

Highest Score wins a CD!



PERFORMANCE WORKSHOPS 2013/2014 AUTUMN TERM

Band or Artist: Slade
Track: Merry Xmas Everybody
Year of release: 1973
Drummer: Don Powell
Last Performance Workshop winner: Luke Brown with 36/40

Your Name:

ANSWER SHEET

- Q1 What would you call the first part of this song?**
 Verse Chorus Sax Solo Introduction [1] 1
- Q2 For how many bars does this first section last?**
 1 2 4 8 [1] 1
- Q3 Which part of the drum kit do you hear played first?**
 crash cymbal hi-hat bass drum snare drum [1] 1
- Q4 How many snare drum beats are there before the first crash cymbal beat?**
 2 4 0 (none) 6 [1] 1
- Q5 Which term best describes the pattern the snare drum is playing on the main groove for this song?**
 straights 8s hand-to-hand shuffle triplets [1] 1
- Q6 From which style of music do you think this groove originates?**
 Jazz Heavy Metal Skiffle Punk Rock [1] 1
- Q7 At the end of each verse you'll hear a fill on the snare drum. How would you count this fill?**
 1234 1&2&3&4& 1&a2&a3&a4&a 1e&a2e&a3e&a4e&a [2] 2
- Q8 What is the correct term for what the hi-hat is doing on the main groove?**
 Freestyle Pedal beats Sizzles Closed beats [1] 1
- Q9 As of December last year, approximately how many copies of this single have been sold?**
 100,000 500,000 1,000,000 5,000,000 [1] 1

Quiz Total:

10



Back in the 1970s, there was a weekly chart show on the TV called **Top of the Pops**. You can see Slade 'playing' (ie miming) this song on Top of the Pops on YouTube. Just search for 'Merry Xmas Everybody'.