

TOSSUPS – BLIND ROUND #1

TRASHMASTERS 2004 – UT-CHATTANOOGA

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1. One detail overlooked by most sources on the recent Pistons-Pacers brawl: This man was the only player on either team to abide by league rules and remain on the bench. A second-team All-American as a junior, he initially declared for the 2001 NBA Draft but withdrew and returned for his senior season at Kentucky. In 2003 against the Nets, he became the first rookie since Joe Dumars to start a playoff game for the Pistons. FTP name this forward, largely unknown till Game 2 of the 2004 Eastern Conference Finals, when he flew in from nowhere with a game-saving block of a Reggie Miller layup.

Answer: Tayshaun Prince

2. This woman is biologically different from most people, as her blood has green corpuscles. Cooking was never her forte, and sweets she called Pipchicks once caused the eater to act out his/her fantasy. Her dog Djinn Djinn has the power to become invisible, much to the chagrin to her master Anthony Nelson. FTP, this is what roughly 2000 year old titular TV character played by Barbara Eden?

Answer: Jeannie

3. Winner of the 1987 Grammy for Best Rock Instrumental, he was also given the post of cultural ambassador by the nation of Czechoslovakia. Collaborating with everyone from Grand Funk Railroad to the London Symphony Orchestra, he produced albums such as *Absolutely Free* and *The Yellow Shark*. FTP, who is this late guitarist, victim of prostate cancer and father to children Moon Unit and Dweezil?

Answer: Frank Zappa

4. The camp in this 2001 movie was based on one in Belgrade, Maine that director David Wain once attended. The action takes place on the final day at Camp Firewood in 1981. Camp counselor Beth (Janeane Garafalo) has her eyes on Henry (David Hyde Pierce), the nerdy astrophysicist and Christopher Meloni makes a humorous turn as a Vietnam veteran who goes to a can of veggies for guidance. FTP, what is this 2001 movie also starring Paul Rudd, Molly Shannon and Michael Ian Black?

Answer: Wet Hot American Summer

5. Born 70 years in Earth's violent future he was a member of the peacekeeping organization known as the Xavier Security Enforcers. While hunting down the mutant madman Trevor Fitzroy he and the XSE passed through a time portal that brought them to our present. After the death of his entire crew he joined up with the same X-Men he had idolized in his youth and fought in the Genetic War that to him was history. First appearing in *Uncanny X-Men* 282, this is FTP what mutant with the ability to absorb energy and re-emit it?

Answer: Lucas Bishop

6. Harvey Myerson, this body's attorney, argued toward a \$1.6 billion lawsuit, but was inevitably given only a symbolic \$3.76, with interest. It was created by an antiques dealer from New Orleans named David Dixon, but is more famous for employing Donald Trump, Carl Petersen, and Bill Polian early in their careers. FTP, identify this long-defunct league that is best-known for stealing Herschel Walker away from an NFL contract.

Answer: the United States Football League

7. A man and a woman meet while dancing in a cantina. He calls his family the next morning while she showers. Drinking and a "dirty swim" ensue. He finishes the affair by offering one more tequila at the airport. FTP, what is this song, the story of Steve and Gina going south of the border, sung by Toby Keith?

Answer: Stays in Mexico

8. A native of Seattle, Washington, he realized his passion while he was a visiting student at the University of Innsbruck. He is about 5'9", 170 pounds, and in 1999 he received his doctorate from MIT. Fascinated with the science of teleportation he was eventually hired by the Black Mesa Research Facility, the place where his experiments would open up a dimensional rift in the dimensional fabric. A bespectacled crowbar wielding warrior/scientist this is, FTP what protagonist of the *Half-Life* series?

Answer: Dr. Gordon Freeman (accept either underlined part)

9. This man's last film was 1964's *Contempt*, where he played himself. He began his career with 1919's *The Half-Caste*, and even made two 1924 films about Wagner's Ring Cycle. His landmark 1927 film features workers led by Maria, who seems to represent a church people blindly follow. FTP, who is this man responsible for films like "M" and "Metropolis"?

