

RECENT AMERICAN HISTORY

(mostly questions from 1980 to present, a few others)
(plus bonuses for a Phineas and Ferb packet!)

53 tossups, 22 bonuses

The crew of the *U.S.S. Saipan* received the Humanitarian Service Medal for their role in this event. It led to a 1987 Atlanta prison riot, and the case *Garcia-Mir v. Meese* dealt with it. Jimmy Carter was criticized for allowing the United States to take on so many “undesirables.” For 10 points, name this 1980 boatlift which transported Cuban exiles to the U.S.

ANSWER: Maríel boatlift

In the wake of this event, the “Civiletti Guidelines” were issued. Afterwards, Larry Pressler was called a hero for refusing to participate. Frank Thompson resigned, Harrison “Pete” Williams was sent to prison, and Ozzie Myers was expelled from the House after this event. For 10 points, name this sting operation in which the FBI posed as a fictional sheikh to trap greedy congressmen.

ANSWER: Abscam

This person was arrested in 1982 for embezzling money from her real estate company. In her most famous action, she seemingly defeated Jacqueline Gareau, although Susan Morrow claimed she met this woman on the subway. She said she “got up with a lot of energy” to explain her lack of fatigue. For 10 points, name this woman who infamously cheated to win the 1980 Boston Marathon.

ANSWER: Rosie Ruiz Vivas

An assassination attempt on this man in May 1980 was the first story covered by CNN. A member of the Iraq Study Group, he was at the time president of the National Urban League. This man assisted John Kerry in debate prep during the 2004 election. For 10 points, name this African-American lawyer, a close adviser to Bill Clinton and prominent figure during the Lewinsky scandal.

ANSWER: Vernon Jordan Jr.

She is not Cybill Shepherd, but a book about this woman is titled *The Killing of the Unicorn* and was written by her lover, Peter Bogdanovich. She was the focus of the film *Star 80*, which focused on her murder at the hands of husband Paul Snider. For 10 points, name this 1980 Playmate of the Year who was killed at age twenty.

ANSWER: Dorothy Stratten

After this woman’s death, it was revealed her child’s father was Jeff Faraday. She died after overdosing on drugs and falling off a balcony into the ranch’s swimming pool. The sister of Sue Ellen, she was played by Mary Crosby in most of her appearances. For 10 points, name this character from *Dallas* who had an affair with Sue Ellen’s husband, J.R., and then shot him in a noted cliffhanger.

ANSWER: Kristin Shepard [accept either]

During this event, Jose Perdomo shouted “Do you know what you’ve done?” to one participant. After this event, Howard Cosell mused “Remember this is just a football game, no matter who wins or loses,” in telling it to the American public. One figure had been photographed that day by Annie Leibovitz with his wife, while another figure was found with a copy of *Catcher in the Rye*. For 10 points, identify this murder of a noted Beatle.

ANSWER: Death of John Lennon [accept equivalents]

In one speech, this man referred to the “Tennessee snail darter” was “the bane of my existence, the nemesis of my golden years.” The son-in-law of both Alf Landon and Everett Dirksen, he replaced Donald Regan as Reagan’s Chief of Staff in 1987. For 10 points, name this ranking Republican on the Ervin Committee, who asked “What did the President know and when did he know it?”

ANSWER: Howard Baker Jr.

This man was Phyllis Schlafly’s campaign manager for her 1970 congressional run. Frank Reynolds angrily shouted on-air “Let’s get it nailed down!” after erroneously proclaiming this man’s death on television. He held his White

House position for all of the Reagan years, even though Marlin Fitzwater carried out his duties. For 10 points, name this Reagan Press Secretary who was wounded by John Hinckley and names a piece of handgun legislation.
ANSWER: James **Brady**

This man rose to prominence was J. Paul Getty's personal assistant in the early 1960's. While at Harvard Law School, this man's case was assisted by a young Jim Cramer. An early conviction was reversed on the grounds that investigator Eddie Lambert had illegally obtained a bag containing syringes and insulin, which this man was suspected of using to try to kill his wife Sunny. For 10 points, name this figure played by Jeremy Irons in *Reversal of Fortune*, a famous client of Alan Dershowitz.
ANSWER: Claus **von Bulow** [accept Claus Cecil **Borberg**]

Roger Arnold was cleared of involvement in this event, but suffered a murderous nervous breakdown due to media attention. James Lewis was convicted of extortion for demanding one million dollars to end this event. In 2011, the FBI requested DNA samples from the Unabomber while investigating this event. For 10 points, name these 1982 killings in Chicago involving the poisoning of certain over-the-counter substances.
ANSWER: **Tylenol** murders

Before killing *My Sister Sam* star Rebecca Schaeffer, Robert John Bardo reportedly targeted this figure, who was killed in a 1985 Bar Harbor Airlines flight in Maine. She wrote a book describing her visit to a camp called Artek and her in most famous work, she wrote "God made the world for us to live together in peace and not to fight." For 10 points, name this 10-year-old who asked Yuri Andropov if he was "going to vote to have a war or not."
ANSWER: Samantha **Smith**

