- 1. A female blues singer declines to provide some "happy news" in the sixth verse of this song. This song's singer describes hearing of a major news story while working his paper route, noting "February made me (*) shiver with every paper I delivered." "Weird Al" Yankovic's song "The Saga Begins" is a parody of this song, whose chorus laments that "the levy was dry." The plane crash that killed Buddy Holly was dubbed "the day the music died" in, for 10 points, what Don McLean song that bids "bye bye" to the title entity? ANSWER: American Pie <Nelson>
- 2. Description acceptable. "Somewhere in America" is the title of one of these ads, which often bear the tagline, "We Are Their Voice." Odyssey Online published a list of 7 thoughts people have when seeing these ads, such as "Must. Look. Away. From. Sad. (*) Eyes." These ads make prominent use of the song "Angel," whose singer admitted that even *she* has to change the channel when they air. The greeting "Hi, I'm Sarah McLachlan" frequently appears in, for 10 points, what notoriously heart-wrenching TV ads that display images of in-need animals? ANSWER: <u>ASPCA</u> commercials [accept reasonable answers that mention <u>commercials</u> or <u>ads</u> or <u>PSAs</u> for the <u>American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals</u> or <u>animal</u> <u>cruelty</u> in general; do not accept answers that mention a "humane society"; prompt on players just "commercial" or similar] <Vopava>
- 3. In 2016, Schoolboy Q jokingly declared the cover of his *Blank Face LP* would feature one of these things. After a 2016 playoff game, the Arizona Cardinals asked "Is this what you want, internet?" while tweeting this thing, which was created by Stephan Savoia, a Pulitzer Prize-winning (*) photographer. This image, which was amusingly superimposed over the Mets' home run apple after their World Series loss, was taken at a Basketball Hall of Fame induction ceremony. For 10 points, name this meme involving a lachrymose man dubbed "his Airness." ANSWER: <u>Crying Jordan</u> [or <u>Crying MJ</u> or any answer that mentions both Michael <u>Jordan</u> and that he was <u>crying</u>; prompt on partial answers] <Nelson>
- 4. This character moves into the greasy-walled Grand Pangolin Arms apartment complex, where Pronk also lives. A children's book about this character depicts her search for a missing Jumbo Pop. The "major jerk" Gideon Grey was a bully to this character, who has 275 (*) siblings. Ginnifer Goodwin voiced this creature, who agrees to resign from her job if she doesn't find the missing predator Emmitt Otterton. Nick Wilde is a friend of, for 10 points, what native of Bunnyburrow who becomes a police officer in *Zootopia*?

 ANSWER: Judy Hopps [accept either, as well as Judith Laverne Hopps] <Nelson>
- 5. Yamashita and Yurchenko are different techniques for performing this activity, for which Maria Paseka won a silver medal at the Rio Olympics. An object central to this activity is nicknamed the "tongue" and replaced a similar object that was rotated differently for men and women. The 1996 (*) U.S. women's gymnastics team secured gold after one athlete completed this discipline with a sprained ankle. McKayla Maroney was "unimpressed" by a silver medal performance in, for 10 points, what gymnastics event that consists of a run and jump from a namesake device?

