2005 TRASHionals Round 01

Tossups

1. Its opening riff was first used on the band's song *My Dark Hour*. The lyrics invoke a vague desire to help poor people and use the word "shoe" as a verb. On the album of the same name, the song is preceded by some synthesizer noodling titled *Space Intro*, and the album also includes singles *Wild Mountain Honey* and *Rock n Me*. Later used in US Postal Service ads, a cover version was recorded by Seal for the *Space Jam* soundtrack. For ten points, name this 1976 hit song in which "time keeps on slippin' into the future," by the Steve Miller Band.

ANSWER: Fly Like An Eagle

2. 83 year old Gert Boyle remains the Chairman of the Board of this company that her parents Paul and Marie Lamfrom founded in 1938 after fleeing Nazi Germany. Starting out selling hats, this Portland, Oregon company expanded to sell outerwear including the Bugaboo ski jacket and developed their waterproof fabric, Omni-Tech. For ten points, name this sportswear company that takes its name from a river running through Portland.

Answer: Columbia Sportswear Company

3. Opened in 1965, its fund-raising drive was headed by future Nixon Chief of Staff H.R. Haldeman and it is named for its biggest donor, a Regent who gave \$1 million of its \$5 million cost. The site of the first-ever NCAA division I women's volleyball national title game, it was here where Mary Lou Retton became the first American to win the individual all-around Olympic gold medal in gymnastics. The site of the first-ever Pac-10 men's basketball conference tournament, it is best known for that sport, notable in its 11 national title banners, retired numbers for players including Bill Walton and Anne Meyers, and its floor, known since 2003 as the Nell and John Wooden Court. Name, for ten points, this arena that is home to both basketball teams at UCLA.

Answer: Pauley Pavilion

4. Many reviewers criticized this game's late quest for Energy Cells, but the player will have to complete the task in order to earn credits toward accessing unlockables such as a screenshot utility and the ability to place a personalized bobblehead in the protagonist's ship. One of the new abilities at the player's disposal is the P.E.D., a device that allows the protagonist to make use of the Phazon that plays a significant role in the story. Featuring recurring series elements such as the boss Ridley in Meta and Omega versions as well as the ability to use the Morph Ball, for ten points, name this 2007 Nintendo Wii release that continues the further exploits of bounty hunter Samus Aran.

Answer: Metroid Prime 3: Corruption

5. Steven photographed Laura on her front stoop mourning the loss of her husband. Laura and Whitney met while getting their nails done. Carlos defended Mae from charges stemming from riding a street cleaner and taking off her top. Laura hired Mae as a live-in nanny, while Carlos met Steven as he started dating Carlos's roommate, whom he met while working for Whitney. Damian met Carlos when Carlos was trying to meet up with Mae at a club, and later helped Damian in a fight. Throw in Mae's mystery box and you have, for ten points, the baffling intertwinings of the characters from what 2006-07 ABC show executive-produced by JJ Abrams?

ANSWER: Six Degrees

6. Their early stage name was The Barons and they found some success with "Jennie Lee", an ode to a Hollywood burlesque performer. Their next hit was 1959's "Baby Talk", although their work from the time had not yet been influenced by the group they are often mistaken for. Mr. Berry also had large success as a record producer, but a 1966 car accident that ironically took place on "Dead Man's Curve" put him on a slow path to recovery. For ten points, identify this duo associated with the surf music sound whose hits include *Surf City* and *The Little old Lady From Pasadena*.

Answer: Jan & Dean

7. Most restaurants in the U.S. use an imitation for this product because it costs around \$100 a pound, and is traditionally prepared with a sharkskin grater. Growing conditions limit this rhizome's production in the United States to the Pacific Northwest and parts of the Blue Ridge Mountains and the heat it generates is felt in the sinuses rather than on the tongue. A member of the cabbage family, name, for ten points, this flavoring often found coating peas and peanuts, a spice popular with sushi and also known as Japanese horseradish.

