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Results

| Rank | Team | 1 | 2 | 3 | Final |
|---------|------------------|----|------|------|-------|
| 1 | John Street Less | 19 | 18 | 15 | 52 |
| 2 | Beaver Clever | 17 | 19 | 16 | 52 |
| 3 | Sunrise, Sunset | 17 | 16 | 18 | 51 |
| 4 | The New Guys | 18 | 17 | 12 | 47 |
| 5 | The Lovlies | 14 | 11 | 11 | 36 |
| AVERAGE | | 17 | 16.2 | 14.4 | 47.6 |

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Category 1 - Sports Money (all according to Forbes)

1. According to Forbes magazine (May 2024) who is the highest paid athlete in the world - for the fourth time in his career?
2. To make Forbes top 50 highest paid athletes what is the minimum amount to make the list? Is it 35 million, 45 million or 55 million per year?
3. On Forbes 2023 highest paid athlete list the #5 spot is Canelo Alvarez of Mexico. Whats his sport?
4. Making the top ten in earnings from 2006-2016 what golfer made the 2023 top ten list again after a \$200 million signing with LIV Golf?
5. According to Forbes which NFL team is the the most valuable franchise for the 15th straight year?

Category 2 - New York New York

6. What Manhattan area's name translates to Triangle Below Canal Street?
7. The Highline Public Park runs down the West side of Manhattan and has become a city model for repurposing what kind of no longer utilized industrial zones?
8. New York artist Basquiat reportedly sold his first painting for \$200 to what Heart of Glass singer
9. In view of the Statue of Liberty is the statue of Annie Moore - reported to be the first person to enter what former New York Immigrant processing Centre?
10. The fabled Delmonico's Restaurant is said to have invented Eggs Benedict. What is the traditional sauce on a traditional Egg Benedict?

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Category 3 - MUSIC

who wrote it?

11. The song "PRETTY HURTS" was wanted by Beyonce and Rihanna but the the decision to give it to Beyonce to record was a clearly black and white decision made by what mysterious songwriter?
12. Brittany Spears 2011 song "TILL THE WORLD ENDS" was written by what singer whose own career was put on hold for nine years because of a legal dispute with an abusive producer ?
13. Jennifer Lopez's 1999 "LET'S GET LOUD" was written by what Miami Sound Machine powerhouse?
14. Kelly Clarkson's 2004 hit "BREAKAWAY" was written by what complicated pop punk singer?
15. Miley Cyrus hit "PARTY IN THE USA" was written by what alliterative named UK singer with a hefty price tag?

Category 4 - Miscellaneous with a Theme

16. What is the term used for a scarf worn by many Muslim women that covers the hair, neck and ears but leaves the face visible?
17. What one word can come before each of the following words - jewelry, party, drama ?
18. What seven letter word that can mean failure to repay a loan and also mean a preselected option by a computer program?
19. What economics themed board game licensed in more than 103 countries has the winner dominating the real estate market?
20. What is the ten letter word used in the theatre for an actor who can substitute for another on short notice?

Bonus: What connects the 5 pervious answers?

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Category 5 - Sports Trophies

21. Adorned with women from classical mythology, a ceremonial platter known as the Venus Rosewater Dish first given in 1886 to the winner of what annual sporting event?
22. What league's championship trophy that is yet to be engraved is called the Walter Cup?
23. The Triple Crown Trophy is a three sided vase made to represent each of the three horse races needed to be won by a single horse. Name all three races?
24. What professional sports league presents the Commissioner's Trophy to it's World Champion?
25. Named after a former Governor General of Canada what id theme of the trophy awarded to the most outstanding Canadian College football team(or U Sports)?

Category 6 - Canada Stuff

26. Honeymoon capital Niagara Falls has three major water falls - one is the American Falls. Name the other two?
27. June 24 is a public Holiday in Quebec honouring which Saint ?
28. Why was Canadian Shai Gilgeous-Alexander of the Toronto Raptors such a big deal with the Canadian Press?
29. The longest running farm fresh produce market in Ontario was established in 1801 in what limestone city ?
30. What item of furniture, originally conceived by an American, has become the symbol of cottage tourism in Ontario?

