

## 2015 National Sports and Entertainment History Bee Final Round

1. The first and last name of one developer of this game was combined to title an ineffectual machine gun, the Klobb. The single player-only watch laser is used by the protagonist to escape a train, and at another point in this game, you meet Valentin in a statue garden. This game's multiplayer included modes like "slappers only" and "the living daylight." An early console first-person-shooter, for the point, name this Nintendo 64 game starring Pierce Brosnan and named for the first Bond movie he starred in.

ANSWER: 007 Goldeneye

2. This man once received a number that Randy Johnson used to wear, so he sent The Big Unit a message promising that he would not let him down. In 2001, he became the first player since Jackie Robinson to finish first in the league in steals and batting average. This player broke a record once held by George Sisler, finishing with 262 of one statistic in a year. This man has a chance to break Pete Rose's record for hits as a professional baseball player, but not the Major League record for hits that Rose has. For the point, name this longtime outfielder for the Seattle Mariners, who was traded to the New York Yankees in 2012.

ANSWER: Ichiro Suzuki (accept "Suzuki")

3. In her role as Gwen DeMarco, this actress laments that her only job is to repeat back everything that the computer says. She portrayed The Director in *Cabin in the Woods* and voiced the ship's computer in *Wall-E*. As Dr. Grace Augustine, this character assists Jake Sully in interacting with the Na'vi, and in an earlier film, Bill Murrar's character saves her from possession by Zuul. Appearing in *Avatar* and *Ghostbusters*, for the point, name this woman who played Ripley in *Alien*.

ANSWER: Sigourney Weaver

4. This League's only season opener was played in Whitney, Nevada and ended in a 19-0 victory over the home team. Tommy Maddox was this League's only MVP, and the San Francisco Demons finished as this League's only runner-up. The name on the back of Rod Smart's jersey read "He Hate Me," and former player Richard Young later wrestled for WWE. For the point, name this collaboration between the World Wrestling Federation and NBC Universal, famous for the game-opening scramble instead of a coin toss.

ANSWER: XFL (Accept Xtreme Football League)

5. Wyclef Jean's cover of this song played over the opening credits of 2004's *Manchurian Candidate*, and in 1912, a young girl sang it during the events of *Bioshock Infinite*. It plays during the Battle of Khe Sanh in *Call of Duty: Black Ops* and originally appeared on the album *Willy and the Poor Boys*. It notes that "some folks inherit star spangled eyes/ they send you down to war" after opening "Some folks are born, made to wave the flag." For the point, name this anti-war song by Creedence Clearwater Revival.

ANSWER: "Fortunate Son"

6. This team won their first World Cup in a year they hosted the tournament, 1978. This home country of the Boca Juniors team also won the 1986 FIFA World Cup while Mario Gotze prevented this country from winning a different World Cup. Many teams in this non-English speaking country have English names as a legacy of immigration and trade, such as River Plate. For the point, name this South American country which showcased Lionel Messi in the 2014 FIFA World Cup.

ANSWER: **Argentina**

7. At the end of one show's episode "Secret Origins," this character declares that "I'm not much of a people person" after helping to save Earth from Martian invaders. On another show, he mentors Terry McGinnis. On both those shows, this character was voiced by Kevin Conroy. In another show featuring this character, Cesar Romero and Tallulah Bankhead guest-starred as villains. Employing such sidekicks as Timothy Drake and Dick Grayson, for the point, identify this superhero and namesake of 90s animated show and its sequel "beyond."

ANSWER: **Batman**

8. This man's first top-ten finish at a major tournament came in 2002, when he finished ninth at The Masters, which he eventually became the first player from his country to win. Steve Williams, a former caddy for Tiger Woods, currently caddies for this man. In 2013, his only major title came on the second hole of a playoff against Angel Cabrera. For the point, name this Australian golfer, champion of the 2013 Masters, who shares his name with a star from Parks and Recreation.