A 2000's *American Journal of Political Science* ranked this man only behind Ron Paul as the most conservative Congressman between 1937 and 2002. The second president of the John Birch Society, he wrote the book *Trotskyism and Terror* and Jerry Falwell claimed his death was a Soviet assassination plot. For 10 points, name this Georgia Congressman who died when Korean Air Lines Flight 007 was shot down.
ANSWER: Lawrence **McDonald**

David Shaw won the 1991 Pulitzer Prize for analyzing the media coverage of this event. One early participant, Judy Johnson, was later diagnosed with schizophrenia after making the assertion that Ray Buckey could fly. Taking place in Manhattan Beach, California, this event featured accusations of secret underground tunnels as well as children identifying Chuck Norris as an abuser. For 10 points, name this 1980s case in which members of the namesake day care were accused of ritual satanic abuse.
ANSWER: **McMartin** preschool/daycare trial

Wikipedia claims this man is currently involved in squirrel rescue and his case was the inspiration for the second ever *Law and Order* episode, in which he was played by Cynthia Nixon. He reportedly said "You seem to be all right, here's another" while crippling Darrell Cabey. For 10 points, name this man, who was known as the "Subway Vigilante" for shooting four young muggers in 1984.
ANSWER: Bernhard **Goetz**

This event was organized by Michael Deaver, who failed to properly research aspects of it. The song "My Brain is Hanging Upside Down" by the Ramones refers to it in its subtitle. During it, Michael Moore and a friend appeared with the sign "WE CAME FROM MICHIGAN: THEY KILLED MY FAMILY." It was defended by a participant who said "they were victims, just as surely as the victims in the concentration camps." For 10 points, name this 1985 visit of a sitting president to a graveyard containing SS grave markers.
ANSWER: **Reagan** at **Bitburg** [or **Reagan** at **Kolmeshohe** Cemetery]

Farouq Quaddumi claimed that the person killed in this event was actually killed by his wife Marilyn for insurance money. One work about this event features the "Hagar Chorus" and the "Aria of the Falling Body (Gymnopedie)." The man killed in this event was a disabled appliance manufacturer killed by men who were refused permission to dock in Syria. For 10 points, name this 1985 hijacking which resulted in the death of Leon Klinghoffer.
ANSWER: Hijacking of the **Achille Lauro** [accept **death** of **Klinghoffer** until mentioned]

This woman started the Digit Fund. Her last diary entry reads “When you realize the value of all life, you dwell less on what is past and concentrate more on the preservation of the future,” written shortly before her murder with a machete. The founder of the Karisoke Research Center, she may have been killed by poachers. For 10 points, name this researcher of gorillas, played by Sigourney Weaver in *Gorillas in the Mist*.

ANSWER: Dian **Fosse**

This man fought Nobuhiko Takada in a 1991 “boxer vs. wrestler” bout which ended when he complained about Takada’s kickboxing and left the ring. He was murdered in 2006 in Jamaica after being clubbed with a steel pipe. Mike Tyson won his first heavyweight title by beating this man as revenge for a 1981 fight. For 10 points, name this man criticized for beating Muhammad Ali in Ali’s last fight.

ANSWER: Trevor **Berbick**

This man was the head of the agency which created the Policy Analysis Market, a futures exchange market based on the future of the Middle East. He graduated first in his class in the Naval Academy the same year as John McCain. He replaced Robert McFarlane as Reagan’s National Security Advisor. For 10 points, name this Rear Admiral convicted during the Iran-Contra scandal who has a humorous last name.

ANSWER: John **Poindexter**

One former governor of this state was appointed by CBS in to review the *60 Minutes* segment that ended Dan Rather’s career. A treasurer of this state committed suicide during a televised press conference in 1987. Besides Bud Dwyer and Dick Thornburgh, another politician from this state was not given a speaking slot at the 1992 Democratic Convention possibly because of his pro-life views. For 10 points, name this home state of Robert Casey, whose namesake son replaced Rick Santorum as Senator here.

ANSWER: **Pennsylvania**

This man wrote the book *Alice in Blunderland*. To demonstrate the lack of security, he once brought a gun to Bob Dole’s office. He won a Pulitzer Prize for uncovering U.S. involvement in the Indo-Pakistani War and was noted for his column “Washington Merry-Go-Round.” For 10 points, name this reporter who was reportedly targeted for assassination by White House plumbers, a noted nemesis of Richard Nixon.

ANSWER: Jack **Anderson**

Wikipedia claims while that he was imprisoned for mail fraud, this mans hared a Rochester jail cell with Lyndon LaRouche. He wrote the book *I Was Wrong* and was accused of sexually assaulting Jessica Hahn. The co-founder of the Heritage USA theme park with his wife, he starred with her on the show *The PTL Club*. For 10 points, name this protégé of Pat Robertson, a televangelist and ex-husband of Tammy Faye.

