

# ACRONYM 13 - Round 7

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1. A film from and set in this country depicts a rap-obsessed boy on the run with his foster father. That film stars Julian Dennison, a young actor from this country who played Firefist in *Deadpool 2*. This country is the setting of *Hunt for the Wilderpeople* (WILL-dur-"people"), whose director made a 2019 film in which a (\*) Jewish girl is hidden in the home of a boy whose imaginary friend is an oafish Adolf Hitler. Director Taika Waititi (TYE-kuh why-TEE-tee) and the musical duo Flight of the Conchords are from, for 10 points, what country where Peter Jackson filmed *The Lord of the Rings*?

ANSWER: New Zealand <Nelson>

2. In one appearance, this character befriends Dootsie Pringle and the agoraphobic Betty Lou Fern. This girl organizes a Winter Solstice party at Calendar Hill and is said to be writing the "world's longest letter" in a 2007 novel partially titled for her. Grace VanderWaal will portray this character in a 2020 film adaptation, which is apt since both she and this character play the (\*) ukulele. Leo Borlock is a love interest of this character, who appears on book covers as a stick figure in a dress. Jerry Spinnelli created, for 10 points, what quirky student with a celestial name?

ANSWER: Stargirl [accept Susan or Caraway] <Rao-Pothuraju>

3. A vegan variety of this specific food item is prepared by Michellee, the overbearing mother of a boy known only as "E.B." McWinkle and Glutz, who form a group called "BADGUYS," track a stolen animal called a Chickeraffe by exploiting its thief's love of this food. A grumpy inventor who wears a tall red hat refuses to eat this food no matter how many (\*) socks or foxes accompany it. In a 2019 Netflix series, this food is reluctantly eaten by Guy-Am-I. For 10 points, name this colorful food which titles a series based on a Dr. Seuss book.

ANSWER: green eggs and ham [prompt on partial answers] <Rao-Pothuraju>

4. An album titled for one of these figures spawned the single "What's the Frequency, Kenneth?" and was recorded by R.E.M. The request "Wrap me in leather before you wrap me in lace" appears in a song about being "in love with" this sort of figure by Fifth Harmony. In the name of the band behind the indie pop hits "Mountain Sound" and (\*) "Little Talks," these beings are paired with "men." "Alejandro" appears on an album named for the "Fame" type of this being, whose "little" variety denotes Lady Gaga's fanbase. For 10 points, what sort of ghastly being names a popular Halloween "Mash"?

ANSWER: monster(s) [accept "I'm in Love with a Monster" or Of Monsters and Men or *The Fame Monster* or Little Monsters or "Monster Mash"] <Vopava>

5. In 1998 the L.A. Clippers hired this man to train the draft bust Michael Olowokandi (oh-luh-woh-KAN-dee), who rejected this man's help. In his second pro season, this man won a championship and Finals MVP award with an expansion team that was itself in just its third season. This player acted with his friend Bruce Lee in the film *Game of Death* and appeared as a (\*) pilot in *Airplane!*. This man bent his entire body to create space for his trademark shot, the skyhook. The NBA's all-time scoring leader is, for 10 points, what legend for the Bucks and Lakers, who changed his name upon converting to Islam?

ANSWER: Kareem Abdul-Jabbar [or Lew Alcindor or Ferdinand Lewis Alcindor; prompt on partial last names] <Nelson>

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6. To stop Chuck De Nomolos, these two characters enlist the help of a genius named Station. These two characters gain Death as their servant after they best him at a series of unorthodox modern board games. A man inaccurately known as (\*) "So Crates" is befriended by this duo, who will reunite to *Face the Music* in a 2020 sequel. These characters are shown to a phone booth that lets them time travel to complete a history report. Alex Winter and Keanu Reeves played, for 10 points, what two dumb slackers who go on a *Bogus Journey* and an *Excellent Adventure*?

