Round 1  Size Matters

1. At 109,901 seats, this school’s football stadium boasts the largest number of seats for their loyal fans. Name this university.

2. Measuring in at 2,717ft, the Burj Khalifa is currently the tallest completed building in the world. What country is this tower located?

3. This city can claim the title of having the world’s largest population with over 37 million residents.

4. Name this Broadway production that made its debut on January 26, 1988 and has since been performed over 11,400 times making it the longest running show and musical on Broadway.

5. What is the name of the ninth president of the United States whose term lasted only 32 days in 1841 thus making him the president with the shortest term ever served?

6. This NBA team holds the record for longest winning streak with 33 victories in-a-row during the 1971-72 season.

7. Name this mountain range that covers roughly 4,500 miles and is nearly 300 miles wide in some areas making it largest above-ground mountain chain on earth.

8. With around 800 mostly commuter citizens and at just under two square miles, this city is the smallest country in the world both by population and in terms of size.

9. Up until 2007, Louis Mitera from the Creighton Prep Class of 1959 hit the longest straight-shot hole-in-one in history on October 7, 1965 by using his driver to ace the 444-yard 10th hole. Name the Omaha golf course where this took place.

10. At 10,994 meters (36,070 feet), this is the deepest known point in Earth's oceans.
Round 3  Royal Flush

1. Name this 2001, Oscar-nominated movie where three grown prodigies and their mother are staying at the family household. Stars include Gene Hackman, Angelica Huston, Gwyneth Paltrow, Bill Murray and Ben Stiller.

2. This American heavy metal band formed in 1982 in Bellevue, Washington earned multiple Grammy Award nominations and won the 1991 MTV "Viewer's Choice" award for the #1 chart topping hit "Silent Lucidity."

3. The Schwan Food Company launched this pizza brand in 1976 whose name was said to originate from the WWI German ace pilot, Manfred von Richthofen.

4. This sprawling Caribbean capital founded in 1692 is famous for its natural harbor, music and the picturesque backdrop of the Blue Mountains. Name this capital city.

5. This former collegiate basketball coach amassed the most victories in NCAA Division I men's basketball history at the time of his retirement in 2008.

6. The last words for this legendary pianist, conductor, and songwriter were, "Music is how I live, why I live and how I will be remembered." He often called his works "American Music" rather than jazz.

7. This African American actor famous for his deep authoritative voice took acting lessons as a youth to control his stutter and was the first “celebrity” guest on Sesame Street in 1969.

8. This women’s tennis star faced off against Bobby Riggs in an exhibition match dubbed the “Battle of the Sexes” in 1973.

9. Name this 1987 movie about a young boy whose grandfather reads him a story while he rests in bed. Stars include Cary Elwes, Robin Wright, Peter Falk, Fred Savage, Billy Crystal and Andre the Giant.

10. Chartered in 1746 originally as the College of New Jersey, this institution is the fourth-oldest college in the United States.
Round 4  All in the Name (be sure to list all three names)

1. His Filipino, Hawaiian, Chinese, Spanish, Scottish/Irish, and eighth Cherokee Indian origins gave him his good looks and brought him main leads in movies such as La Bamba, Young Guns and Stand and Deliver.

2. This man shot and killed Martin Luther King in Memphis on April 4, 1968.

3. This actor was best known for his breakout role as John Coffey in The Green Mile, for which he was nominated for an Academy Award and a Golden Globe to name a few.

4. This director, famous for such works as Patton and the Godfather trilogy, today, may be more famous for his California winery.

5. This actress got her big break at acting in 1978 when she won the role of Laurie Strode in Halloween.

6. This man murdered John Lennon outside The Dakota apartment building in New York City on December 8, 1980.

7. This musician’s notorious long blond hair and crazy spandex outfits won over audiences with his fast-talking patter, jumps and stunts. His hits include: “Runnin' with the Devil" "Jamie's Cryin" and "Dance the Night Away."

8. This Danish author and poet, wrote many poems, plays, stories and travel essays, but is best known for his fairy tales.

9. Identify this prominent African-American botanist, chemist, scientist and inventor best known for the many uses he devised for the peanut.

10. This Columbian-born professional race car driver won his second Indianapolis 500 this past May, a full 15 years after his first in 2000.
Round 5  Measuring Up?

1. On May 6, 1975, a vicious tornado ripped through Omaha and cleared a path up 72nd Street to Prep; and to that date, was the most damaging tornado in U.S. history. Give the name of the scale that rates the strength of tornadoes.

2. What is the name of the scale that measures the hotness of peppers?

3. What kind of threat does the Torino Scale measure?

4. What is the name of the logarithmic scale used to express the amount of energy released by an earthquake?

5. The Saffir-Simpson scale measures from a 1 to 5 rating based on the sustained wind speed of what kind of storm?

6. The Oswestry Index is a patient-completed questionnaire which gives a subjective percentage score of what?

7. The official highest recorded temperature of 134 F (56.7 C), was measured on 10 July, 1913 in what U.S. state?

8. An anemometer is an instrument for measuring the speed of wind. Mt. Washington has been described as one of the windiest places on earth as a 231 mph gust was once recorded. In what state is Mt. Washington located?

