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SPANNER TOURNAMENT FINALS PACK C

FIRST QUARTER

5-PART BLITZ

1	what is missing from this ordered list: quadrilateral, trapezoid, BLANK, rectangle, square.	PARALLELOGRAM
2	What fruit did Canadian Sam Panopoulos controversially top pizzas with when he invented the Hawaiian Pizza?	PINEAPPLE
3	Which song's questions include "What do you want from me? Why don't you run from me? Why aren't you scared of me? Why do you care for me?"	<u>BURY A FRIEND</u>
4	Which world leader was criticized for his family overdoing it with the saris, sherwanis, and lehengas on a 2018 visit to India? and again in 2019 when pictures emerged of him at an Arabian Nights-themed party? and again in 2022 when he imitated his father by saying the F-word (not "Fuddle Duddle")?	<u>JUSTIN TRUDEAU</u> (Prompt on: Trudeau)
5	In what sport can you use an épée, foil or sabre?	FENCING

DOUBLE JUMPS

6	What is the only province in Canada whose official motto is not in Latin?	QUEBEC
7	What is Quebec's official motto - either in the original French or the English translation?	<u>JE ME SOUVIENS/I REMEMBER</u>

8	"A spectre is haunting Europe" is the first line of what work, co-written by Karl Marx?	THE <u>COMMUNIST MANIFESTO</u>
9	Who co-authored the <i>Communist Manifesto</i> with Marx?	FRIEDRICH <u>ENGELS</u>

SET OF FOUR: RIVER SONGS

10	Which colourful river is in the title of the most famous waltz by Johann Strauss II?	<u>BLUE DANUBE</u>
11	Which Canadian singer wrote and performed the song "River" from her 1971 album <i>Blue</i> , which has become a Christmas staple?	JONI MITCHELL
12	Which song from the Musical <i>Showboat</i> about workers on the Mississippi includes the lines "Tote that barge, lift that bale!"	<u>OL' MAN RIVER</u>
13	What is the name of the ship in a song by Creedence Clearwater Revival, later covered by Tina Turner, which includes the lyrics "Rolling, rolling, rolling down the river?"	<u>PROUD MARY</u>

JACKPOT

14	Interstellar matter formations such as the Pillars of Creation, found in the Eagle Nebula, are named after a prominent feature on which animal's body?	ELEPHANT
15	A "toothpaste" named for this animal is made by mixing hydrogen peroxide with liquid soap and potassium iodide.	
16	A large mass of corium formed beneath Chernobyl's Reactor 4 was nicknamed this animal's foot.	
17	For ten points, what is this animal whose name is also found in a group of diseases in which tissue swelling causes body parts, such as limbs, to enlarge and harden?	

SET OF FOUR: CONSPIRACY THEORIES

18	What Bavarian society of the Enlightenment era is believed by conspiracy theorists to be secretly pulling the strings?	THE <u>ILLUMINATI</u>
19	What alliterative term refers to a harmful attack by one group made to look like it was perpetrated by someone else?	<u>FALSE FLAG</u>
20	The "Grassy Knoll" is central to conspiracy theories regarding whose assassination?	JOHN FITZGERALD <u>KENNEDY</u>
21	Believing it to be an attempt to indoctrinate Americans into Communism, what chemical element did conspiracy theorists oppose adding to drinking water?	FLUORIDE

FOUR-PART BLITZ

22	In Britain, crosswalks are named after what animal?	ZEBRA
23	Headquartered in Shanghai, Baowu is the world's largest producer of what?	STEEL or IRON
24	What condition is tested using Ishihara plates, which feature dots that create recognizable numbers or shapes amid other dots?	(RED-GREEN) COLOURBLINDN ESS
25	In ancient Greek architecture, Caryatids were statues of women that served what function?	COLUMNS/PILLAR/SUPPORT (Accept similar answers)

QUARTER 1**SECOND QUARTER****Splits: FLAT BREADS or MOVIE TRILOGIES****FLAT BREADS**

26	What type of flatbread is souvlaki typically served in?	PITA
27	Which flatbread plays an important part in the Passover seder both by itself and as an ingredient in a soup?	MATZO
28	What corn-based flatbread is commonly eaten in Colombia and Venezuela?	AREPA
29	What sour fermented Ethiopian and Eritrean flatbread is used to eat stews and salad?	INJERA