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Category 7 - 10 to 50

(use each number once)

31. How many gallons of sap make one gallon of Maple Syrup?
32. How many squares are on the Jeopardy Board in the Double Jeopardy Round?
33. What is the distance in feet that you should stand away from a Smellen Eye Chart to prove perfect vision?
34. What was the jersey number worn by Guy Lafleur and George Armstrong?
35. What is the number associated with the Labatt beer launched in the mid 20th century and was the best seller until 1979?

Category 8 - Music

36. Which of the Beatle's albums came in at #3 on Apple's Top 100 Albums list?
37. What "times they are a changing" artist performed in front of the crowd in Washington DC before Martin Luther King's "I have a Dream..." speech in 1963?
38. What English rock band released "The Dark Side of the Moon" in 1973??
39. Finish the Lionel Ritchie lyric "That's why I'm easy, easy like..."? S
40. The character "Max" from "Stranger Things" plays what song on her Walkman causing the 1985 hit to reach #1 in 8 countries in 2022?

Bonus: point for the artist?

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Category 9 - Sports

41. In 1900, George Orton became the 1st Canadian to win a Olympic medal when he took the bronze in 400m Hurdles. 45 minutes later he became first Canadian to win gold when he finished 1st in what other now defunct race?
42. What is NASCAR an acronym for?
43. In the 2004 MBL World Series what baseball phenomenon was lifted at Fenway Park?
44. Who was the NHL's most valuable player every year from 1980 to 1987?
45. In what sport would you find the fringe, the pin and the cup?

Category 10 - Is It Your Hands Or Your Feet?

Do these odd words relate to the feet or the hands?

46. Does the word HALLUX have to do with your hand or your foot?
47. If you come across a FERRULE would it involve your hand or your foot?
48. Does the word KIBE (long i) have to do with your hand or your foot?
49. If you come across a ZARF would it involve your hand or your foot?
50. Does the word LUNULE (loon-yule) have to do with your hand or your foot ?

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Category 11 - Current Events

51. Open AI and their Chat GPT application caused a stir over their use of a voice eerily similar to what actor?
52. Fortunate to ripen at the perfect season what Canadian swimmer is heading to the Paris Olympics as the world record holder in the 400 individual medley?
53. Apple Music released a 100 Best Album list and named what rapper and their "miseducation" album from 1998 as #1?
54. What Canadian short story writer, winner of the 2013 Noble prize in literature and numerous other literary awards throughout their career passed away on May 13?
55. In the news this month who is the all time leading goal scorer in international soccer with 190 goals and 331 appearances for their country?

Bonus: 1 point for the answer and 1 point for the reason they made the news this month

Category 12 - Catchphrases

56. Which character from the 2004 Tina Fey scripted movie said "Stop trying to make Fetch a thing"?
57. Finish the line from the character Inigo Montoya of The Princess Bride - "you killed my father...."?
58. What TV show gave the phrase "No soup for you"?
59. "Come on down" is from what long running game show?
60. "Resistance is futile. You will be assimilated" is originally from what TV sci-fi show character?

Bonus: 1 extra bonus point for naming the show

Answers Round 1

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| | Difficulty |
|--|------------|
| 1. CRISTIANO RONALDO | 40.0% |
| 2. 45 MILLION | 60.0% |
| 3. BOXING | 20.0% |
| 4. PHIL MIKELSON | 20.0% |
| 5. DALLAS COWBOYS | 20.0% |
| 6. TriBeCa | 0.0% |
| 7. RAIL LINES | 20.0% |
| 8. DEBBIE HARRY | 0.0% |
| 9. ELLIS ISLAND | 20.0% |
| 10. HOLLANDAISE | 0.0% |
| 11. SIA | 60.0% |
| 12. KESHA | 0.0% |
| 13. GLORIA ESTAFAN | 20.0% |
| 14. AVRIL LAVIGNE | 0.0% |
| 15. JESSIE J | 40.0% |
| 16. HIJAB | 0.0% |
| 17. COSTUME | 0.0% |
| 18. DEFAULT | 0.0% |
| 19. MONOPOLY | 0.0% |
| 20. UNDERSTUDY | 0.0% |
| Bonus: All answers have a three letter run in the alphabet | 80.0% |