ANSWER: Adam **Scott**

9. Some of this company's failed endeavors included the "reverse-Heimlich maneuver" and the "Take-A-Wish Foundation," as well as an army of human-mantis hybrids. This company was founded by a shower-curtain manufacturer that eventually died of moon rock poisoning. This producer of repulsion and propulsion jell is a rival of Black Mesa. Founded by Cave Johnson, Chell must escape from this company in two separate games. For the point, name this company that operates the enrichment center in the Portal series.

ANSWER: **Aperture** Science

10. This man started his career with the Baltimore Colts after graduating from Wesleyan University. His first head coaching job came with the Cleveland Browns, but he was eventually fired. He won two Super Bowls as a defensive coordinator under Bill Parcells. As head coach, he won the first of his three Super Bowl rings after Drew Bledsoe was injured and replaced by backup Tom Brady. For the point, name this current head coach of the New England Patriots.

ANSWER: Bill **Belichick**

11. Ed Speleers plays this character in a horrendous movie adaptation that sees John Malkovich portray the main antagonist. In the second book in which he appears, this character inadvertently curses a girl to be a “Shield from misfortune” not “Shielded from misfortune” and he later trains under Oromis in Ellesmera. His counterpart is first encountered in the Spine, and it’s later revealed that this character is Brom’s son. For the point, name this title character from Christopher Paolini’s *Inheritance Cycle*.

ANSWER: **Eragon**

12. Former pitcher Bill Lee once called this place "a shrine". It has hosted the World Series 11 times, with the home team winning seven of them. People who have hit iconic home runs in this ballpark include Bucky Dent in a 1978 playoff game and a man who famously waved his home run into fair territory, Carlton Fisk. In 2012, this baseball park celebrated its centennial. It is also the oldest ballpark in Major League Baseball, and contains such features as "The Triangle", "Pesky's Pole", and the "Green Monster". For the point, name this baseball park, home to the Boston Red Sox.

ANSWER: **Fenway** Park

13. This man directed a film based on John Carlin’s *Playing the Enemy* that gained Morgan Freeman a nomination for best supporting actor. Another of his films sees Hillary Swank become quadriplegic after hitting her neck on a wooden stool. This director of *Invictus* helmed another film in which he’s neighbors with several Hmong Americans and owns the title car, as well as a recent film based on the life of Chris Kyle. For the point, name this director of *Gran Torino* and *American Sniper*.

ANSWER: Clint **Eastwood**

14. The event for which this man is most remembered occurred on March 2, 1962. During that game, the Knicks deliberately fouled other players to keep the ball away from this man, who at the time played for the Philadelphia Warriors. For the point, name this man who holds the NBA record for most points in a regular season with 4,029, and who at a game in Hershey, Pennsylvania became the first and only NBA player to score 100 points in a game.

ANSWER: Wilt **Chamberlain**

15. The only lyrics on an opening track by this band are the heavily distorted “One of these days I’m going to cut you into little pieces.” This band that contributed music to *Zabriskie Point* created one song that notes that “Hanging on in quiet desperation is the English way.” That song appears on an album along with such tracks as “Any Colour You Like” and “Us and Them.” Fronted by David Gilmour and Roger Waters, for the point, name this British psychedelic rock band that created *Dark Side of the Moon*.

ANSWER: **Pink Floyd**

16. In the year before this man became head coach in 1958, the team he was to join finished with a 1–10 record, the worst in the team's history. A year later, his team saw great improvement, and he was named Coach of the Year. This man is attributed as saying, "Winning isn't everything, it's the only thing," although he claimed to have been misquoted. For the point, name this NFL coach who led the Green Bay Packers to win Super Bowl I and II and whose name lends itself to the Super Bowl trophy.

