May 21, 2025 John

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Sex	I came	Bob-bing for apples		
Drugs	I saw	Dana-mite Facts		
Rock and Roll	I conquered	Sports		
Mystery	Mystery	Mystery		

Results

Rank	Team	1	2	3	Final
1	Cheers! Norm	20	21	19.5	60.5
2	Burje Salming 21	22	21	17	60
3	Joeez	21	21	16.5	58.5
4	Can we Get the Bill?	20	20	16.5	56.5
	Fallen Leaves	21	20	15	56
5	Quizzards	18	19	19	56
	Sister Act Too	20	20	16	56
8	Positions	21	20	14	55
9	Scribbles	17	18	16	51
10	Jagged Little Pilsner	12	13	13	38
11	We're Jen Page Team	8	9	3	20
	AVERAGE	18.2	18.4	15.0	51.6

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Category 1 - Sex

- The lotus, the splitting of bamboo and the suspended congress are just 3
 of the erotic positions described in The Kamasutra. How many positions
 in total are included in the ancient Indian text? HINT: It's not 4 and it's not
 100 so you will have a 1 in 7 chance because it is a square number in
 between
- In the 1980's this artist was sued for copyright infringement by a Brazilian musician and lost. Jorge Ben did not want the UK man's body or find him sexy apparently, but he did get some royalties from the song donated to UNICEF. Name the UK artist.
- It was a rainy day when this pizza chain started a 90's radio ad campaign
 where the announcers accent made the pronunciation of their phone
 number sound like: seven, free sex, free sex, free sex. Name the pizza
 chain
- 4. This magazine has chosen a male celebrity to be dubbed "sexiest man of the year" since 1985. I'm still waiting for my turn.

Bonus if you can name the first man to receive this honour.

5. If you took the first turn in a scrabble match and spelled the word "sex", how many points would you earn?

Category 2 - Drugs

- The US is experiencing an overdose epidemic because of drugs like: oxycodone, fentanyl, morphine, heroine and the like. Also known as this class of drug
- In Jay Z's hit song "Empire State" 2 drugs are mentioned in the following lyric: _____ got your feelin' like a champion, The city never sleeps, better slip you a(n) _____.

Bonus for identifying both

- 8. There was a shortage of this Novo Nordisk drug, used to treat type 2 diabetes, in 2023-2024 because of many people using it for weight loss.
- This wonder drug was discovered accidentally by Alexander Fleming in 1928
- 10. The little blue pill used to treat Erectile Dysfunction called Viagra was originally developed to treat a different organ. Which one?

Category 3 - Rock and Roll

Round 1

- 11. A sushi roll requires 3 things before it can be rolled in a bamboo mat, cut up and eaten: filling, and these 2 other main ingredients.
- 12. What 1976 cult classic musical film had people doing the Time Warp?
- 13. Name the car brand associated with the spirit of ecstacy
- 14. This term is used metaphorically to describe difficult journeys HINT: also the name of an ice cream flavour.
- 15. Although not technically in the rock and roll genre, the best selling music album of all time estimated at over 70 million copies was released in 1982. Sadly, the singer who recorded the album died in 2009. Name the album and artist. HINT: He was born in Gary Indiana in 1958

Category 4 - Mystery with bonus Anagram

- 16. What letter of the alphabet is applies to you if you just got pwned? (1 letter)
- 17. Which 2002 horror film starring Naomi Watts revolves around a cursed videotape? (4 letters)
- 18. On this hit ABC TV show that aired from 2004-2010, Oceanic Flight 815 crashes on a mysterious island (4 letters)
- 19. Who was Prince Adam's alter ego in an 1980's cartoon and live action movie starring Dolph Lundgren. (2 letters) HINT: When he held aloft his magic sword and said, "I have the power!" He became this super-muscled alter ego
- A unit of measurement used in 16th century Europe before the metric system was invented. Usually used to measure people or animals. 1 unit is equivalent to exactly 14 lbs (5 letters)
- Bonus: Rearrange the letters to spell the name of a band that embodies the spirit of the sex, drugs and rock n roll vibe