Answers Round 2

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| | Difficulty |
|--|------------|
| 21. LADIES SINGLES CHAMP WIMBLEDON | 40.0% |
| 22. PWHL (Professional Women's Hockey League) | 0.0% |
| 23. KENTUCKY DERBY, PREAKNESS STAKES, BELMONT STAKES | 20.0% |
| 24. MLB | 40.0% |
| 25. VANIER CUP | 20.0% |
| 26. HORSESHOE AND BRIDAL VEIL | 40.0% |
| 27. SAINTE JEAN BAPTISTE | 0.0% |
| 28. HE WAS NAMED MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR | 60.0% |
| 29. KINGSTON | 20.0% |
| 30. THE MUSKOKA CHAIR | 0.0% |
| 31. 40 | 20.0% |
| 32. 30 | 20.0% |
| 33. 20 | 40.0% |
| 34. 10 | 80.0% |
| 35. 50 | 0.0% |
| 36. ABBEY ROAD | 40.0% |
| 37. BOB DYLAN | 20.0% |
| 38. PINK FLOYD | 0.0% |
| 39. SUNDAY MORNING | 0.0% |
| 40. RUNNING UP THAT HILL (deal with god) | 20.0% |
| Bonus: KATE BUSH | 0.0% |

| | Difficulty |
|--|------------|
| 41. STEEPLECHASE | 80.0% |
| 42. NATIONAL ASSOCIATION for STOCKCAR AUTO RACING | 60.0% |
| 43. THE CURSE of the BAMBINO (1918) | 20.0% |
| 44. WAYNE GRETZKY | 0.0% |
| 45. GOLF | 0.0% |
| 46. FOOT (big toe) | 20.0% |
| 47. HAND (metal under the eraser on a pencil) | 20.0% |
| 48. FOOT (cracked heels) | 40.0% |
| 49. HAND (coffee cup sleeve) | 40.0% |
| 50. BOTH - (crescent moon shaped white on your nail) | 100.0% |
| 51. SCARLET JOHANSSON | 0.0% |
| 52. SUMMER MACINTOSH | 20.0% |
| 53. LAURYN HILL | 0.0% |
| 54. ALICE MUNRO | 40.0% |
| 55. CHRISTINE SINCLAIR | 80.0% |
| Bonus: BARBIE | 100.0% |
| 56. REGINA GEORGE (from Mean Girls) | 20.0% |
| 57. PREPARE TO DIE | 60.0% |
| 58. SEINFELD (the soup nazi) | 0.0% |
| 59. PRICE IS RIGHT | 0.0% |
| 60. THE BORG | 40.0% |
| Bonus: Star Trek - The Next Generation | 20.0% |

| Category | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
|----------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Avg difficulty | 32.0% | 8.0% | 24.0% | 13.3% | 24.0% | 24.0% | 32.0% | 13.3% | 32.0% | 44.0% | 40.0% | 23.3% |

| Round | 1 | 2 | 3 |
|----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Avg difficulty | 19.05% | 22.86% | 34.55% |

| Question difficulty | Easy (0-33%) | Medium (34-66%) | Hard (67-100%) |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| % of game | 65.63% | 25.00% | 9.38% |

| Extreme Questions | Everyone got it | No one got it |
|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| % of game | 35.94% | 3.13% |

| General Categories | ART | CUL | ENT | GAM | GEO | HIS | LIT | MIX | MUS | NAT | SCI | SPO |
|--------------------|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-------|-------|
| Asked | 0 | 27 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 17 | 12 | 0 | 6 | 19 |
| % of game | 0 | 42.2% | 9.4% | 4.7% | 9.4% | 7.8% | 1.6% | 26.6% | 18.8% | 0 | 9.4% | 29.7% |
| Avg difficulty | -- | 20% | 23.3% | 66.7% | 13.3% | 24.0% | 40.0% | 28.2% | 16.7% | -- | 43.3% | 35.8% |

| Team size (players) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4+ | TTL teams (TTL players) |
|---------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-------------------------|
| # of teams | 1 | -- | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 (22) |
| Avg score | -- | -- | 52 | 49 | 44 | 47.6 |