ANSWER: Vince **Lombardi**

17. One character on this show often exclaims "Whompinbobyulah!" and another is unbrowed and carried around on an old brown armchair. Besides King Bob, one main character on this show was voiced by Pamela Adlon and had a slight crush on the protagonist, a character whose catchphrase is "This womps!" Featuring Spinelli and T.J. Detweiler, for the point, name this Disney series that spawned School's Out, a show that takes place during a break in elementary school.

ANSWER: **Recess**

18. In its 21-year existence, this team has made the playoffs 10 times, won 3 Pacific Division titles, and 2 Western Conference Championships, winning the Stanley Cup in 2007. This is the only major professional sports team whose name was inspired by a movie, which starred Emilio Estevez. This team's arena was once known as Arrowhead Pond. For the point, name this "once mighty" team led by captain Ryan Getzlaf that plays its home games in Anaheim.

ANSWER: Anaheim **Ducks**

19. One class of characters in this game gains attack whenever the enemy casts a spell, the troggs. Another character is able to destroy two mechs and form VOLTRON, which can attack four times each turn. Its most recent expansion was Blackrock Mountain, which followed Goblins and Gnomes and the Curse of Naxxramus. Some other characters in this game include Ragnaros and Deathwing. For the point, identify this Blizzard digital card game.

ANSWER: **Hearthstone**

20. In this sport, players use a technique called double motion, in which they make an initial movement in one direction before withdrawing their shot. It's not table tennis, but in the Olympics, China holds the record in this racquet sport for most gold medals and most total medals with South Korea a distant second. This sport has long been the most popular racquet sport in Indonesia and Malaysia. For the point, name this racquet sport with games played to 21 points and featuring a shuttlecock.

ANSWER: **Badminton**

21. In historical footage found in this movie, one woman recounts how “We wore little strips of sheet, sometimes over our nose and mouth” to combat dust storms. In this film, the word “STAY” is relayed in Morse code before coordinates are relayed in binary though piles of sand. Jessica Chastain plays the daughter of this film’s protagonist, who allows humanity to leave Earth with information gleaned from a singularity. For the point, name this 2014 Christopher Nolan sci-fi film starring Anne Hathaway and Matthew McConaughey.

ANSWER: **Interstellar**

22. This nation hosted the World Cup in the first year a penalty shoot out was used in the World Cup in 1982. In its first game of the 2014 FIFA World Cup, this nation lost to the Netherlands in a 5-1 rout after scoring the opening goal of the game on a penalty. This nation's soccer team has participated in nine of fourteen European Championships, and won back to back titles in 2008 and 2012. For the point, name this nation which defeated the Netherlands in the finals of the 2010 FIFA World Cup.

ANSWER: **Spain**

23. This show was based on Earl Hamner’s book *Spencer’s Mountain*. George H.W. Bush once said that families needed to be more like the title family in this series and less like the Simpsons. In this show, the Baldwin sisters produce an elixir they call “The Recipe,” which is actually moonshine. Other characters include general store owner Ike Godsey and a Will-Geer portrayed character whose real-life death was written into the show. Starring Ralph Waite as the family patriarch and Richard Thomas as John-Boy, for the point, name this show about the title Depression-era family.

ANSWER: **The Waltons**

24. In 2000, a limousine was sent daily to force this team's number one draft pick, a wide receiver from USC, to come to practice. Defensive players who started their career with this team include safety Gerald Sensabaugh and defensive end Renaldo Wynn. In this team's second year of existence, it failed to beat the Patriots in the AFC Championship Game behind quarterback Mark Brunell and coach Tom Coughlin. For the point, name this AFC South team added in the 1995 expansion which plays in Florida's largest city.

ANSWER: **Jacksonville Jaguars** (accept either)

25. In this character’s first chronological appearance, he faces a man named Simpson in a duel where neither pistol is loaded. In his actual first appearance, this character fights a man called *El Supremo* who claimed descent from Montezuma. Appearing *During The Crisis*, this whist aficionado was the protagonist of such novels as *The Last Encounter* and *The Happy Return*, and he commanded the HMS Sutherland in *A Ship of the Line*. For the point, identify this Royal Navy officer in a series of books by C.S. Forester.

