## TRASHionals 12 Round 3 Toss-Ups

1. It began production in Burlington Vermont in 1994, though it relocated in 1997 to South Burlington. Their official website features a "Sipcode" locator, as well as a 2009 contest for designing a t-shirt to celebrate the 9th of September. New experiments are found under their "Odd Notions" section and have featured drinks incorporating agave and poppy seeds. Their humdingers include their inaugural Epic Elixir named Braggot, a honey ale, as well as Feast of Fools and Chaotic Chemistry. Retired drinks include Mother Lager, Jeezum Jim, Humble Patience, Ravell, Fat Angel and Hocus Pocus, though some of them occasionally get remade. For ten points, identify this microbrewery whose seasonal and year round beers include Jinx, Lucky Kat and #9.

Answer: Magic Hat

2. This man directed several documentaries about art, including 1948's Oscar-winning *Van Gogh*. Stephen Sondheim scored his *Stavisky* ... and Jules Feiffer scripted his *I Want to Go Home*, while David Mercer wrote and John Gielgud starred in his first work in English, *Providence*. Dr. Henri Laborit explains theories of human nature in his *Mon Oncle d'Amerique*, but he is better known for the Holocaust documentary *Night and Fog* and for working with writers like Jorge Semprun, Marguerite Duras, and Alain Robbe-Grillet on films that broke ground by mixing past and present, memory and imagination, and fantasy and reality. For ten points, name this French New Wave director of *Muriel*, *Last Year at Marienbad*, and *Hiroshima mon amour*.

Answer: Alain Resnais

3. [AUDIO] For ten points, given clips of four songs, give the shared title: [Track #10]

Answer: "Home" [The songs are by Joe Diffie, Blessid Union of Souls, Alan Jackson, and Daughtry]

4. Its original compilers were Ross and Norris MacWhirter, twins with photographic memories; in a popular TV segment, they were quizzed by schoolchildren on specific entries, and generally instantly recalled the exact details. Liquor, wine, and beer were removed in 1991, as were sword swallowing and rally driving, as possibly dangerous. Years after Rossi¿½s assassination by the IRA, it was taken over by Ripley�s and became illustrated, cutting down on its inclusiveness. An alliance with Twin Galaxies led to the first gamer edition in 2008. For ten points, getting hit by lightning 7 times, and pogo sticking 11 1/2 miles up and down Mount Fuji might get you into, for ten points, what compilation of human achievements?

Answer: <u>Guiness World Records</u> or The <u>Guiness Book of World Records</u> or the <u>Guiness Book of Records</u> (published under all 3 names)

5. Delaware native Ryan Ward was busted after spending much of the summer of 2008 impersonating this man. Called up to the majors after only 18 appearances combined in Tampa, Scranton, and Trenton, he previously led the Nebraska Cornhuskers to their first ever College World Series appearance. Born with the relatively plain name of Justin Heath, notable career happenings thus far include being tossed from a game for throwing at Boston's Kevin Youkilis and blowing a 1-0 lead after being unable to cope with a swarm of bugs in a playoff game against Cleveland. For ten points name this already celebrated 23-year old pitcher, scheduled to be in this year's rotation for the New York Yankees.

Answer: Joba Chamberlain

6. He sometimes uses the alias Dan Presser and claims he's from Farmington, Connecticut. He has very strong opinions about food, noting that Mency's has the best swordfish and pea soup, while Poppy's has the best duck. He once traded an Armani suit for a meal, but argued that both soup and soup and sandwich do not comprise a meal, annoying the recipient of the suit enough that he gave it away to Simon, the then-boyfriend of an ex-girlfriend. As a performer he likes bits that don't make you think, which could explain why his act revolves around drink mixes that dissolve in milk. Played by Steve Hytner, name, for ten points, this awful stand up comic who idolizes Jerry Seinfeld.

Answer: Kenny Bania (BAN-ya)

7. The concept comes from the 1902 novel <u>The Little White Bird</u>: they are created when newborn babies laugh for the first time and the laugh reaches the Home Tree. More recent appearances are in the novels Mysterious Messages, Prilla�s Prize, and The Shell Gift. They include Terence and Bobbie, who are more properly "sparrow men" as well as the Dragon Kyto. If you visit the Magic Kingdom, you can meet them at the Pixie Hollow. A marketing blitz surrounded a 2008 straight-to-DVD release and its sequel which involved a Lost Treasure. For ten points, give the collective name that Disney has given to the Neverland dwellers who live with Tinker Bell.

