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TRASHMASTERS 2004 – UT-CHATTANOOGA

Packet produced by Kearney, Clancy, Harris, and sleep deprivation (with a couple by your genial quizmaster)

1. Darth Vader, Errol Flynn, Olivia Newton John, Jet Li, Jesus, Lebowski, Michael Jackson, Alan Turing, Badonkadonk, Downward Dog, YMCA, Vomit, Breakdance, Pilates, Wave, Run, Cry and Punch all work successfully at this point in time. Entering words like Choad, Incest, Playboy, Poop, Nutsack, and ironically, the phrase "Flip the bird" result in the titular character wagging its gloved finger at you. FTP, name this web-cam-based character that began confusing web surfers early this year, until it was revealed that it was a viral ad campaign for the TenderCrisp sandwich from Burger King?

Answer: **The Subservient Chicken**

2. This actor started his career at the age of 5 on *Little House on the Prairie*, but then moved on to better things as one of Ricky Schroder's pals on *Silver Spoons*. Then he took Michael J. Fox's sloppy seconds in *Teen Wolf Too*, and managed to live through Valerie Harper leaving the Hogan family. He showed up on the big screen recently with small roles in both *Starsky and Hutch* and *Dodgeball*, but garnered major fame as the lead of the Fox series *Arrested Development*. FTP, name this former child star and brother to Justine.

Answer: **Jason Bateman**

3. Deal two cards from each deck to every player. Decide who goes first by rolling a die and arguing about the results. Most items can be played at any time, but Enhancers and One-Shots can only be played during combat. In combat, your bonuses plus your current level must be greater than your enemy's level, unless you're a Warrior. Put on your Skull Helmet and the Kneepads of Allure, and try your best to kill the Enraged Intelligent Squidzilla with your Chainsaw of Bloody Dismemberment in FTP, this Steve Jackson card game with a name that describes a manipulative power-player in Dungeons and Dragons.

Answer: **Munchkin**

4. The characters discuss things as diverse as caffeine popsicles, Paris in the '20s, and the use of nicotine as an insecticide. It features Meg and Jack White discussing the relative merits of Nikola Tesla, two members of the Wu-Tang Clan geeking out in front of Bill Murray, and it was shot over a period of 17 years. FTP, name this Jim Jarmusch movie of short vignettes that shows that we can all relate over the two title items.

Answer: **Coffee And Cigarettes**

5. He's got the worst kept secret identity in all of comic books, because everybody knows who he is. The Black Panther, Mastermind, Luke Cage, Dr. Strange, Captain America, Reed Richards, Spider-Man, even freakin' Mary Jane knows! Sister Maggie knows, but that's just cause she's his mom. Anybody who's ever dated him knows, and three of his ex's have even tried to kill him after learning! In his most recent runs, the entire city learned, but that was later fixed by great PR. FTP, name this man without secrets OR fear, or eyesight for that matter.

Answer: **Daredevil (or Matt Murdock)**

6. This golfer was born in 1963 and began playing professionally in 1982. He won his first PGA tour event over Mark Wiebe in the Buick Classic, en route to him being named 1993's PGA Tour Rookie of the Year. His first major title came in 1998 at the PGA Championship at Sahalee, and he became the leading money winner in 2003. Yet he became infamous for his comments regarding Annika Sorenstam. FTP, name this Fiji native who overtook Tiger Woods as the number one golfer in the world this Labor Day.

Answer: **Vijay Singh**

7. This newest solo release that isn't quite a solo release just so happens to have an acronym that sounds like a clothing line. What a coincidence that the artist should also OWN that clothing line. With help from Dr. Dre, Eve, The Neptunes, Andre 3000, Jimmy Jam & Terry Lewis, Linda Perry and her own bandmate/ex-lover, this album was destined to succeed, even if songs like "What are you waiting for?" blur the lines between pop and techno. FTP, name this newest effort by Gwen Stefani, which some see as an ad for her LAMB fashion line

Answer: **Love Angel Music Baby**

8. He was born and raised in New York City in a neighborhood near Chinatown. He has a basset hound named Dog, and he drives a 1959 Peugeot convertible. He was first played by Bert Freed on the 1960 NBC anthology series "The Chevy Mystery Show". He became the centerpiece of a copyright lawsuit against the makers of Trivial Pursuit regarding his first name. A 1979 spin-off series featured Kate Mulgrew as his wife, who was then changed to his ex-wife, then a completely unrelated person named Kate who just happened to have his last name. FTP, just one more thing...name this lieutenant played since 1971 by Peter Falk.

