



WEEK 3
June 23 - 29, 2010
Due by 9:00 p.m. on 6/29

Summer Reading Trivia Contest: “Thrilling Victories”

1. In 2009, the Preakness was won for the first time since 1924 by a filly named _____
(Hint: she won by a length over “Mine That Bird”)
2. The “Miracle on Ice” usually refers to the 1980 Olympic hockey game between Russian and the U.S.
Where did it take place? (City & State) _____
3. The *Chicago Tribune* famously – and inaccurately – proclaimed “_____ Defeats Truman”
when it reported the election results of the 1948 presidential race.
4. The only race famed thoroughbred Man O’War lost was to a horse with the appropriate, but ironic, name of
(circle answer): A) Peacenik B) Hooves R Hot C) Upset
5. Joe Namath quarterbacked the underdog New York Jets to a 16-7 victory over what team to win
Super Bowl III? _____
6. The New York Giants swept the Cleveland Indians in the 1954 World Series thanks to a spectacular behind-
the-back catch in Game 1 by _____.
7. Undefeated heavyweight champions Sonny Liston and George Foreman both lost their “Rumble in the
Jungle” matches to an underdog boxer named _____.

Please return completed quizzes to the Readers Services Desk.

Must be received before 9 p.m. on the appropriate Tuesday; drawings will be held the following Wednesday
and winners notified within 2 days.



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