

LOO 2015 — Dick in a seasonal box

Packet 3a

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1. One character in this film is nearly killed by the assassin Loretta Salino, while the various chapters in the film are introduced in the style of Norman Rockwell's Saturday Evening Post illustrations. A poker game aboard the *20th Century Limited* sees four jacks beat four nines, costing the loser £15,000 which he can't pay as he has lost his wallet. The latter part of this film features the technique of past-posting, and revolves around the phrase "place on Lucky Dan" being misunderstood by gangster Doyle Lonnegan. For ten points, "The Hook", "The Tail" and "The Wire" are chapters in which 1973 film featuring Paul Newman and Robert Redford as commen?

ANSWER: *The Sting*

2. One song with this title features the lyrics "It puts the lotion on the skin or else it gets the hose again" from *Silence of the Lambs*, while another was the third single from the album *Yourself or Someone Like You*, and features Rob Thomas saying that "I must be lonely". As well as those songs by Eminem and Matchbox 20, a number one hit with this title has the singer "standing here right outside your door" after calling at the titular time, and was a double A-side with "Thunderbirds are Go" by Busted. Bill Drummond fired machine gun blanks into the crowd while the KLF played a song which, for 10 points, has this time being eternal.

ANSWER: **3am** [accept **3 in the morning**]

3. Fantasy sequences in this show have seen the host dressed as a pirate, channelling Davy Crockett and playing for the Arizona State baseball team. One episode of this show saw the host aided by "The Great Moomsi", while another challenge saw the host return to a previous losing venue to tackle "Suicide Wings". This show debuted in 2008 on the Travel Channel, with the host holding a 37-22 win-loss record, before retiring in 2012 amid health concerns and subsequently losing five stone. For ten points, name this culinary show where various eating challenges are taken on by host Adam Richman.

ANSWER: *Man vs. Food*

4. Coming off the back of an unbeaten year, this athlete was unexpectedly beaten by Kenny Harrison at the 1996 Olympic Games. This man won IAAF Athlete of the Year and Sports Personality of the Year in 1995 and, after taking gold in Manchester in 2002, he was simultaneously Commonwealth, European, World and Olympic champion. This athlete had earlier refused to compete on Sundays and, after retiring, he presented Songs of Praise until he lost his Christian faith. Setting a world record of 18.29m at the World Championships in Gothenburg, this is, for ten points, which former British triple-jumper.

ANSWER: Jonathan **Edwards**

5. This album's opening track has a drawn-out "oo-ee-oooo" sampled from Elton John's "Someone Saved My Life Tonight". An alternative music video for one song on this album features Bonnie "Prince" Billy and Zak Galafianakis goofing around on a farm while lip synching to lines like "if the devil wear Prada/ Adam Eve wear nada/ I'm in between but way more fresher". On another track, this album's artist raps that "you could be my black Kate Moss tonight" over a robotic Daft Punk sample. Featuring tracks like "Can't Tell Me Nothing" and "Stronger", for ten points, identify this third Kanye West album, whose title suggests that he's finally finishing college.

ANSWER: *Graduation*

6. This company commissioned the 2004 advertising campaign “Grrr”, which was based on the idea of “Hate something, change something” and featured flocks of flying diesel engines. A number of vehicles made by this company appear in an advert set to “The Impossible Dream” and another advertisement for this company sees a transmission bearing rolling into a synchro hub, setting off a series of further collisions and movements of parts from an Accord under the strapline “ Isn’t it nice when things just work?”. For ten points, “Cog” is an award-winning advert by which Japanese car company?

ANSWER: Honda

7. This woman provided guest vocals for the song “Remember Me” by Daley, and duetted with James Morrison on “Up”. This woman became the first British female artist to have six top ten singles from the same album, a feat she achieved with the song “LaserLight”. She enjoyed her third UK number one in 2014, collaborating with Ariana Grande and Nicki Minaj. Her debut single exclaims that she can “grab her crotch and wear her hat low like you”, while her first UK number one claims that “we just want to make the world dance”, as “it’s not about the money”. For ten points, name this singer of “Do It Like A Dude” and “Price Tag”.