Answer: Fritz Lang

10. Mayim Bialik starred as this man's teenage friend when the show tackled the issue of teenage runaways, and film buffs would recognize clips from the 1969 movie *The Italian Job* in Episode 103 of his namesake show. In the pilot his first name is Stace, but it was not used again until the last season, when it had been changed to Angus. FTP, name this former Special Forces agent played by Richard Dean Anderson who was known for using a paperclip to thwart a nuclear missile and using a chocolate bar to stop an acid leak.

Answer: Angus MacGyver

11. Growing up, she learned classical piano but remarkably rarely spoke. She gives a creepy performance as Sandman's wife in *Training Day*, but is not represented on its soundtrack. She is on the soundtracks to movies such as *Mona Lisa Smile*, *Chicago*, and *Spiderman*, and her latest original album is entitled *The Trouble With Being Myself*. FTP, who is this Grammy-nominated and uniquely voiced singer of "She Ain't Right For You" and "I Try"?

Answer: Macy Gray

12. **Warning: two answers required.** One is a Los Angeles native and graduate of Long Beach State University. The other is from Cleveland with a degree from Columbia. The two teamed up in 1983 at WFBQ in Indianapolis and since then have won four Marconi awards for excellence in broadcasting. With the help of Kristi Lee and Chick McGee, they are now hosts of the nation's most syndicated morning show. FTP name these two radio legends whose most recent album featuring some of their on-air antics and sketches is entitled "Sideshow."

Answer: Bob (or Kevoian) and Tom (or Griswold)

13. The BBC made an unabridged version in 1979, but it was a critical flop, as it was a low-budget production with David Gwillim as the titular monarch. A 1944 movie version was made to boost British morale during World War II, with Sir Laurence Olivier in the title role. The Oscar-nominated 1989 movie featured more noticeable people, like Paul Scofield as the French king and Ian Holm as Fluellen. FTP, what is this Shakespeare story that ends with a bloody battle at Agincourt?

Answer: Henry V

14. A charter member of the WHA, this team won the inaugural league title in 1972. The team fell prey to bad luck, including having its stadium roof collapse under the weight of snow in January 1978. The team traded away promising draft picks like Chris Pronger and Jean-Sebastien Giguere [pron: JIG-air] and was eventually forced to vacate the shopping mall in which they played their home games. FTP, name this team that moved to Raleigh in 1997.

Answer: Hartford Whalers (prompt on Carolina or Hurricanes before the end of the question)

15. After quitting her job at Wellman Plastics in Season 2, this woman went through a variety of jobs, including a magazine telemarketer and a mall restaurant waitress. She later opened the Lanford Lunch Box, which was mainly staffed by her sister and her lesbian mother. FTP, name this suburban housewife who endured nine years on ABC with her four children played by six different people, and her husband, played by John Goodman.

Answer: Roseanne

16. His role as Jarko Grimwood in the upcoming movie "Blade: Trinity" was beefed up when he impressed the producers at New Line. He began the career he is more famous for in the WCW under the ridiculous name Terra Rizing. He eventually moved over to the WWF/WWE carving out a career that included 5 Intercontinental Championships and an astonishing 9 World Championships as a member of groups such as Degeneration X and the Corporation. Currently married to Stephanie McMahon, the daughter of WWE CEO Vince this is FTP what master of the Pedigree, the wrestler portrayed by Paul Michael Levesque?

Answer: Triple H or Hunter Hearst Helmsley

16. The two protagonists are led by the mysterious "Mother" and "Father". In the 1998 movie, the man who originated the male lead on TV lent his voice to the character Invisible Jones. Other notables in the cast include Eddie Izzard as Bailey and Sean Connery as arch-villain August De Wynter. FTP, what was this awful remake with John Steed and Emma Peel played by Ralph [RAFE] Fiennes [FINES] and Uma Thurman?

Answer: **The Avengers**

17. Along with Brian Carroll, he was one of two players to play in every game last year for his team. He finished fourth on the team in points behind Jaime Moreno, Alecko Eskandarian, and Dema Kovalenko with 5 goals and 3 assists. FTP, identify this manchild who on April 3, 2004, became the youngest player ever to appear in an MLS match.