MOVIE TRILOGIES

30	What word precedes "Sunrise", "Sunset", and "Midnight" in the name of three Richard Linklater movies starring Ethan Hawke and Julie Delpy?	BEFORE
31	1985, 1955, 2015 and 1885 are the years Marty and Doc travel to in what film trilogy?	<u>BACK TO THE FUTURE</u>
32	What language is spoken in the Vengeance Trilogy, composed of <i>Sympathy for Mr. Vengeance</i> , <i>Oldboy</i> and <i>Lady Vengeance</i> , all directed by Park Chan-wook?	KOREAN
33	Who plays Michael Corleone in all three <i>Godfather</i> movies?	AL <u>PACINO</u>

DOUBLE JUMPS

34	Also known as the Algonquin School, AY Jackson, Arthur Lismer, and five other Canadian painters were better known by what term?	<u>GROUP OF SEVEN</u>
35	What other group of seven artists, which included Dante Gabriel Rossetti and John Everett Millais, had a name that referenced a certain Italian renaissance artist?	<u>PRE-RAPHAELITE BROTHERHOOD</u>
36	Which Toronto-born athlete was selected as part of the 2024 All-NBA Team?	SHAI <u>GILGEOUS-ALEXANDER</u> (Accept: <u>SGA</u>)
37	Who was the only American player selected on the 2024 All-NBA Team?	JAYSON <u>TATUM</u>

SET OF FOUR: PLACES NAMED AFTER SAINT PAUL

38	In which country would you find the most populous city in the world named after St Paul - in fact, the most populous city named after any person?	BRAZIL
39	With which city is the state capital St Paul twinned?	MINNEAPOLIS
40	Which architect designed St Paul's cathedral in London?	SIR CHRISTOPHER <u>WREN</u>
41	Rue St. Paul, which is home to the Bonsecours Market, is the oldest street in what Canadian city?	MONTREAL

SET OF THREE: LINGUISTIC FALSE FRIENDS

42	Careful now: what is the English translation of the French " <i>librairie</i> "?	BOOKSTORE
43	If you say you are " <i>embarazada</i> " in Spanish, you may be embarrassed to discover that you said you were in what condition?	PREGNANT
44	If someone gives you a bottle marked " <i>Gift</i> " in Germany, don't drink it because Gift means this.	POISON

LINKED SET OF 6

45	What D-word refers to the system of reversing the effects of brainwashing through intensive psychotherapy and confrontation?	DEPROGRAMMING
46	In the Java programming language, what data structure is declared using square brackets after the data type.	ARRAY
47	What is the term for a square array of numbers where the sum of each row, column, and diagonal is the same?	MAGIC SQUARE
48	A magic square exists on the Passion Facade of which unfinished Barcelona church designed by Antoni Gaudí?	LA SAGRADA FAMILIA
49	Which car manufacturer has produced the Familia, the Miata, and the CX-90?	MAZDA
50	Who is the evil counterpart of Ahura Mazda in Zoroastrian religion?	AHRIMAN

**QUARTER 2
TOTAL**

THIRD QUARTER**SPLITS: BERTRAND RUSSELL or BUSINESS METAPHORS****BERTRAND RUSSELL**

51	Russell was influenced by which German philosopher's emphasis on logical analysis? This polymath also developed Calculus separately from Isaac Newton and stated that we live in the best of all possible worlds.	GOTTFRIED LIEBNIZ
52	For which category of Nobel Prize did Bertrand Russell win in 1950? Other winners in this category include Winston Churchill and Bob Dylan.	LITERATURE
53	What common (especially in England) household object did Russell use in an analogy about burden of proof by saying that nobody could disprove that this object was revolving around the sun between Earth and Mars?	(CHINA) TEAPOT
54	"The above proposition is occasionally useful" is written in <i>the Principles of Mathematics</i> after many pages of logical analysis is used to prove what basic arithmetic equation?	1 + 1 = 2