Category 5 - I came

- 21. I came from Austria-Hungary and emigrated to the U.S. in 1884 as a physicist. I pioneered the use of Alternating Current
- 22. I came to the US from Germany for the third time in 1933. Hitler became the chancellor of Germany at that time so I stayed in the US because I was a very prominent Jew. HINT: I wrote the world's most famous equation
- 23. I came to the US from Columbia in 1998 after my older brother was murdered in an attempted kidnapping. Although I have many product lines and have been in several movies, I'm best known for my role in Modern Family and being a judge on America's got Talent
- 24. I came to the US after the 1948 communist coup d'etat in Czechoslovakia. I eventually became the 64th U.S. Secretary of State under Bill Clinton in 1997. I was the first female U.S. Secretary of State and the highest-ranking woman in the history of the U.S. government at the time.
- 25. I first came to the US from Austria in 1966 and dreamed of being rich, famous and marrying a Kennedy. I returned in 1968 and accomplished all my dreams and more becoming a State Governor in 2003 HINT: He was the world's first governator

Category 6 - I saw

all answers are 2 words - one is a synonym for see, the other is a word that is different by one letter Example Change the M in a fraudulent scheme to get a way to quickly read through information or look across a room - scam/scan

- 26. change the P in a bowling score that you get when knock down all the pins with 2 balls to get the way of looking at something fixedly.
- 27. Change the z in this synonym for varnish to get a way of looking at someone in an angry or fierce way
- 28. Change the A in the pointed top of a mountain to get a way to catch a glimpse of something that you are not supposed to see
- 29. Change the L in this perfect way to spend a Sunday afternoon to get a way to look at someone steadily and intently, like in admiration, surprise or thought
- 30. change the R in this man-eating creature of folklore to get a rude, lecherous way to look at someone HINT: Shrek is one

Category 7 - I conquered

Round 2

- 31. This athlete conquered tennis by winning 23 grand slam singles titles beginning with the US Open at age 17 HINT she has the most grand slam singles titles of any woman in the open era
- 32. This athlete conquered Golf by being the youngest person to ever win the Masters
- 33. This man was arguably the greatest conqueror of all time... and the most fruitful. A 2003 study estimated that he had 16 million living descendants from direct offspring of his enormous harem HINT: his empire spanned from the eastern edge of China to the Adriatic Sea
- 34. This team conquered the NHL by winning 6 stanley cups between 1970-1979 in a post-expansion NHL making them one of the greatest NHL dynasties of all time HINT: They are one of the original 6 NHL teams
- 35. This man conquered the olympics winning the most medals of anyone in the history of the games. HINT: of his 28 summer olympic medals, 23 or them are gold

Category 8 - Mystery Category

- 36. These are the 2 highest ranking cards in Euchre or the name of the counterterrorism agent in the show 24
- 37. The title elephant in the 1954 Dr. Seuss book hears something. The book was later made into a feature animated film in 2008. What is the name of the title character?
- 38. Which popular TV series from 2000-2007 features a fast-talking mother-daughter duo living in the fictional town of Stars Hollow?
- 39. In 1804 these 2 American Explorers went on a famous expedition to cross the continental divide and map the Louisiana Purchase
- 40. This American rock band formed in 1991 and has had such hits as "crash into me" and "ants marching" HINT: The band is named after the lead singer/guitarist and, if you're a fan of the office, this band was requested by Andy Bernard at the roller rink on season 7. Deep tracks only.

Bonus: What do the previous answers have in common?

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Category 9 - bob-bing for apples

41. How many seeds does an apple usually have? There is no plus/minus for this answer, but there is an acceptable range, and if your answer falls within that range you will get a point.

Bonus: A "best answer" which is worth an extra 1/2 point.

