

Packet 1

NOTE TO MODERATOR: Toss-Up questions and Bonus rounds are paired. If a Toss-Up goes dead, the linked Bonus round should be skipped as well.

TU 1. In 2008, Japanese astronaut Takao Doi [“Tuh-kay-OH Doy”] became the first person to use one of these objects in outer space, while aboard the International Space Station. A TV network named after this tool re-airs retired children’s cartoons, such as (*) Looney Tunes and Scooby-Doo, using the tagline “It’s All Coming Back To You.” In *Avatar: The Last Airbender*, Sokka [“Sock-ah”] uses this weapon in combat. The aboriginal Australians used, for ten points, what hunting tool characterized by its ability to return to its original spot after being thrown.

ANS: Boomerang <EMC - other>

BONUS 1. For 10 points each, answer these questions about songs that are over eight minutes in length.

A. This single by Led Zeppelin is 8 minutes and 2 seconds long, and appeared on their fourth untitled album. Many critics consider it to be one of the greatest songs of all time.

ANS(A): Stairway to Heaven

B. The album version of this southern rock ballad by Lynyrd Skynyrd is 9 minutes and 8 seconds long. At concerts, the audience will sometimes shout asking for this song to be played, regardless of who is currently performing.

ANS(B): Free Bird

C. Coma, clocking in at 10 minutes 16 seconds, is a song by this band. Other songs from this band include November Rain, Paradise City, and Welcome to the Jungle.

ANS(C): Guns N’ Roses <JMS - Music>

TU2. During one of this game's endings, if the player backtracks to the starting area and interacts with a mirror, they get the message “Despite Everything, it's still you.” In another of this game's endings, if the player ends the game with the snowball piece in their inventory, they get a special dialogue line that they “... made a snowman really happy.” This game’s (*) “genocide” ending can only be accessed after killing every creature in the underground, including a surprisingly powerful skeleton. For 10 points, name this game where Toriel, Papyrus, and Sans befriend the child “Frisk” after they fall into the land of monsters.

ANS: Undertale [Do **not** accept **or** prompt on “Deltarune,” grudgingly **accept** “Sans Undertale”]
<JHH - VG& IC>

BONUS 2. For 10 points each, answer these questions about Disney Channel Original Movies.

A. This DCOM ["Dee-Comm"] is set in the year 2049 and centers around a thirteen-year-old girl who lives on an Earth-orbiting space station and attends a rock concert by ProtoZoa.

ANS(A): Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century [also **accept** "Zenon: Girl of the Future," as it was re-subtitled in 2001.]

B. This 2005 DCOM takes place at an airborne high school for teenagers with superpowers, where they are divided into "heroes" and "sidekicks."

ANS(B): Sky High

C. This DCOM franchise produced a series of four films, where beings such as witches, warlocks, vampires, mummies, skeletons, and etc. live in a separate community away from humans, although a portal is opened between the two worlds on a certain holiday.

ANS(C): the Halloweentown franchise <EMC- Film & TV>

TU 3. One song by this band opens with the singer visiting a friend in the emergency room, remarking that "They say the good thing about plastic flowers is/ You can spray them with any type of perfume." In another song on the same album by this band, the singer is caught doing push-ups and sings about having the "bad boy blues." That album by this band, opens with a song where lead singer (*) Brian Sella tells us that "sometimes you've gotta close your eyes to truly see the light." For ten points, name this band behind the album "*Back On Top*" whose name is a crude reference to female genitalia.

ANS: The Front-Bottoms <EMC-music>

BONUS 3. It just means more! For 10 points each, name these current or former quirky SEC head football coaches.

A. This former LSU coach was known for his inclination for trick plays and his unique craving for grass.

ANS(A): Les Miles

B. This former Florida head coach gained notoriety when a video surfaced of a man looking similar to him appearing to make love with a captured shark.

ANS(B): . Jim McElwain

C. This former Tennessee coach's tenure came to an abrupt end when it came to light that he delivered illegal cash payments to recruits in McDonalds' bags.

ANS(C): Jeremy Pruitt <EGM-sports>

TU4. In a spin-off series focused on this character, he moves to Hollywood and becomes roommates with his rocket-scientist nephew. This character, who is an actor in the universe of the show he appears in, lands a job as Al Pacino’s “butt double” in a movie. This character famously (*) doesn’t share food. In “The One With The Dozen Lasagnas,” this character and his roommate Chandler replace a broken kitchen table with a foosball table. For ten points, give the name of this Italian-American “*Friends*” character portrayed by Matt LeBlanc.