ANSWER: Bill & Ted [accept William S. Preston or Bill Preston for "Bill"; accept Theodore Logan for "Ted"] <Vopava>

7. Early mixtapes by this artist used titles based on either the word "Flamers" or "Dreamchasers." This man claimed "I'm a king, just like Martin Luther" on a 2018 song that heavily sampled Phil Collins' "In the Air Tonight." This man is the subject of the diss track "Charged Up," which was released at the height of his feud with (\*) Drake. A 2019 documentary detailed the furor over this man's controversial 2018 imprisonment, which inspired his album *Championships*. "Whatever You Need" and "Going Bad" are hits by, for 10 points, what subject of the film *Free Meek*?

ANSWER: Meek Mill [or Robert Rihmeek Williams; prompt on Meek before the end] <Nelson>

8. This athlete was the top scorer in a 2014 championship run known as "La Décima." In a 2018 match against a future team, this man executed a move that Andrea Barzagli described as a "PlayStation goal." Since 2019, this man has been the most-followed person on (\*) Instagram. After a 2018 transfer, this man won his first Serie A (SAYR-ee ah) title. An airport named for this man sits on the island where he was born and is home to a shockingly bad sculpture of his head. For 10 points, name this forward for Juventus (joo-VEN-tiss) who captains Portugal's national team.

ANSWER: Cristiano Ronaldo (dos Santos Aveiro) <Vopava>

9. In 2018, Miranda Sings and this figure released a parody song promoting a new product by Dunkin Donuts. This performer of the song "My Moment" stunned Meghan Trainor with a slow-tempo rendition of Nsync's "Bye Bye Bye" on the series *The Four*. This figure appeared as the co-host of a party in Katy Perry's (\*) "T.G.I.F." video shortly after the ARK Music Factory produced her 2011 debut, which begins at "7 am, waking up in the morning." For 10 points, what YouTuber and singer who pondered "which seat should I take" in the 2011 viral hit "Friday"?

ANSWER: Rebecca (Renee) Black <Nelson>

10. When singing about a woman who left him for this man, country singer Hayes Carll claims "I'll bet he's a commie." Eric Church calls himself a "long-gone Waylon song on vinyl" in a song that likens a lover to this man. Thomas Rhett claimed he'd "sip it nice and slow" in a song titled for having a "Beer with" this figure. Johnny Cash covered a (\*) Depeche Mode song about this man. In a song from the 2005 album *Some Hearts*, a woman calls for this figure's help in the moments before a terrifying car crash. For 10 points, who did Carrie Underwood tell to "take the wheel"?

ANSWER: Jesus Christ [or Jesus of Nazareth or similar; accept any underlined portion; accept "She Left Me for Jesus" or "Like Jesus Does" or "Beer With Jesus" "Personal Jesus" or "Jesus Take the Wheel"] <Golden>

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11. As a freshman in college, this football player displaced Kyle Allen as starting quarterback before transferring elsewhere. In his NFL debut, he helped erase an 18-point fourth quarter deficit to force a 27-27 tie against the Lions. Despite showing a strong intention to play football, this player briefly signed with the (\*) Oakland A's in 2018. This player replaced Josh Rosen, who played under coach Kliff Kingsbury for just one year; Rosen was traded a day after this Oklahoma alum was taken first overall in 2019. For 10 points, name this starting quarterback for the Arizona Cardinals.

ANSWER: Kyler (Cole) Murray <Andert>

12. Irene Ahn was the owner of a popular and especially floofy Pomeranian with this name that died in January 2019. A genie-like character who uses an alternate-spelling of this name was created by the warlock Bibidi (BIB-uh-dee) and takes numerous forms in a long-running (\*) anime series. Mary Gibbs voiced a film character with this nickname who had flowers on her light-colored door. A Nintendo character with this name is typically motionless whenever the player is facing them. For 10 points, give this name shared by the human girl in *Monsters Inc.* and the *Mario* universe's ghosts.

ANSWER: Boo [accept Majin Boo or Majin Buu] <Nelson>

13. In Fritz Lang's *Metropolis*, the protagonist Freder is tailed by a man named for this quality. In a 1984 horror film, this title quality is bestowed upon the evil defense attorney Billy Halleck via a gypsy curse. This quality appears in the title of a 1934 comedy mystery film that features Asta, the pet terrier of married sleuths (\*) Nick and Nora Charles. A 1998 World War II film directed by Terrence Malick is titled for a "red" construct with this quality. Randall Adams was exonerated of killing a cop thanks to a 1988 Errol Morris documentary named after, for 10 points, what type of *Blue Line*?

