

Trash round

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TOSSUP #1:

In Germany, he has a hit club single. In Japan, he's known as the "007 of (*) boxing." In the U.S. he has made guest appearances on *The Simpsons*, *South Park*, *Ally McBeal*, *Friends*, and *Mad About You*, as well as the *Mouse Hunt* TV commercial and the trailer for *Rumble in the Bronx*—not to mention his new Dreamcast boxing game. FTP, name this announcer, famous for only five words: "Let's get ready to rumble!"

Answer: Michael Buffer

TOSSUP #2:

The liner notes of this group's latest release credits Bob Dylan for one song, and says "Contains an interpolation from the composition 'Dixie Chicken,' written by Lowell George and Martin Kibbee".(*) The two CD album is a concert that this band put on at the Continental Airlines Arena on September 11, 1999, and features the creatively titled "#36", "#40", and "#41", as well as "Pantala Naga Pampa" and "Stay (Wasting Time)". For ten points, name this band whose *Listener Supported* includes songs from *Under the Table and Dreaming*, *Crash*, and *Along These Crowded Streets*.

Answer: Dave Matthews Band (prompt on "DMB")

TOSSUP #3:

In the year 2000, these will feature images taken by the Hubble telescope, in addition to various incarnations of American flags, (*) Santa Clauses, and Deep Sea Creatures. The first pentagonal version of these will also be available, depicting images from our exploration of space, as well as the first circular holographic version, which will show a view of Earth from the Apollo 17 spacecraft, and will cost \$11.75. For ten points, what are these items, which are collected and studied by philatelists?

Answer: Stamps

TOSSUP #4:

Can you recognize the Mark of the Beast faster than George Bush in 1992? 0 is for groceries (*), 2 for items sold by weight, 3 for drugs, and so forth—the lone digit on the left tells you the item's category. The following 5-digit cluster gives the manufacturer, the center-bar group alerts the scanner, the next 5 identify the product & the last digit's for verification. For ten points what ubiquitous, computer pricing signal is found on most North American retail items?

Answer: Universal Product Code (Prompt on UPC)

TOSSUP #5:

He stepped on Aminu Timberlake's chest and was called for a technical foul, but not ejected. He drew the fifth foul on (*) Jamal Mashburn but was beaten by a Sean Woods bank shot the next time down. On the fateful play he was double-teamed by John Pelphrey and Deron Feldhaus, but they hadn't been able to stop him before, as he made all 10 of his shots from the field and all 10 free throws. FTP, name this player whose 16-footer at the buzzer sent his team to a 104-103 overtime win over Kentucky in the 1992 East Regional final.

ANSWER: Christian Laettner

TOSSUP #6:

The words to this song were allegedly written by Gerard Bostock, a nine-year-old English boy who is supposed to be a poetic genius. (*) More likely, the same man who wrote the music to the song probably wrote the words: Ian Anderson. FTP, name this song, a 45-minute long ditty that takes up an entire album of the same name all by itself, the best known song by Jethro Tull.

Answer: Thick as a Brick

TOSSUP #7:

Before his big break he had bit parts in movies like *Thief of Love* and TV roles, notably a recurring role as an Irish-American gang leader (*) on *Hill Street Blues* that brought him to Steven Bochco's attention; after spurning his break he made films like the aptly-named *Kiss of Death* and *Jade*. FTP who is this MIA actor who was briefly notorious as a lead in the 1st season of *NYPD Blue*?

Answer: David Caruso

TOSSUP #8:

Richard Billingsley, David Rothman, Kenneth Massey, the New York Times, Matthews/Scripps-Howard, the Seattle Times, the Dunkel Index, and Jeff Sagarin run the eight (*) computer polls comprising one-quarter of this system. The other three parts are determined by strength of schedule, number of losses, and average of the ESPN/USA Today and AP polls. FTP, what is this rather misnamed system for ranking college football teams?

Answer: The Bowl Championship Series rankings

TOSSUP #9:

This man's career in drama began when a drama teacher at the New York technical school he was attending cast him in a play. That convinced him to give up a life in construction and transfer to SUNY Oneonta for his B.A. in theater arts. He then went on to UMass for his masters and took a teaching job at Montana State University. Some of his recent roles include the ghost-therapist father of (*) Christina Ricci's in *Casper*. He's also been in *Sleepless in Seattle*, *Brokedown Palace*, and *Lake Placid*. One of his most memorable roles was as Captain Lone Star in *Spaceballs*. For ten points, which actor is best known for portraying the President in the Hollywood blockbuster *Independence Day*?

