

Fuck This Packet 3: The Final Sequence

Packet 2: 2018's Biggest Disappointment Edition

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Tossups:

1. **Early in this team's history, their roster was fused with the Detroit Wolverines, which was owned by the same family as this team. This team won its second Super Bowl after Scott Norwood missed a field goal wide right. Running back (*) Tiki Barber, who feuded with a quarterback of this team, played for this team when the Ravens dominated them in Super Bowl XXXV ("35"). In one Super Bowl, the "Helmet Catch" was made by this team's wideout David Tyree. Behind defensive players such as Osi Umenyiora (**yoo-men-ora**), Justin Tuck, and Michael Strahan, this team vanquished the New England Patriots twice in Super Bowls. For 10 points, name this NFC East squad led, up until very recently and only for a game, by Eli Manning, which shares the Meadowlands with the Jets.**

ANSWER: **New York Giants** [prompt on New York; obviously do NOT accept San Francisco Giants] <HB>

2. **Description acceptable. A Siivagunner rip that repeatedly makes this claim ends with a sample of Vince Guaraldi's "O Tannenbaum" and a clip of Charlie Brown saying "Oh, good grief." This claim was subverted in a *Rolling Stone* article when the creator of the work in question explained "it's visuals and that's about it" and to "blame it on being Canadian." TechOsmo, Trick5, and Game Bias have all supported this claim, following major articles about this claim by Yussef Cole and Ethan Gach. In making this claim, Gach cites an interview with artist Maja Moldenhauer, while Cole criticizes the color of the Devil's depiction and the likeness of (*) King Dice to Cab Calloway and elements of "black Harlem." Articles in Kotaku and Unwinnable criticized Studio MDHR with, for 10 points, what claim that the 1930s animation style of a 2017 indie game is a form of minstrelization and that "sometimes a cup is not just a cup"?**

ANSWER: **Cuphead is racist** [prompt on partial answers; accept descriptions; **accept *It's Impossible to Separate Cuphead From the Era That Inspired It***; accept **Cuphead and the Racist Spectre of Fleischer Animation**] <TI>

3. **In this TV show, a gay character says that having his shirt off while doing some facial cleansing stuff "balances the masculine with the feminine." After getting cheated on, a character played by Mackenzie Rosman gets back at her boyfriend by sleeping with Adrian's boyfriend. One male character on this show visits Dr. Ken Fields after his drug addicted dad sexually abuses him. Somehow this show lasted five whole seasons and, in its fifth season, Omar elects to become a student teacher. In that season of this show, there is suspicion that the main characters, one of whom is played by the inimitable Daren Kagasoff, are getting married but they SPOILERS break up their engagement. This show spawned a probably awful book styled as the *Diary of (*) Ashley Juergens*. In this show, a character played by Shailene Woodley attends band camp and gets pregnant in Season 1. For 10 points, name this ABC Family abomination about adolescence.**

ANSWER: **The *Secret Life of the American Teenager*** (*Editor's Note: This show is too awful to have a legit tossup written about it.* ☹) <HB>

4. In the 1994 miniseries *The Stand*, a song by this band plays during the opening credits as the camera pans over shots of scientists killed by the super flu virus. Another song by this band tells of how "helpless people on subway trains/scream for God as" the title entity "looks in on them." That song appeared on their fifth album *Spectres*. When touring for their fourth album in 1976, this band became one of the first major acts to use lasers in live performance. After the release of their 1980 album (*) *Cultosaurus Erectus*, this band went on a joint tour with Black Sabbath that was released as a 1981 concert film. This band's most successful album, *Agents of Fortune*, featured songs like "Tenderloin", "This Ain't the Summer of Love", and a song which repeatedly advises the listener to not fear the title character. For 10 points, name this classic hard rock band, most famous for needing more cowbell on their song "(Don't Fear) The Reaper."

ANSWER: Blue Oyster Cult <TK>

5. The antagonists' enforcers in this fiction series are primitive robotic humanoids powered by demon energies. In this fiction series, the immortal protagonist's heart is torn between two mortal men, a dilemma conveniently resolved when one of the men acquires temporary immortality to defeat addiction to a demonic drug. In this series, Sophie Collins can observe the magical goings-on around her, but has no powers of her own. This series' protagonist is unaware of her powers until she is captured and tortured by warlock women hoping to use her for their gain. In this young adult novel series set in (*) 1878 London, Tessa Grey is swept into middle of a tentative peace between Shadowhunters and Downworlders. For 10 points, name this Cassandra Clare fantasy series, the second in the *Shadowhunter Chronicles* franchise, and a prequel to *The Mortal Instruments*.

