

2023 WEST END

(Wildly Entertaining Show Trivia written by Extraordinary Neurodivergents from Durham)

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We hope you enjoy this Musicool packet of 21 power-marked tossups and 21 bonuses, which you are definitely willingly playing. Please don't hate us too much for expanding your knowledge of some great works of theatrical art, and offering an in-depth exploration of the horrors of the authors' brains. For this packet's debut production by Durham University Quiz Society, Katie Scott was the stage manager, lighting manager, and intimacy coordinator, Aisling Katherine Skeet was the lyricist, special effects lead, and gender wrangler, and Kai Madgwick starred as the Tree, Villager 3, and the Sheep. Reviews were written by the sad, embittered malcontent Sam Moore.

Note to moderators - tossups and bonuses in this packet are paired. Read each bonus after its corresponding tossup, and skip it if the tossup goes dead.

Tossup 1 <KS>

(Note to players: 2 answers required)

In one musical by this duo, peasants sing about “working on the land” in a show about a marital mistake. In another show by this duo a woman believes she is married to a soldier as her colleagues sang Dju Vui Vai at their blessing which is commonly used in marriages. The husband Chris “cries out sleeping” during a nightmare about his ex-wife whilst in bed with his new wife. This musical duo also wrote a rock opera about the (*) French revolution before being inspired by a production of Oliver! to write about a boy who sings “La Faute a Voltaire” in the French original. That boy, Gavroche, identifies a policeman as a spy “who calls himself Javert” in a musical about the June Rebellion or students’ revolt. FTP, name this duo who wrote Martin Guerre, Miss Saigon, and Les Miserables.

ANSWER: **Alain Boubil** and **Claude Michel Schonberg**

Tossup 2 <KS>

The most challenging dance number in musical theatre lasts for 9 minutes and 30 seconds. It is performed by characters in this musical at their annual ball, where Victoria and another character dance the pas de deux sometimes known as the ‘mating dance’. Following this number, the presence of an outsider is revealed as we discover she was once like Victoria. That character’s name is (*) Grizabella, and later in this musical, she reminisces about a time in which she was “beautiful” and “knew what happiness was”. She wishes to be chosen to ascend to the Heaviside Layer. Major characters in this musical have songs to introduce them and have professions such as a rail

worker, a magician, and a former actor. Those were Rum Tum Tugger, the Magical Mr Mistoffelees, and Gus the Theatre Cat. FTP, name this Andrew Lloyd Webber musical about the title creatures, whose movie adaptation featured Taylor Swift as Bombalurina.

ANSWER: Cats

Tossup 3 <KS>

People of this ethnicity experience a blackout in one musical set during a heatwave. That musical's composer was partially inspired by summers working in New York with his family of this ethnicity. In another musical people of this ethnicity are segregated at dances. The rivals of people of this ethnicity are signalled by a (*) tritone whistle in modern adaptations. These people often live in enclosed communities such as the Heights. Those musicals, by Lin Manuel Miranda (who wrote himself a role) and Leonard Bernstein, portray the immigrant struggle. FTP, name this largest ethnic group in the USA.

ANSWER: Latinx (accept Puerto Ricans, Dominicans, Costa Ricans)

Tossup 4 <AKS>

The title of a song in this musical references a fictional band in the work it adapts. The focal point of another song is an extremely specific iced beverage. A key message in this musical is that fame and power can be deceiving and suffocating. This musical's London premiere changed one song because they felt that it trivialised date rape - however, the would-be perpetrators are outsmarted and shot in both productions. This outcome could have been avoided if the protagonist knew (*) German. This flowery musical is titled not after the main character, but after its three deuteragonists. The explosive surprise antagonist of this musical wears a long black coat and is referred to only by his initials, JD. FTP, name this black comedy musical adaptation of a 1980s film.

ANSWER: Heathers

Tossup 5 <KS>

In this musical a character sings “while her withers wither with her”, whilst describing “the cow as white as milk”, one of the four objects described in the first song as ‘the thing that makes it worth the journeying’. A philosophical debate in this musical concludes, “If the end is right, it justifies the beans!” In this musical, a baker rescues a girl and her grandmother who have both been (*) eaten by a wolf, and is rewarded with the first item, the “cape as red as blood”. Another object required is ‘the hair as yellow as corn’, supposedly from the baker's long-lost sister Rapunzel. The Baker's wife desperately cries “I need this shoe” at Cinderella, who lost a “slipper as pure as gold” on the “steps of the palace”. FTP, name this Sondheim musical based on popular fairy tales.

