1:Directed by Aaron Crosland, this melodrama tells the tale of a young man trying to become a professional singer, despite his Rabbi father's wishes that he become a cantor. Georgie Jessup was originally slated to star in the title role, but Warner brothers eventually decided to give the role to the man who starred in the stage version. FTP, name this 1927 Al Jolson film

A: THE JAZZ SINGER

2. Convicted twice for molesting teenage boys, he died penniless in 1953. A failed actor and novelist, he lost much of his money backing failed Broadway plays. This man is better known for his exploits on the tennis court. The oldest man ever to win Wimbeldon, he won there three times and also led the US to 7 straight Davis Cup wins between 1922 and 1926. FTP, name this man, probably the dominant player of the first half of the century.

A: Bill TILDEN

3. In order to protect the good citizens of MetroCity after the departure of Julian Wilkes and Joe Astor, a new team was created to drive the Defender. The new lead, Thomas Cole, is an expert driver from the elite UN Security Drivers squad. FTP, name this Knight Rider rip-off, which doubles as an extended commercia; I for Dodge.

A: VIPER

4. When a painting entitled Crucified Venus is deemed blasphemous, Rev. Anthony Campion and his wife set out to attempt to convince the painter to withdraw it. Instead they find themselves alternately shocked by and drawn to the amoral atmosphere created by the painter, his wife, and the three nude models scampering about the place. FTP, name this Australian film starring Sam Neill, Hugh Grant, and Elle MacPherson.

A: SIRENS

5. In "Sorry Fugu" he tells the story of a restaurant owner trying to win over a food critic. In "Big Game" he modernizes "The Short Happy Life of Francis Macomber" by setting it in a Southern California game ranch. In "East is East," he tells the tale of a Japanese sailor who jumps ship and drifts ashore in a writer's colony. FTP, name this author best known for "The Road to Wellville"

A: T. Coraghessan BOYLE

6. Formed by a pair of South Carolina broadcast journalism majors, this band has lacked critical acclaim, but not commercial success. In order to gain better financial control over their affairs, the band is technically owned by a limited partnership named fishco. It's first three albums: a self-titled release, Time, and Kootchypop all sold slowly, but it scored a major hit with it's fourth album. Critical backlash, however, hurt sales of its

most recent album: Fairweather Johnson. FTP, name these soft-rockers whose songs include "Only Wanna be with You"

A: <u>HOOTIE AND THE BLOWFISH</u>

7. His pet hatred is street mimes, and he throws any that he encounters into a scorpion-filled pit after explaining their crime to them via a sign that says "Learn the Words". His hobbies include playing chess and reading music (having instruments play it spoils the purity for him). He rules the city of Ankh-Morpork on the principle of "One Man, One Vote", i.e. he is that man and he has that vote. FTP, name this Discworld character, the patrician of Ankh-Morpork.

A: Lord Havelock <u>VETINARI</u> (prompt on patrician on interrupt)

8. Legends in this sport include Donald Bradman, Ian Botham, and Brian Lara. A ritual-intensive game, an English side recently became defunct after none of the members proved sufficiently adept at making Tea Sandwitches. Perhaps the most entertaining part of this game, however, is its terminology, which includes such phrases as Silly Point, googly, Leg Before Wicket, and Boundary 6. FTP, name this sport, whose powers include India, Australia, England, and the West Indies.

A: CRICKET

9. This leader dispatched the beggars in his kingdom by summoning them to a feast, locking them inside the dining hall, and burning the building down. He also had a thing for manners, nailing the turbans to the heads of two insolent Turkish ambassadors. His trademark manner of killing, however, did serve a defensive purpose. After all when the Turkish sultan Mehemet invaded his kingdom, the sight of 20,000 corpses that this prince had chosen to display was sufficient to convince the Turks that they might wish to find an easier target. FTP, name this Wallachian ruler, the inspiration of Bram Stoker's Dracula

A: VLAD TEPES or VLAD THE IMPALER or VLAD DRACULA

10. Born Brian Wagner, this Ohioan gave up a career in journalism to become a musician. After rising to prominence as the opening act for Nine Inch Nails, his career has had it's share or controversial episodes such as the time he shredded a copy of the Book of Mormon on stage in Salt Lake City and the time the Dr. Anton LaVey, founder of the Church of Satan, bestowed the titile of Reverend upon him. FTP, name this neo-satanist rocker, whose bandmates have included Gidget Gein and Madonna Wayne Gacy.

A: Marylin MANSON

11. The sixth pick in the 1985 free agent draft, this Arizona State grad reached the majors in 1986 and was switched to left field in 1987. Voted the S. Rae Hickock Athlete of the Year in 1993, his playing skills have been somewhat overshadowed by his surly personality and occasional reluctance to make his alimony and child support payments. Willie Mays' godson, he's won three MVP awards and is the only member of the 400 HR/400 steal club. FTP, name him.

