

2006 TRASH Regionals

Round 02

Tossups

1. It was patented by Wickenburg silversmith Vic Cedarstaff, who was supposedly inspired by the wind blowing his hat off. Named after an object used by Argentinian gauchos, it was invented after Cedarstaff's friends liked how the man had merely been trying not to lose the silver buckle on his hat band by putting it around his neck. For ten points, name this official neckwear of Arizona usually consisting of an ornament dangling from a leather cord.

ANSWER: **bolo tie** or **bola tie**

2. He discovered music at age six, taking guitar lessons from a woman who placed an ad in his father's shop window. Moving to the United States from New Zealand in the mid-'90s, he formed his first American group, The Ranch, in 1997. The group split after just one album, allowing this artist to work as a session musician for Garth Brooks and the Dixie Chicks. He finally achieved fame with his 1999 eponymous album, which featured such hit songs as "It's a Love Thing" and "Your Everything." Later hits included "Days Go By" and "Somebody Like You". For ten points, name this country singer best known to non-country fans as the current boyfriend of Nicole Kidman.

ANSWER: Keith **Urban**

3. In 1967, he became the first player in the Super Bowl era to run, catch and throw for a touchdown in the same game. A quarterback at South Carolina, he was drafted as a fullback by the Cowboys, for whom he had a then-team record 16 touchdowns in 1966. As a head coach, he had tenures with the Giants and Falcons, winning coach of the year with each. For ten points, name this man whose record nine Super Bowls as player or coach includes three losses as head coach of the Denver Broncos.

ANSWER: Dan **Reeves**

4. In a March interview in *Teen People* she said she'd tried cocaine, which she found fun – for 20 minutes. She is in what she considers her first "mature relationship" with spoiled layabout Brody Jenner of *The Princes of Malibu* fame. While she was nominated for the It Girl award at VH1's Big in '05 Awards, her loss to Lindsay Lohan fueled talk of a feud – as did her discovery of Lohan in bed with Talan Torriero. A co-host of UPN's *Get This Party Started*, she said she will watch *The Hills*, a spin-off of her best-known show starring her nemesis, Lauren Conrad. Name, for ten points, this Chicago-born star of the MTV reality soap *Laguna Beach*.

ANSWER: Kristin **Cavallari**

5. The 1992 article "Strange Love" in which Courtney Love admitted to using heroin while pregnant. 2004's "Double Exposure," a profile of Joe Wilson and Valerie Plame. "The Man Who Knew Too Much," the 1996 tobacco industry exposé adapted into the film *The Insider*. 2005's "I'm the Guy They Called Deep Throat" which outed Mark Felt. These articles all appeared in, for ten points, what glamour magazine which has also featured naked photos of Scarlett Johansson, Keira Knightley, and a pregnant Demi Moore on its cover?

ANSWER: **Vanity Fair**

6. (AUDIO) For ten points, name the movie studio which makes use of this fanfare. (Track 06)

ANSWER: **MGM** or **Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer**

7. First released in 1999, its most recent incarnation includes 8-player competitions where each player uses half a controller, and those using a microphone, like Mathemortician, Oil Crisis and Boxing Day. Minigames included in the first game in this series included Ghost Guess, Tug o'War and Bombsketball. For ten points, name this Nintendo series in which minigames are played based on the results of a board-game-like competition between staple Nintendo characters like Princess Peach, Luigi and that other Italian plumber.

ANSWER: **Mario Party**

8. In August 2005, he unretired the same week as teammates Lilian Thuram and Claude Makélélé. He quit international play in 2004 and said he would retire completely after the end of his contract with Real Madrid. He may be motivated by a disappointing 2002 World Cup when his country went scoreless in the first round as injury caused him to miss all but one game for the defending champs. For ten points, name this three-time FIFA World Player of the Year, a Frenchman of Algerian descent nicknamed "Zizou."

ANSWER: Zinedine Yazid **Zidane**

9. Credit for this creation often goes to a New York financier who urged the chef of Delmonico's to create something new in 1893. Others credit a stockbroker who, in 1894, allegedly requested this at New York's Waldorf hotel as a hangover cure. Regional variations include the Maryland, which is served on crab cakes, the Norwegian, which features smoked salmon, and Florentine, which replaces bacon with sauteed spinach. For ten points, name this popular brunch dish that generally consists of English muffins, smoked bacon or ham, hollandaise sauce and a poached dairy product.

ANSWER: Eggs Benedict

10. This TV show's main concept is made possible through the work of Brian Sipe and Keith Vanderlaan, and the makeup and visual effects company they work for, Captive Audience. In it, native Californians Bruno, Carmen, and Rose Wurgel move into a LA-area house with Brian, Rene, and Nick Sparks, who are from Georgia. With the assistance of Sipe and Vanderlaan, the families move into each other's cultural territory, such as when Rose starts to poetry slam or when Nick gets his etiquette classmates to use the N-word. Created and produced by R.J. Cutler and Ice Cube, name, for ten points, this FX original series where families trade colors.

ANSWER: Black.White.

11. It was created by William Benitez, who was an Arizona inmate at the time. It currently touts the New Life Program, which incorporates a health regimen known as the Purification Rundown. It claims to be over 70% successful for the people willing to fork over \$20,000 for three or four months in the program which has been used by Kirstie Alley, who claims it helped her kick her cocaine habit. For ten points, name this drug rehab program linked to Scientology.

