

## Round 2

**1<sup>st</sup> Quarter: 20 Tossups, 10 points for each correct answer**

1. Beating Robert Scott's expedition by one month, what Norwegian on December 14, 1911, was the first man to reach the South Pole?

**Roald Amundsen**

2. This group of compounds in animals stores energy and forms most of the cell membrane. What is this group including waxes, oils, and fats?

**Lipids**

3. What Australian city founded in 1829, named after a Scottish town on the River Tay, is the major port and capital of Western Australia?

**Perth**

4. What novel by Alexandre Dumas concerns Edmond Dantes' quest for revenge on those who accused him of aiding the then-exiled Napoleon Bonaparte?

**The Count of Monte Cristo**

5. Its name comes from the city where the republican constitution was adopted. What was this German government that Adolf Hitler dissolved after becoming chancellor in 1933?

**The Weimar Republic**

6. **Math Calculation.** What is the volume of a cube whose surface area is 486 square inches?

**729 cubic in.**

7. Amida, Shengon, Tendai, Theravada, and Zen are all sects of what religion founded in the 6th century BC by Siddhartha Gautama?

**Buddhism**

8. What Jacques-Louis David painting pictures a French revolutionary leader in the bath just after being murdered by Charlotte Corday?

**The Death of Marat**

9. According to P.G. Wodehouse, he is "the gentleman's gentleman." Name this English valet to the wealthy, but not-so-bright Bertie Wooster.

**Reginald Jeeves**

10. Natural ones are found mainly in Myanmar, but they are also produced artificially and used in lasers. What is this valuable variety of corundum, a gem transparent red in color?

**Ruby**

11. At what naval battle in the War of 1812 was the famous quote "We have met the enemy, and they are ours!" uttered by Oliver Hazzard Perry?

**Battle of Lake Erie**

12. The Paraná and Uruguay Rivers merge between Buenos Aires and Montevideo to form what major South American inlet?

**Rio de la Plata**

13. This was the highest rated television movie of 1989. After Mike and Carol's vacation plans fall through, they decide to invite the whole clan over for the holidays. What was this TV reunion?

**A Very Brady Christmas**

14. Under what pseudonym did Washington Irving write his *History of New York*?

**Dietrich Knickerbocker**

15. His methods of tobacco farming turned Jamestown into a prosperous community. Who was this soon wealthy farmer who married Pocahontas in 1614?

**John Rolfe**

16. He considered himself a Classicist, but he was the principal inspiration to the musical Romantics. Who was this composer born in Bonn with such works as the *Kreutzer Sonata* and the *Emperor* piano concerto?

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

17. This Danish author lived on a coffee plantation in Kenya for 17 years, and she recorded many of her experiences there in the novel, *Out of Africa*. Who is this author born Karen Blixen?

**Izak Dinesen**

18. Which British Prime Minister proclaimed "peace in our time" after signing the Munich pact with Hitler in 1938?

**Neville Chamberlain**

19. Humans have 44 of these. What are these non-sex chromosomes called?

**Autosomes**

20. Which river's delta, the world's largest, extends through the city of Calcutta and throughout the nation of Bangladesh?

**Ganges River**

**End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter**

## Round 2, Questions for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Quarters #'s 21-45

**2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter:** Tossups with bonus. 10 points for each correct tossup. A bonus question is read after a correctly answered tossup. The 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter ends after four bonus questions are used (or all questions are read). The four bonus questions are located following question #45.

**4<sup>th</sup> Quarter:** Tossups, 20 points for each correct answer. The 4<sup>th</sup> quarter uses all remaining questions not used in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter.

21. In 1813 he formed the Quadruple Alliance which finally defeated Napoleon. After that he set to maintain a balance of power and stabilize Europe. Who was this Austrian statesman, the leading figure at the Congress of Vienna in 1815?

**Prince Klemens Wenzel Nepomuk Lothar von Metternich**

22. The course of Florentine art in the 15th century was strongly influenced by this early Renaissance sculptor. Name this artist, whose bronze statue of the boy David was the first free-standing bronze sculpture since Classical times.