ANSWER: **Horatio Hornblower** [accept either]

26. This man was elected to start in the 1989 All-Star Game but he had retired earlier in the year so he did not. This man is widely considered the best ever player for his position in baseball and he finished with 548 home runs. He won the National League Gold Glove from 1976-84, as well as the 1980 World Series MVP, where his team defeated the Royals in six games. For the point, name this Hall of Fame third baseman who played his entire career with the Phillies.

ANSWER: Mike **Schmidt**

27. In the film that this character appears in, he jokes that he's called his name because he's Irish." Earlier, he gathers rocks so another character can carve a chess set. This character stays in the same room of a halfway house that Brooks Hatlen hung himself, and is known as "a man who knows how to get things." The best friend of Andy Dufresne, for the point, identify this character portrayed by Morgan Freeman, the narrator of *The Shawshank Redemption*.

ANSWER: **Ellis "Red" Redding** [accept any]

28. One commercial which aired during this game was controversial since it showed a robot commit suicide. The final scoring in this game came on a Kelvin Hayden interception. The winning team reached this game by completing the largest comeback in Conference Championship history. This Super Bowl had the earliest touchdown of any Super Bowl after Devin Hester returned the opening kickoff for a touchdown. For the point, name this Super Bowl in which a team led by Rex Grossman lost to a team led by Peyton Manning.

ANSWER: **Super Bowl XLI (41), 2007 Super Bowl, or Bears vs. Colts Super Bowl**

29. One of the main characters in this game serves as executive producer on the film *Meltdown!* Jay Norris is killed after his phone explodes during a press conference in this game, and later, the elderly Patricia Madrazo shares a hilarious Stockholm Syndrome-like relationship with another of the main characters. Featuring Michael de Santa, Franklin Clinton, and Trevor Phillips for the point, name this latest entry in a series of Rockstar games in which you can steal cars.

ANSWER: **Grand Theft Auto V**

30. Bill Koch (**pr. Coke**) is an American who medaled in this specific sport at the Olympics which Kikkan Randall failed to do in 2014. An event in this sport was the most heavily requested for tickets at the 1994 Olympics, in which Italy defeated Norway in a relay in this sport. The god Ullr is sometimes portrayed performing this sport in illustrations of Norse myths. For the point, name this sport which is combined with jumping and shooting in two separate Winter Olympics disciplines.

ANSWER: **Cross-country skiing** (prompt on "skiing" accept "Nordic skiing" do NOT prompt or accept Alpine or downhill skiing)

31. One track on this album includes a news radio clip that mentions “A group of a thousand youths in pursuit of two leather-clad rockers.” Another track on this album says that “The ushers are sniffing/ Eau-de-cologning” and a different track asks “Is it in my head here at the start?” The singer of the last track off this album of “5:15” and “Cut my Hair” says that “Oh God, I need a drink of cool, cool rain.” Featuring such songs as “The Real Me,” “Doctor Jimmy,” and “Love, Reign O’er Me,” for the point, identify this double album by The Who.

ANSWER: **Quadrophenia**

32. This team plays in the 15<sup>th</sup>-largest city in the United States and is affiliated with the Springfield Falcons and Kalamazoo Wings. This team used their first pick in the 2000 Expansion Draft to select Rick Tabaracci, and the list of potential names for this team came down to two: Justice and the one that was chosen. Stinger, a 6 foot 9 inch bright green bug, is the team’s official mascot, though this logo no longer appears on the chest of any of the team’s jerseys. For the point, name this NHL team, whose name was chosen to celebrate the Civil War history in the state of Ohio.

