

Super ACRONYM - Round 7

1. **This character has her flash card stolen while quizzing her friend on what alpha particles become when they "go through gold foil." This character asks her friend "Is that a new bra?" while watching her change in the passenger seat of her Volkswagen Cabrio, which she parks (*) three blocks away from a friend's house. After this character injures herself with a knife while trying to open a beer can, she is photographed sitting on a backyard pool's diving board shortly before her mysterious disappearance. Shannon Purser received a surprise Emmy nom for playing, for 10 points, what dowdy, straight-laced friend of Nancy Wheeler on *Stranger Things*?**

ANSWER: **Barb** (or **Barbara Holland**; accept any underlined portion) <Vopava>

2. **This action inspired Alan Courtney and Ben Horner to write a hit song for the Les Brown Orchestra. The ending of this action allegedly cost its performer a promotional deal with Heinz. Multiple excellent plays by Ken Keltner and the performances of Al Smith and Jim Bagby (*) contributed to the end of this action. This act broke a record set in 1897 by Wee Willie Keeler as well as a modern record by George Sisler. Despite hitting .406 for the season, Ted Williams finished second in MVP voting in 1941 behind the performer of this two month-long event. For 10 points, name this hitting achievement accomplished by a certain "Yankee Clipper."**

ANSWER: Joe **DiMaggio's 56-game hitting streak** (accept reasonable descriptions as long as they mention Joe **DiMaggio** and the notion of a **56-game hit streak**; prompt on answers that do not specify the number of games) <Nelson>

3. **In 1957 this food was shown being harvested from trees by a Swiss family in a segment of the BBC show *Panorama*, though it was revealed to be an April Fools hoax. A Vine by user KingBach depicts the absurdly tragic moment "when you trip and" this food "falls out of your pocket." An inept *Tim and Eric* character who tries to (*) "spook" people is ostensibly named for this food. In 2005 Bobby Henderson mocked the teaching of religion in schools by devising a creature composed of this food. The subject of "Lose Yourself" discovers that the vomit on his sweater contains, for 10 points, what popular variety of pasta?**

ANSWER: **spaghetti** (prompt on "pasta" or "noodles"; prompt on "Spagett"; accept **mom's spaghetti** after "Lose Yourself") <Vopava>

4. **In a 2017 cold open of *Saturday Night Live* that parodied *Forrest Gump*, this object was presented to Jeff Sessions just before the fourth-wall break. Embarrassment over this object, which is sometimes referred to as the Terrible Awful, directly leads a woman to frame Aibileen (*) for theft. The maker of this object is inspired to create it after her refusal to use an outhouse during a thunderstorm. That refusal leads to her dismissal by Hilly Holbrook, a white woman who later eats two slices of this food item. Minny Jackson bakes, for 10 points, what dessert, whose secret ingredient is disguised as chocolate custard in *The Help*?**

ANSWER: **shit pie** (accept clear-knowledge equivalents that refer to Minny's **pie** made from **poop** or human **feces** or **excrement**; prompt on partial answers) <Vopava>

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5. A rather ridiculous fan theory about one of this band's albums posits that its songs are meant to be played in an order defined by the Fibonacci sequence. The artwork of Alex Grey is prevalent in the touring sets and album covers of this band, including on their album *10,000 (*) Days*. That album begins with this band's singer noting he has his "eye on the TV, 'cause tragedy thrills me" in the song "Vicarious." Another song by this band repeats "learn to swim" when describing the destruction of California and is titled "Aenima." "Forty Six & 2" and "Lateralus" are by, for 10 points, what metal band fronted by Maynard James Keenan?
ANSWER: Tool <Nelson>

6. Critic Helen Matsen praised this work's monochromatic graphics, noting how they evoke the "kuplink, kuplank, kuplunk" of the title objects. An older version of this book's protagonist loses a tooth while clam-digging in this book's sequel, *One Morning in (*) Maine*. This work's central figure travels to a hill, where she consumes the food she collects for the winter just as fast as she acquires it. That protagonist of this work inadvertently gets her mother mixed up with the mother of a bear cub. A single shade of dark blue was used for the illustrations of, for 10 points, what Robert McCloskey picture book about a girl who picks the title fruit?
ANSWER: Blueberries for Sal <Vitello>