**Donatello**

23. This is the story of a Jew wrongly accused by his former friend, Messala, a Roman, of attempting to kill a Roman magistrate. After being put into slavery, he returns and defeats Messala in a chariot race and then converts to Christianity. What is this Lew Wallace novel?

**Ben-Hur: A Tale of the Christ**

24. It's the story of hard-drinking U.S. Marshall Rooster Cogburn, who was hired by a young girl to find her father's killer. What was this 1969 movie for which John Wayne won his only Oscar?

**True Grit**

25. Members of this phylum have an outer layer, or cuticle, composed of collagen-like proteins, and segmented bodies cylindrical in shape. What is this phylum consisting of ragworms, leeches, and earthworms?

**Annelida (annelids)**

26. It started when a baker on Pudding Lane accidentally left his oven on overnight. In three days four-fifths of the city was destroyed, but fortunately fewer than 20 people died. Name this catastrophic 1666 event.

**The Great Fire of London**

27. In Gaelic folklore what is the name of a female spirit who keens, or wails, warning the approaching death of a family member?

**A Banshee**

28. This U.S. lake is frozen four months of the year, yet it is deep enough for commercial navigation. What is this long, narrow lake, scene of battles in colonial times on the border of New York and Vermont?

**Lake Champlain**

29. What 1962 Supreme Court case established that election districts be reapportioned to be approximately equal in population, affirming the "one man, one vote" principle?

**Baker vs. Carr**

30. Built from 1675-1710, this cathedral was completed during the lifetime of its architect. Name this London landmark whose lantern above the famous dome stands 365 feet in the air and was designed by Sir Christopher Wren.

**St. Paul's Cathedral**

31. **Math Calculation.** Andre weighs 377 pounds on his scale, but since he bought it on sale, the numbers read in base-8 notation. How much does Andre weigh in normal base-10 pounds?

**255 lbs**

32. Noted as a pianist and teacher, he was president of the Budapest Academy of Music from 1907-1934. His works include *Mikrokosmos*, *Cantata Profana*, and the opera *Duke Bluebeard's Castle*. Who was this publisher of more than 6,000 Arabian, Hungarian, and Romanian folk dances?

**Bela Bartok**

33. His reign was marred by plague, barbarian attacks, and the ruthless persecution of Christians, but he is still regarded as one of the great Roman Emperors. Who was this adopted son of Antonius Pius, a major exponent of stoicism and author of *Meditations*?

**Marcus Aurelius**

34. Based on a novel by Wilhelm-Günther Buccheim, it was originally a six-hour German TV special. The movie version was slightly shorter. What is this Wolfgang Petersen-directed film about life in a WWII German submarine?

**Das Boot (The Boat)**

35. What religious sect that became visible in the late 1960's is of Korean origin and is based on the teachings of the Rev. Sun Myung Moon?

**Unification Church**

36. What is the title of the George Eliot novel concerning an old miser whose life is changed by an abandoned baby, which he calls Eppie and raises as his own child?

**Silas Marner**

37. This happens when normal liver cells are replaced by connective tissue cells, resulting in heavy scarring. What is this disease usually associated with alcoholism?

**Cirrhosis**

38. He originally did TV commercials for a variety of products. His first big screen appearance was in the 1986 movie, *Dr. Otto and the Riddle of the Gloom Beam*, in which he plays all the characters. Who is this actor famous, or to many, infamous, for his "Ernest" character?

**Jim Varney**

39. After a quarrel with his commander in 1704, he chose to be left on an uninhabited island in the Juan Fernandez chain. Rescued in 1709, who was this seamen who provided the historical basis for Daniel Defoe's novel, *Robinson Crusoe*?

**Alexander Selkirk**

40. Its airplane-shaped plan was designed by Lucio Costa, and many of its buildings were designed by Oscar Niemeyer. What is this city that opened for business in 1960 as the modern capital of South America's most populous nation?

**Brasilia**

41. What name is given to the period of the Roman Empire from the reign of Augustus in 27 B.C. to the death of Marcus Aurelius in A.D. 180, which was marked by orderly government and few conflicts?

**Pax Romana**

42. What artistic style, usually practiced by neurotics, was practiced by such artists as Titian and most notably El Greco and portrays figures in exaggerated, elongated forms?

