

TEST YOUR BEVERAGE KNOWLEDGE!

A quiz from *There's No Cream in Cream Soda:
Facts and Folklore About Our Favorite Drinks*



1. In 1854, Dr. John Snow used his “Ghost Map” to determine what?
 - a. Where his patients had died
 - b. The source of a deadly cholera outbreak
 - c. Which neighborhoods were the most haunted
2. Although polyethylene terephthalate (PET) plastic bottles are recyclable, approximately what percentage actually get recycled in the United States?
 - a. 90%
 - b. 30%
 - c. 50%
3. For how many years has almond milk been around?
 - a. 50 years
 - b. 200 years
 - c. 800 years
4. Gail Borden was inspired to invent evaporated milk to help...
 - a. children on long ocean voyages
 - b. pioneers moving west across the Great Plains
 - c. soldiers in the Civil War
5. Black tea leaves and green tea leaves come from different varieties of the *Camellia sinensis* bush.
 - a. True
 - b. False
6. Tea has antioxidants that can...
 - a. boost the immune system
 - b. reduce the risk of heart disease
 - c. help prevent cancer
 - d. all of the above

7. Where did the coffee tree originate?

- a. Ethiopia
- b. Peru
- c. Iran



8. The most expensive coffee in the world, Kopi luwak, is made from beans that...

- a. have been to the International Space Station
- b. have been soaked in water from the Dead Sea
- c. have been extracted from the poop of the Asian palm civet

9. Soda jerks are...

- a. people who shake the can before they open it so it will spray on others
- b. people who mix and serve drinks at soda fountains
- c. people who will only drink their brand of soda and nothing else

10. In 1892, William Painter invented...

- a. the crown cap to seal bottles
- b. the automatic bottling machine
- c. the soda vending machine



11. Root beer was originally made from...

- a. sassafras
- b. sarsaparilla
- c. birch
- d. all of the above

12. Ginger has been used as a spice for approximately...

- a. 5000 years
- b. 2000 years
- c. 1000 years

13. Pharmacists created which of the following beverages?

- a. Coca-Cola
- b. Dr Pepper
- c. Pepsi-Cola
- d. All of the above

14. The word Pepsi in the name Pepsi-Cola comes from...

- a. the way the drink "peps" you up
- b. the creator Caleb Bradham's favorite dog
- c. Pepsin, an enzyme that aids digestion

15. There are how many different varieties of apple in the United States?

- a. 25
- b. 250
- c. 2500

16. In 1963, Ruben Rausing designed a new beverage container called the Tetra Brik for which beverage?

- a. Wine
- b. Milk
- c. Juice



17. Tang went up into space for the first time with which NASA project?

- a. Mercury
- b. Gemini
- c. Apollo

18. Where did Edward Perkins create Kool-Aid in 1928?

- a. Knoxville, Tennessee
- b. Hastings, Nebraska
- c. Anchorage, Alaska

19. Gatorade was created to prevent...

- a. heatstroke
- b. alligator attacks
- c. a losing football season

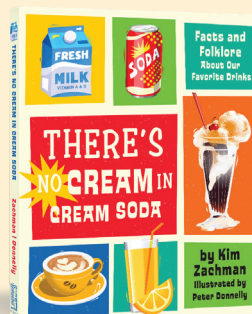


20. Energy drinks can contain as much as 300 milligrams of caffeine in one can. The maximum recommended amount of caffeine for young people between the ages of 13 to 18 is...

- a. 50 milligrams
- b. 100 milligrams
- c. 200 milligrams.

(a) 20. (b)

Answer Key: 1. (b) 2. (b) 3. (c) 4. (a) 5. (b) 6. (d) 7. (a) 8. (c) 9. (b) 10. (a) 11. (d) 12. (a) 13. (d) 14. (c) 15. (c) 16. (b) 17. (a) 18. (b) 19.



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