1. Name the major source of pollution in Scajaquada Creek?
2. Who is the Vice President of the US?
4. Pi in its’ rounded form is 3.14. What are the next two digits after the 4?
5. In which country are the Angel Falls?
6. What is the only number between 10 & 20 that is twice the sum of its digits?
7. What country recently voted to leave the EU (European Union)?
8. What man won his third straight gold by running like lightning and is also named like lightning?
11. Give the first name of the Pakistani teenager who was shot by terrorists in 2012 for fighting for girls' education rights, but who then recovered and went on to win the Nobel Peace Prize.
12. In Star Wars Rogue One, what is the name of the security droid that was reprogrammed to serve the Rebel Alliance?
13. In what award category was a big mistake made in the final moments of the Oscars this year?
14. Humpty Dumpty is depicted as being an egg. That image was an invention of Lewis Carroll in “Through the Looking-Glass”. In reality, what was a “Humpty Dumpty”?
15. Name the Four Sections of an Orchestra.
16. Lack of iron in the diet may cause which disease?
17. Mrs. LoTempio has a beautiful baby girl. What is her name?
18. What is the national sport of China?
19. Say to yourself the word “folk”. What is the white of an egg called?
20. Who was the first American to orbit Earth?
21. What is the speed of light? A. 1,000 miles per second. B. 186,000 miles per second. C. 874,598 miles per second. D. 1,000,000 miles per second.
22. Which is the only mammal that can’t jump?
23. What team won the greatest comeback in Superbowl history?
24. Where can you find a thrust stage on the Nichols Campus?
25. Nichols alumna, Emily Regan, won a gold medal in the recent summer Olympic games. In what sport did she win the medal?
26. Name one of the two landlocked South American countries.

27. What is the name of the band that Mr. Nolan and Mr. Maynor formed and play in?

28. How many years has Mrs. Sykes taught 5th grade at Nichols? (9, 17, 22, 30)

29. Which of these companies or organizations is NOT celebrating the same anniversary along with Nichols School this year? A. Abercrombie & Fitch. B. The Sierra Club. C. The Zamboni Company. D. General Electric.

30. What is the logo of the World Wide Fund for Nature


32. What is the name of the Nichols Middle School drama group that does the Don’t let it happen theatre?

33. What does the Latin phrase ‘carpe diem’ mean? A. I like carp. B. Seize the carp. C. Carpenter’s day. D. Seize the day.

34. What term is defined as “a 125th anniversary?” (spelling does not preclude you from getting this question right, but you have to be close to the proper answer.)

35. Suppose it is 3:30 pm. What time will it be in 249 hours?

36. What is the largest island in the Mediterranean Sea?

37. What New Zealand pop star has just reemerged on to the music scene after a four year hiatus following her blockbuster debut as a 16 year old with a new album this spring?

38. In the art room what is the item that bakes the clay called?

39. When art contains only shapes, lines and colors, it is referred to as _______________ art. A. Minimalism. B. Op Art. C. Dada. D. Abstract.

40. What is the name of the White House press secretary?

41. This year is a big anniversary for Nichols. What is the anniversary?

42. How many days are there in two non-leap years?

43. What team won the World Series last year (for the first time in 108 years.)

44. What are the three branches of government?

45. Jiminy Cricket is the conscience of what other character in this classic children’s story?


47. Hue is another name for ________________.


49. Who is the current US Ambassador to the United Nations?

50. This famous scientist first discovered that heating food kills bacteria.