Answer: Disney Fairies

8. The Sounds' lead singer Maja Ivarsson was part of a super-group formed to perform the song that plays over this movie's closing credits. Todd Louiso appears as a scientist who accompanies FBI agent Hank Harris in a subplot. At the end, one of Three G's bodyguards demonstrates expertise gained from a Playstation 2. Beginning with Sean Jones witnessing a murder carried out by gangster Eddie Kim, it follows the heroic efforts of Claire, played by Julianna Margulies, and Agent Neville Flynn to protect passengers aboard Pacific Air Flight 121. For ten points, I have had it with these motherfucking players who can't name this motherfucking 2006 Samuel L. Jackson film featuring venomous airborne reptiles!

Answer: <u>Snakes on a Plane</u> (prompt on "Cobra Starship" or "Bring It" before "this movie")

9. This instrument is heard at the opening of Gabriela Anders' 2005 adult contemporary hit, "Embrace Me," and at the opening of Jewel's 2003 hit, "Intuition." Former Pat Benatar sideman Charlie Giordano played this instrument on "Oh, Mary Don't you Weep" and other tracks backing Bruce Springsteen as part of the Seeger Sessions Band in 2006. It is the only instrument backing on the song "The Day" by They Might Be Giants. Use one of these instruments and go to jail is a bumper sticker placed in the cartoon album cover of Al Yankovic's vinyl debut. For ten points, name this instrument given a near-weekly showcase in the 1960's and today's PBS repeats by Myron Floren as a featured performer on *The Lawrence Welk Show*.

Answer: Accordion

10. He won the Miller Genuine Draft Championships in 1994, becoming the youngest driver to do so. He would move up through various series until 1997, when fellow Wisconsinite Robbie Reiser had him join his Busch Series team. He would post seven top 10 finishes that year, and was runner up in Rookie of the Year voting. The next year he was the runner up in the Busch points race and finished sixth in his first-ever NASCAR race at Dover. He joined the Nextel Cup full time in 2000, and captured that year's Coca-Cola 600 as he would become a top-ten points mainstay, only putting together enough points to win the Cup in 2003. Driver of the number 17 DeWalt car, name, for ten points, this NASCAR driver who won the first two races of 2009, most notably the Daytona 500.

Answer: Matt Kenseth

11. A 1997 Broadway revival by Roundabout Theatre Company saw Brent Spiner nominated for a Drama Desk Award for his performance in this role. Another actor famous for his television roles, William Daniels, portrayed him in the 1972 film adaptation of the musical. Historian David McCullough disputes this man's depiction of being "obnoxious and disliked," which is somewhat central to the plot, as he was well-respected during the Second Continental Congress. The singer of such numbers as "Piddle, Twiddle and Resolve"/"Till Then" and "Is Anybody There?" name, for ten points, this central character from *1776* a somewhat historical amalgamation of an American President and his cousin Samuel.

Answer: John Adams from 1776

12. A gospel singer who had studied opera, she was part of The Gems, the house vocal group for Chess Records, before recording "Lonely Girl" under the name Andrea Davis. She then joined The Rotary Connection before being recruited for the Wonderlove backing band by Stevie Wonder, who produced her biggest solo album, *Perfect Angel*, which yielded a #1 hit. For ten points, name this singer who topped the charts in 1975 with "Lovin' You".

Answer: Minnie Riperton

13. This movie is credited with making a name the most popular girls' name in America. Ending at Mount Sinai's Klingenstein Pavilion and opening with a victory by Cornell's ice hockey team, it features Tommy Lee Jones as Hank Simpson, and the protagonist was reportedly a composite of him and his college roommate, Al Gore. The first line describes one character as "beautiful and brilliant" with an affinity for "Mozart and Bach, the Beatles, and me," while its most famous piece of dialogue was mocked by the actor who said it in *What's Up, Doc?*. Roger Ebert noted that it centers on a disease whose only symptom is an increase in the victim's beauty. Oliver Barrett IV loses Jenny in, for ten points, what 1970 drama that gave us the phrase, "Love means never having to say you're sorry"?