ANSWER: Into the Woods

Tossup 6 <AKS>

It's not *The Addams Family*, but this musical's protagonist and antagonist have a penchant for monochromatic clothing. The unrelated character Ford Prefect claims to originate from somewhere near this musical's title location, though it is spelled differently. This musical's first Broadway run at the Winter Garden Theatre was displaced by a revival of *The Music Man*, leading to backlash from fans and cast. The film this musical is based on won an Academy Award for Best Makeup, and though it's not *Dune*, that film contains many (*) sandworms. This musical's first song takes place at a funeral, and is interrupted by the title character, who threatens to kill audience members whose phones ring and mocks the high prices at the bar - that song is 'The Whole "Being Dead" Thing'. For ten points, name this 2018 black comedy musical, based on a 1988 Tim Burton film, named after the second brightest star in the Orion constellation.

ANSWER: Beetlejuice

Tossup 7 <AKS>

In this musical, a man discovers that 'there isn't any Santa Claus!', leading him to attempt the title action. In one scene, two women destroy a bucket of fried chicken. Premiering in 1990, this musical brings together characters from a period of just over a hundred years. One number in this musical is based on the Sousa marches 'El Capitan' and 'The Washington Post March'. In this musical's first number, performing the title role is presented as a panacea, solving problems such as debt, romantic issues, and stomach pain. In that song, the Proprietor gives guns to most characters, apart from (*) Samuel Byck, who attempts to assume the title role by hijacking a plane. The Proprietor later mocks one of these characters by saying "Sorry Nancy, looks like I forgot to duck. I sure hope that surgeon's a Republican". The first Broadway production of this Stephen Sondheim musical, which won five Tony awards, starred Neil Patrick Harris. He plays the Balladeer, FTP, name this musical about a series of events in American history, instigated by those who sing 'Another National Anthem'.

ANSWER: Assassins

Tossup 8 <KS>

In a musical about this man, characters suggest their "collective IQ of around 42" is not enough to solve their current predicament, and that they need this man's assistance. In that musical he has a non-singing role, perhaps to preserve his dignity. A jelly magnate intimidates this man's employer thinking him to be a romantic rival. In the "Hallo song", Gussie Fink-nottle, Cyrus Budge III, (*) and others are introduced using assumed and real names. This man avoids a catastrophe by setting up the theft of a newspaper by Bertie, his employer. "Travel hopefully" and "Code of the Woosters" are songs in a musical titled for this man. FTP, name this absolutely fantastic valet to Bertie Wooster from the PG Wodehouse novels.

ANSWER: Jeeves

Tossup 9 <AKS>

A song from this musical is covered in a video essay about Steve Bannon by Philosophy Tube - that song is a call and response between the title character and his workers. This musical features five reprises, as well as three songs with the same name. Set in a post-apocalyptic world with themes of the Great Depression, this musical addresses issues such as climate change, capitalism, and depletion of natural resources. Characters in this musical are drawn from (*) classical mythology, including Hermes, Persephone, and the Fates. One actor in this musical, Andre De Shields, received particular praise and attention for his incredibly deep singing voice. The song mentioned in the first line, Why We Build The Wall, has drawn comparisons to Donald Trump's border wall plan, despite being written a decade earlier. For ten points, name this musical, whose title company town is run by the lord of the underworld.

ANSWER: Hadestown

Tossup 10 <AKS>

In one verse in this musical's longest number, a character lists psychiatric drugs to the tune of a song from another musical. In another song, she recalls the plot of One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest as she tries to decide on her plans for treatment. One character in this musical, Natalie, describes her mother's relationship with her and her brother as like "Superboy and the Invisible Girl". Her brother, Gabe, sings a personal song to his mother entitled "I'm Alive", in which he claims to be both her dream and her nightmare. In a reprise of that song, he returns because "the medicine failed and the doctors lied". Halfway through the first act of this musical, it is revealed that the principal antagonist is a (*) hallucination, having died sixteen years beforehand, and is only visible to Diana. In the last number before the end of Act 1, Diana reluctantly agrees to undergo electroconvulsive therapy, causing her to lose many of her memories. FTP, name this musical titled after a situation that is almost ordinary.

