

TRIVIA QUESTIONS

1. What insect provides food for humans?
2. Football fans in 1999 were saddened by the death of the NFL's all-time leading rusher, called "sweetness" for his smooth moves and pleasant nature. Who was he?
3. Which two people signed the U.S. Constitution on September 17, 1787, and later became U.S. Presidents?
4. Which political party were each of these Presidents? a. Abe Lincoln? b. Theodore Roosevelt? c. Herbert Hoover?
5. All these people come from the same state: Henry Ford, Gerald Ford, Madonna, and Diana Ross. Which state is it?
6. What short word can refer to a cooking utensil, a bad movie review, or a search for gold?
7. What type of automobile was named for those 19th century covered wagons that carried passengers from the train station to their hotel?
8. Identify four resort locations mentioned in the chorus of the Beach Boys song, Kokomo?
9. HOW DID WE GET THE 'DOLLAR' SYMBOL? \$
10. In the famous TV series, "I Love Lucy," what was Lucy's married name and maiden name?
11. Can you name the two longest running nighttime dramatic TV series ever? The longest was a Western and ran from 1955-1975, the second longest was set in the western half of the US, but was a modern drama and ran from the 1970's through the 80's.
12. Disneyland in California, and Disney World in Florida, are both located in counties with the same name. What is it?
13. Little League baseball was established in what year? A. 1939 B. 1940 C. 1941 D. 1942
14. What was the highest rated TV show in the 20th century? a. final episode of The Cosby Show
b. final episode of Cheers c. final episode of M*A*S*H d. final episode of Seinfeld
15. Tug of War was an Olympic sport in the early 1900s. True or False?

ANSWERS

1. Honeybees
2. Walter Payton
3. George Washington & James Madison
4. a. Republican b. Republican c. Republican
5. Michigan
6. Pan
7. Station Wagon
8. ARUBA, JAMAICA, BERMUDA, BAHAMAS, KEY LARGO, MONTEGO, MONTSERRAT
9. In the pioneer days, the symbol for currency was 'US' - the "S" was placed directly over the "U" and in time, we got lazy and instead of "US" overlapping, we shortened the "U" into today's "S" with two lines through it.
10. Ricardo / McGillicuddy
11. Gunsmoke / Dallas
12. Disneyland in California, and Disney World in Florida, are both located in counties with the same name. What is it?
13. A. 1939 QQ: This is the most well-known amateur league still being played today!
14. M*A*S*H
15. True