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Weekly Trivia Quiz 2

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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QUESTIONS

GUESS THE CATEGORY

- 10 Pts According to Exodus, God inscribed these on two stone tablets and gave them to Moses.
- 20 Pts The nickname of the British flag.
- 30 Pts The name of Humphrey Bogart's boat in the 1951 classic film co-starring Katharine Hepburn.
- 40 Pts "Hang Down Your Head, Tom Dooley," if you can't remember the name of this folk group from the 1950s and 1960s.
- 50 Pts This "is the place with the helpful hardware man."

MOVIES BY INITIAL

- 10 Pts In 1952, Gene Kelly and Donald O'Connor starred in S.I.T.R.
- 20 Pts In 1981, R.O.T.L.A. starred Harrison Ford and Karen Allen.
- 30 Pts In 1985, O.O.A starred Meryl Streep and Robert Redford.
- 40 Pts In 1975, O.F.O.T.C.N. starred Jack Nicholson and Louise Fletcher.
- 50 Pts In 2005, Heath Ledger and Jake Gyllenhaal starred in *B.M.*

LLOYDS

- 10 Pts The house he designed in 1935 is called Fallingwater because it was built partly over a waterfall.
- 20 Pts His resume includes Evita, Jesus Christ Superstar, and The Phantom of the Opera.
- 30 Pts He played Mike Nelson on TV's Sea Hunt from 1958 to 1961.
- 40 Pts Founded in 1774, this insurance company is famous for some of its most unusual policies, including insuring Jimmy Durante's nose, Betty Grable's legs, and Celine Dion's vocal chords.
- 50 Pts He famously ran for re-election to the US Senate while simultaneously running for Vice President on Michael Dukakis' ticket.

BRITISH SPELLING (All answers must be spelled out.)

- 10 Pts How do the Brits spell the word for the person who lives next door to you?
- 20 Pts How do the Brits spell the name of the last letter of the alphabet?
- 30 Pts How do the Brits spell the alternative paper method to paying cash?
- 40 Pts How do the Brits spell the word for the rubber wheels on a car?
- 50 Pts How do the Brits spell the word for beer from a tap, not a bottle?



ARCHITECTURE

- 10 Pts In classical architecture, this was the name of the base section of a column. Today, it's commonly used for the base for a statue.
- 20 Pts This style of architecture was named after the then-Greek city of Byzantium that is now the Turkish city of Istanbul.
- 30 Pts The first school of architecture in the United States was established at this college, just down the road from Harvard University.
- 40 Pts This freestanding structure, commonly given a round or octagonal shape, is often placed in a park or other outdoor spot to take advantage of a scenic or pleasant view.
- 50 Pts Materials from all over the world were used in constructing the Assembly Hall in this NYC building, which stretches on 1st Avenue between 42nd and 48th Streets.



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ANSWERS

GUESS THE CATEGORY

10 Pts The Ten Commandments

20 Pts The Union Jack30 Pts The African Queen

40 Pts The Kingston Trio

50 Pts Ace

The category is Highest Value Playing Cards (Ten, Jack, Queen, King, Ace).

MOVIES BY INITIAL

10 Pts Singin' in the Rain

20 Pts Raiders of the Lost Ark

30 Pts Out of Africa

40 Pts One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest

50 Pts Brokeback Mountain

LLOYDS

10 Pts Frank Lloyd Wright

20 Pts Andrew Lloyd Webber

30 Pts Lloyd Bridges

40 Pts Lloyd's of London

50 Pts Lloyd Bentsen

BRITISH SPELLING

10 Pts N-E-I-G-H-B-O-U-R

20 Pts Z-E-D

30 Pts C-H-E-Q-U-E

40 Pts T-Y-R-E-S

50 Pts D-R-A-U-G-H-T

ARCHITECTURE

10 Pts Pedestal

20 Pts Byzantine

30 Pts MIT (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

40 Pts Gazebo

50 Pts The United Nations Headquarters