ANSWER: Narconon or Narcotics Anonymous

12. He directed the music videos of "All the Way to Reno" for R.E.M., as well as "Boom!" for System of a Down. In 1972, he won a seat on his local school board on a platform based on firing his high school principal and vice principal, who both resigned by the end of his term. An Eagle Scout and former *Mother Jones* editor, he used a legal settlement and home bingo games to fund his first film. Current projects include *Sicko*, an expose of managed-care and pharmaceutical companies. For ten points, name this Oscar winner who plans a 2008 release for *Fahrenheit 9/11 and* .

ANSWER: Michael Moore

13. This group's Web site features a fake wet t-shirt game that tricks you to listen to its most well-known song. The band describes itself as "a monster truck having sex with a Bond girl" and is a sort of supergroup as it features former members of the Wallflowers, Spacehog and Cibo Matto. However, they take a backseat to lead singer Chantal Claret. "Jetsetter" was the first single released off its 2006 debut album, but "Nth Degree" has propelled them to notoriety. For ten points, name this band that might be a side effect of Viagra.

ANSWER: Morningwood

14. He vowed never to be involved with Hollywood again, after running into studio interference while writing the scripts for *RoboCop 2* and *3*. His lesser-known works include the self-owned *Ronin* and *Big Guy and Rusty the Boy Robot*. Recently announcing plans for *Holy Terror*, *Batman!* in which al-Qaeda attacks Gotham City, he first gained note for his run on *Daredevil* and relented in allowing Robert Rodriguez to make *Sin City*. For ten points, name this creator of *The Dark Knight Returns*.

ANSWER: Frank Miller

15. From 1968 through 1989, he accumulated 37 separate moving violations in Maryland and Virginia, and settled a claim from a 1974 fatality in Pennsylvania. In 1986, he admitted to soliciting assistance from the Gambino crime family to keep his company, which he took over from his father in 1948, union-free. The namesake of the business school at Salisbury State University, he appeared in more than 200 TV commercials for his company which, as of 2005, processes 52 million pounds of poultry a week. For ten points, name this man, whose namesake company taught us that it took a tough man to make a tender chicken.

ANSWER: Frank Perdue

16. The movement began in France in the 1950s, with an aesthetic similar to that of "free cinema" in the UK and "Direct Cinema" in the US. Directors associated with the school include Richard Leacock, Michel Brault, Gilles Groulx, and Barbara Kopple. Films in the style include *Don't Look Back*, *Cocksucker Blues* and *West 47th Street*. For ten points, name this style translated from the Russian "Kino-Pravda" into a more familiar French phrase.

ANSWER: Cinema Verité

17. As a high school senior, he honored his slain grandfather by scoring 61 points in a game, one for every year of his life. Mr. North Carolina Basketball in 2003, he quickly made a name for himself in the ACC by winning national freshman of the year and breaking five school records. The next year, he averaged 2.4 steals, 6.6 assists and 15.3 points per game, becoming a first-team All-American and No. 4 pick in the 2005 draft. For ten points, name this Wake Forest star and current Hornets point guard, the favorite for Rookie of the Year.

ANSWER: Chris Paul

18. It was partially recorded at Slane Castle, but its cover shows a picture of Moydrum Castle. Featuring the songs “Elvis Presley and America,” its tour was memorialized in the *Wide Awake in America* EP. It takes its name from a series of paintings by Japanese atomic bomb survivors and was the band’s first effort with producers Daniel Lanois and Brian Eno. For ten points, name this album featuring “A Sort of Homecoming” and “Pride (In the Name of Love)” which was released in 1984 by U2.

ANSWER: The Unforgettable Fire

19. Its first episode featured Francoise Fromage and his Dancing Cheeses, the signing of the Declaration of Independence through the lens of Great Moments in Elvis History, and Michelle Pfeiffer as one of two special guest stars playing Maria von Trapp. New characters introduced during its run on ABC and the Disney Channel included Bobo the Bear, Bill the Bubble Guy, Johnny Fiama, and the new show’s host, Clifford, a self-described “homey made of foamy.” Set at the TV station KMUP, this is, for ten points, what 1998 attempt to make Jim Henson’s creations relevant to a new generation?

ANSWER: Muppets Tonight!

20. From 1986 to 2002, he allegedly carried on a relationship with Laura Nygren, who reportedly first met him six weeks into his marriage. The youngest of nine children born into poverty in Chicago, he was the third pick in the 1982 draft. In his first major league game just two years later, he had four hits. His best season was 1988, when he hit .358 and led the AL in hits and total bases, one year after winning his first of two World Series titles. For ten points, name this 10-time All-Star and Twins Hall of Famer who died in 2006.

ANSWER: Kirby Puckett

21. Starla Grant has a big problem. Her husband has turned into a giant potato-like creature, hellbent on destroying planet earth. He’s also been a touch indiscreet, and details of their marriage have spread all over the small town of Wheelys. It’s up to Sheriff Bill Pardy to save the planet in, for ten points, what wormy 2006 horror flick starring Nathan Fillion and Elizabeth Banks.

ANSWER: Slither