

Emory Junior Bird Tournament 1992  
Extra Credit Questions

Amy Hearin (1)

1. (25) How much do you know about those old units of measurements your grandparents may have used? For 5 points each:

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| (1) How many pecks are in one bushel?      | <u>four</u>  |
| (2) How many feet are in one mile?         | <u>5280</u>  |
| (3) How many feet are in a fathom?         | <u>six</u>   |
| (4) How many acres are in one square mile? | <u>640</u>   |
| (5) How many knots make up one league?     | <u>three</u> |

2. (30) Now that the Soviet Union is dissolved, the familiar red hammer & sickle flag is no more. For 10 points each, answer these questions about the new Russian flag:

- (1) The new flag is actually the same as that of pre-Revolutionary Russia, minus one detail. For ten points, what's missing?  
the Double-headed Eagle (accept Imperial Eagle or eagle)
- (2) What family did this flag symbolize? Romanov
- (3) What 3 colors make up the Russian tri-color? red.white.blue

3. (30) In H.G. Wells' The Time Machine, the time traveler visits the year 802,701 AD and finds two races of humanoids, one gentle and one barbaric. For 15 points each, name these groups.

Eloi, Morlocks

4. (30) VIDEO BONUS (Give attached sheet to team) For 5 points each, match crosses A through F with their names (you have 15 seconds):

Names: Greek, Latin, St. Andrew's, St. Anthony's, Celtic, Gamma.  
Ans: **F E D C A B**

5. (30) VIDEO BONUS (Give attached sheet to team) You're the new bartender. Can you match the type of booze to each glass? Types of alcohol:

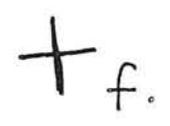
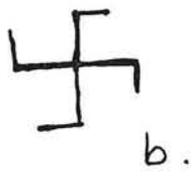
Red wine, Champagne, Old Fashioned, Highball, Liqueur, Brandy. (15 seconds)  
**F D B E C A**

6. (30) Louis, Louis--no, not the song, it's the kings of France. Given the description, name the proper Louis, for 10 points each.

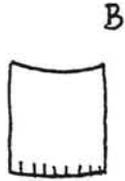
(1) Ruled from 1226 to 1270, this model of chivalric monarchy was canonized in 1297. **Louis IX**

(2) Born in 1423, he became king at age 38. He rebelled against his father, but was not king until after dad died. Name this Spider King. **Louis XI**

(3) While in his minority, his mother and a cardinal ran things. This Bourbon lived from 1601 to 1643. **Louis XIII**



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7. (30) This extra-credit will be elementary, if you're familiar with the periodic table. Ten points if you can get it with just the atomic number (if not, the other team gets a shot), 5 points if you need a 2nd clue.

- (a) 35                                      2nd clue: liquid at room temp.                                      bromine
- (b) 39                                      2nd clue: named for a Swedish town                                      yttrium
- (c) 47                                      2nd clue: excellent electric conductor                                      silver

8. (25) For 5 points each, identify the patron saint:

- (1) If you're hopeless about this question, you'd appeal to this this saint.                                      Jude
- (2) Patron saint of Paris                                      Genevieve
- (3) Patron saint of pharmacists, pilgrims, & Spain                                      James or Diego
- (4) Patron saint of blacksmiths and goldsmiths                                      Dunstan
- (5) Patron saint of Wales, poets, and leeks                                      David

9. (30) Name these Shakespearean couples for 10 points per pair (you must get both).

- (1) The lovers in Much Ado About Nothing                                      Beatrice & Benedict
- (2) Prospero's marooned daughter and her lover in The Tempest                                      Miranda & Ferdinand
- (3) In A Midsummer Night's Dream, the workers perform a play within the play about these two lovers.                                      Pyramus & Thisbe

10. (20) Opera questions.

- (1) For 10 points, name the Spanish haircutter who appears in 2 operas by 2 different composers.                                      Figaro
- (2) For 5 points each, name these 2 composers.                                      Rossini, Mozart

11. (30) For 10 points each, show how well you know Europe.

- (1) Of Copenhagen, Glasgow, and Moscow, which is furthest south?                                      Copenhagen
- (2) Of Lisbon, Reykjavik, and Dublin, which is furthest west?                                      Lisbon
- (3) Of Budapest, Belgrade, and Bucharest, which is easternmost?                                      Bucharest

12. (25) Given the pen name, give the complete name of the author:

- (1) O Henry                                      William Sydney Porter
- (2) Toni Morrison                                      Chloe Anthony Wofford
- (3) Tennessee Williams                                      Thomas Lanier Williams
- (4) Moliere                                      Jean Baptiste Poquelin
- (5) Isak Dinesen                                      Karen Blixen

13. (20) For 5 points each, given the name of a star, identify the constellation in which it is found:

- (1) Mizar-Alcor                                      Big Dipper or Ursa Major
- (2) Deneb                                      Cygnus
- (3) Spica                                      Virgo
- (4) Procyon                                      Canis Minor

14. (25) For 5 points each, see how well you know the history of Colonial America:

(1) Who vied for the hand of Priscilla Mullins along with Miles Standish?  
John Alden

(2) In 1636, who founded the colony of Rhode Island?  
Roger Williams

(3) At what 1759 battle did Wolfe and Montcalm fight on the Plains of Abraham?

Quebec

(4) What group dressed up and had a tea party in 1773?

Sons of Liberty

(5) Name the German general in the Continental Army who gave his name to where you are now.

DeKalb (county)

15. (30) Killers. Get em. 10 points each.

(1) Who shot Pres. McKinley?

Leon Czolgosz

(2) Who shot Pres. James Garfield?

Charles Guiteau

(3) Who killed Henry IV of France?

Francois Ravaillac