

Wildlife Prize Quiz instructions:

- 1 Fill in the answers to as many clues as you can solve.
- 2 Write your name and address in block capitals in the space below.
- 3 Send your answers, together with the entry fee of £1.00, to:
Wirral Wildlife Prize Quiz, Lindisfarne, Park West, Heswall, Wirral, CH60 9JE to arrive no later than 31st July 2023.
Please make cheques payable to "Wirral Wildlife".
- 4 If you would like to receive a copy of the correct answers, please provide an email address, or enclose a stamped addressed envelope with your entry.
- 5 All entries received by 31st July 2023 will be marked and the person submitting the most correct answers will be the winner. In the event of a tie the winner will be selected by a random draw.
- 6 The prize for the winner will be a gift voucher value £10.00.
- 7 The judges' decision in all cases is final.
- 8 The name of the winner and the answers will be published on the website of Wirral Wildlife, <http://www.wirralwildlife.org.uk>
- 9 All the proceeds from this quiz will go to Wirral Wildlife, the Wirral Group of the Cheshire Wildlife Trust.

Name:.....

Address:.....

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.....Post Code:.....

Telephone:.....

Email address*:.....

*Optional

Wirral Wildlife Spring/Summer Prize Quiz 2023 - Trees and Shrubs

The 2023 Wirral Wildlife Spring/Summer Prize Quiz consists of 50 cryptic clues to the names of trees and shrubs. All these plants may be found in the UK, although not all are native.

Many people take trees for granted and only notice them when they create problems. But they form a local habitat for many animals and plants, and in fixing CO₂ they are an important defence against climate change. We should cherish them.

All money raised by selling quiz sheets will go to Wirral Wildlife.

Price per entry: £1.00

Closing date: 31st July 2023

Winner's prize: a gift voucher to the value of £10.00 will go to the entry with the best overall score.

Instructions for entry: see page 4.

1	Manx city, first to lose street.	7, 3	
2	Long John's cane?	6, 5	
3	For starters, you eat what?!! That's poisonous!	3	
4	Tree found in polar chalk and limestone soils.	5	
5	Like hard wood.	3	
6	In the role of Mr Harman, of Grace Brothers, started owning a kitten.	7, 3	
7	This one will make hotel throw an upheaval.	8	
8	This one had noisy dispute and died away.	5	
9	Originally, many young Russians tried learning English.	6	
10	I hear Mrs Blair is furious!	4, 6	
11	Strangely a spire stuck in this tree.	5, 6	
12	Tiny, swallowed up in thoroughfare, with crate and bonce.	5, 8	
13	Little holiday for daughter and crazy Emil.	5-6, 4	
14	This tree initially has only red nuts, by early autumn mainly.	8	
15	Sobbing Bill: "That hurt!"	7, 6	
16	Ladies first in sacred tree.	5	
17	There's some cooked ham, look!	4, 3	
18	I rose in high dudgeon when confronted with this one.	5	
19	I hear Hebridean island has fruit.	8	
20	Don't sit under here, unless I'm with you for a sing-song!	5, 4	
21	You don't want to be stuck up in this one!	3, 4	
22	Ray comes to grief in this tree.	8	
23	D'you pinch the girl? That's what I heard!	7	
24	A tree with foliage to prevent embarrassment.	3	
25	Little brother has honour for distinguished service.	5	

26	'E orders glue, prepared for this shrub.	7, 4	
27	British have no spine; but this one has plenty, and reportedly an unhurried fruit.	10	
28	Elaborate leaf dimple.	5, 5	
29	The first-born sibling.	5	
30	A ray of sunshine with all colours of light combined.	9	
31	Oliver's companion, Stanley.	6	
32	You would find this one in woods that formed large parts of the National Park.	6	
33	Did Prince Charles notice this in Lady Diana Spencer?	5	
34	Not very deep, with no hotel.	6	
35	Nigel, or Nigella maybe, goes to island in the Mediterranean, I hear.	6, 7	
36	Hesitation after finding large container behind scientific test site.	8	
37	It's not true a metallic element leads the spy network.	5, 6	
38	Why Mel C? I'm confused.	4, 3	
39	I'm told that he is a mural obsessive!	6	
40	Raced recklessly from Beirut perhaps?	5, 2, 7	
41	Aircraft bound for Heathrow?	6, 5	
42	Christmas dinner on a knife-edge initially.	6, 3	
43	With choice of two directions a Yankee is natty.	6, 6	
44	Creature whose eye is a target, with card (one of thirteen).	7	
45	Type of elected councillor, not man.	5	
46	Mistiness on head of lake.	5	
47	Decomposed pin money tree.	8, 4	
48	Initially, because leaves actually can kill, people often put large awnings round this tree.	5, 6	
49	Find this tree in which the queen bee chooses to make its nest.	5	
50	From hotel, or south east Switzerland, is French crackpot.	5, 8	