Fall Tournament Round

1. Peanut drew 48,000 to an Oakland A's game in August. Stretch brought a sellout to the St. Louis Cardinals in May. Valentino the Bear's giveaway coincided with David Wells' perfect game on May 17, earning a spot for the bear in Baseball's Hall of Fame. FTP what are these hot collectibles which often drew more fans to ballparks this summer than the games?

A. Beanie Babies

1. His music is celebrated yearly at a festival in South Carolina called Spoleto. A composer, he tried to marry modern subject matter with classical musical structures, as in <u>The Saint of Bleeker Street</u>. FTP, name this composer of the first made-for-television opera, <u>Amahl and the Night Visitors</u>.

A. Gian-Carlo Menotti

1. He died on September 13, 1998, 26 years after he survived an assassin's bullet in Laurel, Maryland. FTP name this former presidential candidate and segregationist governor of Alabama.

A. George Wallace

1. He served as the American Minister to Spain from 1842 to 1846 and published a five-volume biography of George Washington in 1858, which he published under his own name in 1858. Earlier he had published The Alhambra and The Sketch Book under the name Geoffrey Crayon. FTP name this author who published a farcical history of New York under the pseudonym Diedrich Knickerbocker.

A. Washington <u>Irving</u>

1. Some are tiny and relay signals over distances as short as one millimeter. Others Among the longest cells in the human body. They can transmit impulses as fast as 130 meters per second. FTP name these cells made up of a cell body, dendrites, and axons.

A. neurons

1. How many ways can a committee of three people be formed from a group of seven if all members are equal?

1. Contrary to popular reckoning, he used a metronome in his conditioning experiments, not a bell. FTP, name this forerunner of B. F. Skinner who is best remembered for making dogs drool by associating feedings with sounds.

A. Ivan Pavlov

1. She lived in the early sixth century B. C., daughter of an aristocratic Greek family, and led a cult of Aphrodite on the island of Lesbos. FTP, name this poetess sometimes referred to as the "female Homer."

A. Sappho

1. In 1169 he took control of Egypt by capturing Cairo. There he built the Citadel, a large military barracks with high walls to fortify the city. Next this Kurdish sultan called for a jihad, or holy war, against the Christians who had occupied Jerusalem. FTP who was this man who provoked the third crusade?

A. Saladin

1. They can be classified as either extrusive or intrusive, depending on whether they are formed on the surface of the Earth or below. FTP, name this category of rock whose divisions can also be called volcanic or plutonic.

A. igneous rocks

- 1. For a quick ten points, carry out the following command: ponga su mano derecha en su cabeza.
 - A. [reader—student must place his/her right hand on his/her head]
- 1. Her name is Alisoun, though the title of her tale doesn't use her name. Her story recounts the quest of an Arthurian knight who has raped a young maiden and for penance must find out what women most desire. Unfortunately for him the correct answer is given by an ugly old woman whom he must then marry. FTP name this Chaucerian tale spinner whose title as "wife" may have more to do with being a weaver than being married.

A. the Wife of Bath

 Its earliest known ancestor is the Hyracotherium (hi-rak-o-theer-ee-um), a dog-sized quadruped of the Eocene epoch. Intermediate species in its evolutionary chain include Eohippus and Pliohippus. FTP name this friend of man of the genus Equus.

A. horse

1. He was born in Georgia around 1800, the son of a British trader and a Native American woman. As a tribal leader, he vigorously opposed forced westward migration for his people, which led to his eventual seizure by the U.S. military in 1837 even though he appeared under a flag of truce. He was imprisoned in St. Augustine for a time, though he died in Fort Moultrie in South Carolina. FTP, name this Native American leader whose namesake throws a flaming spear into the turf at Doak Campbell stadium on Saturdays in the Fall.

A. Chief Osceola

1. It is the first name of the main character of Jerzy Kosinski's <u>Being There</u>. The adjective "aleatory" refers to decisions made using it. FTP, what is this word, which means the same thing whether preceded by "slim" or "fat"?