Answer: **Columbus Blue Jackets**

33. This object was partially designed by Raith Sienar and constructed in the Maw. Poggie the Lesser hands over a holographic representation of it in its first chronological appearance, and this location was the site of a firefight in cell block 1138. Its protected by a shield generator on a forest moon in the third film in which it appears, and it was originally destroyed by firing a proton torpedo down a thermal exhaust port. It’s no moon, for the point, name this space station from Star Wars.

ANSWER: **Death Star**

34. Rod Barajas was inserted into the lineup for Damian Miller in Game Five of this series, in which he then hit a home run. Game Six was a 15-2 win for the home team. Byung-Hyun Kim blew saves in Games Four and Five on home runs each time. Luis Gonzalez hit a walk-off single in Game Seven against Mariano Rivera. George W. Bush threw out the first pitch in Game Three of this series. For the point, name this World Series in which the Arizona Diamondbacks won their first and only World Series title.

ANSWER: **2001 World Series** or **Diamondbacks-Yankees** World Series

35. The outro to this song includes a brief rendition of “Frère Jacques.” A live version of this song begins with a man in the crowd shouting out this song’s name and the guitarist replying “You guessed it.” This song talks about a “mean woman” who “Took all my money/ Wrecks my new car” and opens “I’ve been run down/ I’ve been lied to.” Famous for the 23-minute-long *At Fillmore East* version, for the point, name this song in which the singer feels like he’s been tied to the title object, a hit for the Allman Brothers Band.

ANSWER: **Whipping Post**

36. The Parker Brothers did not invent this game but they did purchase the trademark for its name. In 2000, this game saw many official changes such as increasing the size of the ball by about 5 percent, altering the scoring system, and prohibiting players from concealing the ball. This sport was added to the Summer Olympics in 1988 and it has been dominated by the Chinese ever since. For the point, name this sport, played expertly by Forrest Gump, which Nixon used to better relations with China.

ANSWER: **Table Tennis** or **Ping Pong**

37. One of this man's bands created a song that opens "Girl, you've got those hands that heal/ Help me get in touch with what I feel." That band fronted by this man released the albums *Consolers of the Lonely* and *Broken Boy Soldiers*. His most recent solo album was *Lazaretto*. Another of his bands gained fame with songs like "Jimmy the Exploder" and "Fell in Love with a Girl." For the point, name this frontman of the Raconteurs and the White Stripes.

ANSWER: Jack **White**

38. This man was Captain for his team at the 2014 Winter Olympics, though his team failed to medal after falling 5-0 to Finland in the Bronze Medal Game. This man and Ryan Suter signed identical 13-year, \$98 million contracts on July 4, 2012, allowing him to return to his home state. For the point, name this ice hockey star who scored 31 goals in his final season with the New Jersey Devils before signing with the Minnesota Wild.

ANSWER: Zach **Parise**

39. This game's pseudo-storyline sees James MacAllan recruited by Sarah and Bish. Amped versions of this game's weapons are more powerful and include the archer heavy rocket and smart pistol. The arrival of this game's title devices are hastened through points and kills, as well as burn cards. Developed by Respawn Entertainment, for the point, identify this wall-running-heavy game in which you call giant mech suits out of the sky.

ANSWER: **Titanfall**

40. One character on this show leaves the protagonist for ten years after he was given a bracelet made out of an ice cream wrapper. Its protagonist identifies a Russian mobster from his aftershave and drops a fire extinguisher down five floors onto his head. Its protagonist is treated by Claire Temple and defends Karen Page from murder charges. Starring Charlie Cox as the title superhero, for the point, name this 2015 Netflix series about Matt Murdock.

ANSWER: **Daredevil**

Extra

This man, a 12-time NBA All-Star and an impressive power forward, was the first European player to start in an All-Star Game as well as the first to win the NBA Most Valuable Player Award, a feat he achieved in 2007. He is ranked 10th in all-time scoring. For the point, name this NBA player who has played for the Dallas Mavericks since 1998, and who led his team to an NBA Championship win in 2011.

ANSWER: Dirk Nowitzki