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Name Game – Brand Names

Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

May be suitable for visually impaired players, with some help from the game host.

Overview:

This is a two-part game. First, answer the multiple clues in each question. Then, put the clue answers in the correct order to reveal the name of a company or the brand name of a product. Example: *A large black bird with a loud call + Not hard + Belonging to me.* Answers: *Crow + Soft + My (Microsoft).*

Note: We recommend that as your players correctly answer each clue, you write those answers on a large pad or white board. Seeing all the answers will help them unscramble the word parts and come up with the company or brand name.

Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the clues one at a time, giving players time to come up with possible answers. Discussion is permitted among teammates. Prior to the start of the game, a method to signal when a player/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. When all the clues in a question have been read, give the players time to rearrange the answers to reveal the famous person.
4. After a player/team is recognized as the first to signal, they may give an answer. If the first answer is incorrect, the others may "buzz" in and answer.
5. Keep score (10 points for each answer) after each question is answered correctly. Play until all questions have been asked and answered.

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QUESTIONS

1. Not near + Structures dug into the ground to access water from underground aquifers + Opposite of stay
2. To propel a dory or canoe + A professional cook + To produce (and deposit) an egg
3. The “leader” of the Three Stooges + The 24th letter of the alphabet + Not off + A male bovine
4. To allow or to rent + Fill a suitcase + Playboy Mr. Hefner + Not soft
5. The Caribbean or Mediterranean + Bic or PaperMate + Late night host Mr. Leno + Large leg joint
6. 52 playing cards + Tin container + The darkest color due to the complete absorption of light + Pronoun for that woman
7. A jack or deuce + To mix ingredients with a spoon or whisk + The tall central post on a ship
8. “Needless to _____” + Actors Affleck and Kingsley + Actresses Ruby and Sandra + Wise men’s gift in addition to gold and frankincense
9. This involuntary act of clearing the breathing passages is a common symptom of a cold or the flu + “Do, Re, Mi, _____” + Mr. Garland, the current US Attorney General + A sudden, loud noise like a door slam or gun shot + “Say _____” requested the doctor holding a tongue depressor
10. The opposite of hills + 14th century Chinese dynasty famous for its priceless porcelain vases + Aqua or Navy

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ANSWERS

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| 1. | Far + Wells + Go | Wells Fargo |
| 2. | Row + Chef + Lay | Chevrolet |
| 3. | Moe + X + On + Bull | Exxon Mobil |
| 4. | Let + Pack + Hugh + Hard | Hewlett Packard |
| 5. | Sea + Pen + Jay + Knee | J.C. Penny |
| 6. | Deck + Can + Black + Her | Black & Decker |
| 7. | Card + Stir + Mast | Mastercard |
| 8. | Say + Bens + Dees + Myrrh | Mercedes Benz |
| 9. | Cough + Fa + Merrick + Bang + Ah | Bank of America |
| 10. | Dales + Ming + Blue | Bloomingdale's |