



Welcome to Christmas Trivia Theme Night!

Keep in mind that to make this night special there should be some great food and drink specials and some great Christmas music playing over the sound system!

We also recommend giving bonus points (20 each) to teams that dress up in Christmas/Holiday attire.

Now let's get started!



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ROUND 1 – Christmas Multiple Choice/True False

Directions: Hark are the bells, sweet silver bells, singing good cheer, trivia is near! Your team will receive 10 brain cells for each correct answer! Good Luck!

1. Who stars as an ordinary man forced to fill Santa's shoes in 1994's Christmas comedy, The Santa Clause?

- A. Tim Allen
- B. Jim Carrey
- C. Arnold Schwarzenegger
- D. Bill Murray

2. True or False: The little town of Bethlehem - where Jesus was born - is now found in the country of Saudi Arabia.

3. Where is Christmas Island?

- A. Off the coast of India
- B. Off the coast of Australia
- C. Off the coast of Madagascar
- D. Off the coast of Mexico

4. What natural phenomenon was observed and recorded for the first time on Christmas Day, 1758?

- A. Aurora Borealis
- B. Giant squid
- C. Halley's Comet
- D. UFOs

5. What American river did George Washington cross on Christmas Day, 1776, surprising the British forces and winning a victory?

- A. Delaware
- B. Chesapeake
- C. Mississippi
- D. Hudson

6. Which Christmas carol was originally called Adeste Fideles before being translated from Latin to English?

- A. Silent Night, Holy Night
- B. O Come, All Ye Faithful
- C. Jingle Bells
- D. We Three Kings

7. True or False: Just like gold, the gifts of frankincense and myrrh that the three wise men gave Jesus are also metallic elements from the ground.

8. How old do most historians estimate Jesus was when he was crucified?

- A. 25
- B. 33
- C. 42
- D. 55

9. Which of these popular movies did not center around the Christmas holidays?

- A. Home Alone
- B. Die Hard
- C. Love Actually
- D. Pulp Fiction

10. True or False: The island called where Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer was sent in the famous Christmas TV special was The Island of Misfit Toys.

ANSWER KEY

- 1. A. Tim Allen
- 2. False
- 3. C. Off the coast of Madagascar
- 4. C. Halley's Comet
- 5. A. Delaware
- 6. B. O Come, All Ye Faithful
- 7. False
- 8. B. 33
- 9. Pulp Fiction
- 10. True



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ROUND 2 - Christmas movies!

Directions: This round is entirely Christmas Casting Couch...this time of year the Christmas movies are on every channel...but how well do you know these flicks? Your team will receive 10 brain cells for each correct answer - Good luck!

1. What is the name of the toy that Arnold Schwarzenegger's character tries super-hard to get in Jingle All the Way?

2. What film musical was the Christmas song Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas originally written for in 1944?

3. In the first Home Alone movie, in what city is Kevin McCallister stranded while his family vacations in France?

4. What family member sewed Ralphie his very special pink bunny costume in A Christmas Story?

5. Complete the quote from Elf: "We elves try to stick to the four main food groups: candy, candy canes, candy corns, and _____".

6. Complete the line from the animated How the Grinch Stole Christmas: "You're as cuddly as a _____".

7. In It's a Wonderful Life, what does a character say happens every time a bell rings?

8. What department store does the real Santa Claus work in in the movie Miracle on 34th Street?

9. In It's a Wonderful Life, what's the name of the guardian angel who helps out Jimmy Stewart?

10. What does Clark Griswold desperately want to buy with his Christmas bonus in National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation?

ANSWER KEY

1. Turbo Man
2. Meet me in St. Louis
3. Chicago
4. Aunt (Aunt Clara)
5. Syrup
6. Cactus
7. An Angel gets his wings
8. Macy's
9. Clarence
10. Swimming Pool



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ROUND 6 - BRAIN FREEZE CHALLENGE!

Brain Freeze Challenge

Directions: Hundreds of millions of Christmas CDs have been bought over the years, but people only started keeping close track of sales since 1991. Please name 10 of the artists behind the top 20 best-selling Christmas albums since then – artists that have multiple albums are only counted once. Good luck!

Answer sheet, do not hand out

1. Kenny G – Miracles, The Holiday Album
2. Josh Groban – Noël
3. Mariah Carey – Merry Christmas
4. Celine Dion – These Are Special Times
5. Mannheim Steamroller – Christmas in the Aire, A Fresh Aire Christmas, etc.
6. Trans-Siberian Orchestra – Christmas Eve, Other Stories
7. Charlie Brown Christmas/Vince Guaraldi – A Charlie Brown Christmas
8. Harry Connick, Jr. – When My Heart Finds Christmas
9. Andrea Bocelli – My Christmas
10. Michael Buble - Christmas
11. 'N Sync – Home for Christmas
12. Garth Brooks – Beyond the Season
13. Amy Grant – Home for Christmas
14. Nat King Cole – The Christmas Song
15. Susan Boyle – The Gift