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Weekly Trivia Quiz

Estimated play time: Approximately 20 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

You already know how to play trivia quizzes. Here are a few additional ideas to consider if you want a more, or less, competitive game.

Instructions

1. Create a tournament format in which permanent teams compete in playoffs and a final champion team is crowned.
2. Collect a small amount of money from each player (for example, 50 cents or a dollar) and put it into a kitty. The winning team splits the kitty.
3. Buy some lottery tickets to use as prizes for the winners (and runners up).
4. To create a less competitive game, just give one point for every question answered.

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TOYS & GAMES

- 10 Pts This toy, introduced in 1945, was packaged as the “famous walking spring toy.”
- 20 Pts This toy was patented in 1943 as a “putty-like elastic plastic, siloxane derivative composition containing zinc hydroxide.”
- 30 Pts This board game, where you’ll visit the Lollipop Woods and the Peanut Brittle House, was designed for the littlest players and requires no reading.
- 40 Pts In the 1960’s, Mattel introduced the “perfect date” and Hasbro introduced the “perfect soldier.” Can you name these two classic male dolls?
- 50 Pts Early names for this toy were Flying Saucer and Pluto Platter until 1958 when the Wham-O company trademarked this name that’s still in use today.

WHO’S THEIR DADDY? (Name the father of these people.)

- 10 Pts Mrs. David Eisenhower
- 20 Pts Patti Davis
- 30 Pts The former (1991-2001) Mrs. Ted Turner
- 40 Pts The former (1986-2011) Mrs. Arnold Schwarzenegger
- 50 Pts The former (1994–1996) Mrs. Michael Jackson (she is also the former Mrs. Nicolas Cage)

MEDICAL ACRONYMS (What do the letters in the acronym stand for?)

- 10 Pts IV
- 20 Pts DNR
- 30 Pts Stat
- 40 Pts CPR
- 50 Pts MRI

SEXIEST MAN ALIVE

- 10 Pts He was *People’s* first “Sexiest Man Alive” in 1985, after he starred in the *Mad Max* film series, *The Year of Living Dangerously*, and *The Bounty*.
- 20 Pts When he received his first “Sexiest Man” award (1997), he was playing a doctor on TV. For his second, he had just directed and starred in the 2005 movie *Good Night and Good Luck*.
- 30 Pts At 27, he was *People’s* youngest “Sexiest Man” and the only non-actor. At the time (1988) he was a law student at New York University.
- 40 Pts In 1996, this actor was the first African American “Sexiest Man.” He’s known for his portrayals of real-life characters, including Malcolm X in 1992.
- 50 Pts In 1989, this actor was the first (and only) Scottish winner. He was also the oldest, at age 59.

COLOR BEFORE & AFTER

- 10 Pts This color precedes _____ *Ball*, _____ *Bail*, and _____ *Smith*.
- 20 Pts This color precedes _____ *Pages* and _____ *Jacket*.
- 30 Pts This color precedes _____ *Fever* and _____ *Letter*.
- 40 Pts This color follows *Bowling* _____ and *Olive* _____ .
- 50 Pts This color follows *Big* _____, *Royal* _____, and *Jet*.

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ANSWERS

TOYS & GAMES

- 10 Pts Slinky
- 20 Pts Silly Putty
- 30 Pts Candy Land
- 40 Pts Ken was Barbie's perfect date and G.I. Joe was the perfect soldier.
- 50 Pts Frisbee

WHO'S THEIR DADDY?

- 10 Pts Richard Nixon (Julie Nixon Eisenhower)
- 20 Pts Ronald Reagan
- 30 Pts Henry Fonda (Jane Fonda)
- 40 Pts Sargent Shriver (Maria Shriver)
- 50 Pts Elvis Presley (Lisa Marie Presley)

MEDICAL ACRONYMS

- 10 Pts Intravenous
- 20 Pts Do not resuscitate
- 30 Pts Immediately
- 40 Pts Cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- 50 Pts Magnetic Resonance Imaging

SEXIEST MAN ALIVE

- 10 Pts Mel Gibson
- 20 Pts George Clooney
- 30 Pts John F. Kennedy, Jr.
- 40 Pts Denzel Washington
- 50 Pts Sean Connery

COLOR BEFORE & AFTER

- 10 Pts Black
- 20 Pts Yellow
- 30 Pts Scarlet
- 40 Pts Green
- 50 Pts Blue