ANSWER: Jim **Bakker**

The first edition of this book was edited by Charles Thaxton, while it was written by Percival Davis and Dean Kenyon. Printing costs for it were met by donations to the FTE, with donors receiving a box with the title figure on the lid. Later revised and given the title *The Design of Life*, it is best known for being at the center of the case *Kitzmiller v. Dover Area School District*. For 10 points, name this intelligent design textbook with a bamboo-chewing animal in its title.

ANSWER: **Of Pandas and People**: *The Central Question of Biological Origins* [accept *The Design of Life* before mentioned]

According to Wikipedia, this figure was called a “lump” by Karl Rove and was criticized as not being mean enough by Vladimir Putin. An *Onion* article in 2006 described his surprise visit boosting troop morale in Iraq. The uncle of Miss Beazley, he has starred in seven short films produced by the White House. For 10 points, name this impish Scottish terrier owned by George W. Bush.

ANSWER: **Barney**

This man won the 1988 Democratic Iowa caucus based on his “Hyundai” ad criticizing Asian imports. Michael Dukakis mocked him with a “flip-flop” ad showing a lookalike of this man doing flips. In 2004, it was inaccurately announced by the *New York Post* that this man would be John Kerry’s running mate. For 10 points, name this Missouri politician, the longtime House Minority leader from 1995 to 2003.

ANSWER: Dick **Gephardt**

This event was cited in the book *Decision at Sea* as the most recent of the five most significant American naval engagements. It took place shortly after the *Samuel B. Roberts* hit a mine as part of Operation Earnest Will. It began with an attack on the Sassan oil platform and included the sinking of the *Joshan*. For 10 points, name this event during the Iran-Iraq war in which the U.S. attacked Iranian targets.

ANSWER: Operation **Praying Mantis**

This man is the subject of the documentary *Boogie Man*. A onetime backup guitar player for Percy Sledge, in 1980, he supported Floyd Spence by saying Tom Turnipseed had been “hooked up to jumper cables” to treat his depression. He later apologized for his behavior after developing a brain tumor in 1990 and converting to Catholicism. For 10 points, name this George H.W. Bush campaign manager known for exploiting the image of Willie Horton to hurt Michael Dukakis.

ANSWER: Lee **Atwater**

One of these figures later married Tammi Saccoman, who wrote the book *They Said We'd Never Make It*. These figures were notably defended by Leslie Abramson, who offered up theories of sexual abuse. They reportedly carried out their most famous action in a Beverly Hills mansion with a Mossberg 12-gauge shotgun. For 10 points, name these brothers convicted for killing their wealthy parents.

ANSWER: Lyle and Erik **Menendez** brothers

Two weeks after this event, Anthony Graziosi was killed in the same area. One politician was hurt for his comments that “the community needed to be allowed to vent,” while another figure made comments about “diamond dealers.” It began when a car in the motorcade of Rabbi Menachem Mendel Schneerson got into an accident, killing a seven year old. For 10 points, name this 1991 riot in Brooklyn described as a pogrom by Rudy Giuliani.

ANSWER: **Crown Heights** riot

National Security Advisor Brent Snowcroft called this event “a low moment in US Army history,” and despite the Army’s efforts, it was stopped when Monsignor Jose Sebastian Laboa conducted his own negotiations, giving a sermon about “the thief on the cross.” Mostly taking place at the Apostolic Nuncio, it was notable for featuring deafening playing of rock music. For 10 points, name this 1989 component of Operation Just Cause which captured Manuel Noriega.

ANSWER: Operation **Nifty Package** [prompt on **Just Cause**, accept **capture of Noriega** until mention]

He is not Barney Frank, but this man was the target of a Newt Gingrich smear campaign in the early ‘90s that claimed this man was a gay pedophile. He was ultimately defeated by George Nethercutt, who used the term limit controversy against this long-serving politician, making him the first sitting Speaker to lose a reelection campaign since Galusha Grow. For 10 points, name this Washington politician, who was succeeded as Speaker by Gingrich.

ANSWER: Tom **Foley**

This figure is depicted as the “patron saint” of the villain in the movie *Waterworld*. In “The Birdbot of Ice-Catraz,” Bender is sentenced to community service for basically mirroring this man’s actions. He admitted drinking two or three vodkas the night of his most infamous action, but maintains he was a fall guy. For 10 points, name this beleaguered captain of the *Exxon Valdez* during the 1989 oil spill.

ANSWER: Joseph **Hazelwood**

One member of this family was mocked in a James Carville-planned “guru” ad which mocked his interest in transcendental meditation, causing him to lose a 1986 election to Bob Casey. Another member of this family was offered as an alternative to Goldwater and Rockefeller in the 1964 Republican primaries but failed to win the nomination. For 10 points, name this powerful Pennsylvania family who founded the town depicted on *The Office*.