7. Patrick Beckert, an alternate to compete in this sport at the Olympics, missed a competition because his cell phone was turned off. Canada's Clara Hughes has won Olympic medals in both cycling and this sport, in which Claudia Pechstein earned a record 9 medals. Shortly after learning his sister had died, the U.S's Dan (*) Jansen fell in two of this sport's events in 1988. The Netherlands is by far the all-time medal leader in this sport, and won 23 of its 36 medals in Sochi. Bonnie Blair and Eric Heiden both won five gold medals in, for 10 points, what sport whose "short track" variety was the specialty of Apolo Ohno?
ANSWER: speed skating (accept short track speed skating but prompt on just "short track") <Nelson>

8. This performer played a British comedian who clearly hides a bird call device in his mouth in the "Racy Tracy Rattigan" episode of *The Dick Van Dyke Show*. This man's final film role was as a tour guide in the comedy sequel *Fletch Lives*. This man, who was born Colin Lionel Emm, was the only one of the original three regulars to sit in the *bottom row* (*) on *Match Game*. This man both preceded and replaced Ray Combs in a certain hosting role, for which he conducted a viewership poll that showed audiences overwhelmingly approved of his most infamous habit. For 10 points, name this game show host who kissed every female contestant on *Family Feud*.
ANSWER: Richard Dawson (accept Colin Lionel Emm before "Colin") <Vopava>

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9. An easter egg in this game makes it considerably easier to reach a perfect score of 890 in one of its mini-games and, when done correctly, makes an explosion noise. One section of this game has a layout identical to an NES game in which Mario strangely does *not* wear overalls. A sequel to this game, which allowed players to skydive onto Wuhu Island (*), was among the first games to require "MotionPlus" technology and was subtitled "Resort." This game is likely directly responsible for the improvement of a certain controller strap. Boxing, bowling, and three other activities are played by Miis [meez] in, for 10 points, what Wii launch title?
ANSWER: **Wii Sports** (accept **Wii Sports Resort** after "Resort") <Vopava>

10. Flaws in this text were cited by the Supreme Court decision *Joseph Burstyn, Inc. v. Wilson*, which is sometimes called the "Miracle Decision." Daniel Lord and Martin Quigley were instrumental in the creation of this document. Enforcement of this document was exercised by Geoffrey Schurlock, who succeeded Joseph (*) Breen. This document included a "one foot on the floor" rule when depicting couples and also disallowed nude silhouettes and interracial relationships. A former Postmaster General is the common namesake of, for 10 points, what set of rules that dictated morality in films during Hollywood's studio era?
ANSWER: Motion Picture **Production Code** (or **Hays Code**; accept similar answers so long as they contain the specific words **Production Code**; accept A **Code to Govern the Making of Motion Pictures**; prompt on "code" or "pre-code") <Vopava>

11. In a 2017 Super Bowl ad, Geoffrey Rush played this song on a violin while in character as Albert Einstein. This song's second verse quickly namedrops three separate Hitchcock films, including the line "want you in my rear window." This song's music video depicts its singer being sold to the Russian mob by a group of (*) models and ends with her in a charred bed. That video, as well as live performances of this song, feature its singer in a gyroscope. A breakdown in this song includes a French translation of a line claiming "I want your revenge." *The Fame Monster* opens with, for 10 points, what Lady Gaga song about a shitty relationship?
ANSWER: **Bad Romance** <Nelson>

12. After his team performed this specific action in 2014, bench player Kevin Canevari performed a dance routine which he claimed to have done "for the culture." Earl Boykins scored 23 points for Eastern Michigan in a game in which his team took this action. In a play that Kevin Harlan called "the dagger," Eric Maynor (*) clinched one of these feats while playing for VCU in 2007. The Blazers' C.J. McCollum played for one of the most surprising teams to do this, which was also done in 2014 by Mercer. Lehigh was a 15th-seeded team that took, for 10 points, what wonderful action in which an insufferable college basketball team is eliminated from a major event?
ANSWER: **beating Duke** in the NCAA Basketball Tournament (accept **defeating** or other synonyms for "beating"; accept **Duke losing** or **beating the Blue Devils**; prompt on "winning an NCAA tournament game" or "upsetting a higher-seeded team" or similar) <Nelson>

