

## 2016 RYC Great Pumpkin Trivial Quiz – Official Answers



1. Captain Pollard returned to Nantucket to become:
  - d. Night Watchman at the Nantucket Inn.
2. Who saw the white whale first and claimed the gold Spanish Doubloon reward?
  - d. Captain Ahab
3. What insurance policy did US Steel use to ensure the ice breaker Mackinaw stayed on the Great Lakes?
  - c. Built the hull wider than the narrowest lock around Niagara Falls to the St Lawrence seaway
4. The 2015 'Race to Alaska' trimaran Team Elsie Piddock owner Al Hughes' quote upon receiving the Ketchikan trophy and \$10,000 prize money was:
  - d. "I will return the prize money to make sure the race is funded for 2016."
5. The 32 mile 'Mont Gay Rum Around James Town Race' is around:
  - b. Connicutt island
6. Stan Honey's patented navigation principle still in use today is:
  - a. DRM, dead reckoning mapping
7. The Great Lakes ore carrier and infamous shipwreck song Edmond Fitzgerald was named after:
  - a. Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance carrier's chairman Edmond Fitzgerald
8. The 2016 One Ton Cup pre-1995 IOR sail boat race in Breskens, NL used what rating rule?
  - b. IRC
9. The 2016 City of Richmond Public Arts Program sponsored the local sculpture subject of:
  - d. El Toro hull
10. The last hunted whale to be brought ashore and processed at the Pt. San Pablo station was in:
  - d. 1972