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Categories

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Sports	Famous Families	Are You Smarter than a Celebrity?
Unusual Measurements	8 Letter Words	
Super Bowl Commercials	Name Change	
Say Drake	Words	

Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Snow Problemo	12	17	19	48
2	There's Snow Stuppin Us Now	13	15	18	46
	Nancy Pelosi's Stock options	11	17	18	46
4	Kiss My Brass	10	17	16	43
AVERAGE		11.5	16.5	17.8	45.8

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Category 1 - Sports

1. The Boston in Boston Bruins is spelt incorrectly on the Stanley Cup for the 1971-72 title. How was Boston spelt?
 2. Boxing in the United States was illegal until 1896 when which state legalized the sport?
 3. The phrase winning "hands down" comes from which sport?
 4. The movie Angels in the Outfield features which two angel players who would go on to win Best Actor Oscars?
- Bonus: The movie Angels in the Outfield features which two angel players who would go on to win Best Actor Oscars?
5. In 1986, this Special Teams position was the last non quarterback or running back to win the NFL MVP award

Category 2 - Unusual Measurements

6. A Board Foot and Hoppus Foot are both used to measure what type of common building material?
7. What US restaurant chain is used as an index to measure extreme weather?
8. Which compound word is used to measure the riskiness of everyday events?
9. The Mother Cow index was used to signify how many pregnant cows a piece of land this size could support?
10. 100 square feet is also known by this name - an alloy of copper and zinc

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Category 3 - Super Bowl Commercials

11. Ben Affleck was back again this year with his brother promoting what Boston fast food chain?
12. For which condiment company had Billy Crystal and Meg Ryan recreating a scene from When Harry Met Sally?
13. Which sporting goods manufacturer released their first commercial in 27 years featuring female athletes who "can't win"?
14. Post Malone and Shane Gillis teamed up for which not heavy beer brand?
15. Which web hosting company helped create a website for Walton Goggins Goggle Glasses?

Category 4 - Say Drake

16. In which 3 Oceans would you find the Drake Passage? (name 2 for 1 point)
- Bonus: Two points for all three
17. Who was the English sovereign when Sir Francis Drake was actively sailing between 1563-1596?
 18. The Treaty of Peace and Friendship of 1984 between which two countries define the boarder and navigation rights of the Drake Passage?
 19. Drake's career continued until dying of dysentery in this country, which was once a state of Colombia
 20. The Drake passage can be accessed by which strait?

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Category 5 - Famous Families

21. Which dynasty started with a General of Alexander the Great and ended with Cleopatra nearly 300 years later?
22. Which 6 English sisters were celebrated and caused scandal in the 1930's?
23. Which German finance and banking family rose to prominence in London in the early part of the 19th century?
24. For 400 years, which family influenced politics and religion in Italy?
25. Known as the "Kings of the Franks", which ruling family name is also the name of a character in The Matrix Reloaded?

Category 6 - 8 Letter Words

26. Next to or adjoining something else
27. Having or involving several parts, elements, or numbers
28. Easily evaporated at normal temperatures, or liable to change rapidly for the worse
29. To roughly calculate or judge the value, number, quantity, or extent of
30. To be based on or in accordance with reason or logic

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Category 7 - Name Change

31. The Bee Gees when by this noisy serpent's name
32. CCR named themselves after which dense soft fabric that comes in crushed and hammered varieties
33. Who were known as The Detours before changing their name in 1964?
34. Before reverting back to their mostly real names, this 60s and 70s couple and duo went by Caesar and Cleo
35. Death From Above added what year to their name in 2004?

Category 8 - Words

Theme

36. What is the name of a number of flat, colourful bony aquatic animals that are typically found in the tropics
37. What is it called when the rear end of your car slides from side to side while moving forward?
38. Sports fans have this type of party where they cook food and drink in the parking lot of a venue
39. Which structure completed in 1965 can be found in St. Louis, Missouri?
40. Which spiritual beings are often found interacting with humans in Christianity?

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Category 9 - Are You Smarter than a Celebrity?

41. 250,000 people a day commute through this terminal at Park Ave. & 42nd St.: the "Station" is where you get the subway down below
42. Is China above, below, or intersected by the equator?
43. For wildlife lovers, Maine offers safaris to spot this large mammal featured on its flag
44. Due to a mix-up, the giant robot doll from this South Korean series was briefly displayed in front of a museum
45. Entomology is the study of these, of which there are close to a million identified species

Category 10 - Are You Smarter than a Celebrity?

