# **June 10, 2020**Bobby

## **Categories**

Round 1<br/>Games<br/>LiteratureRound 2<br/>History<br/>NatureRound 3<br/>Entertainment<br/>Music<br/>Science<br/>CultureMiscellaneous<br/>ArtGeography<br/>SportsScience<br/>Culture

## **Results**

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Murphy's Law Abiding Dissidents	18	19	18	55
2	Sisters	20	17	16	53
2	Skribbl Squad	19	17	17	53
4	Sister, Sister, and Sister's Mister	18	16	17	51
5	Patricia not by herself this time got some help from her friend Chris	16	18	15	49
5	China Crisis	17	17	15	49
7	Gianni B. Goode	16	17	14	47
8	Spicy Isn't a Taste	13	14	9	36
9	Formidable Foursome	14	12	9	35
10	Nye 4000	12	10	8	30
10	Team Kindle	14	8	8	30
12	Matt FC	10	6	10	26
	AVERAGE	16	15	13	43

#### Round 1

#### Category 1 - Games

- Statistically, what two cards are the worst hole cards be dealt in Texas Hold 'Em?
- 2. "You only Live Twice", "License to Kill", and "The Man with the Golden Gun" are multiplayer game modes in what 1997 first person shooter?
- 3. Aggies, Cats-eyes, and Red Devils are varieties of what small, collectable toy?
- 4. What game of phonetics has the tagline, "it's not what you say, it's what you hear"?
- 5. Larry Laffer is the title character of what series of lascivious adventure computer games?

#### Category 2 - Literature

- 6. What mustachioed character from children's literature speaks for the trees?
- 7. Real-life educator and activist Anna Leonowens is one of the two title characters in what Broadway musical?
- 8. In "Romeo and Juliet", what is Juliet's last name?
- 9. The Kirby Award, Harvey Award, and Eisner Award are annual awards given for achievement in what industry?
- 10. Orthanc and Minas Morgul are the title structures of what fantasy book?

#### Category 3 - Miscellaneous

- 11. What one word can mean all of the following: to mark with grooves; an orchestral arrangement; 20?
- 12. Prior to 2013, what was the last year made up of 4 different numbers?
- 13. In an alphabetical list of Canadian provincial and territorial capitals, which one comes in the middle?

14.	What one word	l can precede	each of the	following to	create
	a recognizable	word or phras	e: c	ement;	_ high;
	lens?				

15. According to the Oxford English Dictionary, what "e" word means "the wilful avoidance of one's official responsibilities"?

#### Category 4 - Art

- 16. What fruit appears in the surrealist self-portrait "The Son of Man"?
- 17. In the statue of David by Michelangelo, what object is the figure holding in his left hand?
- 18. Sold by brands like DMC, Aida cloth is an even-weave fabric used in what traditional craft?
- 19. What drawing medium—traditionally made of charcoal and clay—was invented in response to a graphite shortage during the Napoleonic War?
- 20. "The Persistence of Memory", "The Starry Night", and "Campbell's Soup Cans" are all part of what New York museum's permanent collection?

#### **Category 5 - History**

- 1. What 490BCE battle between Persia and Greece shares its name with an Olympic event?
- 2. In 1940, what Canadian province was the last to grant women full suffrage?
- 3. What reverent code name was given to the first test detonation of a nuclear device on July 16, 1945?
- 4. In the 2008 US presidential election, what Alaskan Governor was John McCain's vice-presidential running mate?
- 5. The death of Willow in 2018 marked the first time in 85 years that Queen Elizabeth II did not own at least one of what breed of dog?

#### Category 6 - Nature

- 6. What berry comes from the Lycopersicon (or wolfpeach) plant?
- 7. What type of tooth do adults have eight of but children (under ~9) have zero of?
- 8. What 4-letter sleepy suffix indicates a medical condition involving inflammation?
- 9. What kind of tide follows seven days after spring tides?
- 10. What was significant about the death of a 29-year-old named "Martha" on September 1, 1914?

#### Category 7 - Geography

- 11. The 756,000 km2 region known as Anatolia makes up the majority of what modern day country?
- 12. As of 1990, what is the only cardinal direction that does NOT appear in the (English) name of a UN-recognized country?
- 13. What creature is featured on the flags of Bhutan and Wales?
- 14. What island nation lies between Saudi Arabia and Qatar in the Persian Gulf?
- 15. Name one of the two US states that borders 8 other states.

#### Category 8 - Sports

- 16. What Canadian sprinter held the 100m World Record from 1996-1999?
- 17. Of the 6 professional sports teams that currently play out of New Jersey, which is the only one identified as a New Jersey team?
- 18. What piece of sports equipment has commonly featured a truncated icosahedron pattern since the introduction of the Adidas Telstar in 1968?
- In American Major League sports, only two players have had their number retired by an entire league. Name either player.
- 20. In 2015, rock climber Isaac Caldiero became the first winner of what NBC sports entertainment competition?

