Mega Revision Pub Quiz - Questions

Proverbs

1. Where there's a will there's a ……..
2. Too many ……. spoil the broth
3. Don't look a gift horse in the ……..
4. People in glass houses shouldn't ……. …….
5. If it ain't broke, don't …….. it.
6. Don't count your ……. before they hatch.
7. Don't put all your ……. in one basket.
8. Two …….. are better than one.

Theatre/Plays/Shows

1. The audience gave the performers a standing ……. at the end of the show. (stood up and clapped)
2. Tickets for the show are selling like hot ……. (very quickly)
3. The actress playing the main character admitted that it hadn't all been plain …….. during rehearsals. (easy)
4. The ending of the show really brought a …….. to my eye. (made me cry)
5. The wonderful songs brought the …….. down. (made the audience go crazy)
6. Some actors suffer from crippling stage ……. during their careers. (scared of going on stage)
7. One actor admitted that the rehearsal experience has been a bit of an emotional …….. (lots of ups and downs)
8. One of the actors came …….. with a migraine at the last minute. (suddenly got)

Save the Planet: Phrasal Verbs

1. Every day more and more trees are being cut …….. in the rainforests of the world.
2. This has led to 100s of species being wiped ……
3. Precious water supplies are being used …... meaning that still more animals and plants are dying …....
4. The rainforests are the Earth's lungs and further damage will only lead …….. misery for all life on the planet.
5. Our organisation aims to put pressure on governments all over the world to make them step ……. and take responsibility for the environment.
6. Governments need to crack …….. on bad practices such as illegal logging and mining in rainforests.
7. We're looking for volunteers to chip ……. in any way they can.

Complaining & Criticising

1. I don't mean to throw Dave under the …… but it was his job to lock up after the show.
2. Your work has not been up to ……... for some time now and you really need to pull your …….. out.
3. You could at ……. call to let us know you're running late.
4. Don't get me ……., I love the decorations but don't you think there are too many?
5. The opera was long, to put it …….
6. Some of your colleagues think that you're not pulling your ……. and that you need to contribute more.
7. The ball is in your ……. now, I need to see immediate improvement.

The Heist

1. I had been instrumental in drawing …… the plan for the bank heist. (creating/writing)
2. I was nothing …... not meticulous. (I was very meticulous)
3. I had done everything in my …….. to make sure everything went well. (everything I could)
4. We got off to a bit of a …….. start. (difficult start)
5. The getaway driver kept us waiting for the best ……. of an hour. (almost an hour)
6. You can't make an ……. without breaking some …… (sometimes you have to upset people to achieve something you want) (1 point)
7. The sight of the money …… wonders for everyone's self-confidence. (was very good for)
8. The police arrived and ……. of a sudden the place was like a warzone. (suddenly)

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Phrasal Verbs with Up & Down

1. My computer has been …….. up all morning, I need to get it looked at. (not working properly)
2. The president's press office attempted to ……. down the severity of the situation. (minimise the importance)
3. He was so irritable in the meeting but we ……. it down to jetlag, he'd just got back from LA. (give a reason or excuse for something)
4. Let's go for a coffee this weekend and …….. up properly. (chat and exchange news)
5. My cousin …….. me up on his sofa for 2 weeks while I was in Sydney. (let me stay)
6. He …… down in tears when she told him she was breaking up with him. (cried)
7. The wind dropped and the rain gradually …….. up. (decreased in intensity)
8. He …….. up a lame excuse for missing my birthday, no one believed him. (invented)

Idioms & Dependent Prepositions

1. I don't want to blow my own …… but I think I did really well in the exam. (praise oneself)
2. I'm a hard-working individual who ……. on pressure. (does very well)
3. My grandparents are always harking …….. To the good old days. (being nostalgic)
4. When we arrived in Berlin we didn't have anything planned, we decided to just play it by …….. (improvise)
5. You've changed your …….! Last week you said you hated reggaeton and now you're dancing to it! (change/express a different opinion on something)
6. She took to her new job like a …….. to water. (start doing something well, it's easy for you)
7. We had to ……. out all the stops to get the project finished in time. (make a massive effort)
8. We were really hard-..... to come up with new ideas for the summer product launch. (struggle/have difficulty)

Key Word Transformation Expressions

1. The film **fell ……..… of my expectations** I'm afraid.
2. Tickets are probably sold out but **there's no ……... in** call**ing** to check.
3. It was a really interesting lecture that **gave us ……. for thought.**
4. **It never ……..… to me to** ask Jenny for help with the car, I didn't know she was an engineer.
5. Sadly, her career has always **taken priority ……..** her family.
6. Julia's **command of German is extraordinary**, she **……...** the presentation. (did it very well
7. In the winter months it's **cold ……..... belief** so bring warm clothes.
8. Martin **has his …….…… full** now that his wife **has given birth to** twins.

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