ANSWER: *The Infernal Devices* [prompt on the *Shadowhunter Chronicles*] <AH>

6. Jesse Jackson claimed that backlash to this event was due to race and that one individual saw another as "a runaway slave." This event was initially rumored to take place in Allan Houston's home. A week before this event, Stephen A. Smith correctly reported its outcome in a tweet that ended abruptly with the words "Here's the." Following this event, a wall decal dropped in price from \$99 to \$17.41. All advertising revenue from this event was donated to the (*) Boys and Girls Club of America, which had children seated behind the main participant and Jim Gray. In response to this event, a billionaire wrote an open letter in Comic Sans to "PERSONALLY GUARANTEE A CHAMPIONSHIP" for Cleveland. For 10 points, name this TV special in which LeBron announced he was "taking his talents to South Beach."

ANSWER: The Decision 1.0 [Accept descriptive answers about Lebron going to Miami/South Beach before "TV"; Prompt on Lebron leaving Cleveland before "TV"] [DO NOT accept any answer that mentions Los Angeles or the Lakers or The Decision 2.0] <ES>

7. These competitions have always taken place in unique locations, the last of which being a US Army air field hangar. The second secretive instance of this competition was hosted by Sir Willups Brightlysmore in the basement of his mansion. The Green Bay Packers compete in that competition, but lose when Clay Matthews' mind goes blank while thinking about \$42,000 at Dave and Busters. These competitions always feature a number of categories including "zombie apocalypse", "I dated (*) John Mayer", and "ladies of the 80s." In the first one of these competitions, a group is stupidly eliminated for saying "it's" instead of "it" after a lovely rendition of Blackstreet's song "No Diggity." For 10 points, name these singing competitions that have been won by groups like Das Sound Machine and The Treblemakers, but never the Barden Bellas, that appear in the *Pitch Perfect* series.

ANSWER: Riff offs from *Pitch Perfect* <BM>

8. **One strat in this game requires looking up, performing a perfect 90-degree turn, and firing beyond a thick wall, known as the "trainshot." Arguably the most inconsistent setup in this game's speedrun requires luring only two guards to a glass door in a level that is set in Teotihuacan. A speedrunner of this game claimed "I can't even play anymore tonight after that" during a cinematic of his character jumping from a dam; that runner, Karl Jobst, broke a 15-year-old record with a 52-second time. A narrated one-minute, twelve-second run of this game's level (*) Streets includes the phrases "The double. Body armor. Two quick ones," and "an MR-RL time," referencing runners Marc Rützou and Ryan Lockwood. Runner RWhiteGoose frequently complains about the "degeneracy" of running this game, whose luck-dependent strats are often made worse on difficulties higher than Agent. Many speedrunners of Perfect Dark also run, for 10 points, what N64 classic that mostly involves James Bond looking at the ground to reduce lag?**

ANSWER: GoldenEye 007 <TI>

9. **Description Acceptable. On an episode of *Blindspot*, Hirst does this action after the lab tech Stuart correctly decoded one of Jane Doe's mystery tattoos. This action occurs three different times on an episode of *Criminal Minds* where the BAU tracks down a criminal who committed his crimes in increasingly public spaces. While doing a live strip-tease over a webcam, a shadowy figure sneaks up behind a woman and then performs this action, which appears to leave her (*) dead but in reality it was all faked. That instance of this action occurs on *NCIS*. On the *SVU* episode "Fault", this action is done to Olivia by a recently released sex offender because she panics, but she survives. For 10 points, name this action commonly committed on crime drama TV shows that usually results in death due to blood loss.**

ANSWER: slitting a throat [accept obvious equivalents; prompt on murder] <BM>

10. **The protagonist of this movie, in his underwear and a shirt, hitchhikes a ride in a Mustang with a female who drives very fast and says at her hotel "some men don't like to be driven," to which the protagonist responds, "No. Some men just don't like to be taken for a ride." In one scene in this movie, a bunch of paratroopers descend into the water before getting into a fight with a bunch of harpoon wielding divers who are guarding a boat that an orange-clad diver drops a flash bomb in. The protagonist of this film famously says "I hope we didn't scare the (*) fishes". This movie, directed by Terence Young, features a fight where the villain Largo is shot with a harpoon gun, which allows the protagonist to escape with Domino Derval. For 10 points, name this 1965 movie in which Bond must recover two bombs stolen by SPECTRE, the fourth Bond film following *Goldfinger*.**