Answer: **Freddy Adu**

18. This woman lost her job as an emergency room nurse after an appearance on a 2000 FOX Special. She appeared on other shows such as *The Weakest Link* and *Dog Eat Dog*, both of which came after she posed nude for Playboy. Later, she lost to Olga Korbut on another Fox special, *Celebrity Boxing II*. FTP, name this woman who is better known for her short-lived marriage to comedian Rick Rockwell as a result of winning Fox's 2000 special, *Who Wants to Marry a Multimillionaire?*

Answer: **Darva Conger**

19. Birchmount Stadium, Sting, LeAnn Rimes, rug burns, Aquaman, wasabi, Akira Kurosawa, Sailor Moon, the Smoking Man, Harrison Ford, Bert Kaempfert, Snickers, Chalet Swiss, the X-Files, and Chickity China the Chinese chicken are all mentioned, FTP, in what hit from the Barenaked Ladies' 1998 album *Stunt?*

Answer: **"One Week"**

20. Last month researchers at Imperial College, London, reported that theobromine, which is a key ingredient in this, was at least one-third more effective in suppressing coughs than codeine. It also contains substantial amounts of flavonoids, which provide antioxidant power and appear to provide some cardiovascular benefits. It does contain palmitic acid, a fat which does raise cholesterol levels, but the other two-thirds of the fat it contains are less damaging than formerly thought. And it contains anadamide and phenylethylamine, which stimulate brain receptors and trigger feelings similar to "falling in love." FTP name this popular substance, which most sources recommend consuming in its less fatty dark form.

Answer: **chocolate**

21. First reaching national success in the late '60s, this act holds the record for having the most #2 records without hitting #1. Their first album covered the songs "I Put a Spell on You" and "Suzie Q" yet the band is more known for its Southern mix of rockabilly, R&B, and country. Led by John Fogerty, this is, FTP, what group had success with songs such as "Travelin' Band," "Bad Moon Rising," and "Proud Mary."

Answer: **Credence Clearwater Revival**

22. Son of the man who was English Poet Laureate from 1968-1972, this actor has been nominated for 4 Golden Globe awards. He made his acting debut as a child vandal in the 1971 *Sunday Bloody Sunday* and had a bit part in *Gandhi*. His only Oscar came in 1990 for his role in *My Left Foot*, and his most recent nomination came for his role as William Cutting in *Gangs of New York*. FTP, who is this man who also had a starring role in *Last of the Mohicans*?

Answer: **Daniel Day-Lewis**

23. He stands 6 feet 8 inches tall, and traces his lineage back to his great-great-great grandfather George, a colonel who reportedly fought in the Revolutionary War. Breeders have been careful to preserve the blue number 300 of his feathers, and it's often hard to find the size 28 double-F sneakers he wears that allow him his amazing hang time. FTP, who is this blue hen that serves as the official mascot of the University of Delaware?

Answer: **YoUDee (pronounced: "YOU-DEE")**

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1. By now you all know how much your genial quizmaster loves to find the Chattanooga connection to all things trashy. Sometimes, as in part (c) of this bonus, it's a mixed blessing. FTPE answer the following about the acting career of Chattanooga native Bill McKinney:

a) McKinney has acted in seven films with this star, including *Pink Cadillac*, *Bronco Billy*, and *The Outlaw Josey Wales*.

Answer: **Clint Eastwood**

b) McKinney plays the racist cop Purdy in this 1973 landmark of the blaxploitation genre, with Antonio Fargas, Bernie Casey, and Tamara Dobson as the titular (and we do mean titular) special agent cracking down on the drug trade.

Answer: **Cleopatra Jones**

c) McKinney's most memorable role may be the character titled simply Mountain Man, working alongside Herbert "Cowboy" Coward as Toothless Man, in this 1972 John Boorman film.

Answer: **Deliverance**

EDITOR'S NOTE: Just in case you wondered, McKinney is the one who says "I'm gonna make you squeal like a pig," while Coward plays the one who comments on the attractiveness of Jon Voight's mouth.