Answer: Bill Pullman

TOSSUP #10:

First published in 1989, this book opens with a 9-stanza ballad about a highly anticipated trip to northern Canada which over the course of the book never actually ends up happening. (*) For one thing, the two main characters don't know exactly how far away their destination is, and for another, they realize that they don't have enough peanut butter and jelly sandwiches to last the whole trip. The book also outlines a disastrous research paper about the planet Mercury as well as several encounters of the ever-popular Spaceman Spiff. For ten points name this book by Bill Watterson, a Calvin and Hobbes collection.

Answer: Yukon Ho!

TOSSUP #11:

Paint code PMS 298 (a light blue color) is specified for the interior, and a two-inch red line marks the boundary. It is eight feet wide, and its depth ranges from four-feet-six at the edges to six feet at its center. Prior to 1999, no (*) attacking players were allowed here when a goal was scored, but these rules were relaxed at the beginning of this year to increase scoring. FTP, what is this home of a hockey goalie?

Answer: the goal crease

TOSSUP #12:

In 1951 Catholic clergy in Dijon, France burned him in effigy in front of several hundred children (*)—a tough way to treat someone not yet purged from the calendar of saints. He is a housebreaker, in the Low Countries he travels with a dubious sidekick called Black Pete, and he was the center of the *Silent Night, Deadly Night* splatter film series in the 80s. For ten points who is this unshaven character who has wormed his way into the Christian Nativity feast?

Answer: Santa Claus (Accept equivalents)

TOSSUP #13:

Rory Breaker is a drug czar. Soap is a cook. Tom and Bacon are losers. Harry owns a porn shop. Eddy is a cardsharp who loses half a million pounds to Harry, who wants ownership of the bar owned by Eddy's father, JD, played by (*) Sting. Eddy and his three friends devise an elaborate scheme to come up with the money, involving just about all of London's underworld. FTP, name this 1998 comedy whose plot revolves around a pair of antique shotguns.

ANSWER: Lock, Stock, and Two Smoking Barrels

TOSSUP #14:

R.E.M.'s song "Let Me In" is about this man, a close friend of the band. He was born on February 20, 1967 in Huguaim, a small town south west of Seattle. (*) In 1986 this guitarist joined up with bassist Krist Novoselic and drummer Dave Grohl to form one of the most popular and influential bands of the 90's. The band recorded 5 albums, including an MTV Unplugged album. Unfortunately, he took his life with a shotgun on April 5, 1994.

FTP, name this grunge icon, front man of Nirvana.

Answer: Kurt Cobain

TOSSUP #15:

Born on September 17, 1960 in Brooklyn, this man has won the National League Rolaids Relief Award twice. (*) He won the first post-season game of his life on October 9, 1999 pitching a scoreless 10th inning. His 416 saves place him first in saves among active players and second of all time. For ten points, name this closer who, after six seasons with Cincinnati, has played with his childhood favorite team, the Mets, for 10 seasons.

Answer: John Franco

TOSSUP #16:

When the person is on the ground, kick both of their arms close to their body. With the left hand, remove your right elbow pad and (*) throw it out into the crowd. Point your arms straight out on your sides, then quickly cross your arms across your chest and return them to straight out on your sides. Now run to one side of the ring, bounce off the ropes, run across to the other side of the ring and bounce off of those ropes. When you return to the side of the person, stop, wiggle your arm around and drop on the person. For ten points, you have just performed what "Most Electrifying Move in Sports Entertainment", the signature move of the Rock?

Answer: The People's Elbow

TOSSUP #17:

"Don't just sit there. OK, sit there." "My, what big pupils you have." "Change your viewing habits (*). Sit on the other end of the sofa." "Before TV, two world wars. After TV, zero." For ten points, these slogans were seen on a field of yellow in a recent ad campaign from which TV network?

Answer: American Broadcasting Company

TOSSUP #18:

While it doesn't contain any overt descriptions of organized religion, it is known for interesting anecdotes about buying prostitutes (*) in Nevada and throwing a ladder through a school window when the subject was in grade school. This book fits well into the rags-to-riches tradition of American "autobiography," as the author was born in an impoverished neighborhood of Minneapolis but ended up becoming a professional wrestler, movie star, and finally, governor. For ten points name this autobiography of Jesse Ventura which takes its title from a line in the film *Predator*.