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13. **Description acceptable. This woman criticized the Pillsbury Doughboy by yelling "No fat ghost sailor is going to tell me what kind of biscuits to eat!" while watching a Thanksgiving Day parade. While preparing for a trip to Gator World, this character is left in a driveway, one of numerous instances of her being forgotten. This woman revealed that a person's tattoo of (*) Chinese characters reads "toaster" and that another was just a tic-tac-toe board. Jenny is the American name of this wheelchair-bound woman portrayed by Lucille Soong. For 10 points, name this elderly relative of Eddie Huang ["wong"] on an ABC series about an Asian-American family.**

ANSWER: **Grandma** (Jenny) Huang (accept reasonable equivalents like **Grandmother** Huang or the **grandmother** or the **grandma** from **Fresh Off the Boat**; accept **Jenny** before mentioned; prompt on "Huang") <Vitello>

14. **The penultimate track of the concert album *The Cowboy Rides Away* is a version of this song with a host of guest singers. The singer of this song from the album *Ocean Front Property* details how he envisions another place through "transcendental meditation." One of the title figures of this song allegedly forgot that its performer (*) "hung the moon." Drake's "HYFR" begins by name-dropping this song, whose other title women, including Alison and Rosanna, force him to reside hundreds of miles away from where he'd "dearly love to be." For 10 points, name this song by George Strait that details why he hangs his hat "in Tennessee." ANSWER: **All My Ex's Live in Texas** <Nelson>**

15. **One character in this film jokingly suggests that *Love in the Time of Cholera* is "about girls." Another character in this film insists on having sex in a car after her father's funeral and is likely the best known role of Danish actress Iben Hjejle [EE-ben YAY-luh]. This film's protagonist is told "no fucking way" after declaring his intent to organize a collection (*) "autobiographically." That protagonist of this film employs Barry and Dick, whom he dubs the "musical moron twins," and names "Janie Jones" by the Clash #1 on his top 5 "side one, track ones." Rob Gordon owns Championship Vinyl in, for 10 points, what 2000 adaptation of a Nick Hornby novel? ANSWER: **High Fidelity** <Nelson>**

16. **A 2014 *Sports Illustrated* article revealed how this man wanted to name his dog "Ball Security" but settled on the name "Fumble." In his first season at his current job, this man hit a bicyclist with his car. This 2006 Big East Coach of the Year drew criticism for starting Mike Glennon over Josh (*) Freeman while coaching a team he took over from Raheem Morris. A trade of Aqib Talib suggested that Talib was not one of this coach's namesake "men." In 2016, Urban Meyer hired him to succeed Chris Ash as Ohio State's defensive coordinator. For 10 points, name this bizarre former coach of Rutgers and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. ANSWER: Greg **Schiano** [shee-AHN-oh] (or Gregory Edward **Schiano**) <Vitello>**

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17. Cadien Lake James heads an indie rock band with this name, whose songs include "Flavor" and "Holding Roses." During pride weekend, an enormous pink triangle is placed on a feature with this name in central San Francisco. A restaurant chain with this name has a menu that includes the Billionaire's Bacon Burger and is advertised as having "eats," "drinks," and "scenic views." A (*) TV series with this name featured a scene in which a dwarf speaks backwards in a red room during a dream. A wilderness lodge-themed "breastaurant" shares its name with, for 10 points, what series centered on an FBI agent's investigation into the death of Laura Palmer?

ANSWER: Twin Peaks <Vitello>

18. A bad and unnecessary cover of this song appears on *Monuments and Melodies*, a greatest hits album by Incubus. A court case between Stephanie Lenz and Universal Music Group concerned the former's YouTube video of her toddler dancing to this song, whose final verse claims that "daffodils will (*) kill." An April 2016 performance of *Hamilton* was amended with a performance of this song's spoken-word intro, which describes a "world of never-ending happiness" called "the afterworld." A "de-elevator" is not allowed to "bring us down" in, for 10 points, what celebratory opening song of Prince's *Purple Rain*?

ANSWER: Let's Go Crazy <Nelson>

19. This character consults with a Native American sage named "True of Heart" after being turned into a child by Master Vile. This character, who gave his powers to T.J. Johnson, once wielded a short sword named Saba whose hilt featured a tiger. Another role taken on by this man wields an object that is clearly a dagger but is referred to as a (*) flute which, despite all that, makes trumpet noises. This character is first seen fighting to a 4-4 tie against Jason Lee Scott at the start of the five-part episode "Green With Evil." Jason David Frank played, for 10 points, what man who became both the White and Green Power Rangers?

