

CEH X-mas Quiz 2008

Questions

1. What animals traditionally pull Santa's sleigh?
2. What do people traditionally do under mistletoe?
3. Who wrote the book A Christmas Carol?
4. What is traditionally left out in the kitchen for Santa?
5. According to the popular x-mas song, how many days of x-mas are there?
6. When is Black Friday in the U.S.?
7. Santa was born in the country which is now _____?
8. The tradition of decorating x-mas trees started in which country?
9. How many wise men came to visit baby Jesus?
10. From what country is the tradition of x-mas cakes from?

Answers

1. Reindeer 2. Kiss 3. Charles Dickens 4. Milk&cookies 5. 12 6. The day after Thanksgiving
7. Turkey 8. Germany 9. 3 10. England

Black Friday is a term for the Friday after Thanksgiving in the United States, which is the beginning of the traditional Holiday shopping season. Because Thanksgiving falls on the fourth Thursday in November in the United States, Black Friday occurs between the 23rd and the 29th of November.

Black Fridayとは Thanks Giving翌日の金曜日のこと。アメリカでは、この日に小売店が一斉に値下げをし、クリスマス商戦に向けたショッピングシーズンがスタートします。そもそも Black Fridayとは金融恐慌を指すことが多く、もともとは 1869年の金買占めの失敗による価格暴落をそう呼んだのが始まり。ここで言う Black Fridayは小売業界がこの日を境に赤字から「黒」字に転換する日、というポジティブな意味として使われています。