ANSWER: Thunderball <HB>

11. **In one paper published with Mar, Oatley, Hirsch and dela Paz, this thinker found that people who read fiction expressed more positive social characteristics than those who read non-fiction. There exists a strange similarity between this thinker and a professor from "University of Manila Online" who bases an argument around how children today have not seen the films of "brendan frasier [sic]." In an interview by Russ Roberts of EconTalk, this thinker referenced work from Alain de Botton and Adam Smith, particularly the *Theory of Moral Sentiments*, and talked extensively about child rearing. This thinker suggested the possibility of (*) "forced monogamy" in a recent article. In one interview, this hater of "kek-boys" got into a fiery argument about gender and sexuality issues with Cathy Newman. For 10 points, name this proponent of room cleaning and author of *12 Rules for Life*: a Canadian psychologist known for his opinions on Marxism and lobsters.**

ANSWER: Jordan B. Peterson [accept, of course, Beterson, NOTE TO MODERATOR: please say "clean your room" if this tossup *somehow* wasn't converted] <HB>

12. In a 2009 song, this band claims that the singer is "addicted to her abuse" and "[is] just a puppet she pulls my strings"; that song is "Diamond on a Landmine". A single off this band's *HITS* album opens with "We'll never drink your medicine and we'll never think your way" and frequently features the yelled phrase "It's a Lie!" One song by this band formerly known as Pezz has the refrain "Nobody ever thought that we could make it this high/You're the only one I'd follow 'til the end of time". That song by this band titles a 2016 album that also contains the song (*) "Louder Than the DJ." The title object of an older single by this alternative group is "waving" and "never meant the same". For 10 points, identify this Mississauga, Ontario-based rock band behind "Afraid of Heights" and "Red Flag."

ANSWER: **Billy Talent** (*Editor's Note: This tossup was originally written for a Canadian audience, but this band is notably pretty popular in Europe.*) <HB>

13. In one episode of this show, characters rewrite a memoir while on a drug bender as Death Grips' "No Love" plays in the background. Episode 23 of this show guest starred *The Last Jedi* director Rian Johnson as the improv performer Brian. In another episode, characters break into the Nixon library to film a shot for *Secretariat*. In yet another episode, a Ryan Seacrest-esque character anchors a ski race for the governorship of California. Character actress Margo Martindale is a recurring character on this (*) cartoon, which has had many shows-within-the-show, including a game show hosted by J.D. Salinger. In this show, the title character lives with Todd Chavez and works with Diane Nguyen on his memoir. For 10 points, name this cartoon, which stars Will Arnett as the titular semi-depressed horse.

ANSWER: **Bojack Horseman** <AH>

14. In a 2017 Cryonic Temple song about one of these people "*of the Day*", the speaker sees "burning ashes on the ground/ Is all that's left is of my home town." In a song using a seven-string guitar from an album named after one of people, the speaker is "Disillusioned and tired of waiting" for a person of this kind and claims "we need [one of these people] this time." Because "It's just another war. Just another family torn," the speaker of a different song needs a person of this type to "save [them] now"; that song is the first from Skillet's album *Awake*. Alter Bridge's most recent album is named for *The Last* of one of these people. In a heavily repetitive song by the (*) Foo Fighters, Grohl says "there goes my [person of this type], watch him as he goes." For 10 points, name this type of person, the plural of which titles a David Bowie album with songs like "V-2 Schneider" and the title track where the speaker says "I will be king and you will be queen."

ANSWER: **Hero** [accept "**Heroes of the Day**", *The Last Hero*, "**My Hero**", *Heroes*; prompt on Leader and ask "what's the name of the song?" before "It's just another war..." has been read] <HB>

15. A 2014 thedissolve.com article says this film "shows how far animation has come" and decries this film's use of famous voice actors as "celebrity fetishization" because the characters look like their voice actors. One character in this film loses all his money betting on the horse Lucky Day. Michael Imperioli voices a character in this film who is embarrassed by his brother's vegetarian tendencies and the protagonist of this film owes lots of money to the loan (*) shark Sykes. A song remixed for this movie, originally by Rose Royce, features Missy Elliot and plays while Oscar washes large sea creatures. The central conflict of this film occurs after Oscar claims to have killed the son of a large white character voiced by Robert De Niro. The song "Car Wash" was heavily featured in, for 10 points, what 2004 animated DreamWorks movie where Will Smith voices a fish?