Answer: Wasabi

8. James Connolly was the first modern Olympic Champion in this event, which wasn't added for

women until the 1996 Games in Atlanta. Jonathan Edwards of the United Kingdom has the current world record at 18.29 meters, while the top female performer was Inessa Kravets from Ukraine who achieved 15.50 meters. Other famous participants in this event include Viktor Saneyev, Ashia Hansen, Kenny Harrison, Willie Banks and Walter Davis. Name, for ten points, this field event in which a competitor has one minute to run down a runway to a board from which he takes a hop, skip and a leap.

Answer: Triple Jump

9. He was allowed to improvise as flamboyant Johnny Volcano on "Morning Chicago" with Bonnie Hunt on the short-lived *Life With Bonnie*. He previously starred in Hunt's directorial debut opposite Minnie Driver in 2000's *Return to Me*. He made his return to Showtime, where he once served as grief-stricken narrator Jake Winters, and to episodic TV in general in August 2007 with his role as blocked, over-sexed writer Hank Moody in *Californication*. For ten points, name this object of desire from Bree Sharp's 1999 song, the once and possibly future Fox Mulder.

Answer: David Duchovny

10. He was put into suspended animation by his government after they realized how much of an uncontrollable liability he was, and following his release by The Hand he quickly ascended the ranks of organized crime. He secretes deadly pheromones as a result of the radioactivity from the material used in his more recognizable features. Formerly the serial killer Arkady Rossovich, he has complications from his genetic treatments that require him to drain the life-energy of others to survive. A product of the Soviet Union's attempts to create their own super-soldier, name, for ten points, this crimson-clad nemesis to Wolverine with a healing factor and carbonadium coils implanted in his arms.

ANSWER: Omega Red

11. His family included his wife Ruby and his daughter Arabella, while his employees included the secretary Genevieve Blue and the janitor Lightnin' at the Fresh-Air Taxicab Company. Played by Alvin Childress, his friends include George Stevens, who was also known by the nickname "Kingfish", and the less-entrepreneurial Andrew "Hog" Brown. For ten points, name this early African-American television character who began on radio with his friend Andy.

Answer: Amos Jones

12. He performed *Wings of a Dove* and *I'll Wait for You* at Anna Nicole Smith's funeral. Smith, a fan, was represented by an impersonator in his video for *Cool to be a Fool*. A regular performer at

the Grand Ole Opry, even after scoring hit singles, he won the Horizon Award at the 2003 CMAs. For ten points, name this country artist whose albums include *Real Things*, *III*, and *Man With a Memory*, a singer songwriter most famous for the songs *Brokenheartsville* and *Tequila Makes Her Clothes Fall Off*.

ANSWER: Joe Nichols

13. He sat out the 2002 season after having Tommy John surgery and was afforded the chance to replace the injured Trevor Hoffman during the 2003 campaign, saving 20 games for the last-place Padres. His aggressive nature and desire to take the ball was shown on his license plate reading "9 IS MINE." He supplanted Dave Righetti as the Giants closer in 1992, spending five years in San Francisco before signing with the Cubs where he saved 51 games in 1998 before his arm, career, and personal life fell apart. For ten points, name this barrel-bellied Fu-Manchu wearing reliever who was found dead at age 38 in his suburban Phoenix home in June 2007.

Answer: Rod Beck

14. Snoop Dogg touts its quality in song by saying of its purveyor "I'd like to tap you in your white ass" and that you just can't "get it in the hood." Initial batches of this product were tended under the jealous watch of certain Armenian neighbors until Peter Scottson aka "Agent Wonderbread" made that problem go away. For ten points, name this potent variety of cannabis named for and sold by Nancy Botwin in a Showtime comedy.