ANSWER: vault [prompt on "gymnastics" or similar before mention] <Nelson>

- 6. Description acceptable. An article about this event on The Verge focused largely on the emphasis placed on the words "for all" during it. Alex Jones vehemently argued that this event was in fact a satanic ritual. A transitional portion of this event included a snippet of "Dance in the (*) Dark." A set of drones formed a flag at the start of this 2017 event, whose central figure then appeared to leap from the roof of NRG Stadium. For 10 points, name this 2017 Pepsi-sponsored performance that occurred in the middle of a championship football game. ANSWER: Lady <u>Gaga</u>'s <u>Super Bowl</u> LI halftime show [accept any anwers that specifies the <u>Super Bowl LI halftime show</u>; accept Stefani <u>Germanotta</u> in place of "Lady Gaga"] <Nelson>
- 7. In a 2001 comedy, this actor played Eli, a cowboy hat-wearing author who kills Chas's dog Buckley when driving while high on mescaline. This man, who appeared as an agonizing third wheel in *You*, *Me and Dupree* also appeared alongside Jackie Chan in *Shanghai* (*) *Noon* and voiced a red vehicle assigned the number 95 as Lightning McQueen in *Cars*. Vince Vaughn's co-star in *Wedding Crashers* was, for 10 points, what crooked-nosed blond actor who partnered with Ben Stiller in *Meet the Parents* and *Zoolander*, who has a younger brother named Luke?

ANSWER: **Owen** [Cunningham] **Wilson** [prompt on "Wilson" before "Luke"] < Vopava>

- 8. One character on this show creates a fake boyfriend named George Glass. The dog Tiger appeared in the first two seasons of this show, which added Cousin Oliver in its final season to boost its ratings. Another character on this show cancels her date with quarterback Doug Simpson after a (*) football breaks her nose. This show's title group employs the housekeeper Alice, and its matriarch is Carol, played by Florence Henderson. Jan exclaimed "Marcia, Marcia, Marcia!" on, for 10 points, what 1970s sitcom about a family with six children? ANSWER: The Brady Bunch <Golden>
- 9. In 1963 Vic Davalillo [daa-vuh-LEE-yo] was struck in the head by a ball that ricocheted off a ladder in the middle of this structure. White lines on this structure contain Morse code letters that spell out the initials of Thomas and Jean Yawkey. (*) The Nation's Nest seating area sits above this structure, which until 2003 featured a net that shielded businesses on Landsdowne Street from home runs. Manny Ramirez once took a mid-game break by wandering inside, for 10 points, what colorfully-named 37-foot wall in the left field of Fenway Park? ANSWER: The Green Monster [prompt on "Fenway Park" before "colorfully-named"; prompt on "wall" before mention] <Vopava>
- 10. In the Raven Cycle books, this activity is used by Ronan Lynch and other Greywarens ["gray warrens"] to create any object they desire. In the Wheel of Time series, an unusually tangible "World of" this activity is called Tel'aran'rhiod [tel-AY-rahn-ree-ODD]. In Ender's Game, the title character learns he killed Bonzo ["bone"-zo] after seeing it occur during (*) one of these things. In a Suzanne Young novel, Jonas tries to free his brother from a coma by using the "lucid" form of this activity. For 10 points, name this activity that occurs during REM cycles.

ANSWER: dreaming [accept lucid dreams; prompt on "sleeping" or similar] < Vopava>

11. Words used in one song by this man are taken from the Welsh poem *Cad Goddeu* [cahd goh-thay] translated into Sanskrit. Two works by this man from the same franchise are commonly known as "Parade of the Slave Children" and "Scherzo for (*) Motorcycle and Orchestra." Another work by this man heard during Olympic coverage is titled "Summon the Heroes." Itzhak Perlman played this man's theme from *Schindler's List*, which earned him one of his 45 Oscar nominations. "The Imperial March" is by, for 10 points, what composer of the *Star Wars* theme?

ANSWER: John [Towner] Williams < Nelson>

- 12. This website's FAQ page has an alarmingly long section defining "Social Eating" and the extensive rules that define it. Tom Cassell is among the most followed users on this website, where he goes by the username Syndicate. The head of Josh DeSeno and the open-mouthed face of a guy who goes by "Gootecks" are (*) used as emotes in this web site's chat feature. In 2015, this evolution of Justin.tv aired a marathon of Bob Ross's *The Joy of Painting*. A quote bubble with eyes is the logo of, for 10 points, what live streaming website? ANSWER: Twitch.tv <Nelson>
- 13. Don Henley criticized this singer for heavily sampling "Hotel California" on his song "American Wedding." In a 2016 song, this artist claimed "I thought I was dreaming when you said you loved me" and name-dropped the DJ Syd the Kid. This singer of "Ivy" described Cleopatra in his song (*) "Pyramids." This former member of Odd Future released the visual album *Endless* on Apple Music two days before releasing the long-delayed album *Blonde*. For 10 points, name this bisexual R&B singer whose 2012 album *Channel Orange* included the song "Thinkin' Bout You."

