

2005 TRASHionals

Round 15

Bonuses

1. Name these recurring Doonesbury characters for ten points each.

1. A hippie, he was never dirty, in fact he was a tanning champion and a lieutenant governor of American Samoa, but now works at McFriendlys.

ANSWER: Zonker Harris

2. The nephew of Zonker, he's a perpetual undergraduate at Walden College.

ANSWER: Zipper Harris

3. Formerly a newspaper and magazine journalist, this reporter, who often wears a ridiculous hat, now works for Fox News.

ANSWER: Roland Burton Hedley III

2. Need to do something with your left over Jack 'o Lantern? Get your catapult and hit the road. For ten points each:

1. This annual competition started in 1986 has people compete to see who can hurl its namesake gourd the farthest. Classes are based on age and type of projection equipment used.

ANSWER: Punkin' Chunkin' or pumpkin chunking or pumping chucking

2. The annual competition is held in this state. This year it moved from its original site in Millsboro to a location outside of Bridgeville, keeping it in Sussex County.

ANSWER: Delaware

3. The world record for distance was set by the adult air team Second Amendment in 2003 at, within 10 percent, what distance in feet?

ANSWER: 4434 (accept (3990.6 to 4887.4))

3. Answer the following about the train-wreck film career of Tara Reid for ten points each.

1. Her thankfully short-lived reality show *Taradise* was the successor to this E! network program that showcased hot jet-setting tourism spots, with numerous hosts and guest hosts ranging from Brooke Burke to Jenna Jameson.

ANSWER: Wild On!

2. Her nude scene in this lurid 1999 drama, in which her character's sexual encounter with a football player played by Jerry O'Connell doesn't go well, remains legendary. Oddly enough, in real life Reid later dated at least three NFL players.

ANSWER: Body Shots

3. Another lowlight is her performance as the titular character opposite Ashton Kutcher in this awful movie in which she cajoles his character into housesitting for her. Andy Richter and Michael Madsen also appear in this 2003 flop.

ANSWER: My Boss's Daughter

4. Answer the following about the less-than-stellar latter-day TV career of Tony Danza, for ten points each.

1. Three years after the end of *Who's The Boss*, Danza attempted a comeback as a cop on this family-oriented ABC sitcom that lasted only one season.

ANSWER: Hudson Street

2. Danza joined the cast of this CBS drama which starred Kathleen Quinlan as an attorney who started a new firm when her ex-husband took all of their old clients.

ANSWER: Family Law

3. There were two different series called *The Tony Danza Show*, one another nondescript sitcom, and the other a frequently-mocked talk show. In one memorable episode at the end of the latter's run, Danza and John McEnroe took turns putting this host of *The Soup* into a dunk tank.

ANSWER: Joel McHale

5. You knew there would be a bonus on Michael Vick. For ten points each:

1. Vick recently plead guilty to running a dog fighting operation known by this name, a takeoff on a nickname for his hometown of Newport News, VA.

ANSWER: Bad Newz Kennels

2. In 2005 it was alleged in a lawsuit that Vick had received treatment for genital herpes under this alias. The NFL quickly disallowed potential online customers to order customized jerseys bearing this name.

ANSWER: Ron Mexico

3. Michael Vick was detained in January for his odd behavior revolving around a water bottle with a secret compartment for drugs or jewelry, your pick. Making this story funnier is that the multi-million dollar QB was pinched when he was trying to get a Miami to Atlanta flight on this budget carrier, which he apparently endorses.

ANSWER: Air Tran

6. The first game in this series took place in feudal Japan and was titled *Shogun* while the most recent saw the release of an expansion pack subtitled *Kingdoms*. For ten points each:

1. Name this popular series of real-time strategy games.

ANSWER: Total War

2. Often considered one of the greatest PC games of all-time is this entry in the *Total War* series that was used by the History Channel program *Decisive Battles* and was followed by the expansion packs *Barbarian Invasion* and *Alexander*.

ANSWER: Rome: Total War

3. Founded by Tim Ansell, name this British company behind the *Total War* series.

ANSWER: Creative Assembly

7. Answer the following about *Criminal Minds*, for ten points each.

1. Head BAU profiler Jason Gideon is played by this veteran actor who recently asked the show's producers to release him from his contract.

ANSWER: Mandy Patinkin

2. Thomas Gibson, Greg of "Dharma and Greg" fame, portrays this strait-laced agent, the official head of the BAU.

ANSWER: Aaron Hotchner

3. Rarely seen in the field is this agent, played by Kirsten Vangsness, the BAU's resident computer expert.

ANSWER: Penelope Garcia

8. Answer the following about a legendary rock concert, 5-10-20-30.

1. Best known for being a breakthrough for both Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin, this concert in a coastal California town took place from June 16-18, 1967.