ANSWER: thin [or thinness; accept Thinner or *The Thin Man* or *The Thin Red Line* or *The Thin Blue Line*] <Vopava>

14. Robin Scherbatsky leaves Metro News 1 to take a humiliating news anchor job in this country on *How I Met Your Mother*. Four people in this country are visited by the Fab Five in special 2019 episodes of Netflix's *Queer Eye*. A competition series in this country tasked contestants with identifying delicacies made to look exactly like household items. This nation is the home of the host of (\*) *Tidying Up*, Marie Kondo. The shows that were dubbed-over in the American shows *Most Extreme Elimination Challenge* and *Ninja Warrior* were made in, for 10 points, what Asian country?

ANSWER: Japan [or Nihon or Nippon] <Vopava>

15. In 2014, this band hired Jay Weinberg, the son of Bruce Springsteen's drummer Max Weinberg, and attempted to keep his identity a secret. A man who joined this band in 2019 came to be known to fans as "Tortilla Man" and replaced former percussionist Chris Fehn. The 2019 album (\*) *We Are Not Your Kind* is by this group, who referenced their midwestern home in the title of their sophomore album, *Iowa*. Stone Sour vocalist Corey Taylor also fronts, for 10 points, what metal band behind the song "Wait and Bleed," who are known for their grotesque masks?

ANSWER: Slipknot <Nelson>

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16. In a kids' TV series, Sean Astin voices one of these animals who works alongside Paw Pilot and Wolfie. In another kids' series, Luna the Moon interacts on a balcony with one of these animals, another of which is the largest of Franklin the Turtle's friends. A series of animated TV ads featuring a bright red family of these animals has a weird focus on their (\*) butts. A Hanna-Barbera cartoon depicted a pair of these animals who were opposed by Ranger Smith. The picnic basket-stealing Boo Boo and Yogi are, for 10 points, what type of animals who are fond of Charmin toilet paper?

ANSWER: bears <Rao-Pothuraju>

17. In 2018, Luke Heimlich chose not to attend this event following revelations that he once pled guilty to child molestation charges. A pair of four-team, double elimination brackets are used at the start of this event, which follows a set of "SuperRegionals." In 2011, a site named for Johnny Rosenblatt was replaced as the venue for this event by (\*) TD Ameritrade Park. Dansby Swanson and Jackie Bradley Jr. are former MVPs of this event, which was won in 2019 by Vanderbilt. Omaha, Nebraska is the site of, for 10 points, what amateur baseball competition?

ANSWER: College World Series [prompt on CWS or NCAA Division I Baseball Championship or similar; do not accept or prompt on "World Series"] <Nelson>

18. Ringing a "Demon Bell" in this game increases its difficulty in exchange for better item drops. Deaths in this game may be accompanied by NPCs being infected with Dragonrot. In this game, a fight with the doctor Emma ensues if the protagonist sides with his former mentor (\*) Owl. The grappling hook that the protagonist fires from his prosthetic arm adds a sense of verticality to this game's level design lacked by the similar *Souls* games. The Shinobi Wolf is the hero of, for 10 points, what challenging 2019 game set in Japan, which is subtitled "Shadows Die Twice"?

ANSWER: Sekiro: Shadows Die Twice <Gupta>

19. Description acceptable. A 2015 redesign of this character gave him tan lines from a tank top and made him both younger and a gamer. In a 2015 Geico commercial, this character nervously moves his eyes as a man in blue becomes increasingly frustrated. After 39 years of having the same characteristics, a version of this man was depicted with a (\*) "brain freeze." A horse is often depicted inside the leg of this man, below a space into which a rubber band can be placed. An illuminating red nose is sported by, for 10 points, what character central to a battery-operated children's game?