Answer: **Columbo**

9. The movie starts with yet another imminent apocalypse, as have the previous two in its series. It starts with an outing of its main hero, and the addition of two more sidekicks, Hannibal and Abigail. Patton Oswalt, Natasha Lyonne, Triple H, and Parker Posey all somehow fit into the movie, but the fans don't care about that. They just want to see Drake, the modern day Dracula fighting Wesley Snipes' Daywalker in FTP, this upcoming finale to the Blade saga.

Answer: **Blade: Trinity**

10. Selected by the New Jersey Nets in the first round (12th pick overall) of the 1989 NBA Draft, he was traded to the Hawks in November '92 for Rumeal Robinson. Traded to the Golden State Warriors in June '99, he was in the Top Ten all-time in steals when he retired in 2002 after a season plagued by injury. He led his team in both assists and steals for eight consecutive seasons starting in '1990, and led the NBA in steals in for the second year in a row in 97-98.. FTP, name this former Oklahoma point guard, for whom at one point Pearl Jam was named.

Answer: **Mookie Blaylock**

11. It's a normal resort town, except that it is home to a small cult that sells narcotics, raises demons, kidnaps children, and performs other evil deeds. Harry Mason and his adopted daughter Cheryl went there on vacation in the first game, and his other adopted daughter, Heather (who may or may not BE Cheryl) became the protagonist of the third release in the series. James Sunderland showed up in number 2, but his story isn't really related to the main plot. FTP, name this series that's up to its 4th Edition, subtitled "The Room", started on the Playstation, and is critically acclaimed for its atmosphere and pants-wetting horror.

Answer: **Silent Hill**

12. Born Pauline Parker, this New Zealand writer may be the only murder mystery writer actually to have murdered someone. When she was only fifteen years old, she and her friend Hilary Nathan killed Hilary's mother, who disapproved of their close friendship. Her character was portrayed on film by Kate Winslet in Peter Jackson's 1994 film, *Heavenly Creatures*. FTP, what is the pen name of the woman whose mystery series featuring Inspectors Pitt and Monk have risen to relative fame on the North American bestseller charts?

Answer: **Anne Perry**

13. This Emmy-award winning reporter joined ABC from the Channel One News school television network, where he served as a reporter and producer. At ABC, he was the youngest correspondent at the network. Because of his background as a war correspondent for Channel One News, he was sent to Afghanistan after Sept. 11. More recently, he interviewed Jean-Bertrand Aristide shortly before a 2004 revolt. He anchored ABC's World News Now before shifting over to CNN as weekend anchor, but is probably better known for hosting the spy-hunt reality show, "The Mole". FTP, name this son of Gloria Vanderbilt, host of an eponymous 360-degree look at world events on CNN

Answer: **Anderson Cooper**

14. A Bethlehem, PA brewery was forced to change the name of their Christmas brew, Rudolph's reserve ale, after a copyright dispute with The Rudolph Company. Since Bethlehem Brew Works couldn't show the happy reindeer on the label or use his name, they changed it a little. The new label shows a red-nosed Santa's helper on the label, with a reindeer in the background. FTP, what's the name of the new brew?

Answer: **Rude Elf's Reserve**

15. In April 2004, until a flurry of criticism forced a reversal, his name was briefly taken off the spring football "Commitment to Excellence" award by his alma mater. He began as a graduate assistant under Bear Bryant and remained at Alabama under Ray Perkins, then followed Perkins to the Tampa Bay Bucs as an assistant. His last NFL job was as running backs coach for the Packers before taking his current position, but only after Alabama passed over him and hired Mike Shula. FTP name the first African-American head coach in SEC history, the current coach at Mississippi State.