ANSWER: **Scranton**

This man worked as a FBI consultant where he infiltrated the John Birch Society under the alias “Michael King” and reportedly had an affair with a model. The author of *They Must Go*, he was banned for running for office in one country because of an amendment against “racist candidates.” He founded the Kach Party and was killed by el Sayyid Nosair. For 10 points, name this far-right rabbi, the founder of the Jewish Defense League.

ANSWER: Martin David “Meir” **Kahane**

This man paid the Aryan Brotherhood to kill Walter Johnson. His son was run over and killed by neighbor John Favara, who later disappeared. A recording featured this man saying he would “bust up” John O’Connor. He was reportedly the inspiration for Joe Mantegna’s character of Joey Zasa and he was ultimately ousted thanks to his former aide “Sammy the Bull” Gravano. For 10 points, name this gangster known as the “Teflon Don.”

ANSWER: John **Gotti** Jr.

This event prompted the resignations of Henry L. Garrett III and Frank Kelso. Initially investigated by Duvall Williams Jr., this event was criticized by Barbara S. Pope, who demanded a fuller investigation and objected to Williams’ comment that many female pilots were “topless dancers.” For 10 points, name this 1991 scandal in which 80 women were alleged to have been sexually assaulted during a Navy symposium in Las Vegas.

ANSWER: **Tailhook** scandal

Using a female alias, this man wrote the self-help book *Finders-Keepers—Finding and Keeping the Man You Want*. The author of the book *My Awakening: A Path to Racial Understanding*, he lost one election in which his opponent featured such bumper stickers as “Vote for the Lizard, not the Wizard.” For 10 points, name this man who lost to Edwin Edwards in the 1991 Louisiana gubernatorial election and is a former KKK Grand Wizard.

ANSWER: David **Duke**

During this event, Art Roderick threw two rocks in order to test the reaction of one participant’s dogs. That participant had been accused of firing at Geraldo Rivera’s helicopter. It resulted in the deaths of William Degan, Sammy Weaver, and Vicki Weaver, the latter two being the son and wife of militiaman Randy Weaver. For 10 points, name this violent 1992 confrontation in Idaho, which led to criticism of various federal agencies.

ANSWER: **Ruby Ridge** siege

This man received the Outstanding Lawyer Award while working for the Rose Law Firm. He wrote “The WSJ editors lie without consequence,” among various other complaints, in a note that was torn into multiple pieces in his briefcase. Prescribed Trazodone by his doctor, he was found dead in Fort Marcy Park in 1993. For 10 points, name this White House counsel under Bill Clinton whose suicide became the focus of conspiracy theorists.

ANSWER: Vince **Foster**

In the 1930’s, this man published what he called a more accurate translation of *Mein Kampf* and got sued by Adolf Hitler’s publisher. He founded the Global Security Institute as part of his general push for a nuclear freeze. As a pun on his name, he was critically assailed in an article called “The Shadow in the Senate.” For 10 points, name this California Senator who was judged to have the highest level of misconduct among the Keating Five.

ANSWER: Alan **Cranston**

The opinion in this case began with David Souter quoting Lord Ellenborough’s quote about not putting “manacles upon science.” The opinion referenced earlier cases such as *Folsom v. Marsh* and *Sony Corp. of America vs. Universal City Studios*. It began with Acuff-Rose Music refusing to allow the licensing of the song “Oh, Pretty Woman.” For 10 points, name this case establishing that parody counts as fair use, whose petition was the frontman of 2 Live Crew.

ANSWER: **Campbell** v. *Acuff-Rose Music, Inc.*

This politician pitched in the Cape Cod Baseball League for the Cotuit Kettleers. As a Congressman, he was nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize for securing the release of Evan Hunziker from North Korea. James Carville compared him to Judas Iscariot for endorsing Obama over Hillary Clinton. The original nominee for Obama’s Secretary of Commerce, for 10 points, was what Clinton Secretary of Energy and Governor of New Mexico?

ANSWER: William “Bill” **Richardson** III

This man sued Piedmont College, his former employer, for calling him a “badge-wearing zealot.” He also sued the *New York Post* for calling him a “home-grown failure.” Jay Leno called him the “Una-Bubba,” and it was suspected he was responsible for the death of Alice Hawthorne before Eric Rudolph was finally revealed to be involved. For 10 points, name this security guard at one time suspected to be the Centennial Olympic Park bomber.

ANSWER: Richard **Jewell**

This man's scenes in the movie *Spiceworld* were deleted due to his death shortly before the premiere. He was killed outside his mansion known as "The Villa By Barton G." This man's assassin was a Filipino spree killer who committed suicide on a Miami houseboat. For 10 points, name this Italian fashion designer who was succeeded as head of design by his sister, Donatella.

ANSWER: Gianni **Versace**

Mark W. Smith wrote the *Official Handbook* of this entity which came with a membership card. Paul Krugman has written "Yes, Virginia, there is [this entity]," although he was referring to a network of institutions. It was first popularized in an interview with Matt Lauer by Hillary Clinton. For 10 points, name this entity, a four word phrase offered as an explanation for the travails of Bill Clinton.