ANSWER: Cavity Sam [accept descriptive answers like the guy in Operation or the Operation guy; prompt on Sam] <Nelson>

20. An article accusing a man of animal cruelty prompts this character to agree that "it is better to be accused of necrophilia." This man shouts "I'm not going back to Caribbean Night at A-E-Pi" during a heated phone call with Eduardo, who later tells this character to "lawyer (\*) up" and vows, "I'm not coming back for the 30%, I'm coming back for everything." At the end of a 2010 film, this character obsessively refreshes his ex-girlfriend's profile page. Twin Harvard rowers derisively called the "Winklevii" (WINKLE-vye) sue, for 10 points, what protagonist of *The Social Network*?

ANSWER: Mark (Elliot) Zuckerberg [accept either underlined portion] <Vopava>

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1. In 2011 the relatively unknown jazz bassist Esperanza Spalding won the Best New Artist Grammy over four nominees who would all go on to become some of the world's biggest musical acts. For 10 points each:  
[10] Among the people who were angriest at Spalding's win were the fans of this young singer, whose song "Baby" had recently taken the world by storm.

ANSWER: Justin (Drew) **Bieber**

[10] Spalding also defeated this artsy indie rock band that rose to fame with their debut album *Lungs*.

ANSWER: **Florence and the Machine**

[10] "The Cave" and "Roll Away Your Stone" are among the early hits by this English band who *also* lost to Spalding.

ANSWER: **Mumford & Sons** <Vopava>

2. While preparing to become the only person to play himself on a *Star Trek* series, this man looked at the ship's warp core and claimed "I'm working on that." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this scientist and author of the book *A Brief History of Time*. He died in 2018 following an unusually long battle with ALS.

ANSWER: Stephen (William) **Hawking**

[10] Eddie Redmayne won an Oscar for playing a young Stephen Hawking in this 2014 film, which co-starred Felicity Jones as Hawking's wife Jane.

ANSWER: *The* **Theory of Everything**

[10] Hawking's vocal synthesizer was used for the song "Keep Talking," a song from this British band's latter-day album *The Division Bell*. Their earlier and better albums include *Animals* and *The Piper at the Gates of Dawn*.

ANSWER: **Pink Floyd** <Nelson>

3. Since 2005, there have been at least four college football games labelled as the "Game of the Century." For 10 points each:

[10] One such game in 2006 was a 42-39 win for Ohio State over this school, its chief rival, who are known as the Wolverines. The teams were #1 and #2 in the nation at the time.

ANSWER: University of **Michigan**

[10] In the 2005 "Game of the Century," this quarterback scored the game-winning touchdown for Texas to beat USC. His pro career was hampered by numerous personal issues.

ANSWER: Vince **Young** [or Vincent Paul **Young** Jr.]

[10] The most recent Game of the Century occurred in 2019 between these two teams. In that game, Joe Burrow and Tua Tagovailoa (TUNG-oh-vye-LO-uh) together racked up 811 passing yards and 7 passing touchdowns.

ANSWER: **Louisiana State** University and **Alabama** [accept answers in either order, accept **LSU** and **Bama**; accept **Crimson Tide** in place of Alabama; prompt on **Tigers** for LSU; do not accept or prompt on partial answers or on "Louisiana"] <Andert>

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4. For 10 points each, answer the following about Ida Lupino, the only mainstream female director during Hollywood's Golden Age:

[10] Her films often tackled more serious subjects than those of her male counterparts; one such film, *Never Fear*, concerned a woman with this often paralytic affliction, which affected Lupino, as well as director Francis Ford Coppola in his youth.

ANSWER: **polio** [accept **poliomyelitis**]

[10] Lupino's final film as director was *The Trouble with Angels*, whose young star, Hayley Mills, is best known for this 1961 Disney comedy about identical twins scheming to reunite their family.

ANSWER: *The **Parent Trap***

[10] Lupino began her career as a contract actress in films like *High Sierra*, in which she played opposite this rugged male star of *Casablanca*.

ANSWER: Humphrey (DeForest) **Bogart** <Vopava>

5. One version of a song ending with this phrase begins by describing how "One day, your little guy's behind the wheel." For 10 points each:

[10] Give this reassuring, five-word advertising slogan, which has been sung in various commercials by country singers Brad Paisley and Tori Kelly.