ANSWER: Tommy Oliver (accept either, or Dr. Thomas Oliver; prompt on "Green Ranger" or "White Ranger" or similar before mentioned) <Nelson>

20. A construction worker in this film jokes about a man whose penis reads "Welcome to Jamaica, Have a Nice Day!" A quote attributed to Einstein is seen in this film on a chalkboard that predicts "if the bee disappeared" then "man would only have four years" to live. In this film, a teacher played by John Leguizamo (*) asks a girl about the doubling of pennies before he slits his wrists. In a 2010 interview, the star of this film admitted "it was a really bad movie," and noted "It is what it is. Fucking trees, man." Mark Wahlberg survives a neurotoxin attack in, for 10 points, what 2008 thriller directed by M. Night Shyamalan?

ANSWER: The Happening <Vitello>

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1. An album by ska band Five Iron Frenzy and an *Always Sunny* episode that brings back the game Chardee MacDennis both make use of this subtitle. For 10 points each:

[10] Give this two-word subtitle that has come to be used for the 2nd entry of numerous series, ostensibly for comedic effect. Its first use was in a 1984 Sam Firstenberg film.

ANSWER: **Electric Boogaloo**

[10] The first film to use the phrase "Electric Boogaloo" was part of this series about a certain type of dancing.

ANSWER: **Breakin'** (accept **Breakdance: the Movie** or **Break Street '84**)

[10] The only actor to appear in both *Breakin'* films and their loosely connected sequel *Rappin'* is this man, whose other early roles include T-Saint in *Tank Girl* and J-Bone in *Johnny Mnemonic*.

ANSWER: **Ice-T** (or Tracy Lauren **Marrow**) <Nelson>

2. Urban Dictionary defines this term as representing "the sound of rubber wheels when you drift or turn abruptly." For 10 points each:

[10] Give this onomatopoeic phrase that titles a single off *The Slaughter Tape* by 21 Savage. It is interjected after noting that the top of an Audi [OW-dee] had to be chopped in the Migos [MEE-gohss] song "T-Shirt."

ANSWER: **skrt** skrt ["skirt skirt"] (or **skrtt** skrtt) [The 21 Savage song is "Skrtt Skrtt."]

[10] This rapper declared how he's going to "jump in that Jag" in his song "Skrt." He sang that he's trying not to "miss out on these millions" in his 2017 song "Tunnel Vision."

ANSWER: **Kodak Black** (or Dieuson **Octave**; accept either underlined portion)

[10] This member of Odd Future released a song titled "SKRT SKRT" in 2016. This rapper was sent to Samoa until he turned 18 and released the album *I Don't Like Shit, I Don't Go Outside*.

ANSWER: **Earl Sweatshirt** (or Thebe Neruda **Kgositsile**) <Vitello>

3. This man risked disbarment by arranging a sham prosecution following the murder of his co-worker, Alexandra Borgia. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this long-time attorney on *Law & Order*, who spent the last of his 16 seasons on the show as New York's District Attorney.

ANSWER: Jack **McCoy** (or John Jack **McCoy**)

[10] Jack McCoy was played by this long-time actor, who once played Nick Carraway and more recently appeared in ads for TD Ameritrade and Old Glory Robot Insurance.

ANSWER: Sam **Waterston**

[10] For *Law & Order*'s 18th season, McCoy was replaced as ADA by this incredibly underrated attorney, played by Linus Roache, a British actor who faked being American to land the role.

ANSWER: **Michael Cutter** (accept either, or Mike **Cutter**) <Nelson>

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4. In 2016, Pitchfork published a weird and hipster-ish list of the most underrated songs from Nintendo 64 games. For 10 points each:

[10] This game was praised for its "Sherry's Theme," which the article likened to Sigur Ros [SIG-uhr rohss]. This 1998 game introduced Leon Kennedy.

ANSWER: **Resident Evil 2** (do not accept or prompt on "Resident Evil")

[10] "Quiet Forest," a song that supposedly appeals to fans of Julia Holter, appears in the article and in *The Crystal Shards*, the N64 game starring this foe of Metaknight.