BUSINESS METAPHORS

55	What metaphor for being fired originates with the colour of the paper that used to come with a layoff?	PINK SLIP
56	An invisible barrier that keeps marginalised people from rising to certain levels in a hierarchy is known by what term?	GLASS CEILING
57	A lucrative agreement that ensures an executive will get an excellent severance package when they leave is known as what?	GOLDEN PARACHUTE/ GOLDEN HANDSHAKE
58	What toxic metaphor refers to a shareholder rights plan that protects a board of directors against a takeover?	POISON PILL

DOUBLE JUMPS

59	Which organ is found in the lower left part of the ribcage, is divided into white pulp and red pulp, stores and filters blood, and makes white blood cells?	SPLEEN
60	What blood disorder can cause a dangerous crisis in children called Sequestration of the Spleen?	<u>SICKLE-CELL ANEMIA</u> (Prompt on: Anemia)
61	Which rapper, whose albums include <i>Good Kid, M.A.A.D City</i> won the 2018 Pulitzer Prize for Music and headlined the halftime show at Super Bowl LIX?	KENDRICK <u>LAMAR</u>
62	Exact title please: What diss track starts with Lamar whispering "Psst. I See Dead People"?	<u>NOT LIKE US</u>

SET OF FOUR: FAMOUS ROMANIANS

63	Rabid fans can tell you: What surname is shared by the singer who sang <i>Mr. Saxobeat</i> and the actor who played Bucky Barnes in the Marvel Movies?	<u>STAN</u>
64	What score was gymnast Nadia Comaneci the first to achieve at the Olympic Games in Montreal in 1976?	(PERFECT) 10
65	What Romanian surname connects the first female neurosurgeon in the world, the absurdist playwright who wrote "Rhinoceros", and the WNBA point guard with the most triple doubles in NCAA history who competed against Steph Curry in a three-point shooting contest in 2023?	IONESCO or IONESCU [Sofia, Eugene and Sabrina, respectively]
66	Constantin Brancusi is considered the first modernist in what type of visual art, with works such as <i>Bird in Space</i> , <i>The Sleeping Muse</i> and <i>Mademoiselle Pogany</i> ?	<u>SCULPTURE</u>

SET OF FOUR: POST

67	What Neolithic <u>post</u> -and-lintel structure found in Salisbury Plain, England is a popular tourist site despite its original purpose remaining unknown?	STONEHENGE
68	Which US city's main newspaper is sometimes called WaPo or, simply, the <u>Post</u> ?	WASHINGTON, DC
69	As of 1 January 2025, the only Instagram <u>post</u> with more likes than the World Record Egg was posted by what man, and shows him celebrating winning the World Cup?	LIONEL <u>MESSI</u>

70	Which product by <u>Post</u> features characters from the Flintstones as mascots?	<u>PEBBLES</u> (Accept: <u>Fruity Pebbles</u> or <u>Cocoa Pebbles</u>)
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FIVE-PART BLITZ

71	Aromatic compounds are divided into two groups depending on whether they follow the ring model of what compound, C ₆ H ₆ ?	<u>BENZENE</u>
72	What playground apparatus is also called a teeter totter?	<u>SEE SAW</u>
73	A six-cent stamp commemorating the centennial of the Northwest Territories featured what bird painted by Kenojuak Ashevak? This bird also appears in the titles of novels by Farley Mowatt and Margaret Craven.	<u>OWL</u>
74	What replaced the Winchester Measure standards in the UK in 1826 before itself being replaced by the Metric System, officially at least, in the 1960s?	<u>IMPERIAL SYSTEM</u>
75	What video game by Remedy Entertainment follows a crime novelist trying to solve the mystery of his missing wife, and had a sequel in 2023?	<u>ALAN WAKE</u>

QUARTER 3
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FOURTH QUARTER

JACKPOT

76	This four-letter Spanish and Italian word is the equivalent of the Persian <i>Zindabad</i> and similar to the Japanese <i>Banzai</i> .	
77	This word is the first half of an alliterative Latin phrase which can mean “word of mouth”, an “oral exam”, or “spoken evidence”.	
78	The Microsoft platform with this name is divided into modules called Connections, Insights, Learning, Topics and Engage.	
79	For ten points, what word precedes “Forever” in a Spice Girls song, “Bobby Joe” in an Equals song, “Las Vegas” in an Elvis Presley Song, and “La Vida” in a Coldplay song?	
		VIVA