46. This author of The Giving Tree gave us the poem "Woulda-Coulda-Shoulda", a fun sized lesson in just doing it
47. NASA describes these phenomena as "bulges" in the Earth's oceans caused by the Moon's gravitational pull
48. Every October, hundreds of hot air balloons take flight in the New Mexico city at what's called "the most photographed event in the world"
49. "Sincerely, Me" is a song from this Broadway show that won the 2017 Tony for Best Musical
50. This meringue ingredient is sometimes used in winemaking to balance and clarify the end product

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Category 11 - Are You Smarter than a Celebrity?

51. After being part of a rebellion with his fellow Titans, he seemed to have the whole world on his shoulders
52. September babies like William Howard Taft and Beyonce were born under the sign of this largest constellation of the zodiac
53. This NBA-championship-winning team was honoured at the White House in 2023: Steph Curry called the visit "majestic"
54. Helium gas gets its name from the Greek word for this astronomical body where it was first detected
55. Lasik surgery corrects vision problems by using a laser to alter this dome-shaped tissue at the front of the eye

Category 12 - Are You Smarter than a Celebrity?

56. Which is the only chess piece that can jump over other pieces?
57. Unlike most solids, dry ice doesn't melt into a liquid, but turns directly into a gas, a process known as this
58. My Big Fat Greek Wedding introduced the idea that this household cleaner could cure anything
59. You can breathe easy knowing photosynthesis causes plants to release this gas as a waste product
60. On September 8th, 2022, after 70 years on the throne, the Queen passed away at Balmoral Castle in this U.K. country

Answers Round 1

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	Difficulty
1. BQSTQN	100.0%
2. New York	50.0%
3. Horse Racing	25.0%
4. Matthew McConaughey & Adrian Brody	75.0%
Bonus: Matthew McConaughey & Adrian Brody	100.0%
5. Kicker	75.0%
6. Timber	25.0%
7. Waffle House	75.0%
8. Micromort	25.0%
9. Acre	0.0%
10. Brass	75.0%
11. Dunkin Donuts	50.0%
12. Hellman's	25.0%
13. Nike	75.0%
14. Bud Light	0.0%
15. GoDaddy	25.0%
16. Atlantic, Pacific, Southern	0.0%
Bonus: Atlantic, Pacific, Southern	25.0%
17. Elizabeth I	0.0%
18. Chile & Argentina	50.0%
19. Panama	100.0%
20. Strait of Magellan	75.0%

Answers Round 2

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	Difficulty
21. Ptolemy	50.0%
22. Mitford	75.0%
23. Rothschilds	25.0%
24. Medici	0.0%
25. Merovingian	50.0%
26. Adjacent	0.0%
27. Multiple	0.0%
28. Volatile	0.0%
29. Estimate	0.0%
30. Rational	0.0%
31. The Rattlesnakes	0.0%
32. Velvet	0.0%
33. The Who	75.0%
34. Sonny and Cher	25.0%
35. 1979	25.0%
36. Angelfish	0.0%
37. Fishtail	0.0%
38. Tailgate	0.0%
39. Gateway Arch	25.0%
40. Archangel	0.0%

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	Difficulty
41. Grand Central Terminal	0.0%
42. Above	0.0%
43. Moose	25.0%
44. Squid Game	0.0%
45. Insects	0.0%
46. Shel Silverstein	25.0%
47. Tides	0.0%
48. Albuquerque	0.0%
49. Dear Evan Hansen	50.0%
50. Egg Whites	25.0%
51. Atlas	0.0%
52. Virgo	25.0%
53. Warriors	0.0%
54. The Sun	0.0%
55. Cornea	25.0%
56. Knight	0.0%
57. Sublimation	0.0%
58. Windex	50.0%
59. Oxygen	0.0%
60. Scotland	0.0%

Game Stats

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Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	70.8%	40.0%	35.0%	41.7%	40.0%	0.0%	25.0%	5.0%	5.0%	20.0%	10.0%	10.0%

Round	1	2	3
Avg difficulty	47.7%	17.5%	11.3%

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	71.0%	11.3%	17.7%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	46.8%	4.8%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	0	12	6	1	10	12	2	30	5	1	11	7
% of game	0.0%	19.4%	9.7%	1.6%	16.1%	19.4%	3.2%	48.4%	8.1%	1.6%	17.7%	11.3%
Avg difficulty	--	31.3%	50.0%	0.0%	27.5%	41.7%	37.5%	8.3%	25.0%	0.0%	20.5%	46.4%

Team size (players)	1	2	3	4	4+	TTL teams (TTL players)
# of teams	--	1	3	--	--	4 (11)
Avg score	--	48	45.0	--	--	45.8