ANS: Joey Tribbiani [**prompt** on Joseph, I guess? But nobody will say that] <EMC - Film & TV>

BONUS 4. For 10 points each, name these Eminem songs.

A. This collaboration with Juice Wrld saw Eminem surpass his own record for fastest rapping, at 10.65 syllables per second.

ANS(A): Godzilla

B. Eminem had previously established a record for fastest rapping with this song, which featured many call-backs to his previous work.

ANS(B): Rap God

C. This song features a children’s choir during the chorus, and serves as a plea to other rappers to end their senseless feuds with each other.

ANS(C): Toy Soldiers <EGM-music>

TU5. This franchise was formerly based in Boston from 1871 to 1952, and in Milwaukee from 1953 to 1965 before moving to their current location. This franchise attracted a huge following due to their games being broadcasted nationally on TBS from the 1970s to 2007, earning the nickname (*) “America’s Team.” It advertises itself as “the oldest continuously operating professional sports franchise in America.” For ten points, name this MLB franchise that won the 2021 World Series and is based in the capital city of Georgia.

ANS: Atlanta Braves [**accept** either underlined portion] <EGM-sports>

BONUS 5. For ten points each, answer the following questions about the long-running medical television drama “*E.R.*”

A. Name this creator and executive producer for all fifteen seasons of “*E.R.*” He also wrote the pilot episode of the show, but is somewhat more well-known as a science fiction novelist.

ANS(A): Michael Crichton

B. Name this actor who portrayed pediatrician Dr. Doug Ross in “*E.R.*” while simultaneously filming several movies such as “From Dusk ‘Til Dawn” and “Batman & Robin.”

ANS(B): George Clooney

C. Name the city that serves as the setting for “*E.R.*” Characters notably make extensive use of the city’s iconic “L” train.

ANS(C): Chicago, Illinois <EMC - Film & TV>

TU6. In one song, after establishing that both the singer and their audience have a mutual dislike for each other, it is revealed that this character has died of HIV. In another song set to the same tune, the singer encourages their audience to join them in hanging this character from a tree. Yet another variation on that song incites the audience to “gang up” to beat this character to death with baseball bats and two-by-fours. Schoolyard children create violent parodies of the (*) “I Love You” song sung by, for ten points, what saccharinely cheerful purple dinosaur?

ANS: Barney the Dinosaur; anti-Barney humor <EMC -other>

BONUS 6. For 10 points each, answer these questions about real-life criminal organizations that appear in the Grand Theft Auto video game series.

A. In Grand Theft Auto III, the protagonist Claude initially works for this organization, performing tasks such as collecting protection money and blowing up a freighter owned by the Colombian Cartel. This organization is led by Don Salvatore Leone in-game.

ANS(A): Italian Mafia [accept similar answers, such as “Mob” or “Cosa Nostra”]

B. Also in Grand Theft Auto III, the mafia and members of these Chinese crime syndicates are in a constant gang war. In real life, members of these organizations were the perpetrators of the Golden Dragon Massacre in 1977.

ANS(B): Triads

C. This Japanese crime syndicate appears in both Grand Theft Auto III and Grand Theft Auto: Liberty City Stories. In both games, the protagonist must kill one of the leaders of this group. In real life, the largest family of this organization is the Yamaguchi-gumi.

ANS(C): Yakuza <JMS - VG& IC>

TU7. In one scene of a TV show written by and starring this person, the character he portrays believes that an avocado has gone bad because “it has a rock in it.” In that show, this person plays a teenager who tries to become (*) famous, despite having no real talent. In one song by this comic, he criticizes pop country singers who “write songs about riding tractors/from the comfort of their private jets.” In May 2021, Netflix released a comedy special by this person filmed entirely from within his own home. For ten points, name this comic behind “*Zach Stone is Gonna Be Famous*,” “*What*.” and “*Inside*.”

ANS: Bo Burnham, Robert Pickering Burnham, Robert Burnham [**accept** any underlined portion] <EMC- Film & TV>

BONUS 7. For ten points each, answer the following about the McElroy [“Mack-uhl-roy”] brothers.