ANSWER: **Nationwide is on your side**

[10] In another Nationwide advertisement, this former quarterback replaces the words of the jingle with, among other things, "chicken parm, you taste so good."

ANSWER: Peyton (Williams) **Manning**

[10] Other performers to have sung a version of the Nationwide jingle include this singer, who remains best known for a song that describes being "like a small boat on the ocean."

ANSWER: Rachel (Ashley) **Platten** <Nelson>

6. A popular game series centered on this activity is still released annually for the Wii, a console that went out of production in 2013. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this general type of activity, which appears twice before "Revolution" in the title of a notable Konami rhythm game series.

ANSWER: **dancing** [or **dance**; accept **Dance Dance Revolution**]

[10] *Dance Central*, a dancing game by *Rock Band* developer Harmonix, was a launch title made for this Microsoft-made peripheral, which tracks player movements without using a controller.

ANSWER: **Kinect**

[10] The title team of government operatives inspire people by dancing in this 2006 Nintendo DS game, in which players interact with the touch screen to the rhythm of various songs.

ANSWER: **Elite Beat Agents** <Nelson>



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7. In the 2010 remake of *Don't Be Afraid of the Dark*, Sally ineffectively uses this action to try to ward the goblins away from Kim's body. For 10 points each:

[10] Identify or describe this action that, in *Get Out*, causes Logan to get a nosebleed and scream the title phrase.

ANSWER: using a **camera's flash** [accept any answer identifying a **flash** or **light** coming from a (cell phone's) **camera**, such as **taking a picture with flash on**; prompt on answers like **taking a picture** or **flash of light** by asking "In what way?"]

[10] Adam uses his camera's flash to navigate his dark apartment before seeing Jigsaw in a jumpscare from the first film of this long-running gory horror franchise.

ANSWER: **Saw**

[10] In a shadowy crater, Ben's camera illuminates the corpse of a cosmonaut in this 2011 found footage sci-fi horror film, which references the non-existent mission in its title with the tagline "There's a reason we've never gone back to the moon."

ANSWER: **Apollo 18** <Vopava>

8. For 10 points each, name these musicians who recorded songs featuring sweet bass solos:

[10] "Dazed and Confused," a lengthy song by this hard rock band, features a solo by its bassist John Paul Jones. Jimmy Page played guitar solos on many of this band's songs, including "Whole Lotta Love" and "Stairway to Heaven."

ANSWER: **Led Zeppelin**

[10] Chris Wolstenholme plays an intricate and awesome bass solo at the start of "Hysteria," a song by this increasingly pompous British band behind the hit "Uprising."

ANSWER: **Muse**

[10] The most iconic bass solo may be the song-length "Anesthesia" from Metallica's debut album; the solo was played by this bassist, who died in a bus accident in 1986.

ANSWER: Cliff **Burton** [or Clifford Lee **Burton**] <Nelson>

9. For a week in December 2019, this woman's normal role was filled in by Mickey Mouse. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this woman who filled in as the host of *Wheel of Fortune* in November 2019, thus graduating from her regular duty of revealing the puzzles' letters.

ANSWER: **Vanna White** [or Vanna Marie **Rosich**; accept either underlined portion]

[10] White has made a small handful of appearances on other TV shows, usually as herself; one such appearance was in a 2001 episode of this working-class CBS sitcom starring Kevin James and Leah Remini (REM-ih-nee).

ANSWER: *The* **King of Queens**

[10] When Vanna White received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame, she was appropriately accompanied by both Pat Sajak (SAY-jak) and this TV producer who created *Wheel of Fortune*

ANSWER: Merv **Griffin** [or Mervyn Edward **Griffin** Jr.] <Vopava>

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10. In a screenshot that went viral in 2019, a notification from this app is immediately followed by the ADP Security message "Intruder alert (back door). Proceed with caution." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this popular language-learning app known for its *very* insistent daily reminders. It finally released a course on Arabic in June 2019.

ANSWER: **Duolingo** ("duo"-LING-go)

[10] Duolingo's mascot is one of these birds, who is sometimes seen crying in email notifications because it doesn't understand how busy you are.

