

IISc PRAVEGA CULTURALS

THE TRIVIATHON

PART 2: TRIAL BY TRIVIA!

THEME:

Our knowledge of the mysteries of the Universe grows in leaps and bounds. What was true ten years ago may not be true today. Such is the speed with which Science progresses. Pravega, which literally means “high velocity” or “acceleration” in Sanskrit, is the largest science fest in the country.

The Triviathon is an encapsulating series of quizzes based on various popular and intriguing topics. It is aimed to encourage the little quizzier in all of us that comes vigorously to life when we see anything that interests us.

The Second quiz is based on one of the most fundamental aspect of our lives as social animals, General Knowledge! GK is important for enhancing our sense of perceiving the world, for better grasping and understanding; and analysis of varying situations cannot be possible without proper knowledge. Hence this quiz covers a vast plethora of topics to bring out the Know-It-All in everyone. From History to Sports, from Mythology to Current Affairs, from Fine Arts to Literature; the quiz is guaranteed to make you scratch your minds and delve into your depths to fish out the answer! Happy quizzing!

Eligibility criteria:

Anyone and everyone can participate. It is an individual event.

Registration:

Please register for the quiz using the link below:

<https://rb.gy/5pmvht>

Registrations end on 3rd October, 2020 at 9 pm.

Technical details and instructions:

- 1) The quiz shall go live at sharp 4:00 PM and will remain so until 4:30 PM on October 4, 2020. Please start the quiz in this duration.
- 2) The duration of the quiz is 12 minutes after which the quiz shall go into overtime. There will be no automatic submissions, but for every extra 7.5 seconds, 1 point shall be deducted.
- 3) There will be a total of 60 questions. Every question is a Multiple-Choice Question (MCQ). The marking scheme shall be disclosed before the quiz.
- 4) The winner shall be decided on number of points. In case of a tie, the quiz duration shall be taken into account, with the participant who submitted the quiz in lesser time being given a higher ranking.
- 5) The link to the quiz shall be shared to you 30 minutes before the start of the quiz, i.e. 3:30 PM. It shall be shared to you on the Email address that you will provide us when you register for the event.
- 6) Except when prohibited by law, participation in this competition constitutes the permission to use the participants' name, likeness and prize information for publicity purposes, without further permission or compensation.
- 7) IISc, Bangalore is not responsible for any network issues from the participants' side.
- 8) If any participant is found using unfair means (bots, fake accounts etc), they shall be disqualified with immediate effect.
- 9) For any other queries, please contact the coordinators –

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Dates:

The quiz goes live on 4:00 PM, 4th October, 2020 and remains so till 4:30 PM, 4th October, 2020. The results shall be announced within 48 hours and the winners shall be announced across our social media handles.

Prizes:

There are a total of 3 prizes worth ₹500.

The winner shall be awarded ₹250.

The runner-up shall be awarded ₹150.

The second runner-up shall be awarded ₹100.

The prizes shall be given to the winners within 2 weeks.

Acceptance:

The participation in the competition implies the acceptance of these terms, as well as the judging criteria.

Force Majeure:

This contest is subject to force majeure circumstances including without limitation, pandemics, floods, natural disasters, war, act of terror, political unrests, technical snags, act of God or any circumstance beyond the reasonable control of Pravega, IISc. Bangalore ("Force Majeure Event"). Pravega, IISc. Bangalore shall be not liable for any delay or adverse effect caused to the participants in the contest including the winners as a result of a Force Majeure Event.