

BECKS IS BACK

Sir Alex Ferguson is on 'Who Wants To Be A Millionaire' and has reached the million pound question.

Chris Tarrant says "Right Sir Alex, this is for one million pounds, and remember, you still have two lifelines left, so please take your time.

Here's the question: What type of animal lives in a set? Is it A) a badger, B) a ferret, C) a mole or, D) a cuckoo?"

Fergie ponders for a while and says "No, I'm sorry Chris, I'm not too sure. I'll have to go 50-50."

Chris says "Right, Sir Alex, let's take away two wrong answers and see what you're left with."

'Badger' and 'Cuckoo' are the two remaining answers.

Fergie has a long think, then scratches his head and says "No, Chris, I'm still not sure, I'm going to have to phone a friend."

"So who are you going to call, Sir Alex?" says Chris.

"Hmm..." ponders Fergie. "I think I'll give Becks a call."

So Tarrant phones David Beckham.

"David, this is Chris Tarrant from 'Who Wants To Be A Millionaire'. I've got Sir Alex Ferguson here, and with your help he could win one million pounds. The next voice you hear will be Sir Alex's".

"Hello David" says Fergie. "It's the boss here. What type of animal lives in a set? Is it a badger or a cuckoo?"

"It's a badger, boss," says Becks without hesitation.

"You sure, son?" says Fergie.

"Definitely, boss. One hundred percent. It's a badger."

"Right, Chris," says Fergie,

"I'll go with David. The answer's a badger."

"Final answer?" says Chris

"Yep, I'll go with David on this one." says Sir Alex

"Sir Alex," says Chris, "that's the correct answer. You've won one million pounds!"

..... Cue wild celebrations.

Next morning at training, Fergie calls Beckham across. "Son, that was brilliant last night. I thought I might be taking a gamble giving you a call, but you played a blinder! But how did you know that a badger lives in a set?"

"Oh I didn't, boss," replies Beckham,

"But everybody knows a cuckoo lives in a clock."

Zoo Warning

Did you hear that a new Lion arrived at Riyadh Zoo last week. After being fed on a diet of bananas for the first three days, the Lion finally called in the head zookeeper.

'Shut' says the Lion

'I'm a carnivore, don't you know that I need meat!'

'D'kelka' says the keeper "Let me see your iqama"

"Fee Mushkala" says the keeper

"I can't give you meat, It says here you're a monkey"

Scotland V. England

On a tour of Scotland, the Pope took a couple of days off his itinerary to visit the North coast near Aberdeen on an impromptu sightseeing trip.

His 4X4 Popemobile was driving along the golden sands when there was an enormous commotion heard just off the headland. They rushed to see what it was and upon approaching the scene the Pope noticed just outside the surf, a hapless man wearing an English football jersey, struggling frantically to free himself from the jaws of a twenty foot shark. At that moment a speedboat containing three men wearing Scottish football tops roared into view from around the point. Spontaneously, one of the men took aim and fired a harpoon into the shark's ribs, immobilizing it instantly. The other two reached out and pulled the Englishman from the water and then, using long clubs, beat the shark to death. They bundled the bleeding, semi conscious man into the speed boat along with the dead shark and then prepared for a hasty retreat, when they heard frantic shouting from the shore. It was of course the Pope, and he summoned them to the beach. Upon them reaching the shore the Pope went into raptures about the rescue and said, "I give you my blessing for your brave actions. I had heard that there were some racist xenophobic people trying to divide Scotland and England, but, now I have seen with my own eyes this is not true. I can see that your society is a truly enlightened example of racial harmony and could serve as a model on which other nations could follow."

He blessed them all and drove off in a cloud of dust. As he departed, the harpoonist asked the others, "Who was that???"

"That," one answered, "was his Holiness the Pope. He is in direct contact with God and has access to all God's wisdom."

"Well," the harpoonist replied, "he knows nought about shark hunting, how's that bait holding up or do we need to get another one?"

A few anagrams to start you off, Can we get an A-Z together?

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| alec guiness | - | genuine class |
| british airways | - | this is war by air |
| cash machines | - | cash lost in em |
| dormitory | - | dirty room |
| eleven plus two | - | twelve plus one |
| george best | - | go get beers |
| holiday brochures | - | lousy horrid beach |
| mother in law | - | woman hitler |
| snooze alarms | - | alas no more z's |
| semolina | - | is no meal |
| the morse code | - | here come dots |
| the florida vote recount | - | done to cover their fault |
| the eurovision song contest | - | voting nutters choose noise |
| year two thousand | - | a year to shut down |