ANSWER: **vast right-wing conspiracy**

This man's namesake lobbying group was formed in 1999 and has represented the governments of Egypt and Turkey. Eventually succeeded in office by David Vitter, his rise in politics came to a halt after Larry Flynt offered one million dollars to discover unflattering sexual stories about Republicans. For 10 points, name this man who admitted to having an affair, prompting him to resign from the House despite being the intended successor as Speaker to Newt Gingrich.

ANSWER: Bob **Livingston Jr.**

After the JFK assassination, this man issued a statement wondering it was a result of the "scum" of the American South. In one confrontation, this man's interrogator said "I am prepared to wait for my answer until Hell freezes over" after previously demanding he not wait for the translation to the question. For 10 points, name this Soviet representative on the UN Security Council who clashed with Adlai Stevenson during the Cuban Missile Crisis.

ANSWER: Valerian **Zorin**

During this election, the winning candidate used a rented helicopter dubbed his city windmill. The winning candidate was certified by a 29 to 28 vote from a State Central Committee. Featuring legal aid from Abe Fortas and the campaign management of John Connally, the winning candidate in this election defeated Coke Stevenson by 87 votes. For 10 points, identify this election which resulted in a future president being dubbed "Landslide Lyndon."

ANSWER: **1948 Texas** Democratic **Primary** [note: not the general election]

In 1970, this man called for hearings on the safety of oral contraceptive pills, which were called his "Pill Hearings." Along with Thomas Eagleton and William Hathaway, he voted against Gerald Ford for the vice presidency. Later a counselor for the Wilderness Society, his biography is called *The Man from Clear Lake*. For 10 points, name this Wisconsin politician best known for being the principal founder of Earth Day.

ANSWER: Gaylord **Nelson**

In one appearance, this figure goes to college in the town of Pawlton where he works as a quarterback for the local team. In an earlier appearance, this figure is at Sheridan College where he is embroiled in Peter Boyd's experiment to prove that nurture, not nature, is the key for children. Appearing in two Fred de Cordova directed films, his most remembered co-star is Ronald Reagan. For 10 points, name this chimpanzee whose "bedtime" is the focus of his first film.

ANSWER: **Bonzo**

This man was governor when a convict in his state escaped to New Jersey and wrote the book adapted into the film *I Am a Fugitive from a Chain Gang*. He defeated Eugene Talmadge on a pro-New Deal platform in one senatorial campaign and chaired the investigation into the firing of Douglas MacArthur. For 10 points, name this segregationist Georgia politician, a mentor to LBJ and an example of a Marshall Steinbaum easy part.

ANSWER: Richard **Russell Jr.**

As senior counsel, this man reportedly recruited Barack Obama in 1988 to work for Sidley Austin, during which Obama met his future wife. A former law partner of Adlai Stevenson, he is the focus of the first chapter of Laurie Ouellette's book about PBS entitled *Viewers Like You*. For 10 points, name this man who invited people to closely watch television for a day while chairman of the FCC, concluding it was mostly a "vast wasteland."

ANSWER: Newton **Minow**

According to this figure's baseball card, his favorite food is tomatoes and he does not yet know how to swim. The final episode of the show *Life After People* theorized he would develop savage instincts and live off of seafood without people around. Officially listed as "Amigo's New Hope," he was a gift from Ted Kennedy. For 10 points, name this Portuguese Water Dog, the pet of the Obamas.

ANSWER: **Bo**

1. Answer the following about fictional bands on the show, for 10 points each:

[10] This glam rock band consists of Danny, Swampy, and Bobbi. The boys' parents had their first kiss at this band's farewell concert, and their biggest hit was "You Snuck Your Way Right Into My Heart."

ANSWER: **Love Handel**

[10] Linda Flynn-Fletcher was briefly a pop idol using this unimaginative name. She proclaimed that she wanted to have fun in her only hit song, which is frequently heard as elevator music on the show.

ANSWER: **Lindana**

[10] This 1980's band produced the song "What Do It Do?" While Linda loved this band, Doofenshmirtz proclaims their hit as only being in his top 7 or 8 songs about reverse engineering.

ANSWER: **Zanzibar**

2. Identify the following recurring catch phrases from clues, for 10 points each:

[10] This is what Isabella always says when she shows up at the boys' house. She seems to have the psychic ability to detect when other people are using this phrase.

ANSWER: **"Whatcha doin'?"**

[10] While many variants of it have been heard, this jingle, apparently sung by a live group, is heard whenever we first see Doofenshmirtz's regular headquarters.

ANSWER: **"Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated!"**

[10] This nonsensical catch phrase is used mostly by Candace during melodramatic goodbyes. An unknown guy avoiding Candace also once used it as did the mayor's secretary, Melanie, in both cases substituting their own names for Candace's.