STREAKS

80	Not including Jean Chretien, name up to all five surnames of Canadian Prime Ministers with the first name John	MACDONALD
		ABBOTT
		THOMPSON
		DIEFENBAKER
		TURNER
		Incorrect answer

83	Name up to all three things mentioned in the second line of the poem "A Book of Verses underneath the Bough," from the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayam	A JUG OF <u>WINE</u>
		A LOAF OF <u>BREAD</u>
		<u>THOU</u> (BESIDE ME SINGING IN THE WILDERNESS) [Accept: <u>YOU</u>]
		Incorrect Answer

SET OF FIVE: SCREWS

84	Whose <i>Screwtape Letters</i> is his second best-known work after the Chronicles of Narnia series?	CLIVE STAPLES <u>LEWIS</u>
85	Who drew a design for the "Aerial Screw", a predecessor to the modern helicopter, in the late 15th century?	<u>LEONARDO DA VINCI</u>
86	A hydrodynamic screw used in Ancient Egypt is more commonly known by the name of which philosopher from Syracuse?	ARCHIMEDES
87	What term refers to satirical romantic comedy films that were popular in the 1930s such as <i>It Happened One Night</i> and <i>Bringing Up Baby</i> ?	SCREWBALL
88	If a Philips screw has a cross slot, what shape slot is a Robertson screw?	SQUARE

12 PART BLITZ

89	In metres per second, what is the speed of sound in a vacuum?	ZERO
90	Which island in southeastern New York includes Nassau and Suffolk counties?	LONG ISLAND
91	What traditional Japanese floor covering is made of rush and hemp or cotton plants and is used to line dojo floors?	TATAMI
92	Because wax paper can not be used in an oven, what similar cellulose-based paper should be used instead?	<u>PARCHMENT</u> <u>PAPER</u> or <u>BAKING PAPER</u>
93	According to legend, who disguised herself as a man and was Pope for two years in the 9th century only to be revealed as a woman when she gave birth?	<u>POPE JOAN</u> (Accept: Ioannes Anglicus)

94	While some Francophone countries would say <i>nonante-neuf</i> , how do you say 99 in France and Quebec?	<u>QUATRE VINGT DIX-NEUF</u>
95	What is the shape of the trophy awarded to the winner of Wimbledon's women's tournament?	DISH (Accept: CIRCLE, ROUND, DISC, etc.)
96	Lorelei and Rory, played by Lauren Graham and Alexis Bledel, are the title characters from what American TV show?	GILMORE GIRLS
97	Which comic book character created by Jim Davis is owned by Jon Arbuckle, lives with Odie, loves lasagna, and hates Mondays?	<u>GARFIELD</u>
98	Infantile colic is defined as what lasting more than three hours a day?	<u>CRYING (Accept similar answers)</u>
99	In which desert can you find the world's largest petroglyph of a human being? It is also the driest non-polar desert on earth.	ATACAMA
100	Listen to the end: What number equals the number of branches of a Hannukah menorah minus the number of branches of a Kwanzaa kinara?	<u>ONE</u>

QUARTER 4
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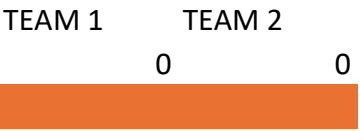
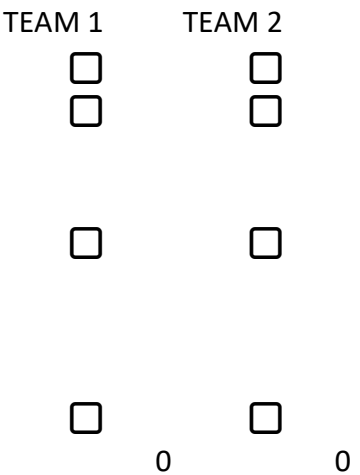
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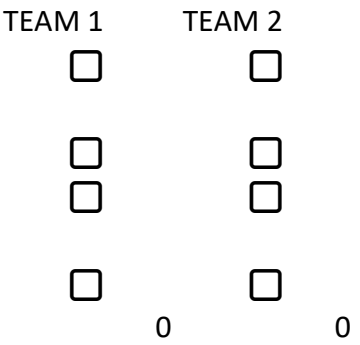


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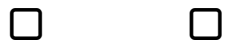
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