ANSWER: **Kirby** (accept **Kirby 64: The Crystal Shards**)

[10] The article notes that if you like Beck, you'll also enjoy the main menu music to the first game in this NBA basketball series. All three games in this series, including one for the GameCube, feature Kobe Bryant.

ANSWER: NBA **Courtside** <Nelson>

5. This man's 6,109 rushing yards is an NFL record for a quarterback. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this former Atlanta Falcon who, more notably, was jailed for his involvement in a dogfighting ring.

ANSWER: Michael **Vick** (or Mike **Vick**; accept Michael Dwayne **Vick**)

[10] Michael Vick's pre-dog-killing controversies included an incident in which he sought treatment for genital herpes using this amazing pseudonym. Custom jerseys with this name became popular enough to be banned by the NFL's online store.

ANSWER: Ron **Mexico**

[10] Vick had a 1,000 yard rushing season in 2006 but still finished with 100 yards fewer than this teammate, a former running back who is now a minority owner of the Falcons.

ANSWER: Warrick **Dunn** <Nelson>

6. This man won an Oscar for his portrayal of author Truman Capote [kuh-POH-tee]. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this late-actor, whose other credits include playing troubled director Caden Cotard in *Synecdoche, New York* [sihn-NECK-doh-kee "New York"].

ANSWER: Philip Seymour **Hoffman**

[10] Meryl Streep starred alongside Hoffmann in this 2008 film. In it, Hoffman played Father Flynn, a man suspected of conducting an inappropriate relationship with an altar boy.

ANSWER: **Doubt**

[10] Among Hoffman's last appearances was in this 2014 film by Anton Corbijn [cor-BAYN] adapted from a John le Carré [luh car-AY] novel. In it, Hoffman plays the anti-terrorism agent Günther Bachmann.

ANSWER: A **Man Most Wanted** <Vitello>

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7. On one episode of this show, characters disgust Ethan Chandler by making bets as to how many rats a dog is able to kill. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this Showtime series in which Ethan, a sharpshooting American, is played by Josh Hartnett. He accompanies the likes of Sir Malcolm Murray and Vanessa Ives as they investigate the paranormal in Victorian-era England.

ANSWER: **Penny Dreadful**

[10] This actress, who recorded the album *Honey to the B*, played the Irish immigrant Brona Croft on *Penny Dreadful*, a character who is resurrected as Lily by Victor Frankenstein.

ANSWER: Billie **Piper** (accept Leian **Piper**)

[10] This *Penny Dreadful* character portrayed by Reeve Carney is adapted from and named for an eternally young Oscar Wilde creation.

ANSWER: **Dorian Gray** (accept either underlined portion) <Vitello>

8. This phrase originated as a catchphrase for comic strip character Zippy the Pinhead, who would often ask it sarcastically in dull situations. For 10 points each:

[10] Give this five-word question, which is also the bane of the existence of TV character Henry Pollard.

ANSWER: **Are we having fun yet?**

[10] Henry Pollard, played by Adam Scott, is a washed up actor who became best known for asking "Are we having fun yet?" in a beer commercial on this incredibly underrated Starz series.

ANSWER: **Party Down**

[10] The phrase "are we having fun yet?" is repeated in the chorus of "How You Remind Me," a song by this generally reviled Canadian rock band.

ANSWER: **Nickelback** <Nelson>

9. The Smashing Pumpkins' agonizingly whiny version of this song was the B-side to their hit "Disarm." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this song whose singer saw her "reflection in the snow covered hills" and asks "Mirror in the sky, what is love?"

ANSWER: **Landslide**

[10] Fleetwood Mac's "Landslide" was one of Stevie Nicks' first two contributions to the group as a songwriter. The other is this song about a Welsh witch that asks "will you ever win?".

ANSWER: **Rhiannon**

[10] A live version of "Landslide" was released to promote this extremely successful Fleetwood Mac live album, which marked the 1997 reunion of the band's classic lineup.

ANSWER: The **Dance** <Vitello>

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10. The 2011 documentary *Magic Trip* recounts the travels taken in an iconic vehicle known as "Further." For 10 points each:

[10] Further, which was owned and used by a group of writers, was this type of vehicle. The last trip taken in it was to the original Woodstock festival.