A: Barry BONDS

12. The youngest grandmaster in history, this Hungarian recently defeated 30 players in a simulataneous exhibition. One of three grandmaster-level sisters, she's the best of the lot and is currently ranked 16th in world, though she recently defeated 2nd-ranked Vishy Anand in a match. FTP, name this woman, the highest-ranked female chess player ever.

A: Judit POLGAR

13. It uses the Duke Nukem 3d game engine, but transposes it to a variety of colorful locales: examples include a bowling alley, a drive-in theater, a sewage treatment plant, and downtown Hickston. Power-ups include hard liquor and Moon Pies, and its one of the few games with a country music soundtrack (plus a couple tracks by the Mojo Nixons). FTP, name this game subtitled Suckin' Grits on Route 66.

A: REDNECK RAMPAGE

14. He was a Baptist missionary in China who was forced to flee from the Japanese in 1941. While trying to establish new missions in eastern China, he led Cap. James Doolittle and crew to safety when they were forced to crash-land after their famous Tokyo raid. He served out the remainder of the war as an Allied intelligence officer before being shot and killed by Chinese Communists. FTP, name this man, who lent his name to

and killed by Chinese Communists. FTP, name this man, who lent his name to a notorious ultra-conservative, anti-Communist organization.

A: John M. _BIRCH_

15. The son of a quiz show panelist on Canadian TV, this singer's first band was called The Squires. He was then a member of the Myna Birds with Rick James. The two of them then joined Buffalo Springfield. Launching a solo career in 1969, his hits included Down by the River. He was also an on-again, off-again fourth member of Crosby, Stills and Nash. His video for 1987's This Notes for You featured scenes of a Michael Jackson look-alike's hair catching fire. FTP, name this singer whose 1995 collaboration with Pearl Jam earned him the nickname: "The Grandfather of Grunge"

A: Neil YOUNG

16. An airplane carrying several counterfeit paintings, worth millions to the counterfeiters, suffers a malfunction in the cargo hold, spilling the paintings, as well as all the luggage, near a colony of cave men that has existed somehow unaltered in the middle of California. Two of the men from the colony, Yuk and Hubba, find the crashed luggage and begin to assimilate themselves and the other members of the tribe into modern culture using its contents, hilarity ensues, virtue triumphs, and the counterfeiters get their just dessets. This roughly describes the plot of this truly weird 1983 flick, made all the weirder by the fact that most of the dialogue is in caveman-ese. FTP, name it.

A: LUGGAGE OF THE GODS

17. Chillingly, this movie stars Art Carney and Bea Arthur. It also stars members of Chewie's immediate family, including his wife Itchy and son Lumpy. The movie also features minutes of lilting Wookie dialog, without subtitles. The plot, such as it is, consists of Han's attempts to get Chewie home for Wookie Life Day. FTP, name this movie, which graphically illustrates why you should never, ever make a Star Wars film without George Lucas.

A: The STAR WARS HOLIDAY SPECIAL

18. It stars John Matuzak, Angelica Huston, and Robert Urich. Possibly the only sci-fi flick that includes eunuchs, it is sent in a time when In the far future water is the most valuable substance. Two space pirates are captured, sold to a princess, and recruited to help her find her father who disapeared when he found information dangerous to the rulers, namely the existence of Earth. FTP, name this 1984 film.

A: The ICE PIRATES

19. The band's name comes from a film starring George C. Scott and Joanne Woodward. They first developed a following through their Dial-A-Song service, but didn't sign a record deal until People profiled them in 1985. Band members John Linnel and John Flansburgh have written such memorable songs as I Palindrome I, and Purple Toupee. FTP, name this band, whose Istanbul (not Constantinople), and Particle Man found their way into a Tiny Toons episode.

A: THEY MIGHT BE GIANTS

20. A die-hard Notre Dame alum, he first gained national attention as the title character's sidekick on The Joey Bishop Show. He had a new York City talk show with Cindy Garvey, but the show didn't go national until Garvey was replaced by his current co-host. Possibly the most annoying man on TV, this former cracker pitchman is well-balanced by his co-host, the most annoying woman in TV history. FTP, name this man, Kathlie Lee Gifford's co-host.

A: Regis PHILBIN

21. A precocious lad, he hosted a radio program for the Canadian Broadcasting Company at the age of 9. At 21, he was the host of Canada's version of American Bandstand, before becoming the youngest network news anchor ever at age 26. Widely derided as a callow pretty boy, he was replaced by Frank Reynolds, but resumed his anchor role after Reynolds died seven years later. FTP, name this man, the anchor of ABC's World News Tonight.

