

SPORTS TRIVIA QUESTIONS #29



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1> Which sport awards the Ryder's Cup?

- a. Football
- b. Baseball
- c. Hockey
- d. Golf

2> Where was the Canadian Grey Cup played in 2015?

- a. Edmonton
- b. Winnipeg
- c. Toronto
- d. Ottawa

3> Which American Football player had the nickname "Sweetness"?

- a. Tom Brady
- b. Earl Campbell
- c. Damon Allen
- d. Walter Payton

4> Where was former Major League Baseball outfielder Jose Canseco born?

- a. Spain
- b. Mexico
- c. America
- d. Cuba

5> Which of these horses holds the record for winning the most money?

- a. John Henry
- b. Silver Charm
- c. Lava Man
- d. Curlin

6> Which of these games used to be played with a live animal serving as the ball?

- a. Soccer
- b. Golf
- c. Polo
- d. Coquet

7> What is the maximum number of clubs that a golfer can carry in a tournament?

- a. 9
- b. 6
- c. 12
- d. 14

8> What team did soccer great Pele join in 1975?

- a. Cosmos
- b. Knights
- c. Strikers
- d. Rooks

9> When was "Sports Illustrated" first published?

- a. 1954
- b. 1983
- c. 1965

d. 1971

10> In 2004, how many times was Barry Bonds walked?

- a. 328
- b. 401
- c. 157
- d. 232

11> Which famous athlete was born Ferdinand Lewis Alcindor Jr.?

- a. Leon Sphinx
- b. Tiger Woods
- c. Mohammed Ali
- d. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

12> Which of the following cups might you win in yacht racing?

- a. Stanley
- b. America
- c. Norris
- d. Silver

13> After the United States, which country claims the most professional baseball players in the MLB?

- a. Cuba
- b. Dominican Republic
- c. Peru
- d. Russia

14> What position did football great Franco Harris play?

- a. Tight end

- b. Quarterback
- c. Cornerback
- d. Fullback

15> Who lost the World Series in 2015?

- a. Kansas City Royals
- b. Toronto Blue Jays
- c. Baltimore Orioles
- d. New York Mets

16> Which of these events is not part of the modern pentathlon?

- a. Swimming
- b. Fencing
- c. Show jumping
- d. Javelin

Answers:

- 1> Golf - The Cup is a golf challenge between the USA and Europe.
- 2> Winnipeg - The Grey Cup is given to the winner in the Canadian Football League.
- 3> Walter Payton - Walter Payton died in 1999 of a rare liver cancer.
- 4> Cuba - Jose was drafted by the Oakland As in 1985.
- 5> Curlin - Curlin last raced in 2008. He won over 10.5 million dollars.
- 6> Polo - Riders had to carry a goat across the goal line.
- 7> 14 - A golfer may not change clubs during a round. However, there is an exception if a club is broken.
- 8> Cosmos - Pele came out of retirement to play for the New York Cosmos.
- 9> 1954 - Sports Illustrated is read by more than 23 million people every week.
- 10> 232 - This broke the record for the most walks in a single season.
- 11> Kareem Abdul-Jabbar - Kareem played 20 seasons in the NBA.
- 12> America - This cup is also known as the Auld Cup.
- 13> Dominican Republic - Venezuela comes next.
- 14> Fullback - Franco was selected for 9 consecutive Pro Bowls.
- 15> New York Mets - The royals won the World Series in 2015.
- 16> Javelin - The other two events are pistol shooting and cross country running.

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