ANSWER: **owl**

[10] In 2017 Duolingo debuted courses for this fictional *Game of Thrones* language. *Dracarys* (druh-KAR-iss) means "dragon fire" in this language, which is typically spoken only by scholars, nobles, and poets.

ANSWER: High **Valyrian** (vuh-LEER-ee-in) <Vopava>

11. Outlandish products sold by this company include anvils, dehydrated boulders, and triple-strength fortified leg muscle vitamins. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this company whose products tend to fail and harm their common user. Coincidentally, a real company with this name once sold actual anvils in Sears catalogs.

ANSWER: **Acme** (AK-mee) Corporation

[10] Acme products most frequently appear in *Looney Tunes* shorts featuring these *two* characters. One of them frequently falls off a cliff, but will curiously not fall until he realizes he's about to do so.

ANSWER: Wile E. **Coyote** and **Road Runner** [accept answers in either order]

[10] Wile E. Coyote and the Road Runner were co-created by Michael Maltese and this pioneering animator, who also directed the classic special *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*.

ANSWER: Chuck **Jones** [or Charles Martin **Jones**] <Rao-Pothuraju>

12. In recent years, Major League Baseball has considered or implemented needless ideas for increasing the game's pace of play. For 10 points each:

[10] Beginning in 2017, MLB teams were allowed to simply declare that they were issuing one of these actions to an opposing batter instead of deliberately throwing four outside pitches.

ANSWER: **intentional walk** [prompt on walk]

[10] Minor League Baseball has begun using one of these devices set to 20 seconds. MLB has flirted with using this in meaningful games, but has yet to do so.

ANSWER: **pitch clock** [prompt on clock or similarly vague answers]

[10] The worst idea suggested may be the one mandating that teams automatically start extra innings with this specific benefit.

ANSWER: a **runner** starting on **second base** [prompt on less specific answers like a free baserunner] <Nelson>



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13. Daniel Seavey, a member of this group, reached the top 10 of *American Idol* when he was just 15, and according to Wikipedia can play "over 20 instruments by ear," whatever that means. For 10 points each:  
[10] Name this boy band, which alludes to the phrase "I love you" in the title track of their 2018 debut album, *8 Letters*.

ANSWER: **Why Don't We**

[10] In 2019, Why Don't We earned a Teen Choice Award for "Choice Music Group," beating out this pop group fronted by Luke Hemmings, who won the award the year before. Their hits include "Want You Back" and "Youngblood."

ANSWER: **5 Seconds of Summer** [accept **5SOS**]

[10] "Trust Fund Baby," a minor hit for Why Don't We, was written by this ubiquitous red-headed pop singer, who names his albums after math symbols.

ANSWER: Ed **Sheeran** [or Edward Christopher **Sheeran**] <Nelson>

14. A Michelangelo sculpture in this city is one of several priceless artworks depicted in the film *The Monuments Men*. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this picturesque Flemish city, which is the setting of a 2008 black comedy about two Irish hitmen going into hiding.

ANSWER: **Bruges** (broozh) [or **Brugge**; accept **In Bruges**]

[10] This bald film villain, whose company Virtucon is run by a subordinate named Number 2, is among the notable fictional characters who were born in Bruges.

ANSWER: Dr. **Evil** [accept **Douglas Powers** or **Dougie Powers**]

[10] Bruges is also the setting of *The Nun's Story*, a 1959 film starring this Belgian-born actress, who played Holly Golightly in *Breakfast at Tiffany's*. She is unrelated to a different legendary actor named Katharine.

ANSWER: Audrey **Hepburn** [or Audrey Kathleen **Ruston**] <Nelson>

15. In 2017, Ice Cube founded a basketball league for teams of this type. For 10 points each:

[10] Identify this type of team, which is more common in street basketball. FIBA's rules for this format dictate that it be played on a half court and the ball must be taken behind the three-point line on a defensive rebound.

ANSWER: **3-man** team [or **3-person** team; accept **Big3** or **3-on-3** or **3 vs. 3** or similar]

[10] That league, Big3, currently employs this member of the "Dream Team" as its commissioner. This man was also a member of "Phi Slama Jamma" at the University of Houston and was nicknamed "The Glide."