ANSWER: **"Candace is out! PEACE!"**

3. Answer the following about other animals besides Perry who work as secret agents, for 10 points each:

[10] This character from Seattle appears in "It's About Time," when he briefly replaces Perry as Doofenshmirtz's nemesis. After he disables Doof's freeze ray when he is singing about his feelings, Doof proclaims that this character is dead to him.

ANSWER: **Peter** the Panda

[10] Agent Pinky, the pet Chihuahua of this female character, also works as an agent and receives orders from Admiral Wanda Acronym.

ANSWER: **Isabella Garcia-Shapiro** [accept either]

[10] Pinky's arch-nemesis is this woman, voiced by Amanda Plummer. Her jingle proclaims that her "evil is craaaazy!" and her schemes involve searching for strong hairspray.

ANSWER: Professor **Poofenplotz**

4. Identify the following songs I like from the show, for 10 points each:

[10] This song, arguably the show's most popular, was inspired by the *Jetsons* song "Eep Opp Ork Ah-Ah." It is sung by the one hit wonder group PFT and the title phrase "means that I love you."

ANSWER: **"Gitchee Gitchee Goo"**

[10] "Tip of the Day" ends with Phineas and Ferb and company singing this song to raise awareness of the title word, which is the name of what is at the end of a shoelace. Candace insists it doesn't matter.

ANSWER: **"A-G-L-E-T"** [accept **"Aglet"**]

[10] During the "Cliptastic Countdown," Doofenshmirtz introduces this hypnotic song "scientifically created to get stuck in your heads forever." Either title or the only lyric of the song is acceptable.

ANSWER: **"My Name is Doof"** [accept **"My name is Doof, and you'll do what I say, whoop whoop!"**]

5. This group's attempt to promote itself was foiled by a taping of the show *Let's All Dance Until We're Sick*. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this stupidly named fiendish group founded by presumably Doofenshmirtz. Its members include Doctor Bloodpudding and at one point a mind-altered Lawrence Fletcher was elected its leader.

ANSWER: **L.O.V.E.M.U.F.F.I.N.** [accept **League of Villainous Evildoers Maniacally United for Frightening Investments in Naughtiness**]

[10] This bald-headed, pointy-eared villain is Doof's main rival in L.O.V.E.M.U.F.F.I.N. His real name is "Aloyse," but he is mostly called by a shorter version of his last name.

ANSWER: **Rodney** [accept Aloyse Everheart Elizabeth Otto Wolfgang Hypatia Gunther Galen Gary Cooper von **Roddenstein**]

[10] This short member of L.O.V.E.M.U.F.F.I.N. is too short to compete for the group's leadership. He maintains that he doesn't have a Napoleon complex, but that Napoleon had a "him" complex.

ANSWER: Doctor **Diminutive**

6. Answer the following about one of my favorite episodes, "Toy to the World," for 10 points each:

[10] The main plot, such as it is, in the episode, involves the boys making an "inaction figure" that does absolutely nothing, which they make in the image of this figure, minus the fedora.

ANSWER: **Perry** the Platypus

[10] At the end of the episode, however, the Perry the inaction figure has been replaced as the most popular toy by this one, which also does absolutely nothing and is advertised with a jingle proclaiming "it's fun."

ANSWER: **Brick**

[10] Both the Perry the inaction figure and "Brick" were produced by the Har D Har Toy Company, a company that generally specializes in this type of toy, as symbolized by such characters as "Simon," "Brendan," "Larry," "Jaime," and "Jimmy."

ANSWER: **Climbing** toys [accept synonyms, especially **ascending** or **shimmying**]

7. Identify the following about Doofenshmirtz's childhood, for 10 points each:

[10] Identify either the fictional Eastern European country or town where Doof is from. In a memorably insane song, Doof says that growing up in this city forces you to "keep it real."

ANSWER: **Gimmelshtump** or **Druelsestein** [accept either]

[10] As a child, Doofenshmirtz creates this childhood friend, which he loses when it floats away. It is later acquired by the villainous Mitch and renamed Colin, forcing Doof to proclaim this entity is no longer "backstory worthy."

ANSWER: **Balloon**

[10] In the movie *Across the Second Dimension*, the second dimension version of Doof becomes an especially vicious villain after losing this beloved toy. He later stops becoming a villain after our universe's Doof gives him his version of the toy.

ANSWER: a **train** [accept **Choo-Choo**]

8. This character hates Santa Claus because he never got a pony for Christmas. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this unbrowed military figure who gives Perry the Platypus his mission assignments and is assisted by the intern Carl.

ANSWER: Major **Francis Monogram** [accept either]

[10] Major Monogram works within this spy institution also known as "The Agency." They have employed such other agents as Herman the Hedgehog and Terry the Turtle.

ANSWER: **O.W.C.A.** [accept **Organization Without a Cool Acronym**]

[10] This entity becomes an honorary member of O.W.C.A. in the episode "No More Bunny Business." When Perry doesn't show up one day, Doofenshmirtz creates this entity by putting a hat on an inanimate object and it somehow defeats him.

