HOUR BONUS #2: HARRY POTTER

Think you know Harry Potter's story like the back of your hand? Now that the seven-part series is complete, it's time to test your knowledge with a seven-part bonus! Some of the following questions are geared toward the casual reader or moviegoer, while others are aimed to challenge long-time fans of J. K. Rowling.

WARNING: If you have not yet read Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows and plan to do so without getting the ending spoiled, DO NOT read the seventh section of the bonus!

Part I. The Beginning: Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone
One-time readers of the series might not have thought about the finer points of Sorcerer's Stone in a decade (eleven years for the Brits!). Let's start off slow by seeing how much you remember of the beginning of Harry's adventures …

1. Name all seven obstacles laid out to guard the Sorcerer's Stone.

2. Who delivers Harry to the Dursleys house the night of his parents' murder and by what mode of transportation?

3. What do Harry and Ron see in the Mirror of Erised?

4. Name three (of many) magical acts Harry performed before he knew he was a wizard.

5. Why does Ollivander find it "curious" that Harry should choose his holly wand?

6. Where is Harry when he finally gets to open his Hogwarts letter?

7. What Quidditch position does Harry play and how did he get appointed?

8. Hagrid fears losing his job at Hogwarts for possessing what illegal creature?

9. Name six characters (among many) Harry meets on his first Hogwarts Express trip.

10. Name all the recipients of "last-minute points" that result in Gryffindor's House Cup win.
Part II. The Fandom in Figures

1. Name the number of people to show up at J. K. Rowling's first public reading of *Sorcerer's Stone* (provide the exact number). 

2. Name the number of theaters in which *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix* showed in its opening week (round to the nearest thousand). 

3. Name the number of years that J. K. Rowling spent planning the series before she began writing the first book (provide the exact number). 

4. Name the total box office revenue of all the Harry Potter movies to date (round to the nearest hundred million). 

5. Name the number of times Laura Mallory, famous for attempting to ban Harry Potter in Georgia public schools, has read the books (provide the exact number). 

Part III. It Didn't Happen in the Books 
… but if you're a long-time fan, you'll know it anyway!

1. In the epilogue of *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, J. K. Rowling said that Neville Longbottom went on to be a herbology professor at Hogwarts, but she did not reveal any of the other characters' jobs until after the book's publication. What were Harry's, Hermione's, and Luna Lovegood's careers? 

2. Which invention of Alfonso Cuarón's did J. K. Rowling wish she had thought of herself and included in the books? 

3. The "Harry Potter" search query jumped back into the Yahoo Top 20 searches after a month-long hiatus in October 2007 when J. K. Rowling announced that Headmaster Albus Dumbledore once had been in love with which character? 

4. A question that perplexed fans for years until J. K. Rowling cleared it up: in what years were Bill, Charlie, Percy, Fred and George, Ron, and Ginny Weasley born? 

5. Fans' understanding of wizarding genealogy was enhanced dramatically when Warner Bros. released what series of sketches that J. K. Rowling provided to help in set design for the *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix* movie?
Part IV. It Did Happen in the Books

1. Ginny Weasley becomes possessed by Voldemort by writing to his childhood self in an enchanted diary. When and where does Ginny get the diary?

2. Sirius Black escapes prison to hunt down Peter Pettigrew, who betrayed Harry's parents to Voldemort. How does he know that Pettigrew is at Hogwarts?

3. The first task in the Triwizard Tournament is to take an egg from a nesting dragon. How do Harry, Cedric Diggory, Viktor Krum, and Fleur Delacour defeat their dragons?

4. Harry and his friends form an illegal student organization to help teach students to protect themselves against Voldemort. What is the group called and where do they meet?

5. On his first day of N.E.W.T. potions class, Harry wins a vial of Felix Felicis, a potion that makes the drinker lucky. How does he use it?

Part V. Harry Potter in the News

1. In 2002, *Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire* became the first book in the series to undergo its first reprinting with substantial changes due to a plot discontinuity in the original version. What mistake did fans notice that J. K. Rowling and her editors missed?

2. News must have been slow in California in August 2005, when the *San Francisco Chronicle* published an article on what "controversial" Harry Potter-related subject?

3. In 2004, J. K. Rowling recognized the Harry Potter Lexicon, a popular online Potter encyclopedia written by fans, as one of her favorite fan sites on the Internet. Three years later, she publicly denounced and filed a lawsuit against the Lexicon's owner. What inspired this change of heart?

4. In June 2003, a Missouri mail carrier became the first of many USPS employees to lose her job for committing what Harry Potter-related offense?

5. Some recent Harry Potter news … in November 2007, the first intercollegiate Quidditch match, a cross between rugby, soccer, and dodgeball, was played between which two schools?
Part VI. Name the Location
Name each of the following locations in the wizarding world, as created by Warner Bros. in the first five Harry Potter movies. Please be as specific as possible!

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2. ______________________________
3. ______________________________
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5. ______________________________
6. ______________________________
**Part VII. The End of an Era: *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows***

WARNING: If you haven't read the seventh book (shame on you!) and intend to do so without spoilers, do not look any further …

*Horcruxes*
Throughout the final book, Harry, Ron, and Hermione seek to find and eliminate six parts of Voldemort's soul that he *intentionally* encased in magical objects, the seventh piece to reside in his own body. Please fill out the following grid (where answers are known), listing the Horcruxes in the order in which they were destroyed. The boxes are numbered for the benefit of teams sending answers by email.

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*The Deathly Hallows*

While they are searching for the Horcruxes, Harry, Ron, and Hermione discover that Albus Dumbledore had spent a large part of his life seeking the Deathly Hallows, three powerful magical objects of wizarding legend. Please fill out the following grid, listing the Hallows in the order in which they were created.

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