Answer: **Sylvester Croom**

16. His first film is the largely-forgotten animated short "L'Évasion" (translated in English as "The Escape"), but he hit critical success with the disturbing films "Delicatessen" and "The City of Lost Children." His latest film, translated as "A Very Long Engagement," has caused a court battle in France; the French government has said that it's not French enough to receive government subsidies, despite the fact that it is in French, has a French cast and crew, and is set in France. FTP, name the beloved and reviled director of *Alien: Resurrection* and *Amelie*.

Answer: **Jean-Pierre Jeunet**

17. One of the books in this children's series won the Newbery Medal in 1976. Notable for its adherence to Celtic mythology and Arthurian legend, the series follows a young boy who learns he has magical powers and must fight the forces of evil to collect seven artifacts. He befriends an albino boy, a dog who can hear the wind, and three English children. FTP, what is the name of the children's series, written by Susan Cooper, which begins with the book *Over Sea, Under Stone*?

Answer: **The Dark is Rising Sequence**

18. This musical artist is the son of a carpenter, and was born in North Carolina in 1966. He produced and arranged the most recent William Shatner album, *Has Been*. He wrote the song, "Lonely Christmas Eve" for the film, *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*. Weird Al Yankovic recently sang background vocals on *Time*, a song off the singer's forthcoming album. The singer recently shook up the music world by releasing three short EPS, *Speed Graphic*, *Sunny 16*, and *Super D*. FTP, what's the name of the singer/songwriter who is most famous for his album, *Rockin' the Suburbs*?

Answer: **Ben Folds**

19. This actor studied law at the University of Sydney, but he became bored with his classes after his first year and began a career in modeling. His appearance in a jeans commercial in his home country got him a role in the series "Home and Away". In 1992, he was cast as Ian Rain on NBC's *Another World*. In 2000, he was added to the cast of "Charmed" as the demonic character Cole Turner. FTP, name this actor who recently gained simultaneous geek credibility and a huge female fan-base as Dr. Doom and Nip/Tuck's Christian Troy.

Answer: **Julian McMahon**

20. This man recently made a promise not to perform any concerts in states that voted for Bush. He has albums titled *I'd Like A Virgin* and *Tuxicity*. His real name is Mark Jonathan Davis, but his stage name complements that of his bandmates Bobby Ricotta, Buddy Gouda, and Gordon Brie. His band covers punk, hip-hop, and alternative music in a big-band style. For ten points, name the creator and lead singer of Lounge Against The Machine.

Answer: **Richard Cheese**

21. Dirk Gion's equipment is 1.3 meters long, it's got air tires, brakes, and a 2 square-meter and 10 square-meter kite attached to it. He plans on using this equipment along with a wind-powered boat to travel around the world in 80 days. FTP, this Earthflyer made history this week by crossing the continent of Australia on a what?

Answer: **Skateboard**

22. A quart of Reddi-wip, 8 fluid ounces of EZ-cheese, a third of a mile of Silly String, 2,350 square centimeters of lipstick, 170 feet of ramen noodle, 3.2 gallons of Folgers Coffee. These are all calculations done by Rob Cockerham, for what series of science experiments/photo journals that seek to quantify our daily lives, featured on the website www.cockeyed.com?

Answer: **How Much is Inside? (Accept Cockeyed before it is said)**

23. When he came to Earth, he encountered and crossed over into the titles of every Marvel comic that was being published at the time. He got a haircut and wardrobe patterned after Michael Jackson, transformed an office building into gold, was toilet trained by Spider-Man, and ultimately died when he tried to create a human body for himself. FTP, name this pocket dimension-slash-omnipotent being that likes to watch heroes and villains fight, and was originally created for the 12-issue Secret Wars.

Answer: **Beyonder**

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Yeah yeah. Ron Artest, Armageddon, end of basketball....lalala. How about you answer these questions about other heavily suspended basketball players FTPE?

Setting up perhaps the best TrashMasters prize ever, Latrell Sprewell choked his coach for a year's suspension, later brought down to 68 games. Name the Golden State Warriors coach that he choked.

Answer: **P.J. Carlesimo**

The most recent spectator punching took place in '95, when this Houston Rocket slugged the hell out of a fan in Portland.

