



TRIVIA ON TRIAL

Trivia Registration Packet

Deadline to enter is 3 p.m. Friday, February 17



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Registration Form

Team Name: _____

*30 Character Maximum, including spaces and punctuation

Team Captain: _____ Alternate Contact: _____

Number of People on Team: _____

Team's Full Address: _____

Team Phone: _____

Team Email: _____

Team Website (we will link at kvsc.org): _____

Total Number of Years Playing Trivia (including playing under other team names): _____

What Division will you compete in? ____ Div. I (against all teams) ____ Div. II (mid-range teams) ____ Div. III (lower tier teams) Divisions are determined by total number of teams competing, in 2022 there were 51 teams.

Trivia 2023 may be covered by the media. May we release your team information to the media for a possible interview? ____ Yes ____ No

Team Member

Hometown

- I. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____

*Supply additional team members on a separate sheet of paper, if needed.

\$60 registration fee for general public

Free registration for SCSU/ area college and high school teams

Must still meet the registration deadline

Make checks payable to KVSC Radio

*KVSC Radio
Jo McMullen-Boyer
720 4th Avenue South
27 Stewart Hall
St. Cloud, MN 56301*

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Trivia Basics

Trivia 2023 begins at 5 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 17 and concludes at 7 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 19. The contest goes dark from 2 a.m. to 7 a.m. each overnight, but you will receive enhanced activities! The Awards Ceremony is 8 p.m. on Sunday in the Ritsche Auditorium at SCSU and streamed online. The **Shake A Hamster Band** returns to the post party at the Red Carpet Night Club on Sunday, Feb. 19.

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Trivia Media

Visual Trivia

Every team will receive a PDF copy of individually numbered images. Questions could be asked periodically throughout the contest about any of the photographs and images provided. We do not put the images on KVSC.org prior to the contest starting.

Audio Trivia

Audio trivia questions will be asked at random. To best prepare for these questions, teams are encouraged to have a recording device handy, but KVSC will repeat audio questions at least one additional time.

Social Trivia

For the latest in Trivia Weekend news, follow KVSC on Twitter at twitter.com/kvsc881fm and Facebook at facebook.com/kvsc881fm. Follow the hashtag #TriviaWeekend on Twitter all weekend long for the latest updates, team banter and more.



A Brief History Of KVSC'S Trivia Marathon



Trivia Weekend was created in 1980 to counteract the cabin fever inherent to Minnesota winters, and premiered with 20 teams. In 2022, Trivia Weekend attracted 51 teams, many of them participating via the Internet from various locations across the Midwest and globally. As the weekend has grown in popularity, so has its organizational sophistication. Currently, 35 trivia answer hotlines are set up for volunteers, tripling the number of hotlines from the early years. KVSC has more than 200 volunteers working toward the success of the annual station event. In addition, more than 50 St.Cloud businesses gave their support with donations of food, prizes and funding.

We wish your team the best of luck in 2023!

Visit KVSC.ORG to learn more about Trivia Weekend!

Rules and Regulations

1. In 2023 there will be nine questions per hour. Speed rounds and other fun scoring options may be implemented. Question point values can range from 10-250 points.

Each team that reports the correct answer to the Trivia Hotline in the allotted time is awarded the question's point value. Teams can keep guessing on questions as long as they are OPEN. When KVSC CLOSES a question, guesses are no longer accepted. Note: This may mean your team may be on the phone with a volunteer when the question closes. If so, you will not be able to answer the question.

2. Teams are allowed to make two guesses per call for up to TWO open questions. Teams guess on open questions and are told: CORRECT (and given points), WRONG or INCOMPLETE. No clues are given for INCOMPLETE guesses. The phone bank will not tell you which part of your guess is incomplete. Keep calling back with more guesses before the question closes!

3. The Information/Repeat Question support line will NOT spell out common words. For example, if a question asks about the "Tracey Ullman Show," we will not spell the name "Tracey." On-air hosts and phone bank volunteers will only spell out words that are deemed helpful by the trivia writing team.

4. AVOID PHONE BANK JAM! You must practice team restraint. There is a MAXIMUM of two simultaneous phone calls to our hotline from your team. We monitor how frequently each team contacts our phone bank.

5. Teams may not assist each other in any way, including trading answers. Violations of library laws will result in contest disqualification. KVSC resources or personnel cannot be used as sources.

6. Members of teams are not allowed on the KVSC premises during Trivia Weekend. Also, teams may not intentionally try to sabotage another team by falsely representing them to KVSC staff, trivia writers, scorekeepers and phone bank workers. Teams face forfeiture for violating these rules.

7. All decisions made by station management and trivia writers are final.

8. Scoring and question disputes for most questions are entertained for TWO HOURS ONLY following a reported discrepancy. If you dispute a question, Internet sources are treated as a lowest priority.

9. Your team HQ will be contacted Friday afternoon of Trivia Weekend to assign you a team number and other data. Use only your assigned team number ALL weekend to identify your guesses and answers with the trivia hotline and dispute lines.

10. The team with the most points at 7 p.m. Sunday is the overall winner! Returning in 2023, Division I, II, and III winners will be recognized at the awards ceremony. Note, you may call the point/general info line to confirm your scores until the second to last hour of the contest.

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#TriviaWeekend