Answer: I Ain't Got Time to Bleed: Reworking the Body Politic from the Bottom Up

TOSSUP #19:

Their 1999 record wasn't stellar: in their regular test matches, they went 2-4, losing to Australia, Wales and New Zealand twice. Nevertheless, because their two victories were so decisive and their losses so close, they were rated the number two team in the world going into the 1999 World Cup (*), where they defeated the All Blacks and England but lost to the Wallabies in the semi-finals. Their leading scorer in 1999 was Naas Botha (BOAT-uh), a flyhalf who came in with 242 points. FTP, name this rugby team of South Africa, named after a type of buck common in the Kalahari.

Answer: Springboks

TOSSUP #20:

She has been quoted as saying, "I think school is so much harder than real life. People are so much more accepting when they are adults," and "There's so much else to do in the world. To just be interested in doing films would limit my life." A die-hard vegetarian (*), this actress was discovered in her neighborhood pizza parlor in New York. Her resume includes 1994's *The Professional*, 1995's *Developing*, and *Heat*, and 1996's *Beautiful Girls*, *Everyone Says I Love You*, and *Mars Attacks!* For ten points, name this Harvard first year, star of 1999's *Anywhere But Here* and *Star Wars: The Phantom Menace*.

Answer: Natalie Portman

TOSSUP #21:

You really shouldn't care if it rains or freezes as long as you have this—preferably on the dashboard of your car. The halo around its head (*) can apparently be used as a good sight mechanism to help you aim at pedestrians while driving around. In addition to it, you can also buy his mother, magnetic Mary, another fine addition to "the whole damn Holy Family." For ten points name this figure, the subject of a somewhat blasphemous song about the Messiah that can be found dancing all over the Internet.

Answer: Plastic Jesus

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BONUS #1:

Apes beset American TV in the 1970s. Identify the following shows FTPE. No, *BJ and the Bear* isn't included.

A. This secret agent parody which featured dressed apes, including the title character, probably "inspired" the current *Chimp Channel*.

ANSWER: Lancelot Link, Secret Chimp

B. This unsuccessful 1974 show retained Roddy MacDowall from the successful movie series.

ANSWER: Planet of the Apes

C. Ted Bessell, a hot sitcom property after *That Girl*, saw his career derailed by this CBS flop in which he took care of a pesky primate.

ANSWER: Me and the Chimp

BONUS #2:

Identify the following about MLB records set during the 1999 season FTPE.

A) This reliever broke Dennis Eckersley's record for games pitched by retiring Todd Walker in his 1072nd career appearance in August.

ANSWER: Jesse Orosco

B) Although many people, including Albert Belle, Nomar Garciaparra, Jeffrey Hammonds, and Carlos Delgado did this in 1999, Jeff Bagwell became ever the first to do it twice in one season. Name the feat.

ANSWER: Hit 3 HR in a game (accept equivalent statement)

C) Several hit batsman records were broken or tied in 1999: one player was hit three times in a game, one player twice in the same inning, and one pitcher hit 6 batters in a game. Name any of these three players on the Tigers, Orioles, and Angels, respectively.

ANSWERS: Damion Easley, Brady Anderson, Steve Sparks

BONUS #3:

Answer the following questions about the members of the final incarnation of Fleetwood Mac for the stated number of points.

A. (10 Pts) This member of the band once made a cameo on *Star Trek: The Next Generation* as an alien.

Answer: Mick Fleetwood (First name required)

B. (10 Pts.) Mick Fleetwood added "Mac" to the end of "Fleetwood" in order to entice this bassist to join the band. It worked, and this man ended up marrying keyboardist Christine Perfect, who joined the band later.

Answer: John McVie

C. (5 pts each) This pair joined the band when Mick and the McVies came to America. Both had successful solo careers after the band broke up.

Answer: Stevie Nicks and Lindsay Buckingham

BONUS #4:

Given some members from the Real World cast, give the locale they lived in, for ten points each.

A. Judd, Pedro, Puck

Answer: San Francisco

B. Melissa, Dan, Flora

Answer: Miami

C. Amaya, Tec, Ruthie

Answer: Hawaii

BONUS #5:

Name these NBA coaches for 15 points from a description of their playing careers, or 5 if you need the team they currently coach.

A) [15] He's the NBA's ninth all-time leading rebounder, and ranks seventh in games played. He won two titles with the Celtics and one with the Supersonics after playing college ball at Creighton.

[5] He coaches the Charlotte Hornets.

ANSWER: Paul Silas

B) [15] He played 11 years for 5 teams but is mostly remembered for one moment. As a Phoenix Sun, in Game 5 of the NBA Finals against Boston, he hit a 20-footer with one second remaining in the second overtime to send the game into a third extra period. The Suns eventually lost, 128-126.