Answer: **Vernon Maxwell**

Perhaps Maxwell was working out some leftover Rocket rage from when Houston's Rudy Tomjanovich was punched by this L.A. Laker

Answer: **Kermit Washington**

2. If you've got girls at a party, odds are you've got icky malt beverages masquerading as tasty drinks. Name the liquor brand from the ridiculous malt beverage FFPE, with an additional 5 for all.

Silver

Answer: **Bacardi**

Gold

Answer: **Captain Morgan**

Ice

Answer: **Smirnoff**

Blue

Answer: **SKYY**

Citrona

Answer: **Stolichnaya (Stoli acceptable)**

3. Michael wrote a hilarious true-or-false bonus on titles of films from, and I quote, "the estrogen-tainted minds of Lifetime." Bowing to popular sentiment against binary boni, but not wanting to see Michael's eye for the absurd title go to waste, here's what your genial quizmaster cobbled together. Answer the following FTPE:

Originally airing on CBS, but resurfacing on Lifetime, was this 1989 TV-movie starring Pam Dawber and John Shea that capitalized on the hysteria surrounding the McMartin day care abuse scandal. Somehow its title question can't be taken as seriously after its use in *Shrek*.

Answer: **Do You Know the Muffin Man?**

A regular on such badly titled TV series as "Silk Stalkings" and "Suddenly Susan," this actor is also a staple of badly titled Lifetime films, including *A Loss of Innocence* and *Terror in the Mall*.

Answer: **Rob Estes**

Estes' wife, Josie Bissett, is the lead in this 1998 Lifetime thriller, in which a murder plot is triggered by something overheard on the titular device, which just doesn't seem to mesh well with the subtitle "Sound of Fear,"

Answer: **Baby Monitor: Sound of Fear**

4. Blogs are the wave of the future. The filthy, badly written wave of the future. FTPE, given a description of the blog, name it.

In her blog, she detailed the habits of her six sex partners, one of whom was a married Bush administration official who met her in hotel rooms and gave her envelopes of cash.

Answer: **Washingtonienne (Also accept Jessica Cutler)**

Ana Marie Cox is the real name of this blogger, who gained fame for her inside-Washington reports, and for making Washingtonienne famous.

Answer: **Wonkette**

This anonymous blogger who claims to be an A-list celebrity may or may not be Owen Wilson, Ben Affleck, or some random ad exec

Answer: **Rance**

5. FTPE, in honor of the 5th release in the Metal Gear series, questions about Snake and his easily distracted enemies: What's the subtitle of the newest in the Metal Gear series, Metal Gear Solid 3?

Answer: **Snake Eater**

Who's the mastermind game designer who's responsible for creating Snake?

Answer: **Hideo Kojima**

The writer of the screenplays for both X-Men movies has also done the voice of Snake since '97. Name him.

Answer: **David Hayter**

6. He's hairy with big teeth, and he's in a recent movie with Tobey Maguire. No, not Michael Caine. He's one of the most famous horses in the world, and his name is Seabiscuit. Answer these questions about him FTPE.

For what year was Seabiscuit named "Horse of the Year"?

Answer: **1938**

On November 1st, 1938, Seabiscuit took on what Triple Crown winner in what was dubbed "The Match of the Century"?

Answer: **War Admiral**

FTP, name Seabiscuit's most famous jockey, who was unable to race in the '38 season, due to a broken rib, arm and leg.

Answer: **Red Pollard**

7. Name the Movie from quotes 30-20-10-5-1

30 - "NSA Trusted Networks. Otherwise known as the Ugly Red Book that won't fit on a shelf"

20 - "The Phantom Phreak? The King of Nynex? I know you play the game."

10 - "The defendant, Dade Murphy, who calls himself "Zero Cool", has repeatedly committed criminal acts of a malicious nature."

5 - "Hack the Planet!"

1-"My crime is that of curiosity. I am a hacker, and this is my manifesto" - as read from the book *The Hacker's Manifesto*.

Answer: **Hackers**

8. Dave Grohl's not just the drummer for Nirvana anymore. Answer these questions about Dave's side project FTPE.

Dave appears as the devil in the video for this Tenacious D video.

Answer: **Tribute**

Dave put together some of the biggest names in metal to sing original lyrics to his instrumentals on what concept album?