A. chance

1. About the only thing critics agree upon is that this art movement is difficult to accurately define. Artists in this early style tried to fuse architecture, sculpture, and painting into a single "truth," as did one of its major proponents, Gianlorenzo (jonlo-ren-zo) Bernini. FTP name this movement whose name can be defined as "excessive" or "ornate."

A. Baroque

17) The Bible, as most Americans know, is divided into books. The Koran, however, is divided into 114 of these, a four-letter term which is the same as the last name of a back-up point guard for the Cleveland Cavaliers out of Florida State. FTP, give the common term.

A. sura (Bobby Sura is the player)

18) For Great Britain, the situation in 1940 was desperate. France had fallen to the Nazis, and British demand for war materiel far outstripped its capability to produce it. Due to disruptions in Atlantic shipping, buying arms was also difficult. Still, Winston Churchill turned to President Roosevelt for help and got it. FTP, name the January, 1941, agreement under which Roosevelt assumed the powers necessary to send war supplies to Great Britain.

A. Lend-Lease Act

1. For a quick ten points, what is the value of 16 ^5/4 (sixteen raised to the five-fourths power)?

A. 32

Valedictorian of his Yale graduating class, he is currently a professor of law at
Pepperdine University, as well as a part-time actor. For his role in Ferris Bueller's

<u>Day Off</u>, he improvised a short lecture on the Smoot-Hawley Tariff Act in his
signature nasal drone. FTP, name this man whose money you can try to win on
Comedy Central.

A. Ben Stein

His daughter bore Richard (ree-kart) Wagner (vog-ner) three children, and that was
while she was still married to another man! FTP, name this composer of
"Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini" who is considered by many experts to be the
greatest piano virtuoso of the 19th century.

A. Franz <u>Liszt</u>

1. Given a line from an American poem, provide the line which follows for ten points each. For example, if you were given the line "I think that I shall never see", you would respond with "a poem lovely as a tree."

"The woods are lovely, dark and deep"

A. "But I have promises to keep." (Robert Frost)

"We Jazz June"

A. "We die soon" (Gwendolyn Brooks)

"Do not weep, Maiden,"

- A. "For war is kind." (Stephen Crane)
- 1. I'll name a university, and you tell me the animal nickname given to its athletic teams for five points each.

Mississippi State
University of Arkansas
University of Oregon
University of Wiscosin
Texas Christian University
Brigham Young University
A. Bulldogs
A. Razorbacks
A. Ducks
A. Badgers
A. Horned Frogs
A. Cougars

1. Given a translation of German term common in English, provide the German term for ten points each.

Living space A. lebensraum
Gifted child A. wunderkind
Exact lookalike A. doppleganger

1. Name the U.S. president from a previous job or career he held for five points each.

Nuclear engineer

Hangman

President of Princeton

Host of Death Valley Days

A. Grover Cleveland

A. Woodrow Wilson

A. Ronald Reagan

A. Freeklin D. Rossey

Secretary of the Navy
A. <u>Franklin D. Roosevelt</u>
Habadasher
A. Harry S. <u>Truman</u>

1. Provided the name of a holy book, name the religion in which you'd find it for ten points each.

Talmud A. Judaism

Zend-Avesta A. Parsi (accept Zoroastrianism)

Upanishads A. Hinduism

1. Provide the anatomical name for the following commonly named bones for five points

each and a five point bonus for getting all correct.

Collar bone A. clavicle

Shoulder blade A. scapula

Knee cap A. patella
Jaw bone A. mandible
Breast bone A. sternum

1. Only three U.S. states border only two others. Name all three for ten points each.

Florida

South Carolina

Washington

- 1. On a 10-5 basis, name the following Russian authors from works.
 - 10 Pale Fire
 - 1. Lolita A. Vladimir Nabokov
 - 2. Uncle Vanya
 - 5 The Cherry Orchard A. Anton <u>Chekov</u>
 - 1. The Cancer Ward
 - 5 The Gulag Archipelago A. Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn (sol-zhu-neet-sin)
- 1. Some of you may be too young to remember that Paul McCartney was in a band before his successful solo career. If so, get ready to guess. Otherwise, name the dinosaur rock band from a famous single for five points each.