Answer: Love Story

14. One of this game's secrets involves unlocking Bones Jackson, a character from a 1993 Sega Genesis title. Target stores sold a special "pink" version of it to help raise money for breast cancer awareness and prevention. Features used to help the player get better at the game include Backtrack, which highlights the player's mistakes, and the namesake IQ that tailors the difficulty level to the player's abilities. Sam's Club stores offered to print an alternate cover for this game after its cover figure moved to New York from Green Bay. For ten points, name this latest installment in a long-running football series.

Answer: Madden NFL 09 (prompt on Madden; accept reasonable alternatives as long as they mention the series and year)

15. Produced by Augenblick Studios, its pilot aired May 13, 2007, with the series starting about a year and a half later. The last shot of the end of the first season was the same as the first shot in the beginning of the two-part finale, making "Time Police" a complete loop. Built inside of a volcano which sits inside a larger volcano, it houses billions of out-of-control violent psychopaths. Most episodes of the first season begin with Jacknife being returned to it by the security robot while Cheeseburger featuring Doc's "Comin' Home" plays. Other main characters include blonde identical twins wearing outfits resembling those worn by the Sandmen in *Logan's Run*, the big-headed accountant Jared and the transvestite guard Alice. For ten points, identify this Adult Swim show about the prison run by the sadistic Willy Wonkaesque Warden.

Answer: Superjail!

16. Sources include Polus and the Empress Teta system. Sometimes used in bota plant smuggling, inserts made from it are common components of hyperdrives. Most sources describe it as metallic though its properties appear to resemble a cross between graphite and dry ice. Used as packaging material to ship unstable Tibanna gas from Bespin, it was discovered in the New Republic era that it was largely impervious to The Force. It's most famous use, though, was the result of a successful experiment involving Ugnaught technicians during the Imperial era. For ten points name this fictional substance from the Star Wars universe, demonstrated to be able to keep living things in suspended animation after it was used in The Empire Strikes Back to freeze Han Solo.

Answer: carbonite

17. The second special from the show he appears in, which originally aired February 2, 2005, was devoted entirely to him and his new and improved 2.0 version. The event that catalyzed his rebuilding was the Ming Dynasty Astronaut, though The Mad Trombonist, Boom Lift Catapult and Elevator of Death certainly didn't help him either. Some of his season 1 highlights include the Raccoon Rocket, Hammer Drop, Barrel of Bricks and his debut performance. Due to the nature of his work, he had undergone stress, forces and impacts beyond his manufacturer's specifications. First appearing to dispel the exploding toilet myth when Jamie realized the foam being used was flammable, identify, for ten points, this oft-used dummy from *Mythbusters*.

Answer: Buster

18. He played Doug Kroll, the roommate of a man who falls for a woman in Italy before returning to LA, in the short-lived drama *Relativity*. His guest work includes playing a man who resumes suicide attempts after the theft of gasoline is rectified on *My Name Is Earl*, Chandler's new roommate Eddie Menuek on *Friends*, and Nick, the son of noted animated film producer Phil Rubenstein on *Entourage*. His newest role is as a New York City Police Detective who seemingly welcomes death after ignoring a brain tumor diagnosis on *The Unusuals*, a gig that will hopefully last longer than his one as Russell Shultz, an attorney with mental problems, on the two episode run of Fox's *Head Cases*. For ten points, name this actor also known for his portrayal of a Jewish superhero in *The Hebrew Hammer*.

Answer: Adam Goldberg

19. After his work on this album, Scandal drummer Thommy Price later joined the singer's band. Split evenly between uptempo numbers such as "Blue Highway" and "(Do Not) Stand In The Shadows" and slower songs such as "Daytime Drama," eight of its nine songs, the exception being the final single, "Catch My Fall," were co-written with guitarist Steve Stevens. The inspiration for the title track supposedly came from a brand of bourbon Keith Richards persuaded the singer to try. David Mallet directed stylish videos for "Flesh For Fantasy" and "Eyes Without A Face" that helped make this album a breakthrough for the artist. For ten points, name this 1984 album by Billy Idol, whose opening track about a "little dancer" famously left listeners wanting "more...more!"