ANSWER: school **bus** (do not accept or prompt on "VW bus" or similar)

[10] Further was owned by this author and leader of the Merry Pranksters, who is best known for writing about the rebellious Randle McMurphy.

ANSWER: Ken **Kesey** [KEE-zee] (or Kenneth Elton **Kesey**)

[10] A drug-laden trip taken in Further and Ken Kesey's exile in Mexico are explicitly detailed in this 1968 non-fiction work, which presents Kesey in a nearly messianic light.

ANSWER: The **Electric Kool-Aid Acid Test** <Nelson>

11. For all but one season season from 1990 to 2008, the NL Gold Glove Award for pitchers went to the same player. For 10 points each:

[10] Name that man, who spent most of those seasons as a remarkably efficient starter for the Cubs and Braves.

ANSWER: Greg **Maddux** (or Gregory Alan **Maddux**)

[10] The only pitcher to win an NL pitching Gold Glove in that span besides Maddux was this other Brave in 2003. This surprisingly good hitter also had stints with the Astros, Mets, and Rockies.

ANSWER: Mike **Hampton** (or Michael William **Hampton**)

[10] In 2009, the Cubs retired their #31 jersey in honor of both Maddux and this black, Canadian-born pitcher, who also briefly played for the Harlem Globetrotters. This man and Maddux are among just four pitchers to have over 3,000 strikeouts and under 1,000 walks.

ANSWER: Ferguson (Arthur) **Jenkins** (or Fergie **Jenkins**) <Nelson>

12. October, the wife of retired NFL tight end Tony Gonzalez, serves as the DJ on this game show. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this Fox program hosted by Jamie Foxx, where contestants vie for a chance to compete against a ubiquitous music recognition app.

ANSWER: **Beat Shazam**

[10] Christine Porcelli's ability to quickly identify this final song allowed her and Steve Lester to become *Beat Shazam*'s first million-dollar winners. In this song, singer Roland Orzabal insists "come on, I'm talking to you."

ANSWER: **Shout** [by Tears for Fears]

[10] *Beat Shazam* is executive produced by this sometimes controversial TV producer, who also funded the mini-series *The Bible* and is launching a Christian TV network.

ANSWER: Mark **Burnett** <Vitello>

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13. This woman was the first Hollywood star to be paid one million dollars to appear in a film. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this glamorous movie star who received that payout for 1963's *Cleopatra*. Her breakout role was as a child star in 1944's *National Velvet*.

ANSWER: Elizabeth (Rosemond) **Taylor** (or Liz **Taylor**)

[10] While filming *Cleopatra*, Taylor began an affair with co-star Richard Burton while still married to this Hollywood producer best known for his Oscar-winning 1956 version of *Around the World in 80 Days*.

ANSWER: Mike **Todd** (or Avrom (Hirsch) **Goldbogen**)

[10] Taylor and Burton co-starred in eleven films total, including *The V.I.P.s*, *The Taming of the Shrew*, and this brutal 1966 play adaptation, for which Elizabeth Taylor and Sandy Dennis won very well-deserved Oscars.

ANSWER: **Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?** <Vopava>

14. A 2014 IndieGoGo campaign by Big Deez Productions raised over \$450,000 to produce this game's follow-up, which will be subtitled "A Legend Reborn." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this 1994 video game centered on a basketball player who must defend the Earth by defeating the forces of the Second World.

ANSWER: **Shaq-Fu**

[10] In *Shaq-Fu*, this "entity of ancient evil" once attempted to conquer the Earth by posing as an Egyptian pharaoh. With his minion Beast, this "mummy" kidnaps the young Nezu.

ANSWER: **Sett** Ra (prompt on "Ra")

[10] On the Sega Genesis, players could quickly press A, B, C, C, B, A on the *Shaq-Fu* "Options" screen to unlock a certain feature, making it this specific type of code. In another Genesis fighting game, A, B, A, C, A, B, B was another of this type of code.

ANSWER: **blood** code (accept answers that describe a code that makes **blood** appear) <Vitello>

15. Atlanta Aftermath and Mardi Gras World are levels in a "league" for this sport whose competitors have included Nurk and Gab707. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this sport, whose pilots wear head-mounted displays while flying devices through a series of obstacles. Outfits like MultiGP organize events in this sport.