A. Name this weekly comedy “advice podcast for the modren [“mod-ren”] era” hosted by the McElroy brothers.

ANS(A): “My Brother, My Brother And Me”; MBMBAM; MuhBimBam

B. On “My Brother, My Brother And Me” the brothers originally alternated between answering questions sent in by their listeners and answering questions from this former question-and-answer web forum. The podcast dedicated episode 420 to a “funeral” for this forum when it shut down in May of 2021

ANS(B): Yahoo Answers [**prompt** on “yahoo”]

C. The oldest McElroy brother, Justin, co-hosts this other podcast with his wife, Sydnee, a medical doctor, where they discuss medical history and misinformation.

ANS(C): SawBones: A Marital Tour of Misguided Medicine <EMC -VG& IC>

TU8. On this album, a hidden track titled ‘Endless, Nameless’ would play 10 minutes after the end of the supposed final song on the album. Many of the songs featured in this album were inspired by bands such as The Smithereens, Melvins, and the Pixies. The cover art of this 1991 album features a (*) baby boy swimming toward a \$1 bill placed on a fishhook. For ten points, name this album by Nirvana that features songs such as “Come as you are,” “In Bloom,” and “Smells Like Teen Spirit.”

ANS: Nevermind <JMS - Music>

BONUS 8. For ten points each, answer the following questions about television science educators.

A. The host of this children’s TV show from the 90’s is known for his powder blue lab coat and signature bow-tie. His show featured segments such as “Consider the Following” and the “Pet Rock Theater.”

ANS(A): Bill Nye the Science Guy

B. This competitor program to “*Bill Nye the Science Guy*” featured the title scientist donning a neon green lab coat and comically tall hair, accompanied by his lab rat, Lester.

ANS(B): Beakman’s World

C. This much earlier children’s TV scientist was popular in the 60’s and 70’s. His programs consisted of him performing and explaining seemingly-impossible science experiments alongside a child actor.

ANS(C): Mr. Wizard [**accept** either Watch Mr. Wizard or Mr. Wizard’s World, or just Mr. Wizard by itself, **accept** Don Herbert or Donald Herbert] <EMC- Film & TV>

TU9. This game is split into 4 parts, one for each season of the year. During “Winter,” the player assumes control of the deuteragonist [“DOO-ter-AG-on-ist”], and it is briefly unclear whether the main character survived being (*) impaled. Before, when that character in this game is asked how he was able to predict a bandit ambush, he chillingly responds “I’ve been on both sides”. During the final cutscene of this game, that character lies about his massacre at a hospital to the girl he rescued from it. For 10 points, name this game that depicts Joel escorting Ellie to the Fireflies following a fungal outbreak.

ANS: The Last of Us [Do not accept or Prompt on “The Last of Us 2”] <JHH - VG& IC>

BONUS 9. He's a cat, he's orange, he's got a comic strip, and he's not Garfield. For ten points each, answer the following about the Heathcliff comics.

A. Characters in the Heathcliff universe uniquely use this type of food as a vehicle of transportation, usually using it to fly away into the background.

ANS(A): Bubble Gum

B. This primate is a recurring character in the Heathcliff comics, typically seen skipping down the street and carrying a trash can in either hand.

ANS(B): the Garbage Ape

C. Characters within the Heathcliff universe wear this piece of clothing with a word written on it to indicate that they want that thing. Heathcliff himself often wears one of these with the word "ham" written on the front.

ANS(C): a helmet [prompt on "hat;" do not prompt on more specific, non-helmet-like hats such as "cap."] <EMC- other>

TU10. This film was shot for only \$15,000 and was produced by Blumhouse Productions. This horror film premiered on October 14th, 2007 at Screampfest and was released on September 25th, 2009 in the United States. This (*) found-footage film had three different endings, and follows couple Katie and Micah as they document a demon haunting in their house. For 10 points, name this horror film directed by Oren Peli that inspired the creation of multiple prequels and sequels.

ANS: Paranormal Activity <JMS - Film & TV>

BONUS 10. For 10 points each, answer these questions about anti-establishment songs.

A. This song by Public Enemy is included in the movie *Do the Right Thing* and heavily incorporates musical elements of African-American culture. It is ranked #2 on Rolling Stones' 500 greatest songs of all time list.

ANS(A): Fight the Power

B. In response to the Vietnam War, metal band Black Sabbath released this song on their album *Paranoid* in 1970 that includes an air raid siren in the instrumental intro.

ANS(B): War Pigs

C. Punk band True Sounds of Liberty states that 'lives were spent on the ladder of success' in this song that shares its title with a term popularized by US president Richard Nixon in a 1969 address.

