Queensland

Women's Week

2-9 MARCH 2025





March

Quiz

March forward, unite, celebrate.... but can you celebrate a perfect score? Test your knowledge this Queensland Women's Week.

- What year did the United Nations declare
 "International Women's Year"
 - a. 1965
 - b. 2000
 - c. 1975
 - d. 1980
- 2. How many of these electoral seats are named after Queensland women? Select all that apply.
 - a. Oodgeroo
 - b. Miller
 - c. Cooper
 - d. McConnel
 - e. Bonney
- 3. What place did the Matildas come in the 2023 FIFA Women's World Cup?
 - a. Third
 - b. Twelfth
 - c. Fourth
 - d. Second
- 4. In 2023, what proportion ASX 300 board members were female?
 - a. 36%
 - b. 26%
 - c. 55%
 - d. 42%
- Queensland-born movie star, Margot Robbie was nominated for a Golden Globe Award for her role in...
 - a. Ladies
 - b. I, Tonya
 - c. Lairs
 - d. Barbie
- 6. What is one of the colours commonly associated with International Women's Day?
 - a. Orange
 - b. Red
 - c. Yellow
 - d. Purple

- 7. Which Queensland singer in 2019 collaborated with former Beatle, Sir Paul McCartney?
 - a. Katie Noonan
 - b. Thelma Plum
 - c. Amy Shark
 - d. Dami Im
- 8. In 2024, what was the average pay gap between men and women in Queensland?
 - a. 3.2%
 - b. 6.5%
 - c. 12.6%
 - d. 16.2%
- 9. Who was the first woman to stand for, and be elected to, the Queensland Parliament?
 - a. Edith Cowan
 - b. Irene Longman
 - c. Enid Lyons
 - d. Emma Miller
- 10. Who Am I?

At the age of 15 I won five medals at the 1972 Munich Olympics. I won gold in three events on the way to setting new world records in each. I retired from professional swimming at age 16.

- a. Dawn Fraser
- b. Shane Gould
- c. Gail Neall
- d. Lisa Curry
- 11. Which Queensland-born woman became Australia's first female Governor-General?
 - a. Leneen Forde
 - b. Quentin Bryce
 - c. Linda Reynolds
 - d. Sallyanne Atkinson



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- 12. Which soccer player scored the winning penalty for the Matildas in the 2010 AFC Women's Asia Cup and became the first Indigenous Australian to score at a FIFA World Cup in 2011?
 - a. Lydia Williams
 - b. Kyah Simon
 - c. Jada Whyman
 - d. Karen Menzies
- 13. What percentage of Queensland women feel safe walking alone in their local area after dark (in comparison to 64.7% of males)?
 - a. 27%
 - b. 17%
 - c. 75%
 - d. 36%
- 14. Who was the first woman to win a Nobel Prize?
 - a. Marie Curie
 - b. Rosalind Franklin
 - c. Ada Lovelace
 - d. Jane Goodall
- 15. 2025 marks how many years since International Women's Day was first recognised in Australia?
 - a. 75 years
 - b. 25 years
 - c. 50 years
 - d. 30 years
- 16. How many gold medals did Ariane Titmus win at the Tokyo Olympic Games (2020/21)?
 - a. 2
 - b. 4
 - c. 3
 - d. 1
- 17. In 2018, Yvette Coppersmith became the 10th woman to win which national prize?
 - a. The Australian National Medal
 - b. The Archibald Prize
 - c. Order of Australia Medal
 - d. Australian of the Year

- 18. What Australian state was the first to allow women to vote and stand for parliament?
 - a. Queensland
 - b. South Australia
 - c. Victoria
 - d. Tasmania
- 19. Who am I?

I made history in 1965 when I chained myself to a bar rail at The Regatta Hotel to protest the exclusion of serving women in pubs in Queensland. I went on to found the Equal Opportunities for Women Association and Australia's first ever Women's Studies course at the University of Queensland.

- a. Rosalie Bogner
- b. Deirdre Mary Vance
- c. Merle Thornton
- d. Naida Haxton
- 20. In what year were women first granted access to loans at an Australian bank without requiring a male guarantor?
 - a. 1962
 - b. 1950
 - c. 1971
 - d. 1945
- 21. Which Queensland-born woman was named in the World's Top 50 women in Technology by Forbes in 2018?
 - a. Marita Cheng
 - b. Melanie Perkins
 - c. Catriona Wallace
 - d. Cyan Ta'eed

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Answers