ANSWER: Monterey International Pop Festival

2. The first band to play on stage at Monterey, this vocal group is best known for the hit songs *Along Comes Mary* and *Never My Love*.

ANSWER: The Association

3. Among the then-unknown performers on the second day was this South African trumpeter and bandleader, who scored pop hits in 1968 with *Up, Up, and Away* and *Grazing In The Grass*.

ANSWER: Hugh Masekela

4. The closing act of the three-day event was this harmony group, best known for *Monday, Monday* and *California Dreamin* who had no time to rehearse since band members John and Michelle Phillips and manager Lou Adler were the event's organizers. Their performance was widely panned and less than a year later the band broke up.

ANSWER: The Mamas & The Papas

9. Answer the following about the *Thin Man* movies for ten points each.

1. The movies were based on this author's 1933 novel *The Thin Man*, in which the title refers to a murdered scientist.

ANSWER: Dashiell Hammett

2. Beloved of crossword editors everywhere, this wire spaniel served as comic relief and clue-discoverer in all the films.

ANSWER: Asta

3. Although he received a Best Director Oscar nomination for *San Francisco*, this man, known as "one-take Woody" for his speed of work, is best known for directing the first four *Thin Man* movies.

ANSWER: W(oodbridge) S(trong) Van Dyke

10. For ten points each, name these role-playing game publishers:

1. In 1991, this company unleashed the Storyteller System in *Vampire: The Masquerade*.

ANSWER: White Wolf Inc.

2. *Dungeons and Dragons* was originally published by this company, which was bought by Wizards of the Coast in 1997.

ANSWER: TSR, Inc.

3. In addition to RPGs based on properties such as *Elfquest* and *Ringworld*, this company founded by Greg Stafford has also produced *RuneQuest* and *Call of Cthulhu*.

ANSWER: Chaosium

11. The NHL's number one star for October, he scored a point in each of his team's first 13 games. For ten points each:

1. Name the Detroit left winger behind this streak, who also led the league in points to end October.

ANSWER: Henrik Zetterberg

2. If the streak lasts three more games, he will surpass the second-longest streak to start a season, recorded by this Rangers right wing in 1999.

ANSWER: Jaromir Jagr

3. The longest point scoring streak to start a NHL season was turned in by this player in 2005, his first season in Ottawa after three in Atlanta.

ANSWER: Dany Heatley

12. First impressions, or howdys, have varying impacts on a career. On a 10-5 basis answer the following.

1. [10] Although his career has included three Gold and two Platinum albums, four seasons of *Doc*, and an eight-week run on *Dancing With the Stars*, his first hit still defines him.

[5] That first hit, *Achy Breaky Heart*, has been referenced in *Hannah Montana*, which stars his daughter, Miley.

ANSWER: Billy Ray Cyrus

2. [10] Her new release, *One of the Boys*, has failed to reach Gold status in its first five months of release.

[5] Her debut single, *Redneck Woman*, was equal parts pride and self-loathing. But, it helped *Here For the Party* sell more than 4 million units

ANSWER: Gretchen Wilson

3. [10] The illegitimate son of a Major League pitcher, his first charting single was not played in some markets for its objectionable content. But, he married well and has since released nine number one country albums in twelve years.

[5] Although *Indian Outlaw* was objectionable, other songs like *I Like It, I Love It* and *Live Like You Were Dying* have become big mainstream country hits for this singer.

ANSWER: Tim McGraw

13. Identify these baseball players each of whom hit 100 home runs for 3 different teams for ten points each:

1. He is the latest player to do this, spreading his 518 homers over three teams.

ANSWER: Alex Rodriguez

2. With a career spanning 20 years from 1967 to 1987, this Hall of Famer hit over a hundred dingers for the A's, Yankees, and Angels.

ANSWER: Reggie Jackson

3. Bill James called this two-time All-Star perhaps the most underrated player in baseball history. From 1969 to 1989 this 3rd baseman hit 100 homers for the Braves, Giants, and Tigers.

ANSWER: Darrell Evans

14. Break out your lighter, or possibly your barf bag, because it's time to sing along with Journey. Given some lyrics from an '80s Journey ballad, for ten points each give me the words that come next, which also happen to be the titles of the songs, conveniently enough.

1. "We sailed on together, we drifted apart, and here you are by my side/so now I come to you with"

ANSWER: Open Arms

2. "Two hearts born to run/ Who'll be the lonely one/ Wonder"

ANSWER: Who's Crying Now

3. "How it hurt so bad to see her cry/ I didn't want to say goodbye"

ANSWER: Send Her My Love

15. For ten points each, name these muses of various artists in various art forms.

1. The 2007 film *Factory Girl* features Sienna Miller as this supposed muse of Andy Warhol and Bob Dylan.

ANSWER: Edie Sedgwick

2. This musical film featuring Terpsichore, the muse of dance, on roller skates is now enjoying a successful Broadway adaptation.

