

Mathematics is important in every sport. These questions will help you find some of it. Later you might like to explore the material on the NSM website that gives you much more detail.

INSTRUCTIONS

Choose any question from the list above.

Find the answer below. Write the letter for the answer in the box below that has the question number.

In this way complete the sentence on the Answer sheet.

Area	Questions
2 MCG display	How many pies were sold to the AFL's 2007 Grand final crowd?
15 Golf	Who is known as "The Great White Shark"? What did he do?
8 Tennis	For what is Rod Laver especially famous? (Not just the Tennis Centre!)
4 Olympics	Watch the video of Betty Cuthbert running 100 m in the 1956 Olympics. What was her time for the 100 m? Take a photo of her statue outside.
17 Soccer	Which Australian team played in a quarter final of the Soccer World Cup in China in 2007?
11 Cricket	How many batsmen did Shane Warne have dismissed in Test matches? How many runs were scored from his bowling in those Test matches?
10 Cricket	What was Sir Donald Bradman's highest score?
7 AFL Hall of Fame	Gordon Coventry kicked the greatest number of goals in his lifetime. How many goals did he score?
1 MCG display	When was the greatest ever crowd at the MCG?
9 Sport Hall of Fame	Which sport has the greatest number of inductees in the Hall of Fame?
3 Olympics	Edwin Flack won Australia's first Olympic medal in 1896. a In which event? b What was his time? (The current world record for this is 1 min 41 sec.)
5 Olympics	Who was Australia's youngest Olympic gold medal winner?
18 Swimming	Who was the first woman ever to swim 100m faster than one minute? How many world records did she hold?
12 Athletics	When did John Landy break the world mile record? What was his time?
6 AFL	When were the three drawn Grand Finals?
16 Horse racing	Which jockey won 3251 wins, including the Caulfield Cup five times?
13 Basketball	Who are the Boomers? When did they play in their first Olympic Games? Who are the Opals? When did they first play in the Olympics?
14 Cycling	When did Cadel Evans win the Tour de France?

Answers

- A 14 212 pies
- B Greg Norman, world #1 for 331 weeks, and won \$10 million in prize money
- C 299 goals
- D Dawn Fraser. She held 39 world records
- E Sandra Morgan aged 14
- G 2011
- H 11.45 s, running at 31.4 km/h in Melbourne, on the MCG!
- I Three draws: 1948 (Melbourne and Essendon), 1977 (Collingwood and North Melbourne) and 2010 (Collingwood and St Kilda)
- M 130 000 in 1959, Billy Graham Crusade (religious)
- N Boomers (National Men's Basketball team) 1956, Opals (National Women's Basketball team) 1984
- ! Two complete Grand Slams
- O 708 wickets, 17,995 runs, bowling average 25.4
- P 452 not out
- R 1954, 3:58.0 averaging 24 km/h
- S Aquatics (50 in 2015)
- T 800 m., 29 seconds
- U The Matildas - the Australian National Women's Soccer team
- V Arthur 'Scobie' Beasley

In these boxes, write the letter for the answer next to the question number.

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