ANSWER: **Shark Tale** <HB>

16. **During a season preview for this team that would end up making the playoffs, one writer commented on the state of their roster and noted that they “would be bad, potentially historically so.” During the unveiling of this team's name, technical difficulties resulted in this team being referred to as "Placeholder (blank) (*) Hockey", and also was supported by its County's Twitter account for failing to properly recognize what league the team played for. Despite sporting a mostly patchwork roster, this team managed to accumulate 109 points in its inaugural season, spearheaded by the emergent play of Jonathan Marchessault, William Karlsson, and other seemingly overachieving players. For 10 points, name this newest NHL expansion franchise that managed to advance to the Stanley Cup Finals in 2018 before losing to the Washington Capitals in 5 games.**
ANSWER: Vegas Golden Knights [prompt on Vegas, prompt on “Knights”] <SB>

17. **Adrienne Curry, the winner of *America's Next Top Model*, and Christopher Knight had a show on this channel back in 2005. The former lead singer of Poison, Bret Michaels, had 25 women compete to be with him on a TV show that aired on this channel. Shaunie O'Neal reportedly has a spinoff of a show from this channel set in (*) Houston while the original show that aired on this channel starred women such as Brandi Maxiell and Nick Young's-ex Keonna Green. Another show from this channel employs judges such as Michelle Visage and aims to find "America's next drag superstar." For 10 points, name this reality TV channel, home to such gems as *Love & Hip Hop*, *Basketball Wives*, and *RuPaul's Drag Race*.**
ANSWER: VH1 <HB>

18. **One actress with this surname is set to play the title character in a 2018 movie with Zoe Kravitz; that character is a groupie who follows a punk band during the 1980s. In a 2015 movie directed by Gaby Dellal, one person with this surname plays a transitioning female-to-male transsexual who lives with his lesbian mother Maggie, who is played by Naomi Watts. Two actresses with this surname voiced Satsuki and Mei in the updated dub of *My Neighbor Totoro*. One of those actresses with this surname also voices the title character in (*) *Coraline*. In a more recent film, an actress with this surname plays a character that befriends the makeup artist Ruby before clashing with the models Gigi and Sarah. For 10 points, give this surname shared by a pair of actress sisters, one of whom stars as the protagonist in the Nicolas Winding Refn film *The Neon Demon*.**
ANSWER: Fanning [accept Elle Fanning or Dakota Fanning] <HB>

19. **This song has been likened to Ace of Base's "All That She Wants" for a measure of non-lexical vocables consisting of the first four notes of this song's pentatonic scale each sung twice. At the end of this song's chorus, a light snare accentuates the second and fourth upbeats. The melodic motif in this song sequentially forms a unison, perfect fifth, and two successive major thirds with respect to the roots of this song's 1-4-6-7 chord progression. That motif consists of the root and third of this song's C sharp minor key (*) three times before switching to either a 4-3-1 or 3-2-1 pattern with respect to the leading tone. The pre-chorus of this song is repeated each time it is sung, being doubled in octaves with the lyrics slightly changed, and ends with three hummed notes. The first four lines of this song's chorus begin on a third and alternate between ending on two fourths, as in the words "in two," or on a fourth to a root, as in the word "body." The harmonized "come on, be my baby, come on" is perhaps the only musically complicated section of, for 10 points, what song in which Ed Sheeran repeatedly claims "I'm in love with" the title entity?**
ANSWER: "Shape of You" <TI>

20. On one quizbowl car ride, an FTP writer, though not this question's author, said he was going to lead this organization in MSU Quizbowl. In a YouTube video titled and about this specific group by Spoo, Costanza and Drake are members of this group that is led by Donald Trump. In that video about this group, those members are all upset that Kermit the Frog has died and turn to Martin Shkreli for help. One meme about this group shows Kopaka the Bionicle put on a coat that makes him a Snowtrooper LEGO. In a more popular image, Spongebob wears a Yankee Hat and has a gun, some purple drank and a "badge" that says he is a member of this organization. In most images, people who ostensibly join this group have their eyes turn red and the picture gets very granular. Urban Dictionary defines this group by its members' hatred of the titular enemy. (*) For 10 points, identify this fictional group that protects society from Hoes Over There.

ANSWER: Thot Patrol [accept no alternative answers] <HB>

21 (TB). This actor released a solo album in 2014 on Bandcamp that received favorable reviews, including many comparisons to Elliott Smith. This actor also co-wrote the soundtrack to a docu-fiction film about his relationship with comedian Charlyne Yi, titled *Paper Heart*. This actor played a McLaren salesman who marries an 80-year old woman in *How to Be a Latin Lover*. A more famous character played by this actor is obsessed with orange tic-tacs and attends Dancing Elk High School. In a cameo appearance, this actor does coke, spansks Rihanna, and is impaled by a lamppost. Another character played by this actor gets accepted into Dartmouth and is a fictionalized version of screenwriter Evan Goldberg. For 10 points, name this actor who played Paulie Bleeker in *Juno* and starred alongside Jonah Hill in *Superbad*.

