

# SPORTS TRIVIA QUESTIONS #27



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1> Who was the first and only Canadian-born Heavyweight Champion?

- a. Burns
- b. Johnson
- c. Willard
- d. Dempsey

2> Which NHL Team are nicknamed the "Coyotes"?

- a. Ottawa
- b. Arizona
- c. Calgary
- d. Vancouver

3> Which U.S. golfer stands second in the all-time list of major winners with thirteen titles?

- a. Tiger Woods
- b. Arnold Palmer
- c. Tony Jacklin
- d. Bobby Jones

4> Chukkas is the term given to periods played in what sport?

- a. Polo
- b. Hockey
- c. Curling

d. Ice Hockey

5> How many goose feathers does it take to make a shuttlecock?

- a. 6
- b. 60
- c. 32
- d. 16

6> In Olympic Archery, how far is the competitor from the target?

- a. 50m
- b. 70m
- c. 120m
- d. 100m

7> Terry Griffiths and Mark Williams are former Snooker World Champions. What nationality are they?

- a. English
- b. Australian
- c. Scottish
- d. Welsh

8> Who won the 2013 National Basketball Association (NBA) title?

- a. San Antonio Spurs
- b. LA Lakers
- c. Miami Heat
- d. Chicago Bulls

9> Which nation's Rugby Union team are known as the All Blacks?

- a. Australia

- b. South Africa
- c. France
- d. New Zealand

10> The rider wearing the Red Polka Jersey in the Tour De France is called the "King of the...".?

- a. Tour
- b. Race
- c. French
- d. Mountain

11> The brown ball is worth how many points in snooker?

- a. 1
- b. 4
- c. 3
- d. 2

12> Maria Mednyanszky is a 5-time world champion in what sport?

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

13> In what year did Roger Bannister become the first man to run the mile in under 4 minutes?

- a. 1964
- b. 1974
- c. 1944
- d. 1954

14> In Greyhound racing, what number trap wears the black and white striped jacket?

- a. 6
- b. 3
- c. 5
- d. 4

15> In which city do the Steelers compete in the NFL?

- a. Buffalo
- b. Denver
- c. Washington
- d. Pittsburgh

## Answers:

- 1> Burns - Tommy made 11 title defenses during his career.
- 2> Arizona - The Arizona Coyotes made their NHL debut in 1996 as the Phoenix Coyotes.
- 3> Bobby Jones - Jones won his first U.S. Open in 1923.
- 4> Polo - Polo originated most likely in Persia sometime during the 6th century BC to the 1st century AD.
- 5> 16 - A shuttlecock is also known as a bird or birdie.
- 6> 70m - Archery made its debut at the 1900 Summer Olympics.
- 7> Welsh - Now retired, Terry Griffiths is now a snooker coach and pundit.
- 8> Miami Heat - Miami Heat made their debut in the NBA in 1988.
- 9> New Zealand - Rugby is regarded as New Zealand's national sport.
- 10> Mountain - The Tour De France is an annual bicycle race held in France.
- 11> 4 - Most historians agree that snooker was invented in India by British Army officers.
- 12> Table Tennis - Maria is the first official women's world champion of table tennis.
- 13> 1954 - Roger achieved the record on 6 May 1954 at Iffley Road track in Oxford.
- 14> 6 - The first recorded attempt at racing greyhounds was made in England, in 1876.
- 15> Pittsburgh - Making their debut in 1933, the Steelers are the oldest franchise in the AFC.

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