

Play Off 2
The Panther Bowl
October 20, 2001

Toss Ups

1. They are made up of about 200 islands, with the total area of about 4,700 miles and are located about 300 miles off the east coast of Argentina. For ten points, name these islands with their capital at Stanley.

Falkland Islands

2. He was born in East Knoyle, Wiltshire, on Oct. 20, 1632. A precocious child, he invented numerous scientific devices before the age of 14. He went on to establish his fame in the field of mathematics and astronomy before becoming a renowned architect. For ten points, name this scientist best known for the reconstruction of St. Paul's Cathedral.

Sir Christopher **Wren**

3. They were the cause of 25 arrests, 10 of which resulted in convictions, when they were passed in 1798. They were opposed by leaders of the Republican party, namely Thomas Jefferson and James Madison. For ten points, identify this set of four laws passed under John Adams as a means of curbing political opposition.

Alien and Sedition Acts

4. In his system, reason and faith form two realms whose truths complement each other rather than contradict them, and in his works provided proof to the existence of God. In 1879 his ideas became the official philosophy of the Catholic Church. For ten points, identify this Scholasticist, author of Summa Theologica

Saint Thomas **Aquinas**

5. This discipline tries to determine the lines of descent of species. Name this study of the evolutionary history of a taxonomic group.

Phylogeny

6. One of the inert gases, it takes its name from the Greek for stranger. For ten points, identify this element, atomic number 54, with and atomic symbol Xe.

Xenon

7. He invented a digital calculator, the syringe, and developed the principle for the hydraulic press. For ten points, name this French mathematician and philosopher who once said, "The heart has its reasons which reason knows nothing of."

Blaise **Pascal**

8. It was recently discovered that this particle only makes up 5% of the mass of the universe, much less than the expected amount. They are produced during anti-Beta decay, and were produced in the high temperatures of the early universe. For ten points, identify these near-mass-less leptons, which come in the electron, muon, and tau flavors.

Neutrino

9. According to the movie, Finding Forrester, William Forrester won the Pulitzer Prize for fiction for his only novel, Avalon Crossing. However, in reality the year he supposedly received the award was one of several years in which no Pulitzer was given for fiction. For ten points, name **any** year that the Pulitzer Prize in Fiction was not awarded.

1920, 1941, 1946, 1954 (Forrester's year, by the way), **1957, 1964, 1971, 1974, 1977**

10. This collection of songs and plays was discovered in 1803 at a Benedictine monastery in Bavaria. Mainly written in Latin, with a few in German, these songs from the thirteenth-century were an assortment of drinking songs, love songs, religious poems, pastoral lyrics, and satires. For ten points, what is the name of the cantata in which some of these songs were set to music by Carl Orff.

Carmina Burana

11. It traces its origins back to biblical patriarch, Abraham. This monotheistic religion's name means "surrender" and "peace" in its holy language. Developed in the 7th century, it is now the 2nd largest religion in the world. For 10 points, name this religion which is divided into the Shiites and Sunnis and whose followers are called Muslims.

Islam

12. In 1969 John Schlesinger won Best Director at the Oscars, and his film won Best Picture. Although this may seem uneventful, it was in fact a historical moment for the Academy. For ten points, name this film, the only adult rated film to win an Oscar.

Midnight Cowboy

13. It is about 44th in natural abundance among the elements in the earth's crust and has potential applications in alloys, electronics, and magnetic materials. Separated by Jean Charles de Marguinac in 1878 from the rare earth elements, it has a bright, silvery luster and is quite ductile. For ten points, what is this element in the lanthanide series, with an atomic number of 70 and symbol of Yb?

ytterbium

14. Born Francois Marie Arouet, he did much of his writing while living on the border between Switzerland and France, largely because of his unpopularity with the French nobility. For ten points, identify this author of Candide.

Voltaire

15. Photographer Walker Evans illustrated his work on the life of sharecroppers, Let Us Now Praise Famous Men. For ten points, identify this author who was posthumously awarded the 1958 Pulitzer Prize in fiction for his novel A Death in the Family.

James Agee

Section III

Category Bonuses

During this section of the round, you will hear five toss up questions that will count ten points each. The player who answers the question correctly will give the team the opportunity to choose from six categories of bonus questions. There are two bonus questions per category and they count ten points each. The bounce back rule is in effect. Should the team not be able to answer the question, the other team will have the opportunity to answer. Answers from the opposing team must be immediate!