42. If Budimir Sobat from Croatia ever challenges you to a bobbing-for-apples contest, think twice. He holds the record for the longest breath held underwater! What is the record +/- 5? The answer is rounded off to the nearest minute.

Bonus: for an exact (rounded) guess. In the event nobody gets it right, the closest answer will win a point. Because stumpers are no fun.

- 43. John Chapman is credited for planting apple trees extensively across the American Frontier in the late 18th to early 19th century. He is a folk hero better know by this nickname
- 44. This continent is the largest producer of apples in the world. HINT: a single country on this continent produces about 50% of the world's apple supply. That's about 10x more than the 2nd leading country found on a different continent.
- 45. The Beatles founded a record label in 1968 called Apple Records. What colour is the apple in the logo?

Category 10 - Dana-mite Facts

- 46. 1974 was a good year for Chick and Linda because Dana was born. It was also a good year for this MLB player who surpassed Babe Ruth as the all time home run king. His record stood until 2007 when he was finally surpassed by Barry Bonds... 33 years later. Now he's only number 2. Name the player HINT: His nickname was the Hammer... which might not mean much to you unless you realize that nicknames are usually alliterative.
- 47. Dana Plato taught us about the pressures of child stardom through her difficulties with substance abuse and legal trouble after starring as Kimberly Drummond in this show. She also appeared briefly in it's spin-off The Facts of Life
- 48. May 27 is not only Dana's birthday, it's Mother's Day in this landlocked South American country! Your kids better treat you extra nice on your special day. There are only 2 landlocked countries in South America, You can list both, but you will only get 1 point as long as you have the correct one.
- 49. This Saturday Night Live alum had many memorable characters like the Church Lady, Hans (from Hans and Franz) and Massive Headwound Harry. His most popular role though was Garth Algar opposite Mike Myers in this sketch-comedy-turned-movie. Name the actor
- 50. 1974 was a groundbreaking year for feminism This woman became the first female president in history when husband Juan died in Argentina. HINT she was not as beloved as Juan's second wife Eva, Madonna did not play this woman in any musicals

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Category 11 - Sports (for Steve and Ian)

51. The Hand of God is a 2021 Netflix movie. The title comes from a controversial goal in the '86 World Cup QF that centred around one of the greatest players in the history of the sport. Who scored the controversial goal. HINT: The player in question played for Argentina

Bonus if you can name the country that was defeated in that game

- 52. This is the best quarterback to never win a superbowl. Despite 10 postseason appearances in his incredible 17 year Hall of Fame career on the same team. He played from 1983-2000 and was inducted into the hall of fame in 2005.
- 53. The NHL expanded to 12 teams in the 1967-68 season, who won the last Stanley Cup before the expansion? HINT. Maybe that's why they haven't been able to win a cup since... there are too many teams!
- 54. This is the fastest moving projectile in sport with a recorded speed of 493 km/h HINT: it's a racquet sport
- 55. According to several sources, but specifically a 2023 WorldAtlas.com article the #1 most popular sport in the world based on number of fans is Football/Soccer, the #2 is cricket. What is the #3 most popular sport in the world? HINT: it can be played on different surfaces

Category 12 - Mystery Category

- 56. In card games like Euchre, Pinochle, Spades and Bridge, what actions can you take in the initial phase of the game before the first card is played?
- 57. This famous Canadian band was formed in 1968 and was known for such hits as "Tom Sawyer" "closer to the heart" and "Limelight" HINT: Geddy Lee is the lead singer
- 58. In the world of cryptocurrency, what is the term for the digital record that stores transactions in a chain-like structure, ensuring security and transparency?
- 59. According to the OED, this is the word for all the apparatus used for fishing
- 60. Which crowdfunding platform, launched in 2009, allows creators to raise funds for projects by receiving small contributions from a large number of people?

Bonus: What connects the 5 previous answers?

