

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS #57



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1> Who played the part of the adult Pu Yi in the movie "The Last Emperor"?

- a. Tsou Tijger
- b. John Lone
- c. Victor Wong
- d. Dennis Dun

2> What is the capital of Venezuela?

- a. Madrid
- b. Lima
- c. Caracas
- d. San Paulo

3> Ralph Greenleaf aka the Showman played what sport?

- a. Football
- b. Tennis
- c. Soccer
- d. Billiards

4> Who wrote the classic novel "Animal Farm"?

- a. Stephan Crane
- b. Joseph Heller
- c. Ernest Hemmingway
- d. George Orwell

5> Which river borders South Africa, Zimbabwe and Botswana?

- a. Limpopo

- b. Vaal
- c. The Nile
- d. The Congo

6> What movie used the tag lines "The further you travel, the darker it gets" and "What's in that picture"?

- a. The House on the Hill
- b. The Deep
- c. Insidious
- d. Jaws

7> Which country's national animal is the lion?

- a. Nigeria
- b. Belgium
- c. Malta
- d. India

8> Which country's flag has a black star on red, yellow and green stripes?

- a. Haiti
- b. Ghana
- c. Jamaica
- d. Iceland

9> Who invented the brakes that are used on elevators?

- a. Karl Benz
- b. Elisha Otis
- c. Ivan Motorins
- d. Samuel Morey

10> What is another name for the Kolokol III?

- a. Tiananmen Square
- b. The Leaning Tower
- c. The Tower of Babel
- d. The Tsar Bell

11> In which novel would you find the characters Ralph, Piggy and Simon?

- a. Watership Down
- b. Animal Farm
- c. Lord of the Flies
- d. Gulliver's Travels

12> King Harald and Queen Sonja ruled over which nation?

- a. The Netherlands
- b. Norway
- c. Monaco
- d. Denmark

13> Who painted "Le Reve", "The Weeping Woman" and "The Old Guitarist"?

- a. Harding
- b. Monet
- c. Rembrandt
- d. Picasso

14> Which well known architect designed Child of the Sun, Graycliff and the Imperial Hotel?

- a. C. W. Rapp
- b. Peter Calthorpe
- c. Louis Khan
- d. Frank Lloyd Wright

15> Which of these animals might live in groups called bloats or dales?

- a. Manatees
- b. Elephants
- c. Emus
- d. Hippos

16> What sport did Picabo Street participate in?

- a. Sailing
- b. Archery
- c. Alpine skiing

d. Bowling

Answers:

- 1> John Lone - John was born in Honk Kong in 1952.
- 2> Caracas - The full name of the city is Santiago de Leon de Caracas.
- 3> Billiards - Ralph was an American Pool player. He was born in 1899.
- 4> George Orwell - The novel was first published in 1945.
- 5> Limpopo - The Limpopo is about 1,750 km long.
- 6> Insidious - Insidious was released in 2010.
- 7> Belgium - The lion is also the national animal of Luxembourg and Liberia.
- 8> Ghana - The word Ghana means Warrior King.
- 9> Elisha Otis - Elisha Otis founded the Otis Elevator Company.
- 10> The Tsar Bell - The Tsar Bell is located in Moscow.
- 11> Lord of the Flies - Lord of the Flies was written by William Golding.
- 12> Norway - King Harald V succeeded to the throne in 1991, after the death of his father, Olav V.
- 13> Picasso - Picasso also painted Massacre in Korea and Garcon a la Pipe.
- 14> Frank Lloyd Wright - Frank Lloyd Wright is an American architect.
- 15> Hippos - A group of hippos can also be called a pod or a herd.
- 16> Alpine skiing - Picabo Street won a gold medal at the 1998 Winter Olympics.

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