

**SCAVENGER HUNT #2**  
**THE SCOTT EXHIBIT HANGAR**  
**(Bldg. 3)**

**DOWN TO EARTH:**  
**THE AIRBORNE INVASION OF NORMANDY**

1. The 507<sup>th</sup> had a dog as their “jumping mascot”. What was his name?
  - a. Timber
  - b. Geronimo
  - c. Mutt
  - d. Brutus

**MAP ROOM AND MILITARY LEADER DISPLAY**

2. What date did “Operation Overlord” start?
  - a. June 6, 1944
  - b. July 20, 1944
  - c. Sep 17, 1944
  - d. Dec 16, 1944
3. How many men were landed by air and sea within the 24 hours of the start of the invasion?
  - a. 100,000
  - b. 150,000
  - c. 200,000
  - d. 250,000
4. Which military leader was in charge of the ground components of “Operation Overlord”?
  - a. General Omar Bradley
  - b. General Bedell Smith
  - c. General Dwight Eisenhower
  - d. Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery
5. Which of the following was **NOT** correct in regards to “Operation Fortitude”?
  - a. Was a fictitious army commanded by General George Patton
  - b. Set up along English coast opposite of Normandy
  - c. Used phony vehicles and false military radio traffic to deceive Germans
  - d. Caused Germans to keep one whole army from fighting against Allies in Normandy
6. Which Normandy beaches were used by British and Canadian troops on D-Day?
  - a. Sword
  - b. Juno
  - c. Gold
  - d. All of the above

## **AIR POWER ROOM**

7. Which of the following are strategic (longer negative impact on war effort) targets or tactical (short term impact on war effort) targets? Circle your answer
- Shipyards (S, T)
  - Oil refinery (S, T)
  - Truck convoy (S, T)
  - Aircraft factory (S, T)
8. What special recognition was used by Allied aircraft operating on D-Day?
- Colored flares shot from the aircraft
  - Flew in three Vees of three aircraft in each formation
  - Had black and white stripes painted on the wings
  - Flew with external lights on

## **FLIGHT TO FRANCE EXHIBIT AREA**

9. Which war correspondent said, "I'll tell you straight out. If you've got to go into combat, don't go by glider. Walk, crawl, parachute, swim, float—anything. But don't go by glider."
- Walter Cronkite
  - Edward R. Murrow
  - Ernie Pyle
  - Andy Rooney
10. Bomber crews wore electrically heated undergarments due to the very cold temperatures encountered at altitude. How cold could it get?
- 45 degrees Fahrenheit
  - 50 degrees Fahrenheit
  - 55 degrees Fahrenheit
  - 60 degrees Fahrenheit

## **OUTSIDE THE 507<sup>th</sup> DISPLAY (Lower Floor)**

11. What was the purpose of "Rommel's Asparagus"?
- To explode and kill paratroopers
  - To keep landing craft from advancing up the beach
  - To keep Allied planes and gliders from landing behind German lines
  - To delay tanks from passing through the countryside

**MAIN FLOOR AIRCRAFT DISPLAYS**  
**(Lower Floor)**

12. Which fighter was an offshoot of the P-39 Airacobra?
- a. P-51 Mustang
  - b. P-63 Kingcobra
  - c. P-80 Shooting Star
  - d. None of the above

**(Upper Floor)**

13. How many P-51H models were built during WW2?
- a. 555
  - b. 565
  - c. 575
  - d. 585

**ROSIE THE RIVETER**  
**(Upper Floor)**

14. How many American women worked in 1944?
- a. 15+ million
  - b. 17+ million
  - c. 19+ million
  - d. 21+ million
15. Where did the majority of women work during World War 2?
- a. Factories
  - b. Shipyards
  - c. Steel mills
  - d. Non-factory positions

**TUSKEGEE AIRMEN EXHIBIT**  
**(Upper Floor)**

16. Where was the Primary Flying School for African American pilot cadets?
- a. Hurlburt Field, Fort Walton Beach, Florida
  - b. Fort Rucker, Daleville, Alabama
  - c. Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama
  - d. Hunter Army Air Field, Savannah, Georgia

17. What was the 332<sup>nd</sup> Fighter Group known as during World War 2?
- “Red Tails”
  - “Flying Tigers”
  - “Eagles”
  - Wolfpack”
18. In total, African American military pilots flew how many sorties and destroyed how many enemy aircraft during World War 2?
- 12,000+ sorties and destroyed 177 enemy aircraft
  - 13,000+ sorties and destroyed 205 enemy aircraft
  - 14,000+ sorties and destroyed 233 enemy aircraft
  - 15,000+ sorties and destroyed 261 enemy aircraft
19. Who flew First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt during her visit to the Tuskegee Airmen?
- Benjamin O. Davis, Jr
  - Charles “Chief” Anderson
  - Daniel “Chappy” James
  - Roscoe Brown
20. What was the official name of the flight simulator used to train pilots in WW2?
- Link Trainer
  - Blue Box
  - Pilot Trainer
  - None of the above