ANSWER: Michael Cera <ES>

Boni:

1. One person featured in this song claims she is "on them titties" and makes fun of critics by rapping "I think me, you, and Am should ménage Friday/Pink wig, thick ass, give 'em whiplash. I think big, get cash, make 'em blink fast." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this song that features Jay-Z, "Ricky Rozay" and others: a track from Kanye West's *My Beautiful Dark Twisted Fantasy*.

ANSWER: "**Monster**"

[10] This artist notably rapped the aforementioned verse on "Monster." This rapper is notable for songs like "Super Bass" and appropriately sampled "Baby Got Back" in the song "Anaconda."

ANSWER: **Nicki Minaj** [accept either; accept Onika **Maraj**]

[10] Justifiably, Nicki rapped "you need a feature daddy then give me peter pan" on this artist's song "Take it Off" which also featured J. Holiday. This artist may be more notable for the songs "You" and "Tru."

ANSWER: **Lloyd** [accept Lloyd **Polite** Jr] <HB>

2. After the death of a scientist in this film, a character encounters his wife who has been dead for ten years. For 10 points each:

[10] First, name this science fiction film where characters stare at Pieter Bruegel The Elder's *Hunters in the Snow* while Bach music plays. This film was inspired by a Stanislaw Lem book.

ANSWER: **Solaris**

[10] Solaris was directed by this Soviet director who also directed *Andrei Rublev* and *Stalker*.

ANSWER: Andrei **Tarkovsky**

[10] In this other Soviet Sci-Fi film released in 1936, several astronauts make a successful moon landing in the year 1946. This Vasili Zhuravlov silent film was apparently worked on by rocket scientist Konstantin Tsiolkovsky.

ANSWER: **Cosmic Voyage** [or *The Space Voyage* or **Kosmicheskiy reys: Fantasticheskaya novella**] <HB>

3. For 10 points each, answer the following about the biggest disasters in envelope and award show history.

[10] Legendary memer Steve Harvey was probably the only reason the 2015 Miss Universe ceremony was relevant as he had to correct himself after announcing that Colombia's Ariadna Gutierrez Arevalo had beaten the true winner, a woman from this country.

ANSWER: **Philippines**

[10] At the 2017 Oscars, noted opener of envelopes Warren Beatty fucked up by saying that *La La Land* had beaten this actual Best Picture winner. Beatty then corrected the embarrassing mistake.

ANSWER: **Moonlight**

[10] At this award show in 2011, a fan named Tiffany Green first said Chris Brown had won the Viewer's Choice Award, but then corrected herself and said Rihanna and Drake won. The network later said that Brown had won.

ANSWER: **B.E.T.** Awards <HB>

4. For 10 points each, answer the following about baseball award winners that were picked before baseball writers had brains and actually looked at stats like ERA+ or WRC+ or wOBA or MOBA. Only one of those stats is fake.

[10] As of the writing of this question, this "big," "fat" pitcher pitches for the Rangers at the ripe old age of 44 and won the 2005 AL Cy Young with the Angels despite being 25th in pitcher WAR. He did get 21 wins. Ugh.

ANSWER: Bartolo **Colon**

[10] Ted Williams tragically lost the 1947 MVP to this New York Yankee because one writer left him off the ballot. This one-time husband of Marilyn Monroe had a 55-game hitting streak in 1941 but was pretty washed up after World War II.

ANSWER: Joe **DiMaggio**

[10] Ken Boyer of this 1964 NL Pennant Winning team won the 1964 MVP over the more deserving Willie Mays, Ron Santo and others. This team's catcher Bob O'Farrell won the 1924 NL MVP over his probably more deserving teammates Les Bell and Roger Hornsby.

ANSWER: St. Louis **Cardinals** [prompt on "St. Louis"; do NOT accept "St. Louis Browns" which was a team] <HB>

5. Punk bands have always loved the anarchy symbol, but many did also care about anarchist politics. For 10 points each, answer some questions about anarchist punk.

[10] This band, lead by Jello Biafra, solidified many themes of anarcho-punk in albums like *Fresh Fruit for Rotting Vegetables* and songs like "Nazi Punks Fuck Off" and "Holiday in Cambodia."

ANSWER: **Dead Kennedys**

[10] The band Crass was perhaps the center of anarcho-punk at its peak. This 1981 Crass album, with vocals from Eve Libertine, explored feminist themes and satirized religious and Freudian ideas about sexuality.

