

CHANNEL ONE NEWS WEEKLY QUIZ

WEEK OF 10/22/07

1. What type of wind increases the spread of the wildfires in California? (10/22)
 - A. Santa Ana Winds
 - B. Northwestern Winds
 - C. Gulf of Mexico Winds
 - D. Pacific Winds
2. Who is the immediate former Prime Minister of Pakistan? (10/22)
 - A. Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto
 - B. Muhammad Khan Junejo
 - C. Benazir Bhutto
 - D. Nawaz Sharif
3. Bobby Jindal made history this past week. What did he accomplish? (10/22)
 - A. He's the first non-white governor of Louisiana
 - B. He's the youngest governor in U.S. history
 - C. He's the first Indian-American governor in U.S. history
 - D. Answers A&C
4. The family of Lieutenant Michael Murphy received what award from President Bush this week? (10/23)
 - A. Congressional Medal of Honor
 - B. Soldier of the Year
 - C. Navy Seal of the Decade
 - D. All of the above
5. Who was the first woman in space? (10/23)
 - A. Valentina Tereshkova
 - B. Linda M. Godwin
 - C. Marsha Ivins
 - D. Julie Payette

6. A white lion was born in a Belgium Zoo this week. Why is it hard for white lions to survive in the wild? (10/23)
- A. Their white coats make them easy to spot by predators
 - B. The gene that gives them the white coat shortens their life span
 - C. They are often rejected by the lion pride
 - D. Their white coat weakens their immune system
7. How much has the Iraq War cost so far? (10/24)
- A. One-trillion dollars
 - B. 150-billion dollars
 - C. 650-billion dollars
 - D. 997-million dollars
8. What two teams are playing in the World Series this year? (10/24)
- A. Boston Red Sox vs. New York Yankees
 - B. Boston Red Sox vs. Colorado Rockies
 - C. Colorado Rockies vs. Houston Astros
 - D. None of the above
9. Earlier this week, we showed you a story called "Pink Bullies" about a high school in Canada. What was the significance of the color? (10/24)
- A. The students all wore pink to stand up to bullies
 - B. Students raised money for breast cancer
 - C. A student was arrested for throwing pink icing on a bully
 - D. Bullies wrapped a student in pink toilet paper
10. There will be talks in Libya this weekend to attempt to do what? (10/25)
- A. Stop the hunger-crisis in Africa
 - B. Reach a cease-fire in Sudan
 - C. Find a cure for the AIDS epidemic in Africa
 - D. All of the above

11. According to Columbia University, teens who smoke are five-times more likely to do what? (10/25)
- A. Drink Alcohol
 - B. Fail out of college
 - C. Develop lung cancer
 - D. Not graduate from high school
12. Joppatowne High is the first public school in America to offer what type of class? (10/25)
- A. A class on homeland security
 - B. A class solely dedicated to studying the Iraq War
 - C. All of the above
 - D. None of the above
13. The Bush Administration announced that they will impose tougher sanctions on Iran. What is a sanction? (10/26)
- A. A new form of government
 - B. A trade embargo
 - C. Government actions used to punish or put pressure on another government
 - D. A modified form of the U.S. Constitution
14. The shuttle discovery did a giant back-flip in space on Thursday. Why? (10/26)
- A. To celebrate the first time there are two women commanders in space
 - B. To examine the bottom of the shuttle because it appeared to be damaged back in August
 - C. To test the new engine in the spacecraft
 - D. To install new solar panels
15. In Indiana, a pet named "Peanut" saved its owners' lives by alerting them that there was a fire. What kind of animal is "Peanut?" (10/26)
- A. A golden retriever
 - B. A parrot
 - C. A rabbit
 - D. A horse