

## Cincinnati Reds Trivia: Questions, Answers, and Facts Printable Trivia Pack

Cincinnati Reds trivia spotlights an American professional baseball team based in Cincinnati that competes in Major League Baseball as part of the National League Central Division. Expect a mix of easy, family-friendly, funny, and hard questions that draw on the club's long history, notable players, and place in the sport.

### HARD CINCINNATI REDS TRIVIA

1. Before it became known as Crosley Field, what was the original name of the Reds' ballpark?

Answer: Redland Field

2. In what year did Crosley Field host Major League Baseball's first night game?

Answer: 1935

3. When the Reds were founded in 1882, which league did they join?

Answer: The American Association

4. After their American Association years, in what year did Cincinnati join the National League?

Answer: 1890

5. Who managed the Reds to their 1919 World Series championship?

Answer: Pat Moran

6. Which manager skippered Cincinnati to the 1940 World Series title?

Answer: Bill McKechnie

7. Who was the Reds manager during their 1990 World Series-winning season?

Answer: Lou Piniella

8. Which Reds pitcher was named MVP of the 1990 World Series?

Answer: José Rijo

9. Tom Browning's perfect game ended with what Hall of Fame slugger making the final out?

Answer: Willie McCovey

10. Which Cincinnati catcher won the National League MVP Award in 1938?

Answer: Ernie Lombardi

11. How many home runs did Ted Kluszewski hit for Cincinnati in 1954?

Answer: 49 home runs

12. Which Reds slugger reached 40 home runs in 1955?

Answer: Wally Post

13. Who threw the final pitch at Riverfront Stadium on September 22, 2002?

Answer: Sam LeCure

14. Who hit the first regular-season home run at Great American Ball Park?

Answer: Sean Casey

#### FUNNY CINCINNATI REDS TRIVIA

1. On what date did Tom Browning give Reds fans the ultimate neat-freak performance: a perfect game?

Answer: September 16, 1988

2. Tom Browning's famous home-run-porch incident at Riverfront Stadium happened in what year?

Answer: 1993

3. Which delightfully carb-sounding Reds pitcher was actually a real star: Noodles Hahn, Pretzel Smith, or Biscuit Brown?

Answer: Noodles Hahn

4. Who threw a no-hitter in his very first major league game for the Reds in 1892, because apparently subtle debuts are overrated?

Answer: Bumpus Jones

5. True or false: The Reds once had a player named Skeeter Barnes, which sounds more like a porch storyteller than a ballplayer.?

Answer: True

6. Which Reds player had the kind of name that sounds permanently in motion: Pokey Reese or Sleepy Reese?

Answer: Pokey Reese

7. What was the name of the Reds player whose first name sounds like dessert and a dance move at the same time?

Answer: Coco Cordero

8. Which former Reds player had a name that sounds like either a frontier outlaw or a menu special: Chicken Wolf?

Answer: Chicken Wolf

9. If you were building an all-nickname lineup, which Reds player could fill the 'youngster' slot: Kid Gleason, Grandpa Gleason, or Tiny Gleason?

Answer: Kid Gleason

10. Which Reds pitcher had the compact, memorable name Dolf Luque?

Answer: Dolf Luque

11. Which Reds pitcher sounded built to carry the bullpen on his back: Jumbo Diaz?

Answer: Jumbo Diaz

12. What was the name of the Reds player whose moniker sounds like he should be introduced with circus music: Pee Wee Wanninger?

Answer: Pee Wee Wanninger

13. Which Reds player had the name Blondy Ryan, despite baseball cards not requiring hair verification?

Answer: Blondy Ryan

#### FUN CINCINNATI REDS TRIVIA

1. In the 1975 World Series, which team did the Reds outlast in a dramatic seven-game showdown?

Answer: Boston Red Sox

2. The Reds brought out the brooms in the 1976 World Series against what team?

Answer: New York Yankees

3. When the Reds shocked baseball with a 1990 World Series sweep, which club got swept?

Answer: Oakland Athletics

4. The Reds reached the World Series in 1970 but ran into which team?

Answer: Baltimore Orioles

5. What year marks the Reds' World Series loss to the Oakland Athletics?

Answer: 1972

6. Before the Big Red Machine era, the Reds fell to the Yankees in the World Series in what year?

Answer: 1939

7. The Reds also lost a World Series to the Yankees in the early 1960s. What was the year?

Answer: 1961

8. What famous nickname is most associated with the Reds teams of the 1970s?

Answer: Big Red Machine

9. If you made the majors at Joe Nuxhall's Reds debut age, you'd still be thinking about homework. How old was he?

Answer: 15

10. Johnny Vander Meer pulled off one of baseball's wildest tricks in 1938. What was it?

Answer: He threw back-to-back no-hitters.

11. Way back in 1902, how many games did Noodles Hahn win for Cincinnati?

Answer: 23 wins

12. Which Reds player won the National League MVP Award in 1939?

Answer: Bucky Walters

13. Frank Robinson picked up National League Rookie of the Year honors with Cincinnati in what year?

Answer: 1956

#### CINCINNATI REDS FAMILY TRIVIA

1. In what year did the Reds franchise begin?

Answer: 1882

2. The Reds were one of the National League's charter members under an earlier Cincinnati club in what year?

Answer: 1876

3. For part of the 1950s, what name was commonly used in writing for the Reds?

Answer: Redlegs

4. Before their newer homes, the Reds previously played at which ballpark?

Answer: Crosley Field

5. Crosley Field first became the Reds' home in which year?

Answer: 1912

6. Which stadium became the Reds' home in 1970?

Answer: Riverfront Stadium

7. What was Riverfront Stadium later renamed?

Answer: Cinergy Field

8. True or false: The Reds won the World Series in 1919. True or false?

Answer: True

9. What year did the Reds win the World Series mentioned in 1940s team history?

Answer: 1940

10. How many World Series titles have the Reds won?

Answer: Five

11. How many National League pennants have the Reds won?

Answer: Ten

12. Which pitcher faced the Reds' touring team in Japan in 1934?

Answer: Eiji Sawamura

#### EASY CINCINNATI REDS TRIVIA

1. In what city and state are the Cincinnati Reds based?

Answer: Cincinnati, Ohio

2. The Cincinnati Reds play in which major sports league?

Answer: Major League Baseball

3. The Reds belong to which league within Major League Baseball?

Answer: National League

4. Which division do the Cincinnati Reds compete in?

Answer: National League Central Division

5. What is the name of the Reds' home ballpark?

Answer: Great American Ball Park

6. What year did Great American Ball Park open?

Answer: 2003

7. What is the Reds' primary team color?

Answer: red

8. Which Reds mascot wears a big mustache and old-school baseball look?

Answer: Mr. Redlegs

9. Which of these is a mascot for the Cincinnati Reds?

Answer: Rosie Red

10. In what year did the Reds win the World Series during the first of their back-to-back titles in the 1970s?

Answer: 1975

11. What year did Cincinnati win the second of its back-to-back World Series titles in the 1970s?

Answer: 1976

12. Which year marks the Reds' World Series championship from the 1990 season?

Answer: 1990

13. Which famous hit king played for the Cincinnati Reds?

Answer: Pete Rose

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