ANSWER: Xanadu

3. Screenwriter Steven Phillips hires the high-priced Ms. Little, a muse played by this actress, to get his edge back in the 1999 film *The Muse*

ANSWER: Sharon Stone

16. For ten points each, name these actors who appeared on both the big and small screen but only found success in one medium.

1. Originally cast as first the Scarecrow and then the Tin Man in *The Wizard of Oz*, this actor played Doc Barnes in *Breakfast at Tiffany's* and found success on the small screen in *Barnaby Jones* and *The Beverly Hillbillies*.

ANSWER: Buddy Ebsen

2. This actor appeared in *The Searchers* and played Jesus in *King of Kings*. He was the original captain of the *Enterprise* in the unaired pilot of *Star Trek*.

ANSWER: Jeffrey Hunter

3. The star of Malcolm X's favorite film, *Nothing But a Man*, this African-American actor is best known as Sgt. James Kinchloe on *Hogan's Heroes*.

ANSWER: Ivan Dixon

17. World-class athletes, sure, but they have also been photographed without their uniforms, for ten points each

1. She posed nude with a strategically placed flower on her backside in the August 2007 edition of *Jane Magazine*. This came after her win at the 2007 Australian Open

ANSWER: Serena Williams

2. This Olympic figure skating gold medalist was featured in a 1998 pictorial in *Playboy*, whose full-frontal nude photos helped make this the first issue of the mag to sell out since the inaugural issue.

ANSWER: Katerina Witt

3. It makes sense for this 2004 Olympic Gold Medalist to appear in the *Sports Illustrated* Swimsuit Issue; however, she also was on the cover and in a pictorial in the July 2007 *Playboy*

ANSWER: Amanda Beard

18. Dearly departed kids TV stars made possible by video and by members like you. For ten points each name these deceased actors seen and heard on PBS in Fall 2007

1. Four years after his September 2003 passing, this actor still serves as the voice of Clifford the Big Red Dog. He also appeared in foul-mouthed movie *Bad Santa* as a store manager with a distaste for Willie's manners

ANSWER: John Ritter

2. Along with Bill Irwin, this actor who passed in March 2003, appears as Mr. Noodle on *Sesame Street*. He delivered a show stopping musical number in drag to Amanda Plummer in *The Fisher King*, and matched 'staches with Burt Reynolds as Herman Stiles on *Evening Shade*

ANSWER: Michael Jeter

3. Despite passing in February 2003 and closing his set two years earlier, this host is still seen in the "Only You" promos alongside Liam Neeson and Virginia Madsen, and his show still airs in over 60 markets.

ANSWER: Fred Rogers

19. Given a list of theaters, name the American city where you could find all of them, for ten points each.

1. The Goodman Theatre, Ford Center for the Performing Arts Oriental Theatre, and Second City Theatre.

ANSWER: Chicago, Illinois

2. The Playhouse Square Center in this Midwestern city is the second-largest theater complex in the U.S. and includes the Hanna Theater and Allen Theater.

ANSWER: Cleveland, Ohio

3. The Dutton Family Theater, Tony Orlando Yellow Ribbon Music Theater, Andy Williams' Moon River Theatre.

ANSWER: Branson, Missouri

20. Name these Hugo-award-winning novels from a description for ten points each.

1. This 2005 novel by Susannah Clarke tells of the two most powerful magicians in Britain attempting to thwart Napoleon's plans.

ANSWER: Jonathan Strange and Mr. Norrell

2. The 2001 winner was this fourth Harry Potter novel by J.K. Rowling

ANSWER: Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire

3. Winning in 1990 was this novel by Dan Simmons about an alien planet inhabited by a murderous time-traveling creature called the Shrike, woven with Keatsian references.

ANSWER: Hyperion

21. Given the song that won the Oscar for Best Original Song, identify the movie from which it came 5-10-20-30.

1. "I Need to Wake Up"

ANSWER: *An Inconvenient Truth*

2. "Can You Feel the Love Tonight"

ANSWER: *The Lion King*

3. "I Just Called to Say I Love You"

ANSWER: *The Woman in Red*

4. "Lose Yourself"

ANSWER: *8 Mile*

22. Sure, they may not market themselves as minivans, but those crossover SUV's aren't fooling anyone. Name these quasi-minivans, for ten points each.

1. Chrysler offers these mid-size crossover SUV's that sit on its minivan platform. They announced in November plans to discontinue the model after the 2008 model year.

ANSWER: Chrysler Pacifica

2. After the massive failure of the Pontiac Aztek, Pontiac began selling this crossover SUV, whose name suggests it can survive a downpour.

ANSWER: Pontiac Torrent

3. Since 2003, Volvo has sold this crossover that was the North American Truck of the Year that year.

ANSWER: Volvo XC 90