**Mannerism**

43. Both Rossini and Mozart turned this Frenchman's plays into operas. Who is this playwright, author of *The Barber of Seville* and *The Marriage of Figaro*?

**Pierre-Augustin Beaumarchais**

44. Although he is sometimes known as the son of Poseidon, he is usually referred to as the son of Aegeus. Who is this slayer of Sciron and Procrustes on the way to Athens and then in Crete, the Minotaur?

**Theseus**

45. In this battle, Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's famed Afrika Korps were finally defeated. What is this 1942 battle in which the Allies, under the command of British Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery, turned the tide in North Africa?

**Battle of El Alamein**

**Round 2, Bonuses for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**  
**Each bonus has 4 parts (5 points for each part)**

**Bonus #1: The Munich Pact**

**Given a nation that signed the 1938 Munich Pact, name the person who signed it.**

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| 1. Germany       | <b><u>Adolf Hitler</u></b>        |
| 2. Great Britain | <b><u>Neville Chamberlain</u></b> |
| 3. Italy         | <b><u>Benito Mussolini</u></b>    |
| 4. France        | <b><u>Edouard Daladier</u></b>    |

**Bonus #2: The Simpsons**

**Answer the following about everyone's favorite TV programme.**

1. He is Springfield's Chief of Police.  
**Chief Clancy Wiggum**
2. Brand of cola Homer drinks when not drinking Duff Beer.  
**Buzz Cola**
3. He invented the Juice Loosener and Sun-n-Run, the suntan lotion that's also a laxative.  
**Dr. Nick Riviera (Dr. Nick)**
4. He's starred in such films as *Leper in the Backfield* and *Gladys the Groovy Mule*  
**Troy McClure**

**Bonus #3: Composers**

**Identify the composers of the following works.**

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| 1. <i>Night on Bald Mountain</i> | <b><u>Modest Mussorgsky</u></b> |
| 2. <i>Bolero</i>                 | <b><u>Maurice Ravel</u></b>     |
| 3. <i>Billy the Kid</i>          | <b><u>Aaron Copland</u></b>     |
| 4. <i>Finlandia</i>              | <b><u>Jean Sibelius</u></b>     |



**Bonus #4: Golf**

**Who won the following 1997 Major Championships on the PGA Tour?**

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| 1. The Masters          | <u>Tiger Woods</u>    |
| 2. The U.S. Open        | <u>Ernie Els</u>      |
| 3. The British Open     | <u>Justin Leonard</u> |
| 4. The PGA Championship | <u>Davis Love III</u> |

**End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**

**(Mark next question for starting point of 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter)**

## Round 2, 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter - Worksheet

### ¡U so crazy!

Identify each of the following that begins with the letter U

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Former name of Northern Ireland
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Author of *The Witches of Eastwick*
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Official language of Pakistan
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Its capital city is Tashkent
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Jeremy Bentham and John Stuart Mill were among its chief proponents
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Roman name for Odysseus
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Constellation containing the North Star
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Former name of Burkina Faso
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Gallery where most of Botticelli's works are displayed
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Tiny Tim's instrument
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Spy plane flown by Francis Gary Powers
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Union led by John L. Lewis
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Author of *Trinity* and *Exodus*
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Funny thing that hangs down from the soft palate above the throat
15. \_\_\_\_\_ German city home of the world's tallest cathedral spire and birthplace of Albert Einstein
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Region in central Italy near Tuscany; its chief city is Perugia
17. \_\_\_\_\_ 1989 M.C. Hammer hit single
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Chingachgook's son--said to be the Last of the Mohicans
19. \_\_\_\_\_ The act of lending money at illegally high interest
20. \_\_\_\_\_ According to Nietzsche, a person who imposes his will on the weak and worthless; a superman

## ¡U so crazy! Answers

1. Ulster
2. John Updike
3. Urdu
4. Uzbekistan
5. Utilitarianism
6. Ulysses
7. Ursa Minor
8. Upper Volta
9. Uffizi
10. Ukulele
11. U2
12. UMW (United Mine Workers)
13. Leon Uris
14. Uvula
15. Ulm
16. Umbria
17. U Can't Touch This!
18. Uncas
19. Usury
20. Übermensch