ANS(C): Silent Majority [accept "Abolish Government"] <JMS - Music>

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TU11. This character vaporizes Martin Bellacourt into grape jelly, saying that it's better to "add a touch of whimsy to your necessary murders." It is first suspected that this character may be "of external origin" when a materials scientist notes that their thermal conductivity properties aren't just unusual, but impossible. This character first appears as a (*) giant robot samurai; though in the second book they appear in, they inhabit the body of a monkey and speak via an Amazon Echo. For ten points, name this hivemind alien who first appears to April May in Hank Green's *An Absolutely Remarkable Thing* and *A Beautifully Foolish Endeavor*.

ANS: Carl, the Carls <EMC-other>

BONUS 11. For 10 points each, answer these questions about the film director nick-named "Godfather of the Dead."

A. Name this Canadian-American film writer and director, also considered "the father of the modern zombie movie."

ANS(A): George Andrew Romero

B. This 1968 zombie film set in rural Pennsylvania was Romero's directorial debut.

ANS(B): Night of the Living Dead

C. "*Creepshow*," another film directed by Romero, was written by this celebrated horror author. Many of this author's works have been adapted into films such as "*Cujo*" and "*Christine*."

ANS(C): Stephen King <JMS - Film & TV>

TU 12. This player became homeless at age 13 and faxed a letter to Marquette university from a McDonald's. After competing with them on an athletic scholarship, this man was drafted with the 30th overall pick in the 2011 NBA draft by the (*) Chicago Bulls. In the NBA Bubble, this man opened up his own coffee brand. In 2021, he led the NBA in steals. For ten points, name this star player, primarily a small forward who currently plays for the Miami Heat.

ANS: Jimmy Butler <EGM-sports>

BONUS 12. For ten points each, answer these questions about Power-Up items found in *Mario Kart*.

A. New to Mario Kart 8, this plant can be placed at the front of a player's kart and will lunge out to destroy obstacles and knock over other players.

ANS(A): Piranha Plant

B. This item first appeared in *Mario Kart DS* and has been in every game since. It is the most powerful item in the *Mario Kart* series, and is granted to players in the back of the pack.

ANS(B): Bullet Bill [prompt on "Bullet"]

C. There are four items that have appeared in every version of *Mario Kart*. Name three of them.

ANS(C): [Players must name **3** of the following] Banana Peel, Green Shell, Red Shell, Mushroom [If players name "banana, mushroom, and **shell**" (in any order) without any sort of color identifier for the shell, that is also acceptable. However, do **not** accept "**blue** shell"]. <EMC - VG & IC>

TU13. This song’s audio track was mixed over 75 times, including after its release as a single. This song’s music video was shot in both Tokyo and Los Angeles and features a real-life Japanese motorcycle gang. Lyrics from this song’s refrain paraphrase a famous quote from (*) Friedrich Nietzsche, and the lyrics “I know I got to be right now, cause I can’t get much wronger” are repeated throughout the song, as well as references to Prince and O.J. Simpson. For 10 points, name this single from the album *Graduation* by Kanye West, whose title appears after the words ‘harder, better, faster.’

ANS: Stronger <JMS - Music>

BONUS 13. For ten points each, answer the following about Douglas Adams’s *The Hitchhiker’s Guide to the Galaxy*.

A. Name this “most important thing a hitchhiker can carry,” prized for both its practical and psychological values.

ANS(A): a towel

B. The Guide says of this organism that: “by effectively removing all barriers to communication between different races and cultures, [this thing] has caused more and bloodier wars than anything else in the history of creation.”

ANS(B): Babel Fish [prompt on “fish,” accept either pronunciation “Bay-Bel,” or “Bah-Bel,” either is equally correct.]

C. Name this popular torture method used by the Vogons [“Voh-Gones”]

ANS(C): Vogon Poetry [**Accept descriptions** such as “Reading poetry”] <EMC-other>

TU14. A video of this person confronting Ted Cruz at the Iowa State Fair went viral in 2015. This Canadian came out as gay at the Human Rights Campaign’s “Time to Thrive” convention in 2014, and came out again as transgender via social media in December 2020. After this announcement, Netflix confirmed that this actor will continue playing (*) Vanya, now re-named Viktor, on *The Umbrella Academy*. For ten points, name this *Juno* actor who became the first transgender man to appear on the cover of Time magazine in March 2021.