2. It's no coincidence that "conference" and "confusing" start with the same four letters. FTPE, given the school, name the Division I-A Football Conference it will be competing in for the 2005-2006 season.

A. Marshall

Answer: **Conference USA**

B. Boston College

Answer: **ACC**

C. Louisville

Answer: **Big East**

3. How is your knowledge of the greatest art form ever... '80's music videos? FTPE, or 5 if you need the artist.

a) 10: This video cuts back & forth from the band playing in fluorescent headbands to a computer-generated moving crew.

5: Dire Straits

Answer: **Money for Nothing**

b) 10: The lead singer dreams of a wedding, bad weather, a funeral, more bad weather, and a guitar solo in the middle of nowhere. OK, so it's technically a '90's music video.

(5) Guns 'N' Roses

Answer: **November Rain**

C. (10) This rap video interrupted the artists several times, including a commercial for "Beeper Tie."

(5) Public Enemy

Answer: **Night Of The Living Baseheads**

4. FTSNOP, answer the following about the history of Meet the Press.

A. For 5, name the current host and chief of NBC News' Washington Bureau.

Answer: **Tim Russert**

B. For 10 points if exact or 5 points if within 5 years, name the year in which Meet the Press premiered on NBC-TV.

Answer: **1947** (1942-1952 are acceptable answers)

C. 5 for 1 or 15 for both, name the show's co-creators, one the longtime host, the other a distinguished journalist who served as the show's first female moderator.

Answer: Lawrence **Spivak** and Martha **Rountree**

5. Given some master robots from a MegaMan game, name which game in the series they originally appeared in FTSNP.

A. For 10: Crystal Man, Gravity Man, Napalm Man, Star Man

Answer: **MegaMan 5**

B. For 5: Wood Man, Metal Man, Crash Man, Bubble Man

Answer: **MegaMan 2**

C. For 15: Clown Man, Sword Man, Search Man, Grenade Man

Answer: **MegaMan 8**

6. Woody Allen's birthday was Wednesday. FTPE, questions about films by everyone's favorite neurotic Jewish director:

A. In what 2002 movie does Allen play out of work director Val Waxman, who tries to reconcile a project proposed by his ex-wife, played by Tea Leoni?

Answer: **Hollywood Ending**

B. In this 1997 flick, Allen's character is a well-respected but struggling author who constantly veils his own life in his work. Characters from his past, real and fictional, haunt him throughout the film.

Answer: **Deconstructing Harry**

C. Allen does not have a significant part in this 1994 film about playwright David Shayne, who cannot deal with casting his bimbo girlfriend as a psychiatrist in a production of one of his plays.

Answer: **Bullets Over Broadway**

7. FTPE, name these people who won ESPY awards in 2004.

A. Named best female athlete was this member of the Phoenix Mercury and WNBA Rookie of the Year.

Answer: Diana **Taurasi**

B. The title of best boxer was given to this man for his stunning second round knockout of Roy Jones, Jr.

Answer: Antonio **Tarver**

C. Best comeback went to this 13-year old surfer who lost an arm to a shark but continued competing.

Answer: Bethany **Hamilton**

8. FTPE, Identify these rap stars given their real names, fo' shizzle.

A. (10) Earl Simmons

Answer: **DMX**

B. (10) Trevor Tahiem Smith

Answer: **Busta Rhymes**

C. (10) Dante Smith

Answer: **Mos Def**

9. FTPE, given a weapon used by the original five Mighty Morphin Power Rangers name the ranger. If you need their original Zord you'll get five.