Answer: Rebel Yell

20. He attended the school that was the center of 1996's Dunblane Massacre, and was in a youth group run by gunman Thomas Hamilton. Wins in the junior Orange Bowl and US Open tournaments led him to be named on his country's 2004 Davis Cup team. The following year, his wild card to Wimbledon saw him upset Radek Stepanek and make the third round. He would get his first ATP win at the SAP Open in 2006, and has 11 tour wins overall. His Grand Slam career got into gear in 2008, as he made the quarters at Wimbledon and lost to Roger Federer in the US Open finals. With a win in 2009 in Miami, name, for ten points, this Scottish tennis player.

Answer: Andy Murray

21. It was his idea to change the R. F. Simpson dramatic silent film starring Lockwood and Lamont from *The Dueling Cavalier* into the musical comedy *The Dancing Cavalier* after the success of *The Jazz Singer* prompted the studio head to make the transition. He is one of three men to raise the curtain at the end of the musical, revealing the deception behind Lina's lip-synching to propel his best friend's love interest, Kathy, into stardom. Though he has no numbers in Act II, he gets to sing "Fit as a Fiddle" and "Moses Supposes" with Don in Act I. For ten points, identify this sidekick to Don Lockwood in *Singing in the Rain* who sings "Make 'Em Laugh."

Answer: Cosmo Brown

## **TRASHionals 12**

## Round 3

## **Bonuses**

- 1. The '70s may have been the Golden Age of the concert album, but some bands popular with college radio in the 1990s managed to recreate that phenomenon with live sets of their own. Answer these questions about three such acts for ten points each.
  - 1. The 1996 live release *Rock Spectacle* outsold any of this Canadian band's previous studio efforts in the U.S. and introduced many American listeners to songs like "Brian Wilson" and "The Old Apartment."

Answer: <u>Barenaked Ladies</u> (or BNL)

2. This jam band reached what was then a high water mark on mainstream rock radio stations with a live version of "Bouncing Around The Room," from their first official non-studio release, *A Live One*, in 1995.

Answer: Phish

3. The 1997 live set *Living In Clip* included songs like "32 Flavors" and "Both Hands," as well as an epic version of the hymn "Amazing Grace" served to many as an introduction to this singer-songwriter; like all her other output, it was released on her own Righteous Babe label.

Answer: Ani DiFranco

- 2. Career numbers of Martin Brodeur, for ten points each.
  - 1. Earlier this season, Brodeur broke the all-time wins record set by this mentor who played for Montreal and Colorado.

Answer: Patrick Roy (ruh-WA)

2. Brodeur also holds the record for most games played by a goalie with 999, over 50 more than this second place netminder, who will likely retire after spending this season with Toronto.

Answer: Curtis Joseph

3. Brodeur is the active career leader in goals against average, but is just five-hundredths of a goal ahead of this Dallas goalie.

Answer: Marty Turco

- 3. For ten points each, answer these prime time shows where animation did not equal domination.
  - 1. This 2004 NBC flop was a family-style show set among white lions, one of whom, voiced by John Goodman, is part of Sigfried and Roy's Las Vegas show. It was almost canceled when Roy was mauled by a tiger the year before.

Answer: Father of the Pride

2. This 1999 show on the WB followed Cosmopolis resident Andy French as he tried to become a cartoonist while looking after his brother, Kevin, a high schooler left with Andy when their parents moved to Wyoming. The should would also air on TBS and as a part of Adult Swim.

Answer: Mission Hill

3. Eddie Murphy helped create and starred in this show, which aired on Fox and the WB from 1999 to 2001. It followed the trials and tribulations of Thurgood Stubbs, the superintendent of the Lawrence Hilton-Jacobs projects in New York.

Answer: The PJs

- 4. His performance as a Mexican national hero in *Juarez* was the inspiration for Sean Connery's famous introduction as James Bond. For ten points each:
  - 1. Name this Jewish-American actor who won an Oscar for *The Story of Louis Pasteur* and also starred in *The Life of Emile Zola, Scarface*, and *The Good Earth*.