ANSWER: (first-person view or FPV) **drone racing** (accept **Drone Racing** League; prompt on "DRL"; prompt on partial answers)

[10] Nicholas Horbaczewski, founder of the Drone Racing League, was a CEO of this company that specializes in obstacle courses for humans. This company's courses commonly feature challenges like Funky Monkey and Arctic Enema.

ANSWER: **Tough Mudder** (or **TMHQ**)

[10] To date, Tough Mudder has raised over \$6 million for this Jacksonville-based "project" founded in the wake of September 11th.

ANSWER: **Wounded Warrior** Project (or **WWP**) <Vitello>

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16. A nine-note pattern known as the "Oriental riff" is commonly used in music to represent Asian culture, though it is an entirely Western creation. For 10 points each:

[10] The riff is extremely prominent in this song by one-hit wonder The Vapors, whose title is often and inaccurately said to be slang for masturbation.

ANSWER: **Turning Japanese**

[10] This disco singer used the riff in the chorus of a 1974 hit that describes "kicks" which were "fast as lightning."

ANSWER: Carl **Douglas** (or Carlton George **Douglas**)

[10] The prog rock band Rush also used the riff on this song from their album *2112*. This song is essentially one big allusion to marijuana sale and use.

ANSWER: A **Passage to Bangkok** <Nelson>

17. For 10 points each, answer the following about the incredibly underrated X-Men prequel film trilogy:

[10] The trilogy began with this film, which depicted a young Professor X and Magneto and was set against the backdrop of the Cuban Missile Crisis.

ANSWER: X-Men: **First Class**

[10] The second film in the series was based on the *Days of Future Past* storyline, though it deviates from the original by having the X-Men send Wolverine back in time instead of this character, who can walk through walls.

ANSWER: **Kitty Pryde** or **Shadowcat** (accept any underlined portion)

[10] A great action sequence in *Days of Future Past* depicts Quicksilver dispatching a kitchen full of guards at lightning speed. The scene is, appropriately, set to this song that describes the "first thing that I'd like to do."

ANSWER: **Time in a Bottle** <Nelson>

18. A brawl at a Virginia bowling alley involving this athlete was central to the *30 for 30* film *No Crossover*. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this former Philadelphia 76er, whose most iconic career moment may be his lengthy rant about "practice."

ANSWER: Allen (Ezail) **Iverson** (prompt on "(The) Answer" or "AI3" [A-I-"three"])

[10] While at Georgetown, Iverson played basketball under this head coach. This man's son was fired as Georgetown's men's basketball coach in 2017.

ANSWER: John (Robert) **Thompson** (Jr.)

[10] In 2001, Allen Iverson recorded a rap song using this stage name. After criticism over its homophobic lyrics, the song and a potential album were shelved.

ANSWER: **Jewelz** <Vitello>

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19. Members of this band described the music of Justin Bieber as "chlamydia of the ear." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this group comprised of the brothers Zac, Taylor, and Isaac, and who achieved mainstream success with their album *Middle of Nowhere*.

ANSWER: **Hanson**

[10] For some reason, Hanson teamed with Mustang Brewing to create this American Pale Ale. This drink's name is a joke on the title of their biggest, most incomprehensible hit.

ANSWER: **Mmmhops** [The Hanson single was "MMMBop."]

[10] One of Hanson's live albums includes a surprisingly impressive cover of this song from Radiohead's *Kid A*. Its chorus repeats "you can try the best you can," and it later claims "this one's" the title adjective.

ANSWER: **Optimistic** <Vitello>

20. On a three-part Valentine's Day special of this show, the title girl Bridget falls for her nerdy classmate, Jeremy. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this sitcom, whose title character was played by a young Kaley Cuoco. On the show, her mother was played by Katey Sagal [suh-GAHL].

ANSWER: **8 Simple Rules** for Dating My Teenage Daughter

[10] The production of *8 Simple Rules* was rocked by the death of this actor, who played Bridget's father. He may be best known for playing Jack Tripper on *Three's Company*.

ANSWER: John **Ritter** (or Jonathan Southworth **Ritter**)

[10] Kaley Cuoco portrayed a younger version of the teenaged Angela Chase on this acclaimed single-season drama, which also starred a young Jared Leto as the barely literate youth, Jordan Catalano.

ANSWER: **My So-Called Life** <Vitello>