ANSWER: Frank <u>Ocean</u> [accept Christopher Francis <u>Ocean</u> or Christopher Edwin <u>Breaux</u>] <Golden>

14. In a book that marked this character's first appearance, he explores acquiring several different animals' noses out of dissatisfaction with his own. This character and a friend form the band We-Stink in a special titled "It's Only Rock and Roll." In 2016 the makers of this character, WGBH in Boston, (*) futily pleaded for the internet to stop making vulgar memes involving him, though they were less upset with memes depicting a close-up of this Elwood City native's clenched fist. Buster Baxter is a friend of, for 10 points, what animated aardvark?

ANSWER: Arthur Read < Nelson>

15. In April 2016 a defensive player for this team was murdered following a minor traffic incident. In 2012, this team's head coach became the first NFL head coach to be suspended by the league, which occurred due to a controversial (*) program run by Gregg Williams, their defensive coordinator. "Old gold" is an official color of this team, which played most of their home games at Tiger Stadium and the Alamodome during the 2005 season. Drew Brees plays quarterback with, for 10 points, what team that briefly moved following Hurricane Katrina?

ANSWER: New Orleans Saints [accept either] < Vopava>

- 16. This band's album Shouldn't A Told You That was the last to feature singer Laura Lynch. Two members of this band released the 2013 album Amelita under the name Court Yard Hounds. The documentary Shut Up and (*) Sing and a song that claims "I'm still mad as hell and don't have time to go 'round" address an incident in which this band's singer claimed embarrassment that George W. Bush was from Texas. "Wide Open Spaces" and "Not Ready to Make Nice" are hits by, for 10 points, what Natalie Maines-fronted all-female country group? ANSWER: Dixie Chicks <Nelson>
- 17. Part of this game's final boss fight was inspired by a scene in the film *The Military Policeman and the Dismembered Beauty*. A photographer who uses the catchphrase "fuzzy pickles!" periodically descends from the sky in this game, which lets players name a psychic attack after their "favorite thing." Players visit towns like (*) Fourside and Threed after leaving Onett ["ON-it"] in this game. Jeff Andonuts ["AND-oh-nuts"], Paula, and Poo are companions in, for 10 points, what bizarre 1994 RPG about a yo-yo wielding boy named Ness? ANSWER: <u>EarthBound</u> [or <u>Mother 2</u>] <Vopava>
- 18. A 2002 film partially titled for one of these animals earned an Oscar nomination for then 13-year-old Keisha Castle-Hughes. One variety of these animals is the focus of the 2012 Drew Barrymore movie *Big Miracle*. In a 1993 film whose sequels include *Escape from Pirates Cove*, a boy works to (*) liberate one of these animals played by a real one of them named Keiko [KAY-koh]. 2015's *In the Heart of the Sea* concerns the hunting of, for 10 points, what animals seen in *Free Willy* and profiled in *Blackfish*, a documentary about SeaWorld? ANSWER: whales [accept Whale Rider; prompt on "orcas" or similar; prompt on "cetaceans"; do not accept or prompt on "dolphins"] <Nelson>
- 19. The most recent person to achieve this status previously competed for it while dressed like Jesus. In 2015, Geoff Britten narrowly missed out on achieving this status, which was instead earned by Isaac Caldiero. In 2016, a U.S. TV series named for this status saw a record-breaking performance by (*) Jessie Graff. The Japanese series *Sasuke* was the first to award this title, which requires scaling a non-mountain known as Mount Midoriyama, which requires use of a 75-foot rope. For 10 points, name this title given for conquering a series of TV obstacle courses.

