

CHANNEL ONE NEWS WEEKLY QUIZ WEEK OF 2/4/08

1. The nation of Chad used to be a colony of what country? (2/04)
 - A. France**
 - B. England
 - C. Portugal
 - D. Spain

2. What Internet search engine did Microsoft bid 44 billion dollars for? (2/04)
 - A. Google
 - B. Yahoo**
 - C. Lycos
 - D. Hotbot

3. What Beatles song did NASA beam into deep space? (2/04)
 - A. Eight Days A Week
 - B. Yellow Submarine
 - C. Across the Universe**
 - D. Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds

4. True or False: If President Bush's budget proposal is passed, it will be the largest federal budget ever. (2/05)
 - A. True**
 - B. False

5. Who was responsible for bringing Mardi Gras traditions to the United States? (2/05)
 - A. Spanish monks
 - B. French explorers**
 - C. Italian merchants
 - D. Brazilian tourists

6. True or False: In the early 1700s, New Orleans held the first Mardi Gras parade in the United States. (2/05)
 - A. True
 - B. False**

7. Which South American country recently held protests against the left-wing rebel group known as FARC? (2/06)

- A. Colombia**
- B. Nicaragua
- C. Mexico
- D. All of the above

8. Which Republican candidate won the most states on Super Tuesday? (2/06)

- A. Mitt Romney
- B. Mike Huckabee
- C. Rudy Giuliani
- D. John McCain**

9. True or False: This past Tuesday was the largest single day of balloting in the history of the presidential primaries. (2/06)

- A. True**
- B. False

10. What federal reservoir near Atlanta are Georgia, Florida and Alabama fighting over? (2/07)

- A. Lake Lanier**
- B. Falls Lake
- C. Carters Lake
- D. Lake Jocassee

11. This week, the CIA director Michael Hayden publicly acknowledged what? (2/07)

- A. The use of wiretapping suspected Al Qaeda terrorists
- B. The use of waterboarding against three Al Qaeda suspects**
- C. Errors made before September 11th.
- D. All of the above

12. True or False: What really matters in presidential primaries is how many states the candidate wins, not how many delegates are committed to vote for them at the nominating convention. (2/07)

- A. True
- B. False**

13. What Republican candidate dropped out of the race for the White House? (2/08)

- A. Mike Huckabee
- B. Mitt Romney**
- C. John McCain
- D. John Edwards

14. What is the name of the shuttle that blasted off Thursday from the Kennedy Space Center in Florida? (2/08)

- A. Columbus
- B. Columbia
- C. Atlantis**
- D. Atlantic

15. Which Hollywood star and United Nations Ambassador recently made a trip to Iraq to call attention to the plight of Iraqi refugees? (2/08)

- A. Brad Pitt
- B. Angelina Jolie**
- C. Nicole Kidman
- D. Both A & C