[5] He's the new coach of the Washington Wizards.

ANSWER: Gar[field] Heard

BONUS #6:

Encore bonus! If you've never played the board game Encore, here's the deal: I'll give you a word. You must then sing (not just talk, you must sing) a song that has that word in the lyrics or title. For example, if the word was "born", you could sing Bruce Springsteen's "Born in the U.S.A." You'll score five points for each song you get, with 5 seconds after each word is given to sing a song. (Note to moderator: This one is a judgment call. If you've never heard the song, but the person sounds pretty sure of it, give it to them. Make sure they SING it, though.)

1: Want

2: Baby

3: Man

4: Kiss

5: Today

6: Red

BONUS #7:

An NFL career and crime seem to go hand-in-hand. Name these players in the news for reasons other than their football playing FTPE.

A) This Panthers receiver was accused of shooting his pregnant girlfriend.

ANSWER: Rae Carruth

B) The Bears finally settled on this third-stringer as their QB, and he threw for an average of 330 yards the past three weeks but is now suspended for the rest of the season for testing positive for steroids.

ANSWER: Jim Miller

C) Although nicknamed "The Prophet," his religious convictions didn't stop him from being arrested for soliciting the services of a prostitute the week before the Super Bowl in January.

ANSWER: Eugene Robinson

BONUS #8:

Give the confidence-man lingo from the following descriptions FTSNOP.

A. For five points each, give the terms for the 2 principal divisions of con games, which respectively hit the mark up for what he carries at a given time or sends him to fetch much bigger sums.

ANSWER: Short & Long cons

B. This generic term covers elaborate representations of gambling joints, horse parlors, brokers' offices, & other establishments used in long cons.

ANSWER: Big store

C. The most popular short con, this coin-matching game played by 2 operators makes the mark think he's the one who will cheat one of them.

ANSWER: Smack game (accept coin smack or anything with smack in it)

BONUS #9:

Given a description of what the Wonder of the World from Sid Meier's Civilization does, name the wonder, for ten points each.

A. Allows you to change your form of government without a revolution.

Answer: Pyramids

B. Whenever two civilizations have a civilization advance, you automatically get it as well.

Answer: **Great Library**

C. You get two free civilization advances.

Answer: **Darwin's Voyage**

BONUS #10:

Answer these questions on the current music artists that fill the hours of music videos on MTV. But wait, there's a twist, this bonus is in the style of "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?" The first question is worth 5 points, the second worth 10, the third worth 15 and 30 points for all correct. You can stop at any time after hearing a question, but if you get one wrong, you'll lose all points for this bonus. There are no lifelines. Each part is multiple choice.

(Moderator: Regis Philbin imitation is optional, but make sure to ask if the team wants to go on before asking the next part. And be sure to ask, "Is that your final answer?")

A. [5] Which of the following female singers was on the Mickey Mouse Club?

- a. Britney Spears
- b. Cher
- c. Sheryl Crow
- d. Fiona Apple

Answer: a. or **Britney Spears**

B. [10] Which band's most recent release was titled "Enema of the State"?

- a. Green Day
- b. Blink 182
- c. Foo Fighters
- d. Jane's Addiction

Answer: b. or **Blink 182**

C. [15] Which of the following bands is fronted by Fred Durst?

- a. Goo Goo Dolls
- b. Lit
- c. Pet Shop Boys
- d. Limp Bizkit

Answer: d. or **Limp Bizkit**

D. [30] Which of the following music videos did not make it onto MTV's Top 100 list of all time?

- a. "Tonight, Tonight" by the Smashing Pumpkins
- b. "Everybody Hurts" by R.E.M.
- c. "Faith" by George Michael
- d. "Take On Me" by A-Ha

Answer: a. or **"Tonight, Tonight"** by the Smashing Pumpkins

BONUS #11: In honor of Columbia Pictures' 75th anniversary, here's one on their short subject stars, the 3 Stooges. A. In the first "official" Stooges short, 1934's *Men in Black*, a hospital loudspeaker repeats this 7-word catchphrase to bring the boys running.

ANSWER: **Calling Dr. Howard, Dr. Fine, Dr. Howard**

B. In more than one film, hearing this tune turns Curly into a berserk fighting machine.

ANSWER: **Pop Goes the Weasel**

C. Sometime Stooges Shemp Howard & Joe Besser both appear in this 1949 Abbott & Costello film, but the other Stooges don't.

ANSWER: **Africa Screams**

BONUS #12:

Name the World Wrestling Federation group from clues given FTPE.

