



*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 4th April, whilst enjoying your Easter Eggs, you will be able to check your answers on our website www.tringlions.org.uk.

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

Penny.tregillus@tringlions.org.ukand 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 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.

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)	
2	She got hitched on a tandem (5)	
3	What may greet you every morning (9)	
4	Remember me (6 2 3)	
5	Sacred wine around the end of April (9)	
6	Say hello to Cynthia (8)	
7	In favour of a brew up (6)	
8	Have pineapple and nutmeg spiced yogurt for starters (5)	
9	Poodle, maybe, got up (3 4)	
10	Having fun at a football club ending prematurely (8)	
11	Sister starting to change direction and goes from one end of India to the other (8)	
12	Stringed instrument (5)	
13	Girl living in a dale (4 2 3 6)	
14	The first sign of a white Christmas (8)	
15	In deadly danger, he briefly closed one eye and started evacuating (10)	
16	Whether they are blue or green, you will be king and I will be queen (8)	
17	One hears a wild animal is stalking a rather nattily dressed man (9)	
18	Number 12 and French losing top mark (6)	
19	It's somewhere in the porch, idiot (6)	
20	What did Ben rave about (7)	
21	Will no one dance with me? (10)	
22	Sounds as if there are a lot of sheep about (5)	
23	Take a photo of St George's adversary (10)	
24	What's in the box? Lipsticks, I think (5)	

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