ANSWER: Next to Normal

Tossup 11 <KS>

(Note to players: Description acceptable)

This action is done in all major theatre productions. The Guinness world record for this action was broken by Robert Powell in the play Ubu Roi in 1966. Child actors often perform this action in musicals such as School of Rock and Matilda. The queens in Six can also perform this action due to their similar vocal ranges. Jefferson Mays performed this action in (*) A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder as the D'ysquith family. FTP, name this action performed by swings in theatre.

ANSWER: Understudying or multiroling or alt roles(Accept Swing before mention as well as equivalents)

Tossup 12 <KS>

One musical about this figure describes him as “condemned” and a victim of circumstance, this figure makes a deal with the Devil to save his people. This figure’s servant is imprisoned and claims he’s “Really not insane” in (*) Bedlam. A worse musical about this figure focuses more on the romance of Mina and her lawyer fiancé who organises lodgings for the title character. The lady in white suffers from the same affliction as the title character and is only witnessed by children. Several bloodless corpses appear in the Thames as a result of Lucy Westenra or the “She Devil Nosferatu”. FTP name this demonic figure based on the Bram Stoker novel of the same name.

ANSWER: Dracula

Tossup 13 <AKS>

This sci-fi horror movie addresses themes of artificially created ‘perfect’ offspring and the fear of being controlled. Based on a musical from 1973, this film parodies science fiction films from its first song, including Day of the Triffids, It Came From Outer Space, and Forbidden Planet. This film’s action begins with the primary antagonist and his assistants performing a song at a house known as ‘the (*) Frankenstein place’. That song instructs dancers to “jump to the left, then take a step to the right”, performing the dance known as the Time Warp, led by Dr Frank N Furter and his assistants Magenta, Columbia, and Riff Raff. In a later song, Frank describes himself as “a sweet transvestite, from Transsexual, Transylvania”.

FTP, name this movie musical, which has become a queer icon, about a newly engaged couple who want to celebrate with their science teacher, Dr Scott.

ANSWER: The Rocky Horror Picture Show (prompt on The Rocky Horror Show)

Tossup 14 <KS>

The foundation of this regime is explored in a musical about a wealthy poet. In celebration of that man’s marriage people sing “to life”, and shortly after he starts an affair with a girl who enters a “demon state” upon shooting a man in a potential “lover’s spat”. In another musical an official of this regime sings “we have a past to bury” and that “a man makes painful choices”. That man pursues the protagonist across Europe because she has false papers. Tensions between this regime and another state are explored in a different musical set in (*) Merano, Budapest and notably “one night in Bangkok”. Anatoly is blackmailed by this regime into competing at various chess tournaments in that musical. FTP name the regime which acts as the antagonist in Doctor Zhivago, Anastasia and Chess.

ANSWER: Soviet/Communist Russia

Tossup 15 <AKS>

This one-act musical was the longest running Canadian musical on Broadway. An atypical instrument used within this musical is an “ugly stick”. Set in a small town, the first song in this musical welcomes the audience to the Rock, a colloquial term for a Canadian province described as ‘the farthest place you’ll get from Disneyland’. This musical is set during Operation Yellow Ribbon, the diversion of flights to Canada in the wake of the (*) September 11 attacks. One moment in this musical sees actors kiss a cod and drink shots of liquor known as ‘screech’. In the course of this musical, we are introduced to the passengers of the 38 planes landing at Gander Airport, and watch how they interact and bond with the local community, with particular focus on the mixing of different cultures, experiences, and communities. FTP, name this musical titled after a term for outsiders.

ANSWER: Come from Away

Tossup 16 <KS>

Unusually for a musical, every character on stage has a name and a role that "God expects him to do" which is described in the opening song. The changing world around the central family and religious tensions causes (*) "little bird" to leave after marrying a Christian. That man took part in an attack on her oldest sister's marriage to Motel which features a bottle dance originally choreographed by Jerome Robbins. FTP, name this musical based on the stories by Schlom Alechem (or Solomon Rabinovich) about a precariously placed musician.