A. (10) Daggers

(5) Saber-Tooth Tiger

Answer: **Trini** or The **Yellow** Ranger

B. (10) Bow and Arrow

(5) Pterodactyl

Answer: **Kimberly** or The **Pink** Ranger

C. (10) Trident

(5) Triceratops

Answer: **Billy** or The **Blue** Ranger

10. Given a list of regular features seen on an internet humor site, name the site FTPE.

A. "Your Band Sucks," "Comedy Goldmine," "Weekend Web," "State Og," and "Photoshop Phriday."

Answer: **Something Awful**

B. "Suck My News," "Who'd You Rather?," "Sabotage," "The Andy and Kickel Show," and "Whose Boobs?"

Answer: **Liquid Generation**

C. "Hacked ROM Reviews," "Visionary Darkness," "Ask Dr. Bactine," "The Adventures of Pickleman," "Spooky Movie Spotlight."

Answer: **I-Mockery**

11. Given a list of songs, name the Motown artist, FTPE:

A. (10) "Wait a Minute", "Charlie Brown", "Yakety Yak"

Answer: The **Coasters**

B. (10) "Cloud Nine", "My Girl", "Just My Imagination (Running Away with Me)"

Answer: The **Temptations**

C. (10) "Ask the Lonely", "I Got a Feeling", "I Can't Help Myself (Sugar Pie, Honey Bunch)"

Answer: The **Four Tops**

12. FTPE, answer the following about shows that starred cast members from Seinfeld.

A. This show dealt with the life of voiceover actress Eleanor Riggs. Members of the cast and crew included Julia Louis-Dreyfus' sister, playing – you guessed it – her sister and also Dreyfus' husband, Brad Hall, who served as the director.

Answer: Watching Ellie

B. This series, which didn't even last a month, chronicled the life of the Nation's number three motivational speaker who has his headquarters in La Jolla, [pron: hoyah] California.

Answer: Bob Patterson (do not accept "The Bob Patterson Show")

C. This show had the character Vic Nardoza as a bumbling detective working for McKay Investigative Services. Other stars of this show included William Devane and Tim Meadows.

Answer: The Michael Richards Show

13. Sometimes, pro athletes make decent actors. Given a character from a film, name the movie FTPE: if you need the name of the athlete who played the role, you'll get just 5 points.

A. 10: Jesus Shuttlesworth

5: Ray Allen

Answer: He Got Game

B. 10: Roger Murdock

5: Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

Answer: Airplane!

C. 10: Byron Williams

5: Jim Brown

Answer: Mars Attacks!

14. Complete these quotes from The Princess Bride, FTPE.

A. Miracle Max, while trying to revive Westley: "You rush a miracle man, ..." (4 words)

Answer: "You get rotten miracles!"

B. Inigo Montoya, noting that a boat is gaining on their boat: "He's right on top of us. I wonder if he is using..." (6 words)

Answer: "...the same wind we are using."

C. Montoya, correcting Vizzini: "You keep using that word..." (11 words)

Answer: "I do not think it means what you think it means."

15. FTPE given an obnoxious example of celebrity excess name the celebrity in question. If you need another clue you'll get 5. If you need the answer, you'll get none.

A. For 10. One of the more famous symbols of excess is this "artist's" Pimp Cup, a silver, diamond lined chalice with his name on it.

For 5. This inexplicably rich "dirty south" rapper just released the album "Crunk Juice" with his East Side Boyz.

Answer: Lil Jon

B. For 10. This man owns a Qantas Boeing 707 jetliner.

For 5. Let's just hope the in-flight movie isn't this actor's infamous bomb "Battlefield Earth."

Answer: John Travolta

C. For 10. This man has 22 inch subwoofers installed inside glass boxes at the bottom of his pool.

For 5. The good news is the water probably muffles this rapper's overplayed songs "Hot in Herre" and "Country Grammar."

Answer: Nelly

16. Given movies a member of the Desperate Housewives cast has starred in, tell which member of the cast fits the bill, FTPE.

A. The Cool Surface, Tango and Cash, 2 Days in the Valley

Answer: Teri Hatcher

B. Fearless, Thirteen Days, Nurse Betty

Answer: Steven Culp

C. Dancing in September, Ripple, Always Say Goodbye

Answer: Marcia Cross

17. Name the Superman villain given clues FTPE.

A. Once petty thief Rudy Jones working as a janitor at S.T.A.R. Labs, he was changed into an energy sucking monster after stealing a dangerous biochemical. Upon stealing the life force of other individuals he gains not only their powers but their knowledge and memories as well.