ANSWER: Clyde (Austin) **Drexler**

[10] FIBA held a World Cup for 3-on-3 play in 2019; its MVP was Robbie Hummel, an alum of this Big Ten college where Carsen Edwards and E'Twaun (EE-twahn) Moore also played.

ANSWER: **Purdue** University [accept **Boilermakers**] <Andert>

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16. For 10 points each, answer the following about fictional foods and drinks that appear in sci-fi and fantasy literature:

[10] This author's 1907 novel *Ozma of Oz* features a tree that grows entire lunch boxes, and another that can grow "dinner pails."

ANSWER: L. Frank **Baum** [or Lyman Frank **Baum**]

[10] This Norton Juster novel, whose title conveyance is taken by Milo to the Kingdom of Wisdom, details "subtraction stew," which makes diners hungrier as they eat it.

ANSWER: *The **Phantom Tollbooth***

[10] Red kibble is a common non-descript food consumed in this sci-fi series by James S. A. Corey about the rising tensions between different colonized planets in the solar system. It was adapted into a TV series beginning in 2015.

ANSWER: *The **Expanses*** <Nelson>

17. Posters for this studio's animated films have a remarkable tendency to depict their protagonists giving the same eyebrow-raising smirk. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this studio, who used the smirk in posters for films ranging from *Shrek* to *The Boss Baby*.

ANSWER: **DreamWorks** Animation [accept **DreamWorks** SKG]

[10] DreamWorks seems willing to use the smirk on the face of virtually any animal, including that of Skipper, the leader of a quartet of these animals.

ANSWER: (Adelie) **penguins** [From the *Madagascar* franchise]

[10] The smirk is also present in ads for this 2015 film about a stranded alien voiced by Jim Parsons. It is based on the children's book *The True Meaning of Smekday*

ANSWER: **Home** <Nelson>

18. In classic fantasy TV series style, this show's protagonist discovers that incest is behind a curse that caused King Foltest's sister to birth a *sbtriga*. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this 2020 Netflix series about the monster-slaying mercenary Geralt (guh-RAIT).

ANSWER: *The **Witcher***

[10] The role of Geralt in *The Witcher* marks a return to television for this actor, who has not been on TV since 2010 when he played the Duke of Suffolk on *The Tudors*.

ANSWER: Henry (William Dalglish) **Cavill**

[10] During an investigation into a supposed grain-stealing devil, Geralt befriends this bard, who composes the factually-dubious ballad "Toss a Coin to Your Witcher" about their adventure.

ANSWER: **Jaskier** (JASS-keer) [accept **Dandelion**] <Vopava>

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19. For 10 points each, answer the following about German track and field athlete Luz Long:

[10] He earned a silver medal at this event in front of his home crowd at the 1936 Olympics. Jeff Henderson and Bob Beamon are among the American winners of this event.

ANSWER: **long jump** [accept **Weitsprung**, and be impressed]

[10] In contrast to most of his German teammates, Long befriended and mentored this black American athlete, who bested Long for gold in the event. This man and Long remained friends until Long died in action in World War II.

ANSWER: Jesse **Owens** [or James Cleveland **Owens**]

[10] Long is the namesake of a road in the Olympic park of this city, where the terrorist group Black September abducted and killed 11 Israeli athletes at the 1972 games.

ANSWER: **Munich** [or **München**] <Nelson>

20. This artist's sister convinced him to simplify his stage name into its current form, which includes an extra letter 'T'. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this rapper, whose biggest hit includes the unforgettable lyric "panda, panda, panda, panda, panda."

ANSWER: **Desiigner** ("designer") [or Sidney Royel **Selby** III]

[10] Another song by Desiigner is named for this fictional resident of Dimmsdale, who is an "average kid that no one understands". He is the protagonist of *The Fairly OddParents*.

ANSWER: **Timmy Turner** [accept either]

[10] On the chorus of this single featuring Gucci Mane, which also contains one more 'T' than is necessary, Desiigner raps "never satisfied when you're goin' past rich" and "they don't wan' see you ball, they just want a draft pick."

ANSWER: "**Liife**" <Andert>