ANSWER: Fiddler on the Roof

Tossup 17 <AKS>

The third of a trilogy of one-act musicals focuses on this topic, marking a stark shift in tone from its more lighthearted predecessor. These two musicals are combined to form the Broadway musical Falsettos. It's not Newsies, but in another musical with this topic, a man sings about wanting to move to (*) Santa Fe. In that musical, characters refuse to pay the title bill, and in a film adaptation they set these bills on fire and throw them from windows. In another, more comedic musical, characters misinterpret preaching from missionaries, leading them to believe that this condition is cured by Joseph Smith and his magical frog. FTP, name this condition playing a role in the musicals Falsettos, Rent, and the Book of Mormon.

ANSWER: HIV/AIDS

Tossup 18 <KS>

William Shakespeare invents this genre in Something Rotten!. The Elephant love melody is a turning point in one musical of this genre. In that musical, a woman with consumption is forced to choose between a writer and a count singing “come what may”. In another musical of this genre characters discuss their lives as one character sings “ I held my breath and the bed held the trinity”, her friend in this musical moves away and writes “letters from America”. A character in another musical of this genre repeats the phrase (*) “dot dot dot”. In that musical the same girl sings “I believe in angels” when inviting 3 strangers to her wedding. Those men are Sam Carmichael, Bill Anderson, and Harry ‘Headbanger’ Bright. FTP name this genre which adds a loose plot to pre-existing songs, usually by the same artist.

ANSWER: Jukebox musicals

Tossup 19 <AKS>

Productions of this musical are often set in the present day, rather than several millennia ago as it was originally written. One character sings that all of the title man’s supporters are blind - in real life, an actor who played that character sharply criticises those followers in stand-up shows. That character, after betraying the title man, rejects (*) ‘blood money’ and begs to not be ‘damned for all time’. In certain productions of this musical, an additional stanza is added to a song in which an adoring crowd ask the title man ‘won’t you die for me?’, foreshadowing their calls for his death near the end of the second act. FTP, name this Andrew Lloyd Webber musical, about one member of the Holy Trinity and his rise to and fall from stardom.

ANSWER: Jesus Christ Superstar

Tossup 20 <KS>

The Broadway Backwards version of a song in this musical changes a section sung in Hungarian to rapid Spanish. In that song, characters explain how they ended together whilst the chorus repeats the refrain. Each number in this musical is based on a Vaudeville style or performer like the song “Razzle Dazzle”. That song is about televising the trials of inmates in a (*) women's prison. The crimes of those inmates are each described with a key phrase, including “Uh-uh”, “Cicero”, and “Lipschitz”. FTP, name this musical that opens with “All that Jazz” which shares a name with the US city home to the Jungle.

ANSWER: Chicago

Tossup 21 <AKS>

In one song in this musical, sex workers discuss the need to adapt their business model for sailors. This musical begins with the cast singing about their peaceful and unchanging lives. Another song sees an old man and a boy recall experiencing people above and below them drinking cups of tea. A different tea-drinker is poisoned by his mother, because he fails to respond to a crisis. This musical is one of the least performed of those by its composer, who also cameoed in the 2021 film of Tick, Tick... Boom! - that composer was * Stephen Sondheim. One reason for the difficulty in staging this musical is its requirement for a cast consisting of many Asian male actors who are able to play both men and women. This musical's second number is about a Chief of Police and his wife, who are worried that they will have to commit *seppuku*. FTP, name this Kabuki-style musical about the involuntary Westernisation of Japan, with an ironic title referencing peaceful music.

ANSWER: Pacific Overtures

BONUSES

Bonus 1 <KS>

Answer these bonus questions on French film.

(h) In the 1982 film Return of Martin Guerre the title role is played by which French actor who defected to Russia?

ANSWER: Gerard Depardieu

(m) Depardieu plays this strong and alcoholic musketeer in a 1998 film?

ANSWER: Porthos

(e) Porthos joins 3 other musketeers in a novel by which frenchman?

ANSWER: Alexandre Dumas

Bonus 2 <KM>

Answer the following about the real Heaviside Layer, that sadly is not heaven. For 10 points each:

(e) The Heaviside Layer is a layer of ionised gas that can be used to reflect these longest electromagnetic waves.

ANSWER: Radio waves

(h) Though theorised by Oliver Heaviside and Arthur Kennelly in 1902, the Heaviside layer was only proved to exist in 1924 by this scientist, who won the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1947.

ANSWER: Edward Appleton

(m) When not theorising the existence of atmospheric layers, Heaviside was well known for reformulating this set of 20 equations into a more widely used smaller set using vector notation.

