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Initial Game

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes
Number of players: Unlimited
Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers
Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

It seems appropriate that on Rosh Hashanah week, all the answers in this quiz consist of two-word names or phrases that begin with the initials **RH**.

Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.

2. Read the first question. Discussion is permitted among teammates. Prior to the start of the game, a method to signal when a team is ready to answer must be determined. Ringing bells and New Year's blowers are just two inexpensive noisemakers. Raised hands work, but the host must be vigilant to watch for whose hand went up first. The host always has the final say in any disputes.

3. After a player/team is recognized as the first to signal, they may give an answer. If the first answer is incorrect, the other teams may "buzz" in and answer.

4. Scoring: Give 10 points for each correct answer.

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1. A clue that is intended to be misleading or distracting.
2. A somewhat old-fashioned word for a residential institution where old or frail people are cared for.
3. A motorist who drives recklessly or inconsiderately, making it difficult for others to proceed safely.
4. A building or home where individual rooms are rented to tenants and bathrooms are shared.
5. Alice found herself falling down this vertical tunnel at the start of her adventures in Wonderland.
6. Seattle Slew or Secretariat.
7. In some urban areas, this traffic condition begins around 4PM and doesn't end until roughly 7PM.
8. This legendary heroic outlaw from English folklore lived in Sherwood Forest near Nottingham.
9. Lucille Ball, Ron Howard, and Prince Harry all share this feature.
10. He played the title character in the 1967 movie *Dr. Dolittle* and Professor Henry Higgins (or 'Enry 'Iggins to Eliza) in the 1964 film of *My Fair Lady*.
11. Only the most elevated members of a reigning family earn this title.
12. This is the literal translation of the word "hippopotamus" from the ancient Greek.

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ANSWERS

1. Red Herring
2. Rest Home (or Retirement Home)
3. Road Hog
4. Rooming House
5. Rabbit Hole
6. Race Horse
7. Rush Hour
8. Robin Hood
9. Red Hair
10. Rex Harrison
11. Royal Highness
12. River Horse

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