A. This group reformed on October 25, 1999 after working alone for a few months. This group originally consisted of HBK, Triple H, and Chyna, but currently its four members are Triple H, the Road Dogg, Mr. Ass, and X-Pac.

Answer: **D-Generation X** (accept **DX**)

B. This group, comprised of Rodney and Pete Gas and Joey Abs, was Shane McMahon's childhood friends and lackeys until they parted ways earlier this year.

Answer: **Mean Street Posse**

C. This short lived group was comprised of former member of The Corporation who were betrayed by Vince McMahon. Its members, The Big Show, Kane, Ken Shamrock, and Test, were all given one wish by Stone Cold Steve Austin after he took control of the WWF.

Answer: The **Union** of People You Ought to Respect (UPYORs)

BONUS #13:

30-20-10. Name the 1999 teenybopper flick from members of it's cast.

30) Kieran Culkin, Anna Paquin

20) Matthew Lillard, Usher

10) Freddie Prinze, Jr., Rachel Leigh Cook

Answer: **She's All That**

BONUS #14:

Given a song from the soundtrack, name the 90's movie.

A. Madonna's "Beautiful Stranger"

Answer: **Austin Powers, The Spy Who Shagged Me** (prompt on "Austin Powers 2")

B. Smashing Pumpkins' "The Beginning is the End is the Beginning"

Answer: **Batman & Robin**

C. Barenaked Ladies' "Call and Answer"

Answer: **EdTV**

BONUS #15:

Give the word that completes these quotes from Star Wars Episode 4 FTPE.

A) Hokey religion and ancient weapons are no match for a good [BLANK].

ANSWER: **blaster**

B) I felt a great disturbance in the force—as if millions of voices cried out in terror and were suddenly [BLANK].

ANSWER: **silenced**

C) Aren't you a little short for a [BLANK]?

ANSWER: **stormtrooper**

BONUS #16:

Given the show's host or hosts, name the ZDTV show, for ten points each.

A. Kate Botello and Leo Laporte

Answer: The **Screen Savers**

B. Tilde, a computer animated woman

Answer: **Zip File**

C. Jim Lauderbach

Answer: **Silicon Spin**

BONUS #17:

Given the back of one of the new state quarters, name the state for five points each, with a bonus of five points for all correct.

A. A state outline enclosing a peach, with a banner of the state motto "Wisdom, Justice, Moderation," and a border of live oak sprigs.

Answer: **Georgia**

B. The famous painting "Washington Crossing the Delaware" is the foundation for this coin design. "Crossroads of the Revolution" appears at its base.

Answer: **New Jersey**

C. The Charter Oak framed by the words "THE CHARTER OAK" and a stone wall.

Answer: **Connecticut**

D. A portrait of Caesar Rodney on horseback with the inscription "THE FIRST STATE."

Answer: **Delaware**

E. An allegorical female figure represents the commonwealth, with the state motto "LIBERTY, INDEPENDENCE, VIRTUE." A state outline and keystone complete the design.

Answer: **Pennsylvania**

BONUS #18:

The career of William Moulton Marston, professor at Columbia, Tufts, & Radcliffe & author of *Integrative Psychology: A Study of Unit Response*, seems an unlikely topic for trash—but try these questions FTPE.

A. Marston invented this device which nervous defendants & prospective employees try to beat with aspirin & Coca-Cola.

ANSWER: **lie detector**

B. When Marston attacked male-dominated comic books in a 1941 article, he was invited to create a female character & invented this one, whose golden lasso makes you tell the truth.

ANSWER: **Wonder Woman**

C. The father of this comic publishing dynasty invited Marston to create Wonder Woman; her bondage-filled adventures helped bring on the Comics Code which drove the son from publishing EC horror comics to found *Mad* magazine.

ANSWER: M. C. & William **Gaines**

BONUS #19:

Given the name of an 80's music artist and one of their hit songs, name the 90's band that did a cover of it, for ten points each.

A. Dexy's Midnight Runners, "Come On Eileen"

Answer: **Save Ferris**

B. A-Ha, "Take On Me"

Answer: **Reel Big Fish**

C. Harry Belafonte, "Jump In the Line"

Answer: **Squirrel Nut Zippers**

BONUS #20:

For ten points each, name the penalty you would be assessed if you committed the following misdeeds in a hockey game:

A) You check an opponent with both hands on your stick and your arms extended.

ANSWER: **cross-checking**

B) You deliberately check a defensive player not in possession of the puck.

ANSWER: **interference**

C) You deliberately knock the net off of its moorings, although not in a breakaway situation or during a shot.

ANSWER: **delay of game**