Q7   17   21   17   18   17   19   18   17   63

mean = $\frac{17+21+17+18+17+19+18+17+63}{9}$ = $\frac{207}{9}$ = $\boxed{23}$

median :   17   17   17   17   ⓘ18   18   9   21   63

↑
Median

stdev :

$17^2 + 21^2 + 17^2 + 18^2 + 17^2 + 19^2 + 18^2 + 17^2 + 63^2 = 6575$

$\Rightarrow S^2 = \frac{6575 - 9(23)^2}{8} = \frac{6575 - 4761}{8} = 226.75$

$S = \sqrt{226.75} = \boxed{15.05}$

Remove the largest value:

17   17   17   17   18   18   19   21

mean = $\frac{144}{8}$ = 18   median = $\frac{17+18}{2}$ = 17.5

mean
↓
17   17   17   17   18   18   19   21
↑
Median   normal distribution !

Previously (with large value: 63)

mean
↓
17   17   17   17   18   18   19   21   63 ← pulling the mean up.
↑
Median

In this case - which is a better way of measuring the
central tendency of the data set?