



Player Profile

Ross Evans



Highlights

- Australian Quiz Champion 2012, 2015

How did you first get involved in trivia?

I have always had a broad range of interests, and from a young age read widely, and had a very good "general knowledge". After finishing my education, however, life commitments intervened and I rarely had the spare time to read. I nonetheless still had a keen interest in many areas, and in the late 1980's started to attend occasional trivia quizzes with friends and found that my knowledge was still quite strong. Since I am now semi-retired and have more free time, I have in the last couple of years got keen on quizzing and consider it an enjoyable hobby.

When did you first realise you were good at it?

I always knew as a child that my general knowledge was well above average, and I appeared on three television quiz shows when I was younger.

What are your strongest and weakest subjects?

History is my favourite and probably strongest subject. I am also strong in geography, and fairly solid in science. I have a reasonably good knowledge in most of the subjects that interest me, but I am pretty hopeless in some areas, especially music.

How do you study/prepare for an event?

I had never done any particular study before a quiz until recently, but in the last year or so I have decided to become more serious about quizzing and have started noting down interesting facts that I come across in an effort to commit them to memory. I also try to keep up to date with what is happening in the world. As well, I attend regular trivia quizzes and in recent years have competed in the World Quiz Championships.

What are your favourite TV quiz shows?

Eggheads and Mastermind