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Homophones
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Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Nothing Clever	17	19	18	54
2	Snooze Ya Looze	17	16	13	46
3	Can't Spell	13	16	16	45
	AVERAGE	16	17	16	48

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Category 1 - Clocks

1. What type of tall upright clock got its name from an 1870's song?
2. The Black Forest region in Germany is famed for these avian clocks
3. In 1988 Bobby Fisher patented a new type of clock for what game?
4. What type of crystal made its debut in clocks starting in the 1920's?
5. The invention of this moving part in 1656 increased the accuracy of clocks from 15 minutes to 15 seconds of deviation a day

Category 2 - They Played 2 Comic Book Characters

6. Daredevil and Batman
7. Deadpool and Green Lantern
8. Storm and Catwoman
9. Thanos and Jonah Hex
10. Ramona Flowers and Huntress

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Category 3 - Headquarters

11. Buildings at this company's Oregon HQ are named for Bo Jackson, Steve Prefontaine and Mia Hamm
12. This Warehouse store's HQ is in Issaquah, Washington, not Kirkland anymore
13. This trademark crown adorns the Geneva headquarters of this watch brand
14. The address of this company's headquarters is 1 Infinite loop, Cupertino
15. Which Californian City is home to a number of tech companies such as Google and Facebook

Category 4 - Seven Letter Words

16. A hypodermic instrument to inject fluids into the body
17. Use this tube to enjoy a view of fish and other ocean life
18. A malicious computer program that gathers info about the user and transmits it to an outside entity
19. A long handled pan used for frying food
20. A cancerous growth of the soft tissues, usually appearing first as a painless swelling

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Category 5 - Singers Shared First Names

What first name is shared by singers with these last names?

1. Chesney and Loggins
2. Nicks and Wonder
3. Trevi and Gaynor
4. Bolton and Buble
5. Maines and Merchant

Category 6 - Time

6. Also called "New Style", this calendar was proclaimed by the Pope in 1582 as a reform of the Julian one
7. In 1883 the scheduling of these made the adoption of time zones necessary
8. The moving shadow of the gnomon on this is what led to the use of the word clockwise
9. What is the SI base unit of time
10. What is the term used to measure time by studying the past?

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Category 7 - Revolution

11. What country's February Revolution of 1917 began on March 8
12. The Euphrates Revolt was an unsuccessful uprising in the 1920's against the UK's control of this country
13. Power to the People was a slogan of this African-American revolutionary group
14. The rising on this religious holiday in 1916 briefly proclaimed a free Irish republic
15. A revolution by this juvenile group in 1908 restored constitutional rule to the Ottoman Empire

Category 8 - Office Supplies

16. Chads are a by-product of what device
17. Because of the film Office Space, Swingline began producing red these
18. This brand has trademarked the phrase "the glue with the orange cap"
19. For over 100 years, this alliterative brand has been helping people clean out their desks
20. Norwegians wore this on their lapels during WW2 as a silent protest against Nazi occupation

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Category 9 - Homophones

What 2 similar sounding words mean both of these things?

1. A medieval farm worker, or to browse the internet
2. A cereal grass, or sardonic humour
3. To smell really bad, or to inflict havoc
4. Containing little fat, or a legal claim to property
5. A smell, or a unit of currency

Category 10 - Who Killed...

6. Abel
7. Martin Luther King Jr.
8. Albus Dumbledore
9. Grendel
10. Jesse James

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Category 11 - First Lines from Novels

What novels begin with these lines?

11. 1884: "You don't know about me without you have read a book by the name of 'The Adventures of Tom Sawyer'"
12. 1859: "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times"
13. 1953: "The scent and smoke and sweat of a casino are nauseating at three in the morning"
14. 1942: "Mother died today. Or Maybe, yesterday: I can't be sure"
15. 1971: "We were somewhere around Barstow on the edge of the desert when the drugs began to take hold"

Category 12 - European History

16. What were the names of the two 15th century monarchs that ruled Castile and Aragon in Spain
17. King John granted this charter in 1215
18. Which two countries broke up in 1918, ending the Hapsburg Empire
19. According to Winston Churchill, The Battle of the Ardennes, also known by this name, was the greatest American battle of WW2
20. A September 5, 1793 French decree officially started this, which lasted just under a year

Answers Round 1

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1. Grandfather
2. Cuckoo
3. Chess
4. Quartz
5. Pendulum
6. Ben Affleck
7. Ryan Reynolds
8. Halley Berry
9. Josh Brolin
10. Mary Elizabeth Winstead
11. Nike
12. Costco
13. Rolex
14. Apple
15. Palo Alto
16. Syringe
17. Snorkel
18. Spyware
19. Skillet
20. Sarcoma

Answers Round 2

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1. Kenny
2. Stevie
3. Gloria
4. Michael
5. Natalie
6. Georgian
7. Trains
8. Sundial
9. Second
10. Chronology
11. Russia
12. Iraq
13. The Black Panthers
14. Easter
15. The Young Turks
16. Hole Punch
17. Stapler
18. Elmer's
19. Bankers Box
20. Paperclip

Answers Round 3

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1. Serf/Surf
2. Rye/Wry
3. Reek/Wreak
4. Lean/Lien
5. Scent/Cent
6. Cane
7. James Earl Ray
8. Severus Snape
9. Beowulf
10. Robert Ford
11. Huckleberry Finn
12. A Tale Of Two Cities
13. Casino Royale
14. The Outsider
15. Fear And Loathing In Las Vegas
16. Isabel And Ferdinand
17. Magna Carta
18. Austria And Hungary
19. Battle Of The Bulge
20. The Reign Of Terror

Game Stats

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General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	0	20	6	1	5	16	9	10	6	1	10	2
% of game	0%	33%	10%	2%	8%	27%	15%	17%	10%	2%	17%	3%

Question length	Short	Medium	Long
Definition	1-44 characters	44-84 characters	84-124 characters
% of game	36.7%	33.3%	30.0%

Team size (players)	1	2	3	4	4+	TTL teams (TTL players)
# of teams	0	1	2	0	0	3 (8)
Avg score	--	54	46	--	--	48