ANSWER: **Penis Envy**

[10] This more recent punk/metal crossover band is keeping anarchist punk alive with songs like "Apparently I'm a PC Fascist" and "Fuck the Border." This band's albums include *Less Talk, More Rock*, *Today's Empires*, *Tomorrow's Ashes*, and *Victory Lap*.

ANSWER: **Propagandhi** <AH>

6. For 10 points each, answer some questions about a certain Canadian director who has had a few recent hits.

[10] Based on the short story *Story of Your Life*, this movie is about a linguist played by Amy Adams who learns to translate an alien language and becomes able to see the past and future. This movie was nominated for Best Picture and Best Director at the 2017 Academy Awards.

ANSWER: **Arrival**

[10] This French Canadian director of *Arrival* also directed *Blade Runner 2049* and is slated to direct a new adaptation of Frank Herbert's *Dune*.

ANSWER: Denis **Villeneuve** ("Den-ee Vil-noov")

[10] This 2010 film earned Villeneuve his first Oscar nomination. This film, adapted from a Wajdi Mouawad play of the same name, follows Nawal Marwan, a Canadian immigrant from an unnamed Middle Eastern country, and her children, Jeanne and Simon.

ANSWER: **Incendies** ("on-son-dee") <AH>

7. Some people have decided to protest this show over the inclusion of its so-called antagonist Meghan McCain, who claimed to know about poverty than Whoopi Goldberg. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this vapid morning talk show on ABC in which people like Paula Faris, Ana Navarro and Joy Behar talk about pointless topics aimlessly and get America riled up.

ANSWER: **The View**

[10] This female stylist joined the cast of *The View* and had previously hosted the more intellectually stimulating TV show *What Not to Wear*. She has done consulting work for fashion brands and writes for *Shape* magazine.

ANSWER: Stacy **London** (*Editor's Note: Going to be honest: I'd be shocked if Shape magazine was widely read by quizbowlers.*)

[10] This person was the host of *Morning Express*, a talk show that used to air on HLN. The always infallible *New York Post* ran a salacious story about this Atlanta-born anchor and her request of a \$100,000 bathroom in 2016.

ANSWER: Robin **Meade** <HB>

8. In honor of the Quizbowl Discord's #sports channel, let's remember some guys with really, really bad takes about the National Basketball Association and sports. For 10 points each:

[10] This current Fox Sports 1 personality infamously claimed that John Wall would be not be an elite point guard because his dad died. This talking head notable for broken metaphors about business once claimed Dominican baseball players were stupid.

ANSWER: Colin **Cowherd**

[10] Arguably the Michael Jordan of shitty sport debate shows, this ESPN program has featured such luminaries as Skip "Lebron turned into the Frozen One" Bayless" and Stephen A. "Stay of the WEEEEEDDD" Smith. Currently, this show employs Max Kellerman, who like Smith, got suspended for comments about the Ray Rice domestic violence situation.

ANSWER: **First Take**

[10] Along with Paul Pierce, this former NBA player is famous for his scorching takes including when he said that LeBron is the only superstar who "has to be told he is great." This guy said he got cut from the Spurs because he wouldn't admit Danny Green and Manu Ginobili deserved his playing time.

ANSWER: Stephen **Jackson** [accept **Captain Jack** or **Sjax**, prompt on "Jackson"] <HB>

9. This website will give you a one-month free trial and a free digital scale if you use the promo code ADAM. That's A-D-A-M. For 10 points each:

[10] Identify this online service, often advertised on podcasts, that allows individuals to never have to use the post office again.

ANSWER: **Stamps.com**

[10] This other oft-advertised product allows razors to be shipped to your house for cheap and you won't have to deal with the plastic cages at the stores. This service also sells Shave Butter and Butt wipes, apparently.

ANSWER: **Dollar Shave Club** [obviously do NOT accept "Harry's Shave products" the heathens]

[10] Both of those products were often mentioned on PodcastOne, that's O-N-E, which is a product of this radio entrepreneur and founder of Westwood One, KROQ. This man was a frequent target of shoutouts on Loveline.

ANSWER: Norman (Norm) **Pattiz** <HB>

10. Name some rock and alternative artists who ventured into the world of film scores. For 10 points each:

[10] This band's singer will score the 2018 remake of *Suspiria*. A guitar player for this band, Jonny Greenwood, composed the score for *There Will be Blood* and received an Oscar nomination for *Phantom Thread*.

ANSWER: **Radiohead**

[10] This Canadian "godfather of grunge" provided a guitar-based score for *Dead Man* in 1995, 16 years after he released *Rust Never Sleeps* with his backing band Crazy Horse

ANSWER: Neil **Young**

[10] Along with Atticus Ross, this man won an Oscar for Best Original Score for *The Social Network*, although he was previously known as the main member of Nine Inch Nails.