ANSWER: MILF weed

15. David Wagner is an expert on this show, and characters include Miss Peters and Skip Martin. The Dave Brubeck Quartet's "Take Five" and the image of Marley Shelton holding an apple signify the changes wrought in the title town by Bud and Mary Sue, which occur after David meets a character played by Don Knotts. Soon, in an homage to *To Kill a Mockingbird*, the town begins to segregate the "colored" folks. For ten points, name this 1950s fictional sitcom, the subject of a 1998 Gary Ross film of the same name starring Reese Witherspoon and Tobey Maguire.

Answer: Pleasantville

16. This song first appeared on the album *East-West* by the Paul Butterfield Blues Band. The original lyrics have a narrator who's "done more now than a clear-thinkin' man would do." In the updated version, the title character is met "on the road in a fly hotel" as the song begins with the narrator complaining that all his money has been spent by his honey Flo. Written by Michael Nesmith, it was recorded by the Monkees decades before its updated version appeared on the album *Tougher Than*

Leather. For ten points, name this song whose updated version by Run DMC asks the title character "Why ya buggin'?"

Answer: Mary, Mary

17. A recent recreation of the cover photo brought back hair salon owner Bill Woodward and computer science student Cecilia Fung for the 30th anniversary of publication. On that cover, Woodward sits with steepled hands, and Fung stands behind him in a white dress, both images reflected in a shiny table in front of them. The product they tout, invented by Israeli postmaster and telecom expert Mordecai Meirowitz and originally marketed by Invicta, is similar to Bulls and Cows and a 1960s computer program, moo, and its satisfiability problem is NP-Complete. An algorithm has been developed that wins in an at most 6 turns. The two players, the codemaster and codebreaker, communicate using colored pegs. For ten points, name this game in which the codebreaker must guess a four-color sequence.

Answer: Mastermind

18. It was invented by Max Fleischer in 1915 and used in making his *Out of the Inkwell* series. An effect known as "boil" has been largely eliminated by computerizing the process. Used widely by Ralph Bakshi in *American Pop* and *The Lord of the Rings*, more recently it was employed by the Richard Linklater films *Waking Life* and *A Scanner Darkly*. Used to create the lightsaber effects in the first three *Star Wars* films, name, for ten points, this animation process in which live-action film is traced frame by frame for use in creating animated film.

ANSWER: rotoscoping

19. Included among the motivational speakers quoted in this work are fringe politician John Hagelin and fellow Maharishi devotee John Grey. Apparently the title item comes from the Emerald Tablet of Hermes Trismegistus, but was also connected to teachers like magazine publisher Robert Collier, Victor Hugo, and Beethoven. Derived from early 20th century books like *The Science of Getting Rich* and *The Master Key System* that were given a 2006 update to create a modern retelling of the Law of Attraction, this Rhonda Byrne self-help book was given the Oprah treatment in early 2007 aiding its sales. For ten points, name this New Age book that asks the reader to think in positives only.

ANSWER: The Secret

20. Upon hearing that this man might direct an *Escape from New York* remake, Jeremy Smith of CHUD.com remarked that the film had just gotten "the cinematic equivalent of herpes." He

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executive-produced and directed the pilot episode for FOX's *Prison Break*. Along with Carrie Fisher and Garry Marshall, he judged the first audition round for the reality series *On the Lot*. His big break came when Russell Simmons tapped him to direct 1997's *Money Talks*. Bryan Singer replaced him as director of *Superman Returns* in 2006 while he replaced Singer at the helm of *X-Men: The Last Stand*. For ten points, name this hack director responsible for all three *Rush Hour* films.

Answer: Brett Ratner

21. He has a master's in divinity from Princeton and a PhD in psychology from the University of Chicago, where he studied under Carl Rogers. In 1995, he partnered with son-in-law Greg Forgatch to form a company that gave seminars based on the book *Finding the Love of Your Life*. He recently cut ties with Focus on the Family, which published 3 of his books, despite being a good friend of James Dobson. For ten points, name this developer of a 436-question personality inventory designed to match you along 29 dimension of compatibility, the founder of eHarmony.com.

Answer: Neil Clark Warren