I Feel Fine A. The Beatles

Paint It Black A. The Rolling Stones

Lola A. The Kinks

Pinball Wizard A. The Who

Riders on the Storm A. The Doors Good Times, Bad Times A. Led Zeppelin

1. Given a chemical symbol, name the element it represents for five points each.

Sn A. Tin

Va A. Vanadium
W A. Tungsten
Rb A. Rubidium
Ta A. Tantalum
Fr A. Francium

1. Name the following figures from Greek mythology from a description for ten points each.

He was asked to judge whom was the most beautiful among Hera, Aphrodite, and

Athena.

A. Paris

They were the brothers of Helen, wife of Menelaus (men-uh-lay-us).

A. Castor and Pollux (all or nothing)

He tried to avoid service in the war for Greece by plowing a barren field to feign madness.

- A. Odysseus (do NOT accept Ulysses—Roman)
- 1. Given a capital, name the African country it administrates for five points each.

Accra A. Ghana
Mogadishu A. Somalia
Dar es Salaam A. Tanzania
Rabat A. Morocco
Freetown A. Sierra Leone
Khartoum A. Sudan

- 1. Name the celebrity from a description of their appearance on The Simpsons for ten points each. If you need a simpler clue you'll receive five.
 - When this baseball player joined the nuclear plant's softball team, he grew addicted to a nerve tonic which grossly enlarged his head and other extremities.
 - 1. This Mariner finished third in this year's home run race.
 - A. Ken Griffey, jr.
 - 1. This venerable rock group played at Flaming Moe's.
 - 2. Their albums include Pump and Rocks
 - A. Aerosmith
 - 1. This married couple had a vegetarian garden on the roof of the Quickie Mart
 - 2. They cofounded the band Wings.
 - A. Paul and Linda McCartney
- 14) Answer the following astronomy questions for 10 points each.

What is the name of the graph which shows the relationship between the brightness and temperature of stars?

A. Hertzprung-Russell diagram (accept H-R diagram)

What letter designates the spectral class of the hottest stars in the universe?

A. O

What name is given to stars found on the lower-left portion of the H-R diagram,

outside the main sequence, which are much fainter and probably much smaller than their main sequence counterparts?

- A. white dwarfs
- 15) Given an artist, name the artistic "school" with which he is associated for five points each.

George Braque A. cubism

Willem de Kooning A. abstract expressionism

Henri Matisse A. fauve

Mary Cassatt A. impressionism Jacque Louis David A. neo-classicism Rene Magritte A. surrealism

1. Name the home country of the following automakers for five points each.

Volvo A. Sweden
Fiat A. Italy
Renault A. France
Hyundai A. South Korea
Astin-Martin A. England
Porsche A. Germany

- 1. On a 10-5 basis, name the following composers from works.
 - 2. Oxford Symphony; Drumroll Symphony
 - 3. the oratorio The Creation
 - A. Franz Joseph Haydn
 - 1. the opera Julius Caesar
 - 2. Water Music
 - A. George Frederick Handel
 - 1. the tone poem La Mer
 - 2. Afternoon of a Faun
 - A. Claude Debussy
- 1. Answer the following questions about weights and measures for five points each.

How many dozen are found in a gross?

A. 12

How many furlongs in a mile?

A. 8

How many feet in a fathom?

A. 6

How many quarts in a gallon?

A. 4

How many teaspoons in a tablespoon?

A. 3

How many tablespoons in a cup?

- A. 16
- 19) Name the treaties which ended the following wars for ten points each.

War of the Spanish Succession

A. Treaty of Utrecht

War of 1812

A. Treaty of Ghent

Russo-Japanese War

- A. Treaty of Portsmouth
- 20) Given a subatomic particle, name the physicist credited with its discovery for ten points each

electron A. J. J. <u>Thomson</u> neutron A. James <u>Chadwick</u> proton A. Ernest <u>Rutherford</u>