ANSWER: Trent **Reznor** <ES>

11. Snippets of wisdom from enemies in this game include "Bring me a bucket, and I'll show you a bucket." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this quirky cel-shaded loot 'n' shoot Gearbox title in which a *second* group of Vault Hunters leads the resistance on a Hyperion-controlled Pandora.

ANSWER: **Borderlands 2**

[10] This character plays the world's tiniest violin, once scooped an assailant's eyes out with a spoon, and owns a diamond-encrusted pony artfully named Butt Stallion. This lovable antagonist of *Borderlands 2* is the leader of the Hyperion corporation.

ANSWER: **Handsome Jack**

[10] In one particularly humorous side quest chain, Tiny Tina hosts this kind of event, inviting the characters Sir Reginald von Bartlesby, Flesh-Stick, and Princess Fluffybutt, who is described as having "gazongas like you would not belieeeeeeevee."

ANSWER: a **tea party** [accept **You Are Cordially Invited**] <TI>

12. While this song is playing, a Hummer drives out of a plane and runs amok in a city. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this song from a parody movie where the singer praises "fake tits", "Taco Bell", and "Bed Bath and Beyond" and encourages the listener to "lick my butt and suck on my balls."

ANSWER: "**America Fuck Yeah**"

[10] "America Fuck Yeah" appears in *Team America: World Police*, a comedy produced by Scott Rubin. Name either of Rubin's co-producers, the creators of *South Park*.

ANSWER: Trey **Parker** or Matt **Stone**

[10] In this Parker and Stone mockumentary, a fictional band led by the frontman of Primus is set to appear in a documentary by a UCLA filmmaker. Apparently, this film had a soundtrack released in 2008.

ANSWER: **Electric Apricot**: *Quest for Festeroo* <HB>

13. The FTP cinematic universe has existed for over 800 days. True. Now answer some retrospective questions on its second and most critically acclaimed installment.

[10] Like Fuck This Packet 1, FTP2 had a tossup about this purple McDonald's character who steals shakes and clued an ad of him and Donald Trump. However, the two tossups shared few clues due to deep research by the writer.

ANSWER: **Grimace**

[10] After tossup 0 on the Gamesphere, the first real tossup of FTP2 was on this answerline. This Yes song features prominently in many "To Be Continued" memes which were "popular" at the time of writing.

ANSWER: "**Roundabout**"

[10] An Editor's Note in Packet 4 of FTP2 alludes to Tai Lopez' collaboration with this YouTube channel as a "anime crossover candidate." Jordan Peterson appeared on this channel's podcast episodes 37 and 48 that was partially hosted by Hila.

ANSWER: **h3h3** ("**H-3-H-3**") <HB>

14. Comic book movies have gone from good to bad and back around to good. For 10 points each, name some characters from the Marvel Cinematic Universe.

[10] This Norse god of Thunder, and best comic book Chris, recently appeared in *Ragnarok* and *Infinity War*.

ANSWER: **Thor**

[10] This antagonist in *Doctor Strange* comes from the Dark Dimension to destroy earth until Doctor Strange locks him in a time loop. In comics, he once teamed up with Loki to trick the Avengers and Defenders into fighting each other.

ANSWER: **Dormammu**

[10] This poignantly named character will have her own 2019 movie set in the 1990s before saving the day in the fourth *Avengers* film. In comic books, several different characters have had the same name as this character, including one DC character who is also known as Shazam.

ANSWER: **Captain Marvel** or **Carol Danvers** <AH>

15. Answer the following questions about animes that take place in high schools for 10 points each.

[10] This anime, a popular source of YouTube profile pics, follows Yui as she joins a music club at her new school to play guitar in a band whose members include Mio, Ritsu and Tsumugi.

ANSWER: **K-On!**

[10] This other anime centers on Junichi, a nerd who miraculously asks out the bubbly Yukana. Side characters in this bizarre anime include the satire of a weeb Shinpei and the extremely pushy Ranko.

ANSWER: **Hajimete no Gal** [accept **My First Girlfriend Is a Gal!**]

[10] In an anime named after this kind of building and *School*, five male students elect to attend a previously all-girl school and are promptly sent to this location after peeing on some of the girls. Fanservice and comedic violence ensues in this location that was also discussed by Michel Foucault in *Discipline and Punish*.

ANSWER: **Prison School** [accept **Panopticon**, but remind them they are a nerd] <HB>

16. For 10 points each, identify the following about rock groups led by female singers.

[10] Halestorm's Lizzy Hale once performed her band's song "Break In" with Amy Lee, who is the lead singer of this memetic band. This band released the album *Fallen*, which contains the song "My Immortal".