ANSWER: <u>Ninja Warrior</u> [or <u>American Ninja Warrior</u>; prompt on just "ninja" or "warrior"] <Nelson>

20. A musical produced in this country stars and tells the life story of a basketball player who began playing there in 2011. In 2016, a professional league in this country was won by a team nicknamed the Blue Whales. After high school, Nuggets guard Emmanuel (*) Mudiay [MOO-dee-ay] played in this country instead of playing collegiately. Since 2011, this country's league has employed former NBA star Stephon Marbury. An NBA hall-of-famer from this country stood 7' 6" tall and was a top draft pick for the Rockets. For 10 points, name this home country of Yao Ming.

ANSWER: China < Nelson>

1. The generally pointless MTV Movie Awards have consistently given out this unusual award since 1992. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this award, which in 2016 was given to Rebel Wilson and Adam Devine [deh-"VINE"] for a moment they shared in *Pitch Perfect 2*.

ANSWER: Best Kiss

[10] Among the first winners of the Best Kiss Award was Macaulay Culkin, who is best known for playing the precocious Kevin McCallister, who foils robbers on Christmas in this film series.

ANSWER: Home Alone

[10] In 2014, the Best Kiss award was shared by three stars of *We're the Millers*, including this former star of *Friends* and the *Horrible Bosses* movies.

ANSWER: Jennifer [Joanna] Aniston < Nelson>

2. During the tenure of its commissioner Jim Delany, this collegiate conference's name has become increasingly inaccurate. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this major midwestern conference, whose teams include Ohio State and Michigan.

ANSWER: Big Ten Conference

[10] The last time the Big Ten had exactly 10 teams was in 1989, before Penn State joined it. As of 2016, how many teams does the Big Ten Conference have?

ANSWER: 14

[10] The only *former* member of the Big Ten is this school, which will be home to Barack Obama's presidential library. Most of its current athletic teams play in Division III's UAA Conference.

ANSWER: University of <u>Chicago</u> [prompt on "Maroons"] <Nelson>

3. For 10 points each, name these video games that feature robot dogs:

[10] Rush is the red robotic dog of this other robotic character, who was built by Dr. Light and appears in several different series, including *Battle Network*.

ANSWER: Mega Man

[10] Mega Man was one inspiration for this 2016 Xbox One exclusive, in which Joule Adams and a crew of robotic helpers, including a dog, explore the Far Eden colony.

ANSWER: **ReCore**

[10] Though it does not resemble a dog, a robot *named* Dog is built by Alyx Vance and helps Gordon Freeman test the Zero Point Energy Field Manipulator in this 2004 PC sequel.

ANSWER: <u>Half-Life 2</u> [do not accept or prompt on "Half-Life" <Nelson>

4. This rapper claims "I didn't even have to use my AK" in the song "It Was a Good Day." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this rapper whose successful solo career included the 1989 album *AmeriKKKa's Most Wanted*. More recently, he has starred the movies *Are We There Yet*? and *Ride Along*.

ANSWER: Ice Cube [accept O'Shea Jackson, Sr.]

[10] Like Dr. Dre and Kendrick Lamar, Ice Cube hails from this California city. A controversial album by the rap group N.W.A is titled *Straight Outta* this city.

ANSWER: Compton [accept Straight Outta Compton]

[10] This member of N.W.A who recorded the song "Boyz-n-the Hood" founded Ruthless Records with Jerry Heller. He died in 1995 due to complications from AIDS.

ANSWER: <u>Eazy-E</u> [accept Eric Darnell <u>Wright</u>] <Golden>

5. An episode of this man's TV show went viral in early 2017 due to the behavior of a 13-year-old guest named Danielle Ann. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this TV personality, who made numerous appearances on *The Oprah Winfrey Show* before going on to host his namesake series.