ANSWER: Maxwell's Equations

Bonus 3 <KS>

You've heard about Lin-Manuel Miranda, but for ten points each, answer the following about the real king of self-insertion: William Shakespeare.

(e) This man, fond of loitering behind curtains, once played Caesar in the Capitol.

ANSWER: **Polonius**

(m) Pandarus plays a similar role to Polonius as a doddering advisor in a play based on this Chaucer story.

ANSWER: **Troilus and Cressida**

(h) This theatre troupe tell the story of Pyramus and Thisbe in A midsummer night's dream

ANSWER: **Rude Mechanicals**

Bonus 4 <AKS>

In case you haven't got your 80s fix, answer these questions about 1980s high school movies

(m) In which movie is the protagonist adored by sports, motorheads, geeks, sluts, bloods, wastoids, dweebies, and dickheads?

ANSWER: **Ferris Bueller's Day Off**

(e) This film, with the same director as Ferris Bueller, explores the common archetypes of the Brain, the Athlete, the Basket Case, the Princess, and the Criminal

ANSWER: The **Breakfast Club**

(h) The Breakfast Club's five teenage actors comprise part of which group of actors, who appeared in many 1980s coming-of-age films?

ANSWER: the **Brat Pack**

Bonus 5 <KS>

For 10 points each, answer some questions not about fairytales in the slightest.

(10m) This linguist's namesake law

ANSWER: Jacob **Grimm** (accept **Grimm's** law) [mention the Brothers Grimm afterwards]

(10e) As you can see, I lied. Were I this fairytale character, I would probably have more of a certain body part. This character recently starred in a stop-motion animated feature directed by Guillermo del Toro.

ANSWER: **Pinochio**

(10h) The Shrek films are incredible, but only 2 pass this cinema test about named women having conversations not about a man.

ANSWER: **Bechdel test**

Bonus 6 <AKS>

Speaking of beetle juice, answer these questions about dyes

(m) This food additive is obtained by crushing thousands of deep red beetles, though it's actually more of a powder. It was used to colour strawberry Skittles until 2009.

ANSWER: **carmine** or **cochineal** (accept **E120**)

(h) This other animal-sourced dye is secreted by sea snails in the genus *Murex*, and was famously used for the togas of Roman emperors. I need its specific name.

ANSWER: **Tyrian** purple (prompt on Imperial purple)

(e) These alphanumeric codes are used to classify food additives such as carmine and monosodium glutamate, which receive the identifiers '120' and '621' respectively. Despite common fears, there is no high-quality evidence to suggest that additives with these identifiers cause ADHD.

ANSWER: **E**-numbers

Bonus 7 <KM, KS>

It turns out that throughout history, a lot of people have been assassinated. For 10 points each, answer some questions about assassinations.

(10m) The extremist group People's Will assassinated this Russian Tsar in 1881 in an unsuccessful attempt to overthrow the entire Tsarist system.

ANSWER: **Alexander II**

(10e) This failed group project involved Caius Cassius striking the first blow against which man with red boots?

ANSWER: **Gaius Julius Caesar**

(10h) Whilst attempting to assassinate King Louis Philippe I, Giuseppe Marco Fieschi used this weapon which consisted of 25 barrels that would fire simultaneously. This machine fired 400 projectiles, killing 18 people, but not the King.

ANSWER: **Infernal Machine**

Bonus 8 <KS>

PG Wodehouse isn't the only author to go by initials and a surname, For ten points each answer the following questions about novels by authors with this format, who probably aren't TERFs.

(h) EW Hornung describes the adventures of Bunny and Raffles and their attempts to raise funds by which means

ANSWER: **Theft** etc

(m) The charming thief Hercule Flambeau steals the Blue Cross in which series by GK Chesterton?

ANSWER: **Father Brown Mysteries**

(e) These chilling mysteries by RL Stine

ANSWER: **Goosebumps**

Bonus 9 <AKS>

Answer some more questions about mythology-related musicals

(e) Hadestown is based on this classical myth, in which a musician goes to Hades to save his lover but ultimately fails due to mistrust

ANSWER: **Orpheus and Eurydice**

(h) Another musical based on this myth, opening off-Broadway in 2014, features Agnes standing in for Eurydice, as her prospective lover leaps off a cliff after her in order to rescue her from the land of the dead.

