 in York! (7)	Mallard
Author Philip is dining in (7)	Pullman
Bear in West London? (10)	Paddington
Soccer team from Moscow or Sofia, I hear? (10)	Locomotive
Train parts get right up your nose I hear! (6)	Bogies