ANSWER: **Dr. Phil** [or Phillip Calvin **McGraw**]

[10] On that viral episode, Danielle taunted Dr. Phil's audience with this threatening phrase. The exact wording is not required, but your answer should be a close approximation.

ANSWER: <u>Catch me outside</u>, how about that? [accept answers that sound more like <u>cash me</u> <u>outside how bow dah</u>; prompt on "how 'bout dat" or similar; accepted answers should contain at least the first three words]

[10] Dr. Phil was heavily criticized in 2003 for introducing a line of weight loss products called "Shape It Up, Woo, Woo!," largely because he is *not* a medical doctor, but instead one of these professionals.

ANSWER: **psychologist**s <Nelson>

6. A 1993 film named for this type of award starred Thomas Ian Nicholas as a 12-year-old who becomes a professional baseball player. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this type of sports award. Its winners in baseball in 2016 included Corey Seager, who spent the previous season in the minor leagues.

ANSWER: **rookie of the year** [accept descriptive equivalents of this]

[10] There are several rookie of the year awards associated with the NFL; in 2015, most of them were won by Todd Gurley, a teammate of top draft pick Jared Goff with this west-coast team.

ANSWER: Los Angeles **Rams** [prompt on "Los Angeles" or "LA"]

[10] The best rookie each season in the NHL receives a trophy with this name. In 2016, it was won by Artemi Panarin [ar-TEM-ee puh-NAHR-in].

ANSWER: Calder Memorial Trophy < Nelson>

7. N.K. Jemisin's novel *The Fifth Season* won Best Novel as part of these awards in 2016. For 10 points each:

[10] Name these awards given annually to works in science fiction and fantasy. They are named for the founder of *Amazing Series* and not a 19th-century French author.

ANSWER: **Hugo** Awards

[10] Books by Jim Butcher were nominated for Best Novel in 2015 and 2016; Butcher is most famous for writing a series titled for the "Files" of this wizard detective.

ANSWER: <u>Harry</u> [Blackstone Copperfield] <u>Dresden</u> [accept either underlined name]

[10] This three-time winner of the Hugo Award for Best Novel wrote the *Foundation* series and created the Three Laws of Robotics.

ANSWER: Isaac <u>Asimov</u> [or Isaak <u>Osimov</u>] <Golden>

8. For 10 points each, answer the following about the greatest actor of this or any generation, Steve Buscemi [boo-sem-ee]:

[10] Buscemi may be best known to younger viewers as the voice of this chameleon-like jerk, the rival of fellow scarer James P. Sullivan in *Monsters Inc.*

ANSWER: **Randall Boggs** [accept either]

[10] More recently, Buscemi starred as the New Jersey crime boss "Nucky" Thompson on this HBO series, which ended in 2014.

ANSWER: **Boardwalk Empire**

[10] Buscemi was also delightful as a man who flees with diamonds he helped steal in Quentin Tarantino's debut film *Reservoir Dogs*. In the film, Buscemi's character is known by this colorful pseudonym.

ANSWER: Mr. Pink < Nelson>

9. For 10 points each, answer the following about the 2016 Juno Awards:

[10] The ceremony, like all Juno Awards, honors music in this country. Other Juno winners include Michael Bublé [boo-BLAY], Arcade Fire, and Céline Dion.

ANSWER: Canada

[10] The winner of the "Breakthrough Artist of the Year" Juno was this artist, who called herself an "anti-social pessimist" in "Here" and sang the pop version of "How Far I'll Go" in *Moana*.

ANSWER: Alessia Cara [or Alessia Caracciolo]

[10] Another 2016 nominee was the indie band now called Preoccupations; at the time, they were controversially named for this Asian army that engaged in a war with the U.S.

ANSWER: Viet Cong < Nelson>

10. For 10 points each, answer the following about the use of fake phone numbers in television:

[10] It has become somewhat commonplace for such numbers to begin with this three-digit exchange, which has been partially taken out of real circulation as a result.