This year the bonuses are labeled with the name of a movie. The bold face word or words in the title of the movie will give you a clue as to what the bonus is about so choose carefully. For example, a bonus titled An American Werewolf in **Paris**, in which Paris is in bold print, would have something to do with the city of Paris or any related cities named Paris. Have fun with this section.

(Note to Reader: Give each team a copy of the bonus categories before advancing in this round. Be sure to mark off a category as it is used.)

If neither team correctly answers the toss-up, then the bonus questions will be up for grabs on the next question.

Category Bonuses for Play Off 2

The **Bells** of St. Mary's
The **Gold** Rush
The **Mummy** Returns

The African **Queen**
Renaissance Man
Dead Poets' Society

Toss Ups

1. This novel caused such a scandal that it forced the author to switch to writing poetry for the rest of his life. Published in 1895, it tells the story of a young boy who desires to enter the clergy, but seems to be thwarted at every turn. He falls for a woman who moves to Australia. He is rejected for admission to college and forced to work as a stone mason and falls in love with his cousin. For ten points, this is the summary of what novel by Thomas Hardy?

Jude the Obscure

2. This composer known as the "poet of the piano" composed hundreds of pieces for that instrument. He and George Sand lived together for years. After his death, his body was buried in Paris, but his heart was returned to his homeland of Poland. Who is this man, composer of Fantasia Impromptu?

Frederic Francois **Chopin**

3. He was the eldest son of the Count of Paris, and in 987 was elected king of France. Although his county was not very large, its position gave him extreme economic and political power. For ten points, identify this king whose reign from 987 to 996 marked the beginning of the Capetian Dynasty in France.

Hugh Capet (prompt on Capet, that's just not fair)

4. It wasn't calculated until the late 19th century, whereas its namesake lived and worked in the early part of that century. For ten points, what is this number, the exact number of particles in a mole?

Avogadro's Number or **6.022×10^{23}**

5. They painted animals, landscapes and people in an area of France near the forest of Fontainebleau. These painters were the precursors of impressionism and included Rousseau, Millet, Dupre, and Daubigny. For ten points, what was the name of this group of French painters who from 1830 to 1870 near a town that became their namesake?

Barbizon School

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The **Bells** of St. Mary's: We're such dingalings, we couldn't pass up another bonus on this subject. For ten points each, answer these questions about literary bells.

Who wrote the 1945 Pulitzer Prize novel, A Bell for Adano?

John **Hersey**

The title for Hemingway's novel, For Whom the Bell Tolls, came from a sermon by this metaphysical poet.

John **Donne**

The African **Queen**: For ten points each, answer the following about ancient queens.

She was the legendary founder and queen of Carthage who fell in love with Aeneas, but killed herself when he left to continue his journey.

Dido

In Greek mythology, she was the wife of the king of Ethiopia. Her daughter Andromeda was rescued from a sea monster by Perseus, and according to tradition, at her death she was changed into a northern constellation located near the celestial pole.

Cassiopeia

The **Gold Rush** : Identify the authors of the following literary titles in which 'gold' is in the title.

Who wrote the poem, "Nothing Gold Can Stay"?

Robert Frost

Who is the author of Goldfinger ?

Ian **Fleming**

Renaissance Man: Identify words that were first used in the Renaissance.

This word appears to have been applied to any new story during the early Renaissance. What is this word that is a fictional prose narrative in which characters and situations are depicted and comes from the Latin word "new"?

novel

It is another Latin word, derived from the Greek word “mouseion” (mews- ion) and originally described a temple dedicated to the Muses. It was not until the Renaissance that this term was applied to a collection of objects of beauty and worth.

museum

The **Mummy** Returns: We all want our mummy, so for ten points each answer these questions related to mummies.

It is usually made of stone, but can be constructed of wood or terra cotta. Its name is Greek for “flesh eating.” What is the name of a coffin placed above ground?

sarcophagus

He traveled widely as a young man, but it is for his work in Egypt that he is best remembered. Identify this Egyptologist who discovered the tomb of King Tutankhamen in 1922, opened it in 1923 and died two months later.

George Edward Stanhope Molyneux Herbert **Carnavon**

Dead Poets’ Society: Answer these questions about dead poets.

This American-English poet is famous for winning the 1948 Nobel Prize in Literature and for writing, among other things, "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock"

T. S. **Eliot**

This poet never won a Pulitzer prize, but is noted for his disregard of classical forms and frequent use of jazz. Name this Missouri native who wrote The Weary Blues.

Langston **Hughes**

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