



Survive: Trivia nights

Do you enjoy trivia? Does your geographical expertise or memorization of football line ups impress your friends? Put that knowledge to good use at a local pub quiz and you might even be rewarded with prizes.

Biercafe Doerak

If you're good at trivia, you might win a bottle of beer. Once every six weeks a pub quiz is organised on a Sunday, and teams typically have five members. "The quiz is in Dutch, but the questions are really international. There are a lot of questions about movies and rounds with pictures and several other categories that everyone can try," said Marijke Vuik, the owner. There are limited spaces so book in advance on Facebook by email or at the bar.

Address: Vrouwjutenland 17 2611 LB Delft

Biercafe 't Proeflokaal

Held in English, the pub quiz at Proeflokaal is popular with the internationals of the city. The quiz has a fixed format with multiple rounds on different categories including music, geography, Hollywood and history. The quiz is held on the last Thursday of every month. You can register on the night of the event. It starts at 21:00 but get there early, because they often fill up.

Address: Gasthuislaan 36-38, 2611 RB Delft

O'Casey's Irish Pub and Restaurant

If you can't wait a whole month for your trivial pursuit, head to Den Haag. O'Casey's Irish Pub has been hosting a quiz every Thursday night for over 15 years. Held in English and Dutch, the quiz is often hosted by QuestionMark, a popular quizmaster. "While some nights are busier than others, an average quiz night has about 15 teams, so if you're coming in a big group it's best to book in advance," said Jim Bowers, one of the managers of the pub. Entry fee is five euros per team and questions are on general knowledge topics.

Address: Noordeinde 140, 2514 GP, Den Haag

O'Sheas Rotterdam

Plan your week by your quizzes. O'Sheas in Rotterdam hosts a quiz night every Tuesday. Divided into eight rounds, it includes a picture round and a music round. All questions are in Dutch and English. "Each team has five members and we are packed every week. Students, expats, people who drop in en route from work- we get people from everywhere," said John Derous, a bartender at O'Sheas. The quiz starts at 20.30pm, so get in early to grab a good seat. Also, every first Thursday of the month at 20:30 there's an international fun quiz in English only.

Address: Lijnbaan 37-39, Rotterdam

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