9. This nautical measurement term is the equivalent of 6 feet in length or 1.8288 meters.

10. This unit of weight and mass is part of the Imperial system of weights and measurements used in the British Isles, and formerly used in most Commonwealth countries. It is equal to 14 pounds.
Round 7  Where in the World is Carmen Sandiego?

1. This refreshment brand is dubbed “Earth’s Finest Water.”

2. “The World is Yours” was quoted multiple times in the 1983 gangster movie Scarface. What U.S. city was this show primarily filmed?

3. Name this wide-brimmed, straw hat that was originally made from the leaves of a tropical palm-like plant and is worn chiefly by men.

4. One of Toto’s most recognizable songs was included on their 1982 album that reached number one on the Billboard Hot 100 chart in February 1983. Name this hit.

5. This drink is a classic creamy cocktail that is made with vodka, coffee liqueur, and cream or half and half. It is typically served in an Old-Fashioned (or rocks) glass over ice.

6. This 80’s band rocked the airwaves with such hit as “Cherokee”, “Superstitious”, “Carrie” and “Rock the Night”.

7. Bowling three consecutive strikes is commonly known as this.

8. Aptly named, one of the Bermuda Triangle’s three vertices is the island of Bermuda. Name the other two vertices.

9. Name the dominate 1980’s WWF wrestling tag team that professional wrestlers, Davey Boy Smith and the Dynamite Kid were members.

10. The distinguished tartan plaid logo of this 3M product protects against dirt and stains and has the ability to repel liquids.
Round 8     That’s Cheesy

1. This Irvine Texas based restaurant company is known for its in house, made from scratch dining menu, opened its doors in Omaha in October of 2012.

2. This Rocky Mountain - based band started in 1993 is known for its Bluegrass jazz psychedelic funk style and often covers Grateful Dead songs.

3. Give the full name of this Cheetos mascot whose tag line in the 80s was "It ain't easy being cheesy!"

4. Who caught Green Bay Packer’s quarterback legend Brett Favre’s first completed NFL pass?

5. Name the 2004 movie from which the following cheesy pick up line was taken "I don't know how to put this, but I'm kind of a big deal."

6. Mickey Mouse, the most famous cheese eating cartoon character in the world, was originally named this in 1928.

7. This famous spokesperson started “saying cheese” for the Canon Rebel camera in 1990.

8. Name the most widely purchased cheese in the world that is described by dairy experts as having a “close and firm texture, mellow in character and has full and fine flavor somewhat like hazelnut."

9. Name the Italian saint whose feast day is July 12 and is the patron saint of cheese makers.

10. In the 1996 season, quarterback Brett Favre set an NFC record when he threw 39 touchdown passes in regular season play. Who was the previous record holder?
1. This Olivia Newton John song was also the title song from this 1980 movie of the same name.

2. The A-10 Thunderbolt II aircraft is affectionately known by this nickname due to this ungainly appearance.

3. Andy Dufrense arranged this rendezvous location to reunite with his friend Red Redding in Steven King’s novel turned movie, The Shawshank Redemption. (Answer will be accepted if phonetically close.)

4. What mountain peak is the tallest in the lower 48 states?

5. Name this 1986 movie where Woody Harrelson and Wesley Snipes starred as underachieving teammates turned gridiron heroes.

6. This actress/dancer had a leading role in Avatar, the largest grossing film of this century.

7. Name the Middle Eastern country where Chandler Bing once bought a plane ticket to in hopes of escaping a crazed girlfriend during an episode of friends.

8. Name this malt beverage referred to an alcopop introduced by the then-named Coors Brewing Company in 1993.

9. Famed for its ancient sequoias, the iconic vista of towering Bridalveil Fall and the granite cliffs of El Capitan, this U.S. National Park was founded on October 1, 1890.

10. The Three Gorges Dam, the world’s largest power station, spans this river is Asia.
Round 10  Life’s a Beach

1. In what country is Bells Beach, home of the world's longest-running surfing competition – the Rip Curl Pro Surf & Music Festival, located?

2. Laird Hamilton, an American big-wave surfer and co-inventor of tow-in surfing is married to what former professional volleyball player/model?

3. A massive tsunami that claimed more than 230,000 lives in 14 different countries hit on December 26, 2004, after a magnitude 9.1 earthquake struck beneath this ocean near Indonesia. Name the ocean where it occurred.

4. The Beach Boys composed this hit song for the 1988 movie Cocktail starring Tom Cruise.

5. Omaha Beach is one of the five “officially designated” beaches used by the Allies on June 6, 1944 to storm the coast of Normandy, France. Name one of the other four.

6. This golf course has been rated the No. 1 public course in the U.S. ever since Golf Digest introduced the “100 Greatest Public” in 2003.

7. Beachgoers in the fictitious town of “Amity Island” were advised to keep off the beaches in the 1975 movie Jaws which was actually filmed in Martha’s Vineyard. What state is Martha’s Vineyard located?

8. Richard Wagner’s “Ride of the Valkyries” is blasted through loud speakers mounted to helicopters during an aerial beach attack during this 1979 Vietnam-era war drama.

9. Ironman triathletes annually swim 2.4 miles, bike 112 miles and run 26.2 miles along this black rock-dominated district on the Big Island of Hawaii.

10. Although there are no beaches on this island, in March 1979, a series of mechanical and human errors at the Three Mile Island nuclear generating plant resulted in an accident that profoundly affected the utility industry. What state is this plant located?