ANS: Elliot Page [**accept** “Ellen Page” before the word “**transgender**” is read; do **NOT** accept **or** prompt on “**Ellen Page**” after] <EMC -Film & TV>

BONUS 14. Batter up! Minor League Baseball teams have a long tradition of weird team names, and five of them re-branded in 2017. For ten points each, match the following MiLB team to its new mascot.

A. This triple-A affiliate of the Miami Marlins located in Jacksonville, FL used to be known as the Suns.

ANS(A): Jacksonville Jumbo Shrimp [prompt on just “shrimp”]

B. This single-A affiliate of the Texas Rangers located in North Carolina wears camouflage jerseys.

ANS(B): Down East Wood Ducks [prompt on “ducks”]

C. This double-A affiliate of the Colorado Rockies play at the Dunkin’ Donuts Park in Hartford, Connecticut. Their creative name comes from a slang term for the switch engines that shuttle train cars between different locomotives.

ANS(C): Hartford Yard Goats [prompt on “goats”] <EMC-sports>

TU15. Although this board game’s packaging claims that this game was invented by Charles Darrow, an “unemployed engineer from Pennsylvania,” it was based off another game, *The (*) Landlord’s Game*, created by activist Lizzie Magie to illustrate single-tax theory. In 2017, Hasbro announced that the thimble, boot, and wheelbarrow tokens would be replaced in future versions of this game. Players buy properties and collect rent in, for ten points, what board game featuring mascot Rich Uncle Pennybags?

ANS: Monopoly <EMC -Other>

BONUS15. I’m gonna make *you* an offer *you* can’t refuse. So for 10 points each, answer these questions about *The Godfather*.

A. *The Godfather* was written by this Italian-American author. He also co-adapted the film adaptation of *The Godfather* with Francis Ford Coppola.

ANS(A): Mario Puzo

B. In *The Godfather*, this youngest son of Don Vito Corleone flees to Sicily after killing Virgil Sollozzo (soul-ot-zoh) and corrupt NYPD captain Mark McCluskey. He becomes Don of the family after his father’s retirement.

ANS(B): Michael Corleone (do not accept just ‘Corleone’)

C. Tom Hagen, an adopted son of Vito, holds this high position that involves providing advice to the Don, even though he is not Italian.

ANS(C): Consigliere <JMS - Film & TV>

TU16. In 2021, this band released a 10th anniversary edition of their debut album, which included remastered versions of tracks such as “Numb Bears” and “King and Lionheart”. This band saw a surge in popularity in 2013 when one of their songs was used in a trailer for the film “The Secret Life of Walter Mitty.” Lyrics from that song, (*) “Dirty Paws”, inspired the name of their first album, “My Head is an Animal”. That album also includes their most popular song, with lyrics such as “Though the truth may vary, this ship will carry our bodies safe to shore.” For 10 points, name this Icelandic folk rock band that wrote “Little Talks”.

ANS: Of Monsters and Men <JHH - Music>

BONUS 16. For 10 points each answer these details about events destined to occur at Ragnarok in Norse Mythology.

A. This wolf son of Loki and the giantess Angerboda previously bit off the hand of Tyr [“Teer”]. He shall die to Odin’s Son Vidar [“Vie-dar”], but not before swallowing Odin whole.

ANS(A): Fenrir

B. Thor longed to kill this brother of Fenrir, and will finally succeed at Ragnorok. However, Thor will die soon after due to this creature’s deadly poison.

ANS(B): Jörmungandr (“YOUR-moon-gander”) [Accept The World Serpent or The Midgard Serpent.]

C. As the children of Loki fall, Loki and this watcher god shall die by each other’s hands, before the world is engulfed in Surtur’s flame. With his horn Ragnorok commences, and with his death it shall end.

ANS(C): Heimdall <JHH - Other>

TU 17. In the first episode of this show, the main character has a one-night stand with a character called “arsehole guy” before picking up another man on the bus, who she names “Bus Rodent.” In the second season of this show, one character is paranoid that he is being followed by foxes. That character, portrayed by Andrew Scott, was nicknamed the (*) “Hot Priest” on Twitter. In one scene, Andrew Scott’s character calls out the title character’s habit of breaking the fourth wall. For ten points, name this British comedy-drama created by and starring Phoebe Waller-Bridge.

ANS: Fleabag <EMC- Film & TV>

BONUS 17. For 10 points each, name these modern composers that share an apostilic first name.