ANSWER: **Jasper in Deadland**

(m) This musical, also based on Greek mythology and opening off-Broadway in 2014, is based on a book series by Rick Riordan. It was positively reviewed in the beginning, but received widely negative reviews when it opened on Broadway in 2019.

ANSWER: **The Lightning Thief** (prompt on Percy Jackson)

Bonus 10 <AKS>

Answer these bonuses about musicians known for discussing mental health

(m) This band was accused by the Daily Mail of being associated with a 'sinister cult of emo' after a British teenage fan took her own life. The band responded by saying that their music was 'anti-violence and anti-suicide'

ANSWER: **My Chemical Romance**

(e) The Norwegian musician Girl in Red wrote this song, named after a neurotransmitter, about dealing with her self-destructive tendencies.

ANSWER: **Serotonin**

(h) On a B-side to their charity single cover of the theme from M*A*S*H, this band included an eight-minute recording of a discussion by NME editors on whether to publish a gruesome photo of their rhythm guitarist, titled "Sleeping with the N.M.E."

ANSWER: **Manic Street Preachers** (accept **Richey Edwards**)

Bonus 11 <AKS>

I'm claiming these bonuses in the name of Ankh-Morpork! Answer some questions about characters multiroling in Terry Pratchett's Discworld, because the author is upset that she hasn't written them already.

(e) The Hogfather's role is played by this character, who appears in all but two of the Discworld novels and always speaks in SMALL CAPITAL LETTERS WITHOUT SPEECH MARKS

ANSWER: **Death**

(h) In Night Watch, this character travels back in time to catch a murderer and pretends to be his own mentor in order to aid the Glorious Revolution of the Twenty-Fifth of May.

ANSWER: **Sam Vimes** (accept **Blackboard Monitor**, do not accept King of the River)

(m) Of the main characters of Monstrous Regiment, all but Lieutenant Blouse pretend to be this type of person until their identities are uncovered throughout the book.

ANSWER: **Men**

Bonus 12 <KS, AKS>

Vampires are often associated with aristocracy and nobility. In a similar vein (note to moderator: smirk obnoxiously here), answer these questions about the *haute cuisine* enjoyed by the French bourgeoisie.

(m) What is the term used for the 5 original sauce types in French cuisine?

ANSWER: **Mother Sauces**

(h) The mother sauce Espagnole often has this mix of diced onion, celery and carrot added to it.

ANSWER: **Mirepoix** or **Sofrito**

(e) This French daughter sauce is a key ingredient in a breakfast dish involving poached eggs.

ANSWER: **Hollandaise**

Bonus 13 <AKS>

(e) This actor originated the role of Frank N Furter in the London production of The Rocky Horror Show, and went on to play him in the film.

ANSWER: **Tim Curry**

(h) Another Tim Curry role is that of Anatoly Cherdenko, who travels back in time to murder Albert Einstein in order to save the Soviet Union, in which 2008 video game?

ANSWER: Command and Conquer: **Red Alert 3**

(m) In Command and Conquer: Red Alert 3, if the player defeats Cherdenko, he declares his intention to escape to 'the one place that hasn't been corrupted by capitalism'. What is that location?

ANSWER: **SPACE!** (award additional points for enthusiasm as you see fit)

Bonus 14 <SM>

Answer some questions about chess. For 10 points each:

What standard piece in chess may be 'fianchettoed' by being placed on the second rank of

the b or g files? This piece has a standard material value of three, although the value is argued to increase as the game progresses.

ANSWER: **Bishop**

The bishop is an important part of several openings. In which opening are the moves 1. e4 e5, 2. Nf3 Nc6, 3. Bb5 [one e4 e5, two knight f3 knight c6, three bishop b5] played? This opening is named for the 16th century priest who developed it, or his nationality.

ANSWER: **Ruy Lopez** [or The **Spanish** opening/game]

The Morphy Defense to the Ruy Lopez causes black to have 'doubled' these pieces. These pieces can also be taken 'en passant' in different situations.

Answer: **Pawns**

Bonus 15 <AKS>

Answer these bonuses about flight controls, which can also cause aircraft crashes if used wrong.

(m) Most modern aeroplanes use this system to command actuators on the wings and tail, rather than manual flight controls. In some senses, this system is analogous to power steering on a car.

