



*Just now the lilac is in bloom,  
All before my little room;  
And in my flower-beds, I think,  
Smile the carnation and the pink;  
And down the borders, well I know,  
The poppy and the pansy blow*



## Tring Lions Club Flower Quiz

Spring is just around the corner, so time to start dreaming about tulips and daffodils and geraniums, of clearing away the winter's debris and bringing out the lawn mower.

To help inspire your dreams why not try our cryptic quiz and unravel the names of 50 plants and flowers.

On Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> April, whilst enjoying your Easter Eggs, you will be able to check your answers on our website [www.tringlions.org.uk](http://www.tringlions.org.uk).

We would very much like to know how you got on, so please email

[Penny.tregillus@tringlions.org.uk](mailto:Penny.tregillus@tringlions.org.uk) .....and let us know.

Normally at this time of year we would be preparing for fund-raising events aimed at supporting many local good causes, but under current circumstances that's not possible.

One of the charities we support is DENS: *'Our aim is to be the first port of call for people in Dacorum who are facing homelessness, poverty and social exclusion; to support and empower them to take the next positive step in their lives. We ensure individuals have access to temporary and short-term accommodation, and individuals and families have access to emergency food and provisions'*

If you enjoyed the quiz and would like to make a donation to us, our bank details are:  
Sort code: 40-44-32 Account: 51419226

Alternatively, you can go to our website [www.tringlions.org.uk](http://www.tringlions.org.uk) and press the 'Donate' button.

*Any donations we receive from the Quiz will be used to support local foodbanks run by DENS.*

If you are a tax payer and would like to Gift Aid your donation a declaration form is available on our website, when completed this should be sent to [mike.adams@tringlions.org.uk](mailto:mike.adams@tringlions.org.uk).

Please feel free to circulate the quiz to anyone you think might be interested.

Good luck and thank you for your support

Tring Lions



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The answers to the following 50 clues are all relatively well-known flowers or plants.

1	Sweet talk around Colin to begin with (9)	Buttercup
2	She got hitched on a tandem (5)	Daisy
3	What may greet you every morning (9)	Edelweiss
4	Remember me (6 2 3)	Forget-Me-Not
5	Sacred wine around the end of April (9)	Hollyhock
6	Say hello to Cynthia (8)	Hyacinth
7	In favour of a brew up (6)	Protea
8	Have pineapple and nutmeg spiced yogurt for starters (5)	Pansy
9	Poodle, maybe, got up (3 4)	Dog Rose
10	Having fun at a football club ending prematurely (8)	Larkspur
11	Sister starting to change direction and goes from one end of India to the other (8)	Wisteria
12	Stringed instrument (5)	Viola
13	Girl living in a dale (4 2 3 6)	Lily of the Valley
14	The first sign of a white Christmas (8)	Snowdrop
15	In deadly danger, he briefly closed one eye and started evacuating (10)	Periwinkle
16	Whether they are blue or green, you will be king and I will be queen (8)	Lavender
17	One hears a wild animal is stalking a rather nattily dressed man (9)	Dandelion
18	Number 12 and French losing top mark (6)	Violet
19	It's somewhere in the porch, idiot (6)	Orchid
20	What did Ben rave about (7)	Verbena
21	Will no one dance with me? (10)	Wallflower
22	Sounds as if there are a lot of sheep about (5)	Phlox
23	Take a photo of St George's adversary (10)	Snapdragon
24	What's in the box? Lipsticks, I think (5)	Oxlip

25	What is our main goal about? Answering this clue of course (8)	Magnolia
26	Did this summon Thomas Becket to his death (10 4)	Canterbury Bell
27	The queen has a lot of work to do (4 6)	Busy Lizzie
28	All is ready for Mary to come in (9)	Amaryllis
29	How to describe Chris Froome perhaps, but need to swap two letters around (8)	Cyclamen
30	Starting to see Dave Allen happily living in Acton (6)	Dahlia
31	A Chartered Accountant is brought before the US intelligence service (6)	Acacia
32	We are following a large reptile (6)	Crocus
33	Insect could be caught somewhere in the solar system (5 7)	Venus Flytrap
34	A semi-circle is between north and south, and in front of you and me (9)	Narcissus
35	Look at it, that chilli lacks any flavour (5)	Lilac
36	All alone amongst the onions (7)	Petunia
37	Beside the lake, beneath the trees, Fluttering and dancing in the breeze (8)	Daffodil
38	He was terrified that you might look inside (5)	Aster
39	You can tell it to go away, but artificial intelligence comes back (7)	Begonia
40	Is and the capital of Kenya follow a river between Devon and Cornwall (8)	Tamarisk
41	Let's loose with an empty idea (7)	Freesia
42	What the Duchess of Cambridge may call her husband (5 7)	Sweet William
43	Tarrant maybe and a particular mother (13)	Chrysanthemum
44	Study how a llama ran thus far (10)	Amaranthus
45	After looking at the street guide and having a beer, Alan started on his journey (6)	Azalea
46	Sounds like you might want to pick a fight with him (7)	Anemone
47	Duchess of Cornwall moves around slightly and includes everyone to start with (8)	Camellia
48	Happy I owe the French this answer (8)	Gladiola
49	Nancy and Eddy started to visit South American country cut short (9)	Columbine
50	Right hand finish for Ron around extinct bird coming back (12)	Rhododendron