Answer: Paul Muni

2. Muni delivered the chilling final line "I steal!" in this 1932 classic, based on the true story of Robert E. Burns' imprisonment in Georgia.

Answer: I Am a Fugitive from a Chain Gang

3. Muni was Oscar-nominated for both his first film, 1929's *The Valiant*, and his last, three decades later, in which he played a Brooklyn doctor whose nephew profiles him on TV. Name that 1959 drama directed by Daniel Mann and featuring a young Billy Dee Williams.

Answer: The Last Angry Man

5. The setting is a video arcade in the year 1982, back when it was full of space-themed shoot'em ups. Given screenshots of six examples of this genre from back in the day, name the game for five points each.

Answer: a. Space Invaders b. Vanguard c. Galaga d. Tempest e. Star Wars f. Zaxxon

- 6. Given a name and/or description of a title person or entity from one of John Grisham's legal thrillers, name the novel for ten points each.
  - 1. The Law Offices of Bendini, Lambert, and Locke

Answer: The Firm

2. Young Memphis personal injury plaintiffs' attorney Rudy Baylor

Answer: The Rainmaker

3. Young New York corporate attorney and Yale Law Graduate Kyle McAvoy

Answer: The Associate

- 7. For ten points each, name these quarterbacks who made cameo appearances during week 17 games in the 2008 NFL season.
  - 1. This long-time backup to Peyton Manning made the most of his last week start by beating the Titans 23-0. Answer: Jim Sorgi
  - 2. The Titans also took the week to rest Kerry Collins, and thus got bookend starts from this QB, who started the first game of the season before getting injured or throwing a fit or whatever.

Answer: Vince Young

3. Injuries to Derek Anderson, Brady Quinn and Ken Dorsey led to this free agent starting for the Browns against the Steelers. He went 5 of 16 for 18 yards and 2 interceptions, ending the game with a 1.0 rating.

Answer: Bruce Gradowski

8. [AUDIO] For ten points, name the classic detective show from its theme song:

1. [Track #11]

Answer: Peter Gunn

2. [Track #12]

Answer: Cannon

3. [Track #13]

Answer: Mannix

- 9. Celebrity sex tapes! Need I say more? For ten points each:
  - 1. Colin Farrell issued a restraining order against (how often do you expect to hear that phrase?) the distribution of a sex tape involving him and this January 2002 Playboy Playmate of the month.

Answer: Nicole Narain

2. Before his release of their escapades together, Paris Hilton was merely famous for being famousi; ½ and rich.

Answer: Rick Salomon

3. Not to be out, Kim Kardashian was able to keep up with Paris after this R&B singer released one of their encounters in 2007.

Answer: Ray J

- 10. Answer the following about brand new mother and all-over-the-news singer-rapper-you-name-it phenomenon known as M.I.A. For ten points each.
  - 1. M.I.A. was born in London but lived for much of her life in this civil-war torn island nation; she and her family had to leave in part because her father had been involved in a separatist movement.

Answer: Sri Lanka

2. A major breakthrough for M.I.A. occurred when this song from her most recent album, Kala, was featured in a trailer for *Pineapple Express*. A remix of it also made a brief appearance in *Slumdog Millionaire*.

Answer: Paper Planes

3. M.I.A. was co-nominated for an Oscar for Best Original Song for "O...Saya," with this Indian composer and musician; the song lost out to one of his other pieces for *Slumdog Millionaire*, "Jai Ho."

Answer: Allah Rakha Rahman or A.R. Rahman

- 11. Anthropomorphic characters with something else in common! For ten points each:
  - 1. First appearing in Marvel's *Adventure into Fear* #19, this ill-tempered character received thousands of write-in votes during the 1976 US Presidential Campaign as the candidate for the "All-Night Party."

Answer: Howard the Duck

2. Another comic-book anthropomorph is this DC Comics hero, originally created under the auspices of Fawcett Comics in *Fawcett's Funny Animals* #1, who is associated with Captain Marvel and also gains his powers by invoking SHAZAM!

Answer: Hoppy the Marvel Bunny

3. The star of 31 shorts for ABC Saturday morning cartoons from 1974-1976, this secret alter ego of Penrod Pooch and "number one super guy."