ANSWER: **Fly-by-wire** (accept **FBW**, or **stability augmentation system/SAS**, do not accept autopilot)

Note to players: two answers required.

(h) This control paradigm, especially common within military aircraft, reduces the need for pilots to take their hands off of the controls by adding buttons to them. In the acronym Hands On Blank and Blank, what two words are missing?

ANSWER: **Throttle** (accept **collective**) and **Stick** (accept **joystick** or **cyclic**)

(e) Hands On Throttle And Stick is modified slightly for helicopters, as rotor blades are designed to spin at a fixed rate so a throttle is not adjusted during flight. What device, named for the fact that it adjusts blade pitch as a group, replaces the throttle within this acronym?

ANSWER: **Collective** lever

Bonus 16 <KS>

(e) You've heard of Elf on the Shelf and Fiddler on the Roof, but what's this similarly-formatted Tennessee Williams play?

ANSWER: **Cat on a Hot Tin Roof**

(m) Blanche Dubois stars in this other Williams play

ANSWER: **A Streetcar Named Desire**

(Note an extra 5 points for delivery with gusto)

(h) In that play a character yells which name?

ANSWER: **Stellaaaaaaa!**

Bonus 17 <AKS, KS>

(e) This British royal made headlines by shaking hands with AIDS patients in hospitals without wearing gloves

ANSWER: **Princess Diana**

(h) This 2021 miniseries starring Olly Alexander, about the progression of the AIDS epidemic in London, was created by Russell T Davies

ANSWER: **It's A Sin**

(m) Set during the miners' strike in 1984, this 2014 film depicts the creation of the fundraising group Lesbians and Gays Support the Miners, whilst also showing the struggles of those within the queer community with AIDS.

ANSWER: **Pride**

Bonus 18 <AKS>

(e) This slogan was coined by folk singer Woodie Guthrie in 1943, who painted it on his guitar. The Dropkick Murphys titled their 11th album after this phrase, which describes a tool for resisting an ideology.

ANSWER: **This Machine Kills Fascists**

(h) Another popular slogan within leftist music is "If I can't dance I don't want to be in your revolution". To which anarchist is it attributed, even though they probably never said it?

ANSWER: **Emma Goldman**

(m) This phrase, describing a flower and a foodstuff, is associated with the 1912 textile strike in Lawrence, Massachusetts. James Oppenheim wrote a poem based on it, which was later used in the 2014 film Pride.

ANSWER: **Bread and Roses**

Bonus 19 <KS>

Jesus Christ Superstar depicts Jesus' ministry and death.

(e) This final week in Christ's life is known by what term?

Answer: **Holy Week**

(h) Holy Week is depicted in what events, the most famous of which occurs every 10 years in Oberammergau?

Answer: **Passion play / Passionspiele**

(m) Live animals are on stage during this production, but which creatures are released during Jesus's hissy fit in the temple?

Answer: **Doves (accept birds)**

Bonus 20 <AKS>

On the theme of jazz, answer these questions about the fictional Lord Grant and his magic son Peter, the protagonist of the Rivers of London series.

(h) This jazz standard, recognised by Lord Grant, was recorded by Coleman Hawkins in 1939, and was the last song recorded by Amy Winehouse before her death. In Moon over Soho, traces of it were found on the bodies of dead jazzmen.

ANSWER: **Body and Soul**

(e) Lord Grant plays this brass instrument, closely related to the cornet.

ANSWER: **Trumpet**

(m) His son, Peter, studies a form of magic first systematised by this scientist, in the book *Philosophiae Naturalis Principia Artes Magicis*

ANSWER: Isaac **Newton**

Bonus 21 <AKS>

Pacific Overtures is about Japan during and after the Edo period, which was a period of disconnection to the rest of the world. For ten points each:

(m) Name this popular song in the dark cabaret genre, discussing the struggles caused by being out of sync with the world, which is sung by a woman who was 'taken out before the labour pains set in'.

ANSWER: **Girl Anachronism**

(e) The singer of Girl Anachronism is a member of this duo, whose music often incorporates themes of sexuality, mental illness, and hedonism

ANSWER: The **Dresden Dolls**

(h) A soloist in the genre with similarly themed music, name this vocalist and violinist, who wrote a book to accompany her music titled "The Asylum for Wayward Victorian Girls"

ANSWER: **Emilie Autumn**