ANSWER: <u>555</u>

[10] On *Seinfeld*, this aloof character played by Michael Richards has the number 555-3455, which to his dismay is a digit off from a fictional number for Moviefone.

ANSWER: Cosmo Kramer [accept either]

[10] In an episode of this British workplace sitcom, Maurice Moss watches a jingle for a fictional emergency number, which is impractically 20 digits long.

ANSWER: The IT Crowd < Nelson>

11. When asked this question in a 2016 Reddit AMA, Meryl Streep noted that sometimes it was true, though other times the item in question was a "canape" [can-uh-PAY]. For 10 points each: [10] Name or describe this absurd question about a quintessentially American food item, which

Merriam-Webster answered in the affirmative ahead of Memorial Day in 2016.

ANSWER: Is a **hot dog** a **sandwich**? [accept answers that contain both underlined parts] [10] The National Hot Dog and Sausage Council takes the official stance that hot dogs are *not* sandwiches; noting that calling a hot dog "just a sandwich" is like calling this exiled Tibetan Buddhist "just a guy."

ANSWER: **Dalai Lama** [or Tenzin **Gyatso**]

[10] This host of the Food Network's *Good Eats* and *Cutthroat Kitchen* has controversially claimed that hot dogs *are* sandwiches.

ANSWER: Alton Brown < Nelson>

- 12. For 10 points each, name these board games that you should play if you have an entire day free and want to lose a couple friends:
- [10] First published in 1981, this World War II game often runs longer than ten hours and is noted for its complicated dice-based combat. It is named for the war's opposing sides.

ANSWER: <u>Axis & Allies</u> [accept <u>Axis & Allies: Classic</u> but do not accept or prompt on other variations]

[10] This slow, complex game about avoiding war in pre-World War I Europe features dice-less combat; players instead write down units' orders.

ANSWER: **Diplomacy**

[10] Mecatol Rex [MECK-uh-tahl REX] always sits at the center of the hex-based board in this massive Fantasy Flight game of interstellar trade, politics, and war.

ANSWER: Twilight Imperium <Vopava>

13. 11 of this NBA team's record 17 championships featured hall-of-fame center Bill Russell. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this team, whose leprechaun mascot also appears in its logo.

ANSWER: **Boston Celtics** [accept either]

[10] The Celtics' last championship came in 2008, in which they were led by Paul Pierce and this 7-footer, who ecstatically shouted "anything is possible" during the title celebration.

ANSWER: Kevin Garnett

[10] Nine of the Celtics' championships came during the tenure of this coach, who iconically smoked cigars to celebrate victories.

ANSWER: Red <u>Auerbach</u> [OW-er-"back"] [or Arnold Jacob <u>Auerbach</u>] <Nelson>

14. In a testament to his toughness, this character allows himself to be stabbed, which buys enough time to kill Viggo Tarasov, a Russian crime boss. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this super cool killing machine played by Keanu Reeves. "Chapter 2" of this character's story premiered in February 2017.

ANSWER: John Wick [accept John Wick: Chapter 2]

[10] In the original *John Wick*, he is thrown into "kill everyone" mode when thieves steal his vintage Ford Mustang and perform this other, unthinkably cruel action.

ANSWER: they **kill**ed his **dog** [accept descriptive equivalents]

[10] *John Wick: Chapter 2* co-stars this actor as a crime lord; in another film, he offers another of Keanu Reeves's characters a choice between red and blue pills.

ANSWER: Laurence [John] Fishburne III < Nelson>

15. This band released the single "Cough Syrup" while still going by the name The Jakes. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this alt-rock band who released the 2016 album *Home of the Strange*; their self-titled debut, released in 2010, yielded the singles "Apartment" and "My Body."

ANSWER: Young the Giant

[10] Young the Giant first gained significant notice after playing four shows at this massive Austin, Texas festival abbreviated "SXSW."