Answer: <u>Hong Kong Phooey</u>

- 12. Blackjack is a fairly simple game that has been solved. For ten points, name the best action to take in these circumstances if you don't have any special information about the cards.
  - 1. You are holding an ace and a deuce, and the dealer shows a 6.

Answer: Double Down

2. You have two fours, and the dealer shows a 5.

Answer: Split the fours (do not accept hit)

3. Some casinos allow this option, which you should take when you have a hard 15 or 16 and the dealer shows an ace or a ten.

Answer: Surrender

- 13. Given a description of a movie that features man-eating crocodiles, name it for ten points each.
  - 1. This 2007 thriller, starring Dominic Purcell and Orlando Jones, is based on the story of a man-eating Nile crocodile in Burundi known as Gustave, who may still be alive. Trailers and posters implied the movie was about a "serial killer" and took great pains not to disclose they were taking about a crocodile.

Answer: Primeval

2. This 2008 Australian horror movie, based on part in true events, starred Diana Glenn as one of a group of people in a mangrove swamp who gets attacked by crocodiles, and shares its name with a novella by Joyce Carol Oates as well as a 1975 hit song for the Doobie Brothers.

Answer: Black Water

- 3. Far less realistic or plausible than the above two films, this tongue-in-cheek 1999 horror flick starred Bill Pullman, Bridget Fonda, one or more killer crocodiles living in a lake in Maine, and a foul-mouthed Betty White. Answer: *Lake Placid*
- 14. Whores, booze and way too much fireceness. Welcome to watching what happens on Bravo. Given quotes, identify the Bravo TV shows for ten points each. If you need to know the name of the person speaking, you'll get five.
  - 1. (10) "Close your legs to married men."

(5) Ne Ne Leakes

Answer: Real Housewives of Atlanta

2. (10) "She looks like Barefoot Appalachain Lil' Abner Barbie"

(5)Michael Kors

Answer: Project Runway

3. (10) "I'm not your bitch, bitch!"

(5) Dave Martin Answer: <u>Top Chef</u>

- 15. For ten points each, name these retired baseball players who appeared on their first and last Baseball Hall of Fame ballots in 2008.
  - 1. This retired Cub and Diamondbacks player had the most hits in the 1990s, which wasn't enough to get him named on five percent of the ballots, though he came the closest out of all the players who will only be on the ballot once.

Answer: Mark Grace

2. He played second base and shortstop for Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Kansas City, Arizona and the Mets, and ended his career with a .265 batting average, 195 homers and 868 RBI. He was known for his prowess at bunting, which may be what got him his two votes.

Answer: Jay Bell

3. He was the lone pitcher to not get a single vote. In a career lasting from 1986 to 2003 he played for Milwaukee, the Cubs, Pittsburgh, Toronto twice, Arizona and Philadelphia, ending with a 65-71 record, a 3.64 ERA and 158 saves. He is the Brewers' career leader in ERA and saves, and he was the last Phillie to pitch in a game at Veterans Stadium. All good enough to land him on the MLB Network, but not in the hall.

Answer: Dan Plesac

16. Identify these bands from the 1970s whose names might lead you, if you didn't know better, to mistakenly refer to each one as "him" rather than "them," for ten points each.

1. This Southern rock band, famous for a string of '70s hits from "Free Bird" to "What's Your Name?," and a 1977 plane crash that killed most of its members, their name was a mocking tribute to a similarly-named gym teacher in their Jacksonville, Florida high school.

Answer: Lynyrd Skynyrd

2. Named for the nickname of a deceased friend, this California outfit's smooth late '70s hits included "I Go To Rio," "Love Will Find A Way," and "Whatcha Gonna Do?"

Answer: Pablo Cruise

3. This Canadian band, named for the "proper" name of the character better known as Winnie the Pooh, had a string of soft early '70s hits including "Last Song" and "Close Your Eyes."

Answer: Edward Bear

- 17. Given a superhero or superhero team appearing in a newspaper comic, name the comic for ten points each.
  - 1. Paper Jam Boy, Doorstoppo, and Stapler Man attempt to rescue a female croc from a zebra in this strip. Answer: Pearls Before Swine
  - 2. The title character often reads comics featuring Supercaptaincoolman battling Horsehead in Mrs. Wilkinsi; ½ class.