ANSWER: **Evanescence**

[10] As of writing, Harris's forum's avatar is of this Ukrainian metal band's album *Cloud Factory*. This Tatiana Shmailyuk-fronted group's most recent album *I Speak Astronomy* contains the jazz-infused track "Beggar's Dance" and "Pisces."

ANSWER: **Jinjer**

[10] In 2007, Paramore released this single from their album *Riot!* that appeared on *Guitar Hero: World Tour*. The singer of this song says "I refuse, I refuse, I refuse" because she got him where she wants him or something.

ANSWER: **Misery Business** <HB>

17. Who doesn't love puberty? The acne, the hair, the hormones, that wonderful part of life that we all look back on and cringe. For 10 points each, answer some questions about a Netflix TV show following some awkward teens through puberty.

[10] This TV show that first aired in 2017 stars Nick Kroll as Nick Birch and John Mulaney as Nick's best friend Andrew Glouberman.

ANSWER: **Big Mouth**

[10] This character refuses to help Nick on multiple occasions because he claims Nick is not yet ready for puberty. He is a mentor of sorts to Andrew, though his advice generally just encourages Andrew to act on his sexual desires.

ANSWER: Maurice the **Hormone Monster**

[10] In the second episode of the show, Jessi tragically gets her first period while wearing white shorts on a school field trip to the Statue of Liberty. Near the end of the episode, one of these things sings a song titled "Everybody Bleeds" while the school bus is stuck in traffic on the way home.

ANSWER: a **tampon** <BM>

18. This NFL player played 10,363 consecutive snaps before a triceps injury ended his 2017 season. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this retired former Cleveland Browns offensive tackle and 10-time Pro Bowler who was drafted third overall in 2007 out of Wisconsin.

ANSWER: Joe **Thomas**

[10] In addition to Wisconsin, this Big 10 University is most notable for its offensive linemen like Joe Staley and Marshall Yanda. Kirk Ferentz has coached this Big 10 West team for a long ass time.

ANSWER: **University of Iowa** [obviously do not accept "Iowa State University"]

[10] Less successful in the NFL than the previously mentioned offensive linemen, this Michigan State tackle was picked ahead of Barry Sanders and Deion Sanders in the 1989 Draft by the Green Bay Packers.

ANSWER: Tony **Mandarich** <HB>

19. For 10 points each, answer the following about "the baddest motherfucker Hell has ever seen."

[10] Name this obnoxious blind old man and later vengeful spirit who is inadvertently killed by Granddad in a street fight and swears vengeance upon the Freeman family.

ANSWER: Colonel H. **Stinkmeaner** [award 20 points if they answer with "**Colonel muthafukkin' Stinkmeaner! Holla atcha boy! I get money!**"]

[10] In "Stinkmeaner Strikes Back," the Colonel possesses this mild-mannered lawyer and friend of the Freeman family. Stinkmeaner impels this character to uncharacteristically take his white wife, Sarah, to bed, saying "imma make it do what it do."

ANSWER: Thomas [Tom] Lancaster **DuBois**

[10] Concerned with Tom's possession, Huey Freeman gets advice from the ghost of this notably not-dead Wu-Tang member, who tells him to "think about it, peace."

ANSWER: **Ghostface Killah** [accept Dennis **Coles**] (*Editor's Note: This bonus is fucking impossible unless you have incredibly deep Boondocks knowledge*) <TI>

20. Riveting strategy? Lovable characters? Nope! For 10 points each, answer the following about the one thing *Fire Emblem* does best: classic JRPG-style incest.

[10] This early *Fire Emblem* game is the fourth installment and the worst offender in the series. In its first half, Lachesis is strongly implied to be in a relationship with her half-brother Eldigan, and in its second, Julia crushes hard for her half-brother Seliph.

ANSWER: *Fire Emblem: **Genealogy of the Holy War***

[10] In *Genealogy of the Holy War*, Manfroy ships Arvis and his half-sister Deirdre so that their offspring would reincarnate Loptous, one of these big bad guys that always happen to be the final bosses of Fire Emblem games. Other such creatures include Medeus and Grima.

ANSWER: **dragons** [accept **Earth Dragon**; anti-prompt on **Divine Dragon**]

[10] While most of *Fire Emblem Fates* successfully pulls the "not blood related" card, it is possible for the male player character to marry this boring and aggravatingly peaceable cousin of his who is a talented dancer and shitty deuteragonist.

ANSWER: **Azura** <TI>