ANSWER: Jessie J [accept “Jessica Ellen Cornish”]

8. A spin-off from this computer game is called *The Adventures of Lomax*, while the Paintball version of this franchise uses an unfamiliar isometric viewpoint. The idea for the game began as an argument about how few pixels were needed to create a recognisable animated character whilst still displaying individual traits such as standing with arms outstretched or shuddering before exploding. With levels such as “Save Me” and “How Do I Dig Up That Way?”, for ten points, name this 1991 Psygnosis game that requires the player to get the titular green-haired characters from trapdoor to exit without them dying or walking off a cliff.

ANSWER: Lemmings

9. This country caused a shock at the 1988 Olympics by defeating Italy 4-0. Formerly known as KK 11 [“kay kay eleven”] after their founding president, this country has only had two players play in the English Premier League, Collins Mbesuma and Emmanuel Mayuka. Captain Kalusha Bwalya was playing for PSV Eindhoven and, therefore, missed the 1993 plane crash in which eighteen players from this country were killed. Known as the Bullets, or Chipolopolo, for ten points, name this country that won the African Nations Cup against Ivory Coast in 2012.

ANSWER: Republic of Zambia

10. One band named for these places kicked off the Glasgow Commonwealth Games Opening Ceremony with “The Mother We Share”, while, in a 2013 track, the singer Hozier demanded the listener “take him to” one of these places. Therapy? welcomed you to one of these places of “noise”, while according to Roxette, it was “true, right from the start / That they believed” in one of these places “of your heart”. For ten points, name these places where “love is hard to find” if, according to Culture Club, they are “of the poison mind”.

ANSWER: churches [accept Chvrches]

11. This entity had previously operated at the 1964 World's Fair and the conductor of this entity asked whether a man offering help was "Batman". Similar examples to this entity had previously put North Haverbrook, Ogdenville and Brockway "on the map" and it diverted funds away from fixing Main Street. Leonard Nimoy opened this entity, which briefly stopped during an eclipse, and Miss Hoover is reassured that this entity "glides as softly as a cloud" by Lyle Lanley. For ten points, identify this mass transit system opposed by Marge in an episode of *The Simpsons*.

ANSWER: the Spingfield Monorail

12. In an anniversary edition of this game, the red pieces are circus wagons with giraffes poking out and an alien and dinosaur create chaos in the cities they occupy in this game's "Alvin and Dexter" expansion. Variants of this game for three players and teams are set in "Nordic Countries" and Asia respectively. In some versions of this game, players can attempt to complete tunnels by revealing cards from the draw deck and paying a penalty for any matching colours revealed and this game's ending is triggered by a player having only two carriages left. For ten points, identify this fucking awesome route-claiming railway-themed board game.

ANSWER: *Ticket to Ride*

13. The 2001 foot-and-mouth outbreak led to this race being cancelled and a substitute race being held at Sandown. Master Smudge won the 1980 edition of this race after Tied Cottage was disqualified for a positive doping test. Other winners of this race include Imperial Commander, Lord Windermere and Arkle, and Tony McCoy's only victory in this race came in 2012 on Synchronised. This race has been won three times by Best Mate and twice by Kauto Star. For ten points, name this Grade 1 National Hunt race that takes place each March in Gloucestershire.

ANSWER: Cheltenham Gold Cup

14. One sport with this name was invented in the 1920s at the University of Michigan, and is played on a basketball court with teams of five aiming to score by either kicking or throwing the ball into a goal. A racket sport with this name is popular in Egypt, and involves hitting an elliptic ball around a pole to which it is tethered. Another sport with this name is a violent, futuristic hybrid of handball and ice hockey, where referees can be bribed and points are scored for injuring players as well as scoring goals. For ten points, name this sport played by Brutal Deluxe in a computer game series that shares its name with a mix of heroin and cocaine.