#### **Category 9 - Entertainment**

- 1. What make of car was turned into a time machine in the "Back to the Future" film series?
- 2. Footage from the 1980s Japanese anime series "Beast King GoLion" was re-edited into what popular American cartoon series about space robots?
- 3. Sitting president Barack Obama appeared as a guest on episode 613 of what comedy interview podcast?
- 4. What actor might have said "domo arigato" when he became the first person to win both a Best Actor Oscar and an Outstanding Lead Actor Emmy?
- 5. Complete this sitcom analogy: David Brent is to Michael Scott; as Wernham Hogg is to what?

#### Category 10 - Music

- 6. What freewheelin' singer-songwriter is the only person to win a Grammy and a Nobel Prize in Literature?
- 7. What instrument is manufactured by the company Steinway & Sons?
- 8. What English singer produced and released the album "How I'm Feeling Now" in the six weeks between April 6 and May 15, 2020?
- 9. 28-year-old Spenser Eldon appeared nude on the cover of what 1991 grunge album?
- 10. What figure appears on the MTV Video Music Award statuette?

#### Category 11 - Science

Round 3

- 11. What is the more common name for trioxygen or O3?
- 12. What type of screw has a six-pointed star slot, similar to an Asterix?
- 13. Commonly found in Lodges, what alloy is made of iron and at least 2% carbon?
- 14. Meaning "blanket rock", what name is given to the layer of loose sediment that covers the surface of the moon?
- 15. What one word can mean: tartar buildup; a stone; or a branch of mathematics?

#### Category 12 - Culture

- 16. What typographical symbol takes its shape from the joining of the letters "E" and "t"?
- 17. What sweet foodstuff is the main fermented ingredient in mead?
- 18. With a Latin name meaning "produce the body", what legal writ is protection against unlawful imprisonment?
- 19. On what everyday objects are you most likely to find the handiwork of the Yoshida Kogyo Kabushikikaisha manufacturing company?
- 20. What brand of cereal featured ads with a finicky eater named "Mikey"?

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### **Answers Round 2**

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Difficulty		Difficulty
16.67%	The Battle Of Marathon	16.67%
8.33%	2. Quebec	16.67%
0.00%	3. Trinity	41.67%
41.67%	4. Sarah Palin	0.00%
33.33%	5. (Pembroke Welsh) Corgis	0.00%
33.33%	6. Tomato	66.67%
25.00%	7. Bicuspids; Premolars	100.00%
0.00%	8. Itis	16.67%
33.33%	9. Neap	41.67%
16.67%	10. She Was The Last Know Member	/
0.00%	Of Her Species (Passenger Pigeon)	58.33%
8.33%	11. Turkey	16.67%
33.33%		25.00%
25.00%	13. Dragon	8.33%
0.00%	14. Bahrain	50.00%
0.00%	15. Missouri; Tennessee	50.00%
33.33%	16. Donavan Bailey	16.67%
41.67%	17. New Jersey Devils	0.00%
50.00%	18. Soccer Ball (Football)	16.67%
	19. Wayne Gretzky (99); Jackie Robinson (42)	16.67%
00.0070	20. American Ninja Warrior	16.67%
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	Difficulty
1. Deloran (Motor Company)	0.00%
2. Voltron	50.00%
3. WTFWith Marc Maron	66.67%
4. Rami Malek	75.00%
5. Dunder Mifflin (UK->US Versions Of "The Office")	58.33%
6. Bob Dylan	16.67%
7. Pianos	8.33%
8. Charli XCX	66.67%
9. Nevermind	33.33%
10. Moon Person; Astronaut	16.67%
11. Ozone	16.67%
12. Torx; Hexalobular	33.33%
13. Cast Iron	58.33%
14. Regolith	75.00%
15. Calculus	16.67%
16. & (Ampersand)	33.33%
17. Honey	16.67%
18. Habeas Corpus	8.33%
19. (Things With) Zippers (Ykk)	33.33%
20. Life	16.67%

Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	20%	22%	13%	32%	15%	57%	30%	13%	50%	28%	40%	22%
Round	1			2				3				
Avg difficulty	21.7%		28.8%			35.0%						

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	55.0%	35.0%	10.0%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	15.0%	1.7%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	5	9	7	5	7	5	6	5	5	6	6	6
% of game	8%	15%	12%	8%	12%	8%	10%	8%	8%	10%	10%	10%
Avg difficulty	32%	24%	39%	20%	29%	15%	21%	13%	28%	50%	40%	14%

Question length	Short	Medium	Long
Definition	1-80 characters	80-110 characters	110-140 characters
% of game	37%	38%	25%
Avg difficulty	24%	27%	28%