Answer: **Parasite**

B. He was originally a Kryptonian artificial intelligence system that catalogued the history of the planet. Overwhelmed by the desire for self preservation he lied to Krypton about Jor-El's warnings that the planet was doomed and instead fled for safety. He arrived on Earth and gave Lex Luthor information on Krypton in exchange for technology. The android is now hell-bent on taking down his old nemesis' son, Superman.

Answer: **Brainiac**

C. A prankster from the 5th dimension, he knows Superman's true identity but finds it more fun to threaten the Man of Steel with revealing it than actually doing it. His powers are so advanced that he could kill Superman in a second, but doesn't think that'd be any fun. He considers Superman a pal and looks forward to their battles of wits but is still despised by the Man of Steel because of his destructive tendencies.

Answer: **Mr. Mxyzptlk** or **Mxy** (be lenient with the pronunciation)

18. Given a movie, F5PE tell whether it starred Charles Bronson, Lee Marvin, both or neither:

A. The Dirty Dozen

Answer: **Both**

B. The Great Escape

Answer: Charles **Bronson**

C. The Killers

Answer: Lee **Marvin**

D. The Longest Day

Answer: **Neither** (they may have been the only two tough guy actors who WEREN'T in it.)

E. Death Hunt

Answer: **Both**

F. Point Blank

Answer: Lee **Marvin**

19. Given the sport, tell how many professional major league teams play home games in California, five points for one correct, ten for 2, 20 for 3 and 30 for all 4.

A. football

Answer: **3**

B. basketball

Answer: **4**

C. hockey

Answer: **3**

D. baseball

Answer: **5**

20. FTPE, answer these questions about the solo efforts of the Fab Four:

A. (10) Ringo's career as an ex-Beatle includes this 1974 album, whose title bids adieu to an Austrian city.

Answer: **Goodnight Vienna**

B. (10) George had his first trans-Atlantic #1 single in 1970 with this song, reportedly a tribute to Krishna.

Answer: **My Sweet Lord**

C. (10) This book, published in 2000, is Chip Madinger and Mark Easter's 700 plus pages of research on the former-Beatles solo projects, and shares its name with a Veruca Salt album.

Answer: **Eight Arms To Hold You**: The Solo Beatles Compendium

21. Given clues name the edition of the popular board game Risk FTPE.

A. In place of Earth locales are places such as Mirkwood, Lorien, Gap of Rohan, and Endewaith.

Answer: **Lord of the Rings Risk**

B. In addition to standard land territories your Machines of Destruction can conquer underwater colonies and the moon. Your armies are now led by commanders that do everything from negotiating to launching nuclear strikes.

Answer: **Risk 2210 A.D.**

C. Centered around the Mediterranean Sea this version features five cultures including the Babylonians, the Egyptians, and the Greeks. You can now call deities to fight on your side and have your dead soldiers battle for control of the underworld.

Answer: **Risk Godstorm**

22. FTPE, answer the following about cast members of the show *Twin Peaks* who later went on to bigger and better things.

A. She starred as Donna Marie Hayward before going on the role of Helen Gamble on ABC's *The Practice*.

Answer: **Lara Flynn-Boyle**

B. This man played the role of DEA Agent Dennis Bryson before starring on *The X-Files*.

Answer: **David Duchovny**

C. Although this CBS star herself did not appear on the show, you gotta assume she at least visited the set, since her father Russ appeared as Doctor Lawrence Jacoby.

Answer: **Amber Tamblyn**

23. FFPE, given a country, within 5, tell how many medals, total the country took away in the 2004 Summer Olympics. Note: All countries are in the top 10, but not in order.

A. The United States

Answer: **103** (accept 98 through 108)

B. Japan

Answer: **37** (accept 32 through 42)

C. Russia

Answer: **92** (accept 87 through 97)

D. Italy

Answer: **32** (accept 27 through 37)

E. Germany

Answer: **48** (accept 43 though 53)

F. China

Answer: **63** (accept 58 through 68)