ANSWER: **Planty** the Potted Plant

9. Answer the following about guest stars on the show, for 10 points each:

[10] This band sings the theme song for the show. Its lead singer, Jaret Reddick, has appeared as himself and as the voice of Danny, the lead singer of Love Handel.

ANSWER: **Bowling for Soup**

[10] Ben Stiller appeared as this incompetent villain in the episode "The Beak." He uses the sarcastic phrase "thank you very much" and is married to a woman played by Stiller's real-life wife, Christine Taylor.

ANSWER: **Khaka Peu Peu**

[10] The episode “Oil on Candace” featured two members of this performing family in the roles of artist Beppo Brown and evil science teacher Dr. Gevaarljk. It was apparently the first time the father and daughter of this family had ever acted together.

ANSWER: **Grey** [Joel and Jennifer]

10. This program’s only episode is “Ham on Rye, Hold the Mayor.” For 10 points each:

[10] Name this program pitched by Doofensmirtz which teams a fugitive semi-aquatic special forces amateur stage magician with a rogue trillionaire inventor extreme fighting champion from the future.

ANSWER: **Doof ‘n’ Puss**

[10] Doof pitches the show to Jeff McGarland, a parody of this man, the creator of *Family Guy*, who also provided the character’s voice.

ANSWER: Seth **MacFarlane**

[10] Doof refuses to bow to executive meddling and make this change to his proposed show. Jeff McGarland ends up making a successful show using this change, much to Doof’s dismay.

ANSWER: giving the **platypus a girlfriend**

11. Answer the following about odd guest characters on the show, for 10 points each:

[10] This figure wins *The Next Super American Pop Teen Idol Star* contest in the episode “Flop Starz.” He has appeared in two episodes because in silhouette he and his musical instrument resemble Phineas and Ferb.

ANSWER: **Marty** the Rabbit Boy and His Musical Blender

[10] The character “Captain Bob Webber” is first seen as a lifeguard captain at Lake Nose and later marries Linda Flynn’s sister Tiana. His most distinctive trait is snapping his fingers and saying this catchphrase.

ANSWER: **“Okay!”**

[10] Doof recalls losing a shadow puppet show as a youngster to a boy named Hans who had huge hands and thus went by this nickname.

ANSWER: **Huge-Hands Hans**

12. There’s a lot of TV shows that air in Danville. For 10 points each:

[10] Candace was a huge fan of this kids program growing up starring the title avian figure. She still is a fan, although she must hide this embarrassing habit from her peers.

ANSWER: **Ducky Momo**

[10] Lawrence Fletcher was a huge fan of this kids show which aired *Captain Implausible* cartoons. Its title character is frequently pointed and laughed at by others.

ANSWER: *The* **Pinhead Pierre Show!**

[10] A talk show that airs in Danville is *The Morty Williams Show*, with Williams voiced by the man he resembles, a real-life mustachioed talk show host who now can be seen on FOX News.

ANSWER: Geraldo **Rivera** [accept Gerald Michael **Riviera**]

13. This character’s boyfriend is Johnny, but Ferb has a crush on her. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this rather goth daughter of Heinz Doofenshmirtz, who can never get her mother to believe her that Doof is actually evil.

ANSWER: **Vanessa** Doofenshmirtz

[10] Vanessa sang “Not So Bad a Dad” in an episode in which Doof finally gives her this long sought-after childhood doll, which he bought at a garage sale at Phineas and Ferb’s house. Its name references a plot device in Hitchcock films.

ANSWER: **Mary McGuffin**

[10] In “Brain Drain,” Vanessa finally proclaims Doof is “cool” after he sings this song while under the mental influence of Perry the Platypus. Vanessa’s friends interpret the song’s title to be a metaphor for whatever is keeping you down.

ANSWER: **“There’s a Platypus Controlling Me”**

14. Buford refers to this character as the “scariest thing” he knows. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this sister of Jeremy Johnson, a nasty tyke who is jealous of anyone who comes between her and her brother, prompting her to play numerous pranks on Candace.

ANSWER: **Suzy** Johnson

[10] One such prank occurred in the episode “Comet Kermillian” when Suzy maneuvers things so that some of these animals get into Candace’s pants, prompting a hip-hop duo to jam about it.

ANSWER: **squirrels**

[10] Along with Coltrane, Jeremy plays in this pop rock band, whose songs include “Do Nothing Day.”

ANSWER: **Jeremy and the Incidentals**

15. Answer the following about holiday episodes of the show, for 10 points each:

[10] In one episode, Doofenshmirtz sings about how he hates every holiday but this one, which he has a “deep burning indifference” regarding.

ANSWER: **Christmas**

[10] A recent Halloween episode featured Candace believing she was a vampire after watching an entry in this teen vampire film series, an obvious parody of the *Twilight* series.

ANSWER: **Early Evening**

[10] Another Halloween episode featured Doofenshmirtz telling the story of this ancestor of his, who wants to cause villainy with his Concoction Brewinator, but accidentally ends up being transformed into a fairy princess.