	Difficulty
1. 64	45.5%
2. Rod Stewart	18.2%
3. pizzaville	0.0%
4. People Magazine	9.1%
Bonus: Mel Gibson	90.9%
5. 20 (1, 1, 8 + double word score)	36.4%
6. opioids or opiates	9.1%
7. MDMA	72.7%
Bonus: Ambien	18.2%
8. Ozempic	9.1%
9. Penicillin	18.2%
10. heart	9.1%
11. rice and Nori or Seaweed	0.0%
12. Rocky Horror Picture Show	9.1%
13. Rolls Royce - it is the name of the hood ornament	18.2%
14. Rocky Road	18.2%
15. Thriller by Michael Jackson	18.2%
16. L	27.3%
17. Ring	18.2%
18. Lost	0.0%
19. He	18.2%
20. Stone	9.1%
Bonus: The Rolling Stones	9.1%

	Difficulty
21. Nikola Tesla	18.2%
22. Albert Einstein	18.2%
23. Sofia Vergara	0.0%
24. Madeleine Albright	18.2%
25. Arnold Schwarzenegger	9.1%
26. spare / stare	0.0%
27. glaze / glare	9.1%
28. peak / peek	9.1%
29. laze / gaze	18.2%
30. ogre / ogle	18.2%
31. serena williams	36.4%
32. Tiger Woods	0.0%
33. Genghis Khan	18.2%
34. Montreal Canadiens	27.3%
35. Michael Phelps	9.1%
36. Bower (Goalie Johnny Bower)	18.2%
37. Horton (defenceman Tim Horton)	0.0%
38. Gilmore Girls (Centre Doug Gilmour)	0.0%
39. Lewis and Clark (winger Wendel Clark)	18.2%
40. Dave Matthews Band (centre Austin Matthews)	0.0%
Bonus: Maple Leafs player names	18.2%

	Difficulty
41. Between 5 and 10	9.1%
Bonus: 5	86.4%
42. An answer of 20-30 minutes is worth 1 point.	63.6%
Bonus: 25 min is worth 2 points	90.9%
43. Johnny Appleseed	9.1%
44. Asia (China accounts for nearly 50% of the global apple production)	54.5%
45. Green	18.2%
46. Henry "Hank" Aarons	18.2%
47. Diffrent Strokes	36.4%
48. Bolivia	18.2%
49. Dana Carvey	9.1%
50. Isabel Peron	100.0%
51. Diego Maradona	18.2%
Bonus: England	54.5%
52. Dan Marino	45.5%
53. Toronto Maple Leafs	18.2%
54. badminton birdie not jai alai 302 km/h pelota	72.7%
55. Hockey is #3.	81.8%
56. pass or bid	36.4%
57. Rush	0.0%
58. block / blockchain	27.3%
59. tackle	0.0%
60. kickstarter	18.2%
Bonus: american football actions	9.1%

Category	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Avg difficulty	33.3%	22.7%	12.7%	13.6%	12.7%	10.9%	18.2%	9.1%	47.4%	36.4%	48.5%	15.2%

Round	1	2	3
Avg difficulty	21.0%	12.6%	37.3%

Question difficulty	Easy (0-33%)	Medium (34-66%)	Hard (67-100%)
% of game	76.5%	13.2%	10.3%

Extreme Questions	Everyone got it	No one got it
% of game	16.2%	1.5%

General Categories	ART	CUL	ENT	GAM	GEO	HIS	LIT	MIX	MUS	NAT	SCI	SPO
Asked	0	20	10	4	1	9	2	40	9	3	10	13
% of game	0.0%	29.4%	14.7%	5.9%	1.5%	13.2%	2.9%	58.8%	13.2%	4.4%	14.7%	19.1%
Avg difficulty		20.9%	19.1%	29.5%	18.2%	23.2%	4.5%	21.5%	18.3%	50.0%	27.3%	31.5%

Team size (players)	1	2	3	4	4+	TTL teams (TTL players)
# of teams			6	3	2	11 (41)
Avg score			57.3	48.3	39.3	51.6