Word Prix - Whats The Good Word

What's The Good Word is a classic word gaming event. In an all-new, all-fun extension of the classic WTGW rules, our version of this event has you guess a set of words from clues in as many as ten different formats!

How the event will be conducted

You will be given a sheet with 10 different main questions, each with subparts. Your task: To finish as many as possible (correctly, of course) in your given time of one hour.

The total number of questions expected will be 20-50 (each main question format will have 2-5 subparts). So rest assured that this is not only a test of speed, but a test of accuracy. If we were to give you a motto to guide you, it would probably be 'Fast and steady wins the race'.

Types of questions

Some of our 10 question formats are on tried and tested word games stalwarts like anagrams, homophones and rebuses. Some are completely new and innovated. All you need is a good vocabulary, a nimble mind, and a pencil.

Sample questions

Note: these are only to give you a flavour of possible questions; these formats may or may not be featured in the final competition. Also, these samples are for the Below-18 category. Open contestants, you will be in for a slightly harder time than this :)

1. **Anagrams:** Un-jumble the following words to make other, meaningful words

• Ages (Answer: Sage)

• Dances (Answer: Ascend)

• Percussion (Answer: Supersonic)

2. **Consecutive letters:** Find a word which has these letters appearing consecutively anywhere within it

• NJ (Answer: Injury and many others)

• WKW (Answer: Awkward, and variants)

• THP (Answer: Toothpaste or many others)

3. **Trivia:** Find a word which satisfies the following properties:

• The word 'strengths' is the longest word with some property. What? (Answer: Only one vowel)

• Which 5 letter word is pronounced the same when its last 4 letters are removed (Answer: Queue)

• What is special about the words orange, silver and purple (other than that they are all colors?) (Answer: No word in English rhymes with any of them)