A: Peter JENNINGS

22. This book was commended by the British Library Association and won the Smarties Book Prize for 1998 however. There were some problems with this, because people were buying it direct from Amazon.com UK, thus annoying Scholastic, who had purchased the rights to distribute it in the U.S. Unfortunately, it probably won't win the Newbery award, since that is awarded to the author who has made the most distinguished contribution to children's literature in America. Name this book, which although a 'children's' title, is currently number 8 on the New York Times BestSeller list.

A: _HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER"S STONE_ (accept Philosopher's Stone)

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- 1. We all remember the book Willi Wonka and the Chocolate Factory, but do you remember the names of the children in the book. Name them for five points each with an additional five if you tell them in order of their loss from the party.
 - A. Augustus Gloop
 - B. Violet Beauregarde
 - C. Veruca Salt
 - D. Mike Teevee
 - E. Charlie Bucket
- 2. There is great anticipation for the up-coming prequel of Star Wars. In a tribute to "great" post- Star Wars careers for many of the cast, we would like you to name the Star Wars actor from one of their post Return of the Jedi films and roles.
- A) For ten points, name this actor who took on the role of Rev. George in 1995s film Village of the Damned?

 Answer: Mark Hamill
- A) For another ten points, identify this actor who went from Jedi in 1983

to A Passage to India in 1984, taking on the role of Professor Godbole. Answer: Alec Guinness

A) For a critical ten points, name this Star Wars actress who took on the role of Janie in the 1991 classic, Drop Dead Fred?

Answer: Carrie Fisher

- 3. Today, the WWF and the WCW are in a heated fight to be the top wrestling league in America. But did you follow your WCW before it Nitro and the N.W.O. Ill give the nickname of a WCW wrestler and you give his name, for five points each.
- A) "The Nature Boy" and "The Dirtiest Player in the Game"

Answer: Ric Flair

B) "The Enforce" and "Double 19"

Answer: Arn Anderson

C) "The Total Package" Answer: Lex Luger

D) "The Canadian Clipper" or "The Wolverine"

Answer: Chris Benoit

And for an additional five points, all these wrestlers were once (or are) members of what WCW clique.

Answer: The Four Horsemen

- 4. Do you know your minor league baseball clubs? I hope so. For the stated amount of points, Ill name the minor league team and you identify its major league parent.
- a) For ten points, what major league team is the parent of the Toledo Mud Hens?

Answer: Detroit Tigers

b) For a second ten point, the parent franchise of the Rochester Red Wings?

Answer: Baltimore Orioles

c) For a third ten point, identify the club whos AAA affiliate is the Las Vegas Stars?

Answer: San Diego Padres

5. 30-20-10, name this great 80s classic.

For thirty points, name this testosterone charged film about a group of boys from a south Florida town who cross the county line to find trouble.

For twenty points, this film has many memorable scenes, including the P.E. teacher who sounds like a dog while having an orgasm and the "Drill a hole in the wall of the girls shower room" scene.

And for ten points, this film has some of the greatest character labels ever, such as Pee Wee, the boy who measures his dick every morning, Meat (the name says it all) and the fat teacher Beulah Balbricker.

Answer: Porkys

- 6. Some consider Major League to be one of the greatest baseball films ever made. If you consider yourself a baseball fan, you need to know all the stars for the Cleveland Indians team that won the AL East in the movie. Ill name the actor, and for five points you name the character the actor played and for an extra five points, name the position the character played.
- A) Tom Berenger

Answer: Jake Taylor and Catcher

B) Charlie Sheen

Answer: Ricky "Wild Thing" Vaughn and Pitcher

C) Wesley Snipes

Answer: Willie Mays Hayes and Outfielder (or Center Fielder)

- 7. One of the great facets about wrestling is the creative finishing moves wrestlers come to adapt and name. Ill name the wrestler and you identify his finishing move, for five points each.
- a) The Godfather Answer: Pimp Drop
- b) Steve Austin Answer: Stunner
- c) Bret "the Hit Man" Hart Answer: The Sharp Shooter
- d) The Rock

Answer: The Rock Bottom

e) Ric Flair

Answer: The Figure Four

e) Diamond Dallas Page Answer: The Diamond Cutter

8. Choose the physical challenge:

For thirty points, everyone on the team must do thirty push-ups. For twenty points, everyone on the team must do twenty push-ups. For ten points, everyone on the team must do ten push-ups.

* natural pause rules still apply

- 9. How much do you know about breast? Recently two women in the news have had changed done to their breast size.
- a) For 15 points, name this blonde vixen who decided to get a breast reduction, though her television shows has recently been prevented from filming down under.