Answer: **Probot**

Dave confirmed his status as one of the great rock drummers with his stint with this band on their song "No One Knows".

Answer: **Queens of the Stone Age**

9. If you listened to its fans, Farscape is the greatest sci-fi show ever. Listen to the fans. Answer these questions about the travails of John Crichton FTPE

John Crichton was flung through a wormhole into the far end of the universe to join up with the crew of what living ship?

Answer: **Moya**

Crichton accidentally got himself caught in the middle of an interstellar war between which two races?

Answer: **Peacekeepers and Scarrans**

Crichton's father, Jack is played by what star of Adam-12 and Galactica 1980?

Answer: **Kent McCord**

10. Gui-tar! They're British, they're loud, and they've got a retro sound that's made to rock you. And your mother too. They're the Darkness! Answer these questions about them FTSNOP.

For 5, their debut album's name was shared with something pilots ask for. Name it.

Answer: **Permission to Land**

For 5, their first U.S. single off Permission to Land had this title.

Answer: **I believe in a thing called love**

For 10, the video for "I believe in a thing called love" featured the band fighting a giant one of these creatures.

Answer: **Squid**

For 10, what exactly is the next line after "I believe in a thing called love"?

Answer: **"Just listen to the rhythm of my heart" [READER: IF TEAMS GIVE THEIR RESPONSE IN A HIGH OR FALSETTO VOICE, ACCEPT IT NO MATTER WHAT THEY ACTUALLY SAY.]**

11. Welcome to the world of Illuuuuuuuuusion! Magicians make a living confounding and amazing crowds with feats of prestidigitation. We'll see how close you were watching those magicians. Given a description of one of their greatest tricks, name the magician or magic duo FTSNOP

For 5.....80,000 bees. Yeah, this duo managed to produce 80,000 bees out of hats, pans, and their clothes...and yes, they got stung. A lot.

Answer: **Penn and Teller**

For 5, ladies love this good-looking magician with a southern drawl, and not just because he actually pulled-off Houdini's Water torture trick

Answer: **Lance Burton**

For 10, this husband and wife team are listed in the Guinness book of world records for doing Houdini's metamorphosis in 2.5 seconds.

Answer: **The Pendragons**

For 10, better known as Labman, he regularly blows himself up with dynamite, earning his title of "The Coolest Magician on Earth."

Answer: **Rudy Coby**

12. Big! Shiny! Slightly less sucky at free throws! Yes! It's Shaq. Answer these questions about him FTSNOP.

For 5, Shaq first garnered attention at what college?

Answer: **LSU or Louisiana State University**

For 10, name either of the big man's rap albums

Answer: **Shaq-Fu - Da Return OR Shaq Diesel**

For 5 points each, name the three players that the Miami Heat traded for Shaq.

Answer: **Caron Butler, Lamar Odom, Brian Grant**

13. The Sunday comics are no longer the last bastion of humorous sequential art. Instead, laugh-seekers have turned to the cesspool of the int-ar-web. Given two lesser characters from a famous webcomic, name it for 10, if you need two more famous characters, you get 5.

10 - Sam, Mr. Sock-Lop

5 - Torg, Bun-bun

Answer: **Sluggy Freelance**

10 - Twisp, Mr. Period

5 - Div, Tycho

Answer: **Penny Arcade**

10 - Indie Rock Pete, Uncle Grampa

5 - Clango, Maura

Answer: **Diesel Sweeties**

14. Hollywood's such a blanking stupid town. All the movies are about blanking this and blanking that. Given a name used in a movie title, give us the present participle of the verb that comes before it. That's an -ing word for all of you non-English majors.

5 points each

Tess

Answer: **Guarding**

Sara

Answer: **Serving**

Raoul

Answer: **Eating**

Mrs. Tingle

Answer: **Teaching**

Jessica Stein

Answer: **Kissing**

Ned Devine

Answer: **Waking**

15. Answer the following about everyone's favorite obsessive-compulsive detective, Adrian Monk FTSNOP
For 5, what is Monk's original long-suffering assistant's name?

Answer: **Sharona and/or Fleming**

For 10, what is the longer-suffering chief of police's name?