A. This Avant-Garde composer is perhaps best known for his Composition “4’33”, which consists of 3 movements of nothing but rests.

ANS(A): John Cage

B. This film composer is often considered the greatest of all time, with scores for franchises such as Indiana Jones, Harry Potter, and Star Wars.

ANS(B): John Williams

C. This composer worked with Hans Zimmer on the track “Oogway Ascends” from the film “Kung Foo Panda.” He is better known for the tracks “Test Drive” and “This is Berk” from the “How to Train Your Dragon” soundtrack.

ANS(C): John Powell <JHH - Music>

TU 18. This meme character became popularized by a FaceBook post from a GameStop manager who stated that a customer inquired about purchasing a game titled for this character. This character was added to the mobile game (*) *Looney Tunes: World of Mayhem* in April 2021 and was briefly featured in the film *Space Jam: A New Legacy*. For 10 points, name this chunky bunny that first appeared in *Wabbit Twouble*.

ANS: Big Chungus [prompt on “Chungus” alone, do **not** accept or prompt on ‘Bugs Bunny’]
<JMS -VG & IC>

BONUS 18: Oh, craps! For 10 points each, answer these questions about the game of Craps.

A. Before a point number is established, a pass line bet in Craps loses on a roll of 2, 3, or 12, and wins on 11 and this most commonly rolled number on a pair of six-sided dice.

ANS(A): 7, seven

B. Although the term ‘snake eyes’ is associated with rolling two ones, there are two lesser-known craps terms that are associated with rolling two sixes. Name either.

ANS(B): Boxcars, Midnight

C. This type of bet is single-roll and wins on a roll of 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, or 12. Most casinos will pay 2:1 on a roll of 2, and 3:1 on a roll of 12.

ANS(C): Field bet <JMS - other>

TU19. In the definitive edition of this game, the player gains access to Black Falls Borrows, where they learn the backstory of Naru prior to the great storm. After the great storm, Naru finds the protagonist and serves as their adoptive mother. After Sein [“sign”] is stolen, Naru (*) starves herself to allow the protagonist to eat. By the end of the game however, Naru is resurrected by Gumo [Goo-mo]. Her love inspires a change of heart in the owl Kuro, who then sacrifices herself to return Sein to the Spirit Tree. For 10 points, name this 2015 metroidvania platformer by Moon Studios, in which the titular spirit must restore the three elements to save the forest of Nibel from decay.

ANS: Ori and the Blind Forest [**both** underlined portions necessary; prompt on “Ori” alone; do **not** accept or prompt on “Ori and the Will of the Wisps”] <JHH- VG & IC>

BONUS 19. For 10 points each, name these songs that celebrate the Summertime.

A. This 2020 Glass Animals song reminisces about “late nights in the middle of June,” saying that the title events have been “faking me out.”

ANS(A): Heat Waves

B. In this 2013 Ben Rector song, the title phrase is exclaimed before and after the phrase “no one cares, and I’m doing fine.”

ANS(B): Thank God for the Summertime

C. This 1985 Bryan Adams banger was said by Adams to refer to the sex position, but by co-writer Jim Vallance to refer to the year.

ANS(C): Summer of ‘69 <EGM - Music>

TU20. This man first began his music career with a straightforward country album, *Down to Earth*, that neither he nor his fans consider part of his chronology. Despite only 2 of his songs ever reaching the Billboard Top 10, he is one of the wealthiest musicians in the world due to his many business ventures, including owning a (*) resort chain named after his most popular song, and as of 2018, a cannabis company known as the “Coral Reefer”. Known as the king of beach music, for ten points name this musician, the singer of several vacation songs, including Come Monday and Margaritaville.

ANS: Jimmy Buffett <EGM-music>

BONUS 20. For 10 points each, name these intellectual properties created by Riot Games.

A. In 2021 Riot released this television series to Netflix. It is set in the twin cities of Piltover and Zaun [Zon], and revolves around the conflicts created following the invention of Hextech.

ANS(A): Arcane

B. Piltover and Zaun are cities from the lore of this game Riot also owns. The goal of this 5v5 MOBA is to destroy your opponent’s nexus before they destroy yours.

ANS(B): League of Legends

C. While League was Riot’s only game for almost a decade, in 2020 they released this game, a 5v5 tactical shooter revolving around agents, meant to compete with Counterstrike.

ANS(C): Valorant <JHH - VG & IC>

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