Answer: Curtis

3. God Man, who is omnipotent, appears in this left-leaning weekly feature by Ruben Boiling, often seen in independent papers.

Answer: Tom the Dancing Bug

- 18. He directed a 2004 pilot for a *Lost in Space* update for the WB. For ten points each:
  - 1. Name this filmmaker known for Mexican standoffs, drawn-out gun battles, and overuse of doves who came to Hollywood to direct the Jean-Claude Van Damme vehicle *Hard Target*.

Answer: John Woo

2. Woo's breakthrough was this 1986 action thriller, recently named the 2nd greatest Chinese movie of all time at the Hong Kong Film Awards. It made a star out of Chow Yun-Fat, who plays Mark, a triad member whose best friend's brother, Kit, becomes a cop.

Answer: A Better Tomorrow or Ying hung boon sik

- 3. Woo's most recent project is this two-part battle epic based on the historical *Chronicle of the Three Kingdoms*. Answer: *Red Cliff* or *Chi bi*
- 19. Former NBAers as mayors, for ten points each.
  - 1. Born in Sacramento, he returned home after a career in Cleveland and Phoenix and was elected mayor in 2008. Answer: Kevin Johnson
  - 2. A member of the NBA's 50 greatest players of all time, he is seeking to become mayor in the city he played in, Detroit.

Answer: Dave Bing

3. James Donaldson is planning to run for mayor in this city, where he played for three of his 14 NBA seasons. Bringing the NBA back to town is a top priority, as it is the city that has most recently seen its NBA franchise move away.

Answer: Seattle

- 20. Identify the following women who kick butt, for ten points each.
  - 1. According to an episode of *The Simpsons*, the actor portraying this character has the ability to fly, whereas this onscreen counterpart does not.

Answer: Xena

2. This deposed princess of Edenia fights with bladed fans, and used to be loyal to Shao Kahn before learning the truth about her origins.

Answer: Kitana

3. Known affectionately as "whores" by the Bene Gesserit, this matriarchal organization in the *Dune* universe achieves power sexual imprinting and pure martial prowess.

Answer: **Honored Matres** 

- 21. Some Hollywood notables are the second or even third generation of talent in their families. Answer these questions on a 10-5 basis: [Note: The first answer given applies to the 10-point clue and the second to the 5-point clue.]
  - 1. [10] This noted stage actor directed Bette Davis in *Of Human Bondage*, Hedy Lamarr and Charles Boyer in *Algiers*, and Raymond Massey in *Abe Lincoln in Illinois*.
    - [5] Son of the above answer, this man was Oscar-nominated as a farmer in *Babe* and was the villainous Dudley Smith in *L.A. Confidential*.

Answer: John Cromwell; James Cromwell

- 2. [10] This man's two Oscar nods came for directing *Wake Island* and co-scripting *Around the World in Eighty Days*; he won for the latter.
  - [5] Daughter of the above answer, this actress played a blind woman in the thriller *See No Evil* and could recently be seen in *Be Kind Rewind* and as the sinister nanny in the *The Omen* remake.

Answer: John Farrow; Mia Farrow

- 3. [10] A former blacklistee, this man directed Jose Ferrer to an Oscar in *Cyrano de Bergerac* and helmed the Doris Day vehicle *Pillow Talk*.
  - [5] Grandson of the above answer, this actor is known for starring roles in *Angels in the Outfield*, *Mysterious Skin*, and the "high-school *noir*" *Brick*.

Answer: Michael Gordon; Joseph Gordon-Levitt (prompt on partial answer)

- 22. Answer the following about parasites, for ten points each.
  - 1. In an episode of *The Fresh Prince of Bel Air*, Carleton suggests that one of these sole native survivors from the desert planet featured in <u>Star Trek II: Wrath of Khan</u> would be a more pleasant alternative to his head cold. Answer: Ceti eel
  - 2. These "snakeheads" are the symbiotic parasitic aliens in *Stargate* that evolved on P3X-888 and created the Jaffa by engineering humans into hosts.

Answer: Goa'uld

3. These silver mychorriza that devour any organic matter they touch regularly terrorize the planet Pern in orbit around Rukbat and originate from the planet Red Star.

Answer: Thread