Answer: **Leland and/or Stottlemeyer**

For 15, what is the name of Monk's brother, as played by John Turturro?

Answer: **Ambrose Monk**

16. Given the songs, identify the novelty artist FTPE.

"Poisoning Pigeons in the Park", "The Elements Song"

Answer: **Tom Lehrer**

"Baby Got Brak," "Stealing Like A Hobbit"

Answer: **The Great Luke Ski**

"Don't Trust Whitey," "Monkey vs. Robot"

Answer: **James Kochalka, Superstar**

17. Booga-booga! There are things what go bump in the night in every state, and they're all backed by various rednecks that swear they ain't had but no liquor that night. FTP, given the creepy urban myth, give us the state they haunt.

The Bell Witch

Answer: **Tennessee**

The Mothman

Answer: **West Virginia**

The Skunk Ape

Answer: **Florida**

18. Nickelodeon Game shows! Fun, knowledge, and ball pits! Given a description of a children's game show that appeared on the First Network for Kids, name it FTPE.

Hosted by Phil Moore, this game show tested your wits, your hand-eye coordination, and the ability to stand in front of a blue screen waving your hands like a moron.

Answer: **Nick Arcade**

The only show ever to have an ancient Mayan Statue as a sidekick, this game was a hunt for historical relics inside the titular location.

Answer: **Legends of the Hidden Temple**

One of the more recent Nick shows, this What's My Line rip-off consisted of G-List celebrities, an Olympic Medalist in swimming, and Billy the Answer-head.

Answer: **Figure It Out**

19. Ah, it sucks to be typecast as a bitter chain-smoking jerk. It's even worse when you're pretty much typecast as yourself. Such is the life of Denis Leary. He's either a snarky civil servant who smokes a lot, or an acerbic ex-con who likes nicotine. FFPE, given the movie, tell me which side of the law Denis was on. Cop, Criminal, or neither.

Double Whammy

Answer: **Cop**

Judgment Night

Answer: **Criminal**

Two If By Sea

Answer: **Criminal**

The Thomas Crown Affair

Answer: **Cop**

True Crime

Answer: **Neither**

The Ref

Answer: **Criminal**

20. Every kid (and lots of adults) likes the Harry Potter series, but J.K. Rowling isn't the only person churning out magic-themed kiddie lit. FTPE, we give you the name of the children's fantasy series, you give us the author who wrote it.

The Artemis Fowl series

Answer: **Eoin Colfer**

The Chrestomanci series

Answer: **Diana Wynne Jones**

The Bartimaeus trilogy

Answer: **Jonathan Stroud**

21. When a game franchise gets long in the tooth, publishers generally stray away from adding numbers onto the end of their titles, instead preferring subtitles. FTPE, given the long-running game series, name the most recent edition.

Leisure Suit Larry

Answer: **Magna Cum Laude**

Tomb Raider

Answer: **Angel of Darkness**

Ratchet and Clank

Answer: **Up your Arsenal**

22. Answer the following about Joss Whedon's projects other than Buffy.

FFP, this FOX series was set 500 years in the future on the spaceship Serenity, and lasted only one season.

Answer: **Firefly**

FTP, before writing for Buffy, he wrote for this early 90's David Arquette series.

Answer: **Parenthood**

For 15, Joss has started a recent run on this Marvel comic book.

Answer: **The Astonishing X-Men**

23. Everyone loves Jews, but everyone especially loves all their fantastic foods. Do us a mitzvah and give us the proper name for the dish, given a description FTPE.

Potato Pancakes fried in oil

Answer: **Latkes**

Triangular fruit-filled cookies served on Purim

Answer: **Hamentaschen**

A cake of chopped up pike or carp

Answer: **Gefilte Fish**

24. Indie comics are becoming more and more popular these days. At least that's what the magazines I read all say. They also say that Wolverine isn't overexposed. We'll see how right they are. Name the creator from their work FTPE Johnny the Homicidal Maniac, Squee!

Answer: **Jhonen Vasquez**

Dork!, Milk and Cheese

Answer: **Evan Dorkin**

Zap, Fritz the Cat

Answer: **R. Crumb**