ANSWER: Speedball

15. Soulja Slim and Static Major have both achieved this feat in the US, as has the song "Time in a Bottle". The title instruments of one song to achieve this feat in the UK could be heard "far, far away", while the only song to achieve this feat in both the US and the UK states that "it's time to spread our wings and fly, dont let another day go by". The song "Ghetto Gospel" achieved this feat, which has also been achieved by Eddie Cochran, Aaliyah and Freddie Mercury. For ten points, name this feat first achieved by Buddy Holly and achieved three times in 1980 by John Lennon.

ANSWER: posthumous number one hit [accept clear knowledge equivalents; do not accept or prompt on "number one" or "chart topper"]

16. One episode of this TV show sees the main characters repeatedly use the phrase “did you see that ludicrous display last night” after learning it from bluffball.co.uk. One character in this show is loaned an object from the top of Big Ben that has been demagnetised by Stephen Hawking himself, while another is injured whilst recreating a fire at Sea Parks. Chris Morris plays the founder of the company where the main characters of this show work, Reynholm Industries, and this show sees the word “TNETTENBA” declared on *Countdown*. For ten points, name this sitcom starring Chris O’Dowd and Richard Ayoade as Roy and Moss.

ANSWER: *The **IT Crowd***

17. During a brief hospital stay, this man tells a hospital nurse “Get off me, I don’t know where you’ve been”. This man reveals he saw the film *How To Murder Your Wife* six times and he gives his car a “damn good thrashing”. This man tells some European visitors that a trip out to get meat is not necessary because “Vee haff meat here in zee building!”, and a guest from America describes this man as “the British Tourist Board’s answer to Donald Duck”. For 10 points, name this irate Torquay hotelier, who frequently finds himself at odds with his wife Sybil and staff Polly and Manuel.

ANSWER: **Basil Fawlty**

18. This man provided the vocals for the Sash! hit “Colour The World” and this man’s first album, *Hello Afrika*, went gold in Germany. This man’s 1992 album *One Love* featured the tracks “Roll Down Di Rubber Man” and “Reggae Gone Ragga” as well as the single “Sing Hallelujah”. However, he is best known for a single that was featured in an advert for Tampax where he tells the listener to “stop bugging, bothering, forcing, fighting, yelling, telling and seeing [him]”. For ten points, name this dentist who had a major UK hit with “It’s My Life”.

ANSWER: **Dr. Alban** [accept “Alban Uzoma **Nwapa**”]

19. One team from this city won the Miracle of Richfield series against the Washington Bullets in 1976, but this city is better known for being on the wrong end of dramatic sporting moments, such as The Fumble, Red Right 88, The Curse of Rocky Colavito and 2010’s The Decision, in which their basketball team’s best player “took his talents to South Beach”. This city’s teams have an unprecedented combined 156-season championship drought, but their NBA team is one of the favourites this year after recruiting Kevin Love and hometown hero LeBron James. For ten points, name this city of the Indians, Cavaliers and Browns.

ANSWER: **Cleveland**

20. This director’s film *Turkish Delight* received the award for Best Film of the Century in his native country and he is one of the few people to collect his Razzie Award for Worst Director in person. One film by this man sees the destruction of Buenos Aires by the inhabitants of the planet Klendathu, while another sees rebel leader Kuato repeat the phrase “open your mind”. This director created the corporation Omni Consumer Products, whose ED-209 law-enforcement droids are replaced by a cyborg. For ten points, *Total Recall*, *Basic Instinct* and *Robocop* are films by which Dutch director?

ANSWER: Paul **Verhoeven**

TIEBREAK: This man provided the voice for the title pigeon in *Valiant* and he played Tom Lincoln and his clone, Lincoln Six Echo, in the 2005 film *The Island*. One character played by this man pens the song "Come What May" and falls in love with the terminally-ill actress Satine. As well as Christian in *Moulin Rouge!*, this man played a drug addict who hallucinates a game show in which Dale Winton questions his parents about HIV, tries opium suppositories to quit heroin and steals £16,000 from Begbie and Sick Boy. For ten points, name this Scottish actor that portrayed Mark Renton in *Trainspotting*.

ANSWER: Ewan Gordon McGregor