ANSWER: South by Southwest

[10] Young the Giant is currently signed to the Fueled by Ramen label, whose other alt and indie acts include Nate Reuss, the singer of this indie band behind the song "Carry On."

ANSWER: Fun. <Vopava>

16. This character goes to a father-daughter dance with Mr. Moseby after her rich father doesn't show up. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this hotel heiress played by Brenda Song. A parody of Paris Hilton, she has the catchphrase "Yay me!"

ANSWER: **London** [Leah] **Tipton** [accept either underlined name]

[10] London Tipton first appeared on this series set in one of her family's hotels, which starred Cole and Dylan Sprouse as the title siblings. This series later received a spinoff set on a boat.

ANSWER: The <u>Suite Life of Zack and Cody</u> [prompt on partial answers; do not accept or prompt on "The Suite Life on Deck"]

[10] The Suite Life of Zack and Cody and its spinoff The Suite Life on Deck both aired on this network, whose original movies include High School Musical.

ANSWER: The **Disney** Channel <Golden>

17. For 10 points each, name these musicians who struggled with eating disorders:

[10] Melanie Chisholm developed such a disorder at the height of her popularity in this group, in which she was nicknamed "Sporty" and sang on hits like "Wannabe" and "2 Become 1."

ANSWER: Spice Girls

[10] Caleb Followill, one of three Followills in this rock band behind the albums *Walls* and *Only by the Night*, struggled with anorexia as a teenager.

ANSWER: Kings of Leon

[10] Karen, a member of this 1970's duo behind the hits "Close to You" and "Top of the World" was only 32 when she died of heart failure caused by her years battling anorexia.

ANSWER: The <u>Carpenters</u> [accept Karen Anne <u>Carpenter</u>] < Vopava>

18. Calvin Murray was preparing to hit a pitch during a 2001 Spring Training game when, as he described it, one of these "exploded ... just poof!" For 10 points each:

[10] Name this type of animal that hall of fame pitcher Randy Johnson improbably and utterly annihilated with a fastball.

ANSWER: **bird** [or **dove**]

[10] Another hall of famer, Dave Winfield, killed a seagull with a thrown ball during a 1983 game against this team, which has an avian name and is led by Jose Bautista.

ANSWER: Toronto Blue Jays

[10] In the 1983 "Pine Tar Incident," George Brett hit a disputed game-winning home run off of Rich Gossage [GOSS-idge], a pitcher known by this avian nickname.

ANSWER: Goose [or Goose Gossage] < Vopava>

19. For 10 points each, answer the following about films and TV shows that depict "nightmares":

[10] This claymation masterpiece by Tim Burton depicts Jack Skellington's attempts at a new role after growing bored of Halloween.

ANSWER: The **Nightmare Before Christmas**

[10] Robert Englund and Jackie Earle Haley have both played this horror movie character, who hunts down victims in their sleep.

ANSWER: Freddy Krueger [accept either]

[10] An iconic episode of *The Twilight Zone*, in which William Shatner goes mad after seeing a gremlin on the wing of a plane, is named for a "Nightmare at" this many feet.

ANSWER: 20,000 [accept Nightmare at 20,000 Feet] <Nelson>

20. For 10 points each, name these game shows that were embroiled in cheating scandals:

[10] The movie *Quiz Show* studies this 1950s game show where wins and losses were choreographed by producer Dan Enright to maximize ratings.

ANSWER: Twenty-One

[10] On the British version of this game show, an audience member helped contestant Charles Ingram by coughing when the correct multiple-choice answer was mentioned.

ANSWER: Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?

[10] Michael Larson memorized the supposedly random light patterns on this show's game board, allowing him to deftly avoid the show's loss-inducing "Whammies." He won over \$110,000.

ANSWER: Press Your Luck [do not accept or prompt on "Whammy"] < Vopava>