ANSWER: **Jekyll** Doofenshmirtz

16. Answer the following about places to eat in Danville, for 10 points each:

[10] This restaurant is where Jeremy works. Its main rival is Taco Tepee and it comes in “Dawg” and “Burger” varieties. Its mascot is a clown with a jingle that Doofenshmirtz can’t stand.

ANSWER: **Mr. Slushy**

[10] A “pancake haus” named for this figure uses the jingle “where the food is good—but not good, eh?” The head of the ox statue outside the restaurant fell onto the head of Norm, causing him to be mistaken for a Minotaur.

ANSWER: **Paul Bunyan**

[10] This Chuck E. Cheese parody was a restaurant in Gimmelschtump, where Doofenshmirtz was forced to throw a surprise birthday for himself. Its characters include Count Wolfgang and Ratputin.

ANSWER: **Gunther Goat Cheese**’s

17. Answer the following about Candace’s dream sequences, for 10 points each:

[10] A recurring character in Candace’s dreams is an animal of this type who calls her “Kevin.” He first appeared as a hallucination in “The Ballad of Badbeard,” but Candace apparently sees him all the time.

ANSWER: **zebra**

[10] In “The Wizard of Odd,” Candace’s Oz-inspired dream features this song in the end credits. A parody of the song “Busted,” Candace sings it to the Tin Man.

ANSWER: **“Rusted”**

[10] Another dream sequence appears in “Phineas and Ferb Get Busted,” in which the boys are sent to this oppressive institution after inventing the potentially dangerous “The Flying Car of the Future, Today.”

ANSWER: **Smile Away** Reformatory School

18. This actress and singer played Doofenshmirtz’s date in the episode “Chez Platypus.” For 10 points each:

[10] Name this woman whose character is in love with Doof until being zapped by the “De-loveinator.” In real life, this woman has sung such songs as “For Your Eyes Only” and “Morning Train.”

ANSWER: Sheena **Easton**

[10] Easton also sang this parody version of the song “Perry the Platypus” for the episode “Does This Duckbill Make Me Look Fat?” when Candace and Perry switch bodies.

ANSWER: **“Perry the Teenage Girl”**

[10] The original “Perry the Platypus” song famously describes Perry as this type of “egg-laying mammal,” a two word phrase frequently used to describe him throughout the course of the series.

ANSWER: **“semi-aquatic”**

19. Answer the following about various characters’ birthday celebrations on the show, for 10 points each:

[10] On Candace’s birthday, the family visits this historical landmark, in which the boys attempt to put Candace’s face on a certain monument.

ANSWER: **Mount Rushmore**

[10] On their mother’s birthday, the children plan various extravagant surprises, although Candace’s attempt to play a song for Linda is foiled when Doofenshmirtz’s invention erases all of these types of musical instruments.

ANSWER: Instruments starting with the letter **"B"**

[10] On Phineas' birthday, he receives this inadvertent birthday present from Candace, who picked it up during an attempted busting scheme. Phineas has always wanted one of these objects, which are custom-made for Danville sewage repair.

ANSWER: left-handed **flanch tuner**

20. Let's take a trip to the FUTURE, for 10 points each:

[10] The episode "Phineas and Ferb's Quantum Boogaloo" reveals a future where Candace has three children, two sons and a daughter. Name any of them.

ANSWER: **Xavier, Fred, and Amanda** [accept any]

[10] The time machine in that episode and also in the episode "It's About Time!" was invented by this 19th century scientist, who wants to know if corn dogs have been invented in the future he visits.

ANSWERS: **Xavier Onassis** [accept either]

[10] In the future featuring adult Candace, Stacy is the president of this South American country, where she is working on llama legislation. The current leader of this country is Jose Mujica.

ANSWER: **Uruguay**

21. A map reveals this location to be somewhere near Denver, Colorado. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this term given for the metropolitan area which Danville is located in. Instead of conquering the world, Doofenshmirtz wants to conquer this area.

ANSWER: **Tri-State** area

[10] The Quad-State area is where this villain is headquartered in the episode "Oh, There You Are, Perry." Doof works as an intern for this villain in order to boost his evil cred.

ANSWER: The **Regurgitator**

[10] This historical politician made the fateful decision to merge the Bi-State area with an adjacent area, a feat celebrated on the annual Tri-State Area Unification Day.

ANSWER: John P. **Tristate**

22. Identify the following characters seen in the song "Carpe Diem," for 10 points each:

[10] This bizarre entity first appears in Phineas and Ferb's haunted house, but has appeared throughout the series. It was judged to be the scariest thing in the house.

ANSWER: giant floating **baby head**

[10] This real life choreographer and director of the *High School Musical* trilogy appears to offer some suggestions to the characters about how to dance.

ANSWER: Kenny **Ortega**

[10] This mad scientist and mentor of Doofenshmirtz appears singing with the Regurgitator while in prison. This character's master scheme was a failed attempt to set fire to the fun.

ANSWER: **Kevin Destructicon** [accept either]