Answer: Pamela Anderson

b) For an additional 15 points, name this 17 year old teen tart who is rumored to have gotten breast implants and is hoping to get "hit on one more time."

Answer: Brittany Spears

10. Do you remember the original American Gladiators, when the studio props looked like they came the local liquor store and the referees wore black hoods? Well, were hoping you remember the six original American Gladiators. For five points each, name the original American Gladiators.

Answer: Turbo, Nitro, Gemini, Zap, Lace and Ice

11. Do you know your television? For ten points, name the longest running sitcom in American history.

Answer: Married With Children

For five points, name the dog in Married with Children.

Answer: Buck

For five points, name Al Bundys alma mater?

Answer: James K. Polk High School

For five points, how many touchdowns did Al Bundy score in one game for Polk High?

Answer: Four touchdowns

For a final five points, name the car that Al Bundy drove?

Answer: a Dodge

12. Everyone knows that Titanic is the highest domestic grossing film ever, with over \$600 million dollars earned. But do you know the entire top 25 by hard? Dont worry, you wont have to name all 25 movies. But for some fun, try to name all the top 25 grossing films whos titles start with the letters G or J (hint: there is four films altogether)

Answers: Ghost, Ghostbusters, Jaws, Jurassic Park

And for ten additional points, name the top two grossing films made before 1975.

Answers: Gone with the Wind and Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs

13. 30-20-10 name this movie

For 30 points, the beginning of this film starts in the parking lot of the Puente Hills Mall in Hacienda Heights, California.

For 20 points, the mall's name changes from Twin Pines to Single Pine Mall.

For 10 points, in this film, a dog named Einstein is the first organic creature to go through time travel.

Answer: Back to the Future

- 14. Given the holiday or observance, supply its date on a 5-10-15 basis
 - 1.For 5, Flag Day
 - A: 4 14

June

- 2. For 10, United Nations Day A: OCTOBER 24
- 3 Citizenship Day

A: SEPTEMBER 17

- 15. Scarlett O'Hara went through three husbands in the twelve-year span of Margaret Mitchell's Gone With the Wind. Name each of them, for 10 points per correct answer...
 - A: Charles HAMILTON, Frank KENNEDY, Rhett BUTLER
- 16. 30-20-10: Name the men's Olympic event given the name of the winner in a particular year:
 - 30: 1980, Allan Wells
 - 20: 1992, Linford Christie
 - 10: 1936, Jesse Owens
 - A: 100 METER DASH
- 17. For five points each and a five point bonus for all correct, name all five of the members of the band Spinal Tap from the 1984 Rob Reiner film This is Spinal Tap.
- A: David <u>ST. HUBBINS</u>, Nigel <u>TUFNEL</u>, Derek <u>SMALLS</u>, Ian <u>FAITH</u>, Mick <u>SHRIMPTON</u>
- 18. The Lovecraft Bonus (Mark I): For ten points each, identify the story from the clues. 10 Points each.
- 1. Wilbur Whateley's evil half-brother is unleashed on the populace of a Central Massachusetts town, and is brought to heel as he calls upon Yog-Sothoth by the Alchemy Department of Miskatonic University.

A: THE DUNWICH HORROR

2. Another Massachusetts town, this time a seaside fishing village, is the site of the religious Esoteric Order of Dagon, which has supplanted Christianity, as the populace interbreed with the Deep Ones who live in a trench off the coast, as the narrator finds to his horror.

A: THE SHADOW OVER INNSMOUTH

3. The area now covered by the Quabbin Resevoir, which supplies Boston, is struck by a small, peculiarly colored meteorite, whose odd colors and emanations proceed to cause a deadly blight, slowly killing

people, livestock, and vegetation, before the resevior covers the area forever.

A: THE COLOR OUT OF SPACE

19. Name as many of the bands that guest starred on the Simpsons episode "Homerpalooza" as you can. You will receive 10 points for one band, 20 for two, and 30 for all four.

A: <u>CYPRESS HILL</u>, Peter <u>FRAMPTON</u>, <u>SMASHING PUMPKINS</u>, and <u>SONIC</u> YOUTH

4. 30-20-10, name this award winning ninetys film.

For 30 points, 20th Century Fox films typically has a code name for the film cans of the advance screening prints of its films. This films code name was "Babys Day Out 2."

For 20 points, this movie was given permission from the the Muse national d'Art Moderne, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris to have authentic cameos of many of its masterpieces, including Pablo Picassos "The Guitar Player."

And for 10 points, the studios wanted Matthew McConaughey to play the role of the protagonist, but the director insisted for an actor whose career is now defined by the movie in question.

Answer: Titanic