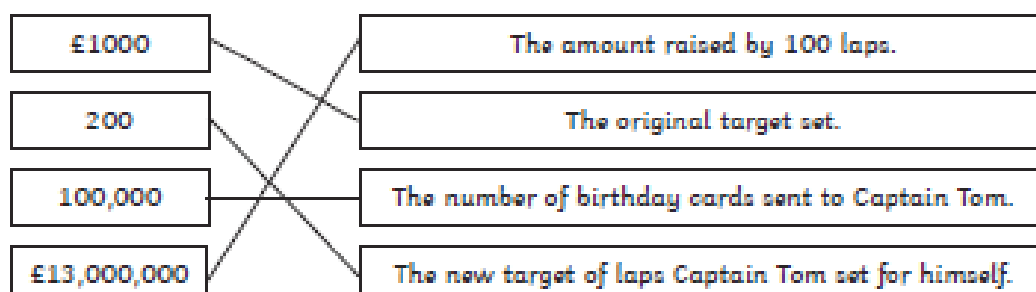


Captain Tom Moore Answers

1. Match the numbers to the statements.



2. Number the events to show the order in which they happened.

- 1 Captain Tom began his challenge.
- 3 Captain Tom released a single.
- 2 Captain Tom finished his 100 laps.
- 4 Captain Tom celebrated his 100th birthday.

3. Read 'The Challenge'. Find and copy one word that likens the struggle of NHS staff during the COVID19 crisis to that of soldiers in a war.

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4. Who collaborated with Captain Tom on the single 'You'll Never Walk Alone'?

Michael Ball and the NHS Voices of Care Choir

5. Name one way that Captain Tom has been recognised for his achievements.

Accept any of the following: He received a Pride of Britain award. Royal Mail have produced a special postmark for his hundredth birthday. Lots of people have sent him birthday cards. He had a guard of honour when he completed his final laps.

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6. Why do you think Captain Tom wanted to raise money for the NHS?

Accept any of the following: He wanted to show them his appreciation. He wanted to say thank you for looking after him and others. He was impressed with their hard work during a difficult time.

7. Give two examples of how Captain Tom has broken world records.

He is the oldest person ever to have a number one single.

His single is the fastest selling of 2020 so far.

He has raised more money on a charity walk than any other individual.

8. Describe Captain Tom in three words and explain your choices.

Pupils' own responses such as:

Determined because he didn't give up.

Brave because he was a soldier in the war.

Generous because he raised money for charity.

9. How do you think Captain Tom felt when he heard that he had reached his target of £1000 in just a day? Explain your answer.

Pupils' own responses, such as: He must have felt proud that he had raised so much money. He would have been amazed that so many people had donated to his cause. He could not believe that he had reached his target so quickly. He was surprised because he said, 'Never in my wildest imagination did I think this would be possible'.

10. Write a summary of Captain Tom's achievements.

Pupils' own responses, such as: Captain Tom made headlines around the world when he raised a record breaking amount of money for charity, by walking 100 laps around his garden and releasing a charity single, which went straight to number one in the charts.