Male Name Bingo

Use this information however you like to provide hints/information/ask questions and promote discussion and reminiscing among the residents while completing the Music Bingo.

I remind the residents that they may not know all of the songs but if they listen carefully, they can often pick the "hook line" (or most repeated word/phrase which is often the title of the song).

- 1. Alexander's Ragtime Band written by American Irving Berlin in 1911. It is in a Ragtime style which was previously popular with black Americans. Berlin was composing 4-5 songs a day when he wrote this song although he could not read or write music. Consequently, he employed a musical secretary to write down his music. This song was so popular it was played on the Titanic.
- 2. Ballad of Davy Crockett —David Crockett (1786-1836) was a Tennessee-born frontiersman, congressman, solider and folk hero. Created for a cartoon series and later a Disney film of the same name in 1955. Who remembers the coonskin hat?
- 3. Hit The Road Jack This song originally written in 1960 was recorded "acapella" (just singing without accompaniment) but was later recorded by Ray Charles who made it a huge hit. Ray Charles lost his sight at aged 7 due to juvenile glaucoma.
- 4. Johnny B. Goode Written and performed by Chuck Berry in 1955, the song is about an illiterate "country boy" from the New Orleans area, who plays a guitar "just like ringing a bell", and who might one day have his "name in lights". Chuck Berry has been called the "father of Rock and Roll". He had many hits (Roll Over Beethoven, My Ding-a-Ling, Maybellene) and was also very famous for his "duck walk".
- 5. **John Brown's Body** is a marching song and was written in 1860 about anti-slavery crusader John Brown. Brown did not start the civil war in America but he did lead a raid to free slaves which hastened the start of the civil war. John Brown was hanged for treason (slave insurrection and murder of slave owners) in 1859.
- **6. Casey Jones** Casey Jones was a locomotive engineer who became a folk hero after his death in a train crash in 1900 was commemorated in a number of songs. According to legend, Jones died with one hand on the train's whistle and the other hand on its brake.
- 7. I'm Just Wild About Harry Written for a 1921 musical which broke what had been a taboo against musical and stage depictions of romantic love between African-Americans.
- **8. Michael Row the Boat Ashore** is a negro spiritual which goes back to pre American Civil war. The lyrics describe the crossing of the Jordan river. Made very popular by the UK folk group Peter, Paul and Mary (of Puff the Magic Dragon fame).
- **9. Norman** written for Sue Thompson in 1960 by a guy who had the most unusual name John Loudermilk! Sue also sang "Sad Movies Always Make Me Cry".

- **10. Charlie Is My Darlin'** a Scottish folk song about Prince Charles Edward Stewart, the young Chevalier or Young pretender at the start of the "45 Jacobite Uprising in 1745.
- 11. Danny Boy the words that we know were written by an English lawyer in 1911 to the traditional Irish tune "Londonderry Air". A retired Irish American police office is quoted as saying "I want "Danny Boy" sung at my funeral mass and if it isn't, I'm going to get up and walk out."
- **12. Mack the Knife** Louis Armstrong recorded this song in 1955, Frank Sinatra later but it is the Bobby Darin version of 1958 which most people recognise. It is based on a fictional character of a womanising highwayman.
- **13. Colonel Bogey March** is a popular British march composed in 1914 but still very popular today. You may have marched into school to this on a Monday morning.
- **14. Bill Bailey, Wont You Please Come Home** this song is a Jazz and Dixieland standard written in 1902.
- **15. Tom Dooley** based on a true story about the murder of an American woman in 1866. Tom Dooley hangs for her murder.
- **16. Peter Gunn Theme** was the theme to an American Private Eye TV series (1958-61) and later a single. Written by Henry Mancini (Blue Moon, Pink Panther, Baby Elephant Walk, Days of Wine and Roses). This song became popular once again when used in the Blues Brothers film.
- **17. A Boy Named Sue** The **song** tells the **tale** of a young man's quest for revenge on a father who abandoned him at three years of age and whose only contribution to his entire life was giving him a guitar and naming him Sue. This results in the young man suffering from ridicule and harassment by everyone he meets. Made popular by Johnny Cash in 1969.
- **18. From a Jack To a King** is a country and western song from 1963 which also references playing cards.
- 19. Frankie and Johnny is an American murder ballad based on the real-life 1899 shooting of 17-year-old Allen (Albert) Britt by his older girlfriend Frankie Baker in St. Louis. She shot Britt when she discovered him with a prostitute but pled self-defence at her trial and was declared not guilty.
- **20.** Maxwell's Silver Hammer The Beatles 1969 The song is about a student named Maxwell Edison who commits murders with a hammer, with the dark lyrics disguised by an upbeat sound. McCartney described the song as symbolic of the downfalls of life, being "my analogy for when something goes wrong out of the blue, as it so often does".

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Instructions for Music Bingo

- 1. Each pack contains Dementia friendly 20 Music Bingo cards, Song List and Fun Fact/Hints/Brain Teasers list.
- 2. Locate specific Music Bingo on Spotify (Kurrajonglodge).
- 3. Connect to portable speaker.
- 4. Hand out music Bingo sheet and Bingo tokens.
- 5. Each card contains 8 songs although 20 songs will be played.
- 6. Each game should take approximately ½ hour.
- 7. Play 10-20 seconds of the song (or until the chorus has been sung as this usually contains the key word/s or phrase). Often the song will be recognised long before 10 seconds has been played.
- 8. Explain to the residents that they may not recognise the song but if they listen carefully, they should be able to pick up the title/keyword of the song. (If they don't recognise the song one of the other residents will know the song or you can tell them after hints etc).
- 9. You can give HINTS, FUN FACTS AND BRAIN TEASER'S (see folder) to entertain, add stimulation or assist to recognise the song. Sometimes this will provoke a discussion/reminiscing about the song so just go with the flow. Occasionally you might end up singing a verse or chorus.
- 10. When Bingo is reached ask the residents to choose one of their favourite songs from the card that they would like to hear all the way through. Play the song then redistribute the sheets and begin a new game.
 - IF YOU REPEAT A GAME PLAY THROUGH THE SONGS IN REVERSE.
- 11. At the end of the session wipe down all the cards with Clinell, spray bingo tokens with Glen 20 and return cards/fact sheets and song list to Bingo folder.
- 12. Return Music Bingo, tokens and portable speaker.

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	John Brown's Body		Charlie Is My Darlin'	
		Danny Boy		Colonel Bogey March
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		Tom Dooley	
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	Michael Row the Boat Ashore		
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