## **POPULAR CULTURE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #63**



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1> Which double named singer had a 2012 chart hit with the song "Home"?

- a. Peter Peters
- b. Andrew Andrews
- c. David Davids
- d. Phillip Phillips

2> Birdie is the nickname of a projectile struck in which racquet sport?

- a. Squash
- b. Tennis
- c. Badminton
- d. Table Tennis

3> What kind of creature is Timon in the 1994 animated Disney film "The Lion King"?

- a. Warthog
- b. Rat
- c. Meerkat
- d. Lion

4> Billed as the "Drama in the Bahamas," whom did Muhammad Ali loose to in his very last fight in 1981?

- a. Spinks
- b. Berbick
- c. Tyson

d. Holmes

5> "The Song Remains the Same" is a concert film that features which classic rock band?

- a. Queen
- b. Led Zeppelin
- c. Thin Lizzy
- d. Deep Purple

6> Who played the role of William Shakespeare in the 1998 film "Shakespeare in Love"?

- a. Ben Affleck
- b. Joseph Fiennes
- c. Geoffrey Rush
- d. Leonardo Di Caprio

7> Which of the following movies, that feature Arnold Schwarzenegger, was the first to be released?

- a. The Terminator
- b. Total Recall
- c. Commando
- d. Red Sonja

8> Golfers play with woods and ...?

- a. Tins
- b. Irons
- c. Steels
- d. Bronzes

9> "The Woo Woo Kid" is a nickname of which WWE Superstar?

a. Zack Ryder b. Fandango c. The Great Khali d. The Miz

10> With the song "Please Don't Go," which of these acts was the first to have a #1 on the US Billboard Hot 100 Chart in the 1980s?

- a. Michael Jackson
- b. Olivia Newton-John
- c. KC and the Sunshine Band
- d. Blondie

11> Inspired by William Shakespeare's play Romeo and Juliet, which film won the Best Picture Oscar in 1961?

- a. West Side Story
- b. From Here to Eternity
- c. Gigi
- d. The Broadway Melody

12> Winning both seasons she appeared on, who is the only "Survivor" contestant to win the show two times?

- a. Rupert Boneham
- b. Tina Wesson
- c. Sandra Diaz-Twine
- d. Rob Mariano

13> Which of the following videos featured on YouTube was the most watched in 2014?

- a. Budweiser's Puppy Love
- b. iPhone 6 Plus Bend Test
- c. Devil Baby Attack
- d. Mutant Giant Spider Dog

14> Making its debut in 1965, which of the following board games features a character named "Cavity Sam"?

- a. Rock 'em Sock 'em Robots
- b. Operation
- c. LIFE
- d. Splat

15> As of 2015, which of the following artists has sold the most singles, albums and videos?

- a. Bob Marley
- b. Meat Loaf
- c. Cher
- d. Tom Petty

16> Accompanied only by his acoustic guitar, which of the following songs was the theme song for the first Elvis movie released in 1956?

- a. Trouble
- b. Love Me Tender
- c. Loving You
- d. Jailhouse Rock

17> Which 2003 Academy Award winning film was based on the life of serial killer Aileen Wuornos?

- a. Monster's Ball
- b. Monster
- c. The Devil's Advocate
- d. Party Monster

18> In what year was the hamburger fast food restaurant McDonald's founded?

- a. 1940
- b. 1960
- c. 1970
- d. 1950

19> A record unlikely to ever be broken, which pro baseball player was hit by 50 pitches in 1971?

- a. Milt Pappas
- b. Jim Hickman
- c. Jim Fairey
- d. Ron Hunt

20> What popular video game from 1981 features a character named Pauline?

- a. Dragon Quest
- b. Donkey Kong
- c. Super Mario Bros.
- d. Pac-Man

## Answers:

1> Phillip Phillips - Phillip was the American Idol season 11 winner.

2> Badminton - The proper name for a birdie is shuttlecock.

3> Meerkat - Timon was portrayed by Nathan Lane.

4> Berbick - Ali was 39 years of age at the time.

5> Led Zeppelin - Filming took place during three nights of concerts at Madison Square Garden in New York City in 1973.

6> Joseph Fiennes - Shakespeare in Love won seven Academy Awards including Best Picture.

7> The Terminator - The Terminator was released in 1984.

8> Irons - As well as tees and balls.

9> Zack Ryder - Zack Ryder's birth name is Matthew Brett Cardona.

10> KC and the Sunshine Band - Released in 1979, Please Don't Go was the band's first love ballad.

11> West Side Story - West Side Story was nominated for eleven Academy Awards and won ten.

12> Sandra Diaz-Twine - The \$2,000,000 in prize money Sandra won is the most money ever won by a woman on an American reality TV contest.

13> Mutant Giant Spider Dog - With over 113 million views, Mutant Giant Spider Dog features a dog dressed as a giant spider.

14> Operation - Allowing a player to operate on Spider-Man, a Spider-Man version of Operation was released in 2006.

15> Cher - Cher has sold 100 million records worldwide.

16> Love Me Tender - The song's musical score was adapted from the tune of 'Aura Lee'.

17> Monster - Charlize Theron won the Best Actress Academy Award for her role as Aileen Wuornos.

18> 1940 - McDonald's has over 36000 restaurants worldwide.

19> Ron Hunt - A second baseman, Ron was playing for the Montreal Expos when the record was set.

20> Donkey Kong - Originally named Jumpman, the hero of Donkey Kong is a carpenter named Mario.

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