

Simon: Hello, any thoughts on the naming of TV programs?

Simon: Doesn't 'The Penguin' sound like a silly name for a crime drama?

Simon: Yep, sounds like the name of a children's program.

Simon: I think you might be thinking of Pingu...

Simon: Yes, exactly!

Simon: At the end of the day, calling a crime drama Pingu, wouldn't be so different...

Simon: But of course, copyright problems...

Simon: Right, right.

Simon: Are there any other weird TV shows?

Simon: One of the characters in 'Sherwood' was a weird person who killed someone in a rage and was nice to people most of the time and for that reason I don't think it deserved 5 stars.

Simon: Was that the show where forensic experts didn't realise a criminal had the finger prints of someone with Down Syndrome?

Simon: The very same.

Simon: Have you thought about committing any crimes?

Simon: I very easily could have done.

Simon: Go on...

Simon: I've finally realised why train passes were more expensive when I used the ticket machine and less expensive when I asked a member of staff for them. It's because the ticket machine doesn't let you buy tickets for later on at cheaper prices and the staff do. All this time I could have pretended I wanted a ticket for later on, and when I used such a ticket earlier on, I could have screwed a good £10 out of the train company!

Simon: Yes, but it's best you didn't.

Simon: Yep, fair enough.

Simon: Any thoughts on other people who are criminals?

Simon: There's a rugby player called Cokayne, pronounced 'cocaine'. Doesn't she have like, an unfair advantage?

Simon: Not only are drugs part of her lifestyle, it's her whole way of life...

Simon: I know! A very fast runner, I'm sure.

Simon: Not when she's on a comedown though, you have to remember that.

Simon: I guess things even out.

Simon: Any gym stories?

Simon: Someone in the gym approached me and showed me a Pearl Jam song on their phone. I was thinking 'oook...' then I realised I was wearing a PJ shirt! Phew!

Simon: I'd be concerned if one of the world's biggest Pearl Jam fans approached me for no reason. Maybe they'd want you to sing them a song...

Simon: No, not going to happen. I could say I liked the band, at least.

Simon: But of course, no point as you were wearing a band shirt.

Simon: :)

Simon: And any stories about shoes?

Simon: I saw an advert about special shoes that you can slip on without needing a shoehorn. Why not just untie your shoelaces?

Simon: Will the shoes just fall off as easily as you can put them on?

Simon: I'd hope not. But then again, if you were a shoe company you would never point out the product's flaws...

Simon: The company wouldn't last long if the product was rubbish, though...

Simon: Maybe it didn't. I've only seen the one advert. :S

Simon: Wow. Any thoughts on the olympics?

Simon: Why do champions keep biting medals? It's actually a sign of mental problems. Not ALL athletes are mental, surely? If so, why?

Simon: Maybe all the training broke them, mentally.

Simon: Wow... That's sad.

Simon: The dark side of the olympics.

Simon: On a lighter, maybe medals simply taste nice...

Simon: I doubt that very much.

Simon: Me too.

Simon: Any stories about your car?

Simon: I thought I noticed my car pulling away slightly faster than normal. I was thinking 'could someone have fitted a small turbo booster to my vehicle without my permission?' Then I was thinking 'no... they couldn't have done...' I mean what kind of sick mind game is that?

Simon: That's demented.

Simon: Yes, I was freaked out. I guess I just pressed the pedal down harder.

Simon: Any thoughts on foreign languages?

Simon: Did you know 'ken' is Japanese for 'fist'? Funny name for a boy, isn't it?

Simon: It's interesting how woman are less violent than men and there are no women called 'Ken'...

Simon: No women called 'fist'...

Simon: Yep, same thing.

Simon: :S

Simon: Any thoughts on your name?

Simon: Don't you think Wiedemann is a good name for a metal band? Very Germanic. Simon not so much, so maybe I could call myself Sebastian.

Simon: Sebastien Wiedemann. What would your lyrics be like?

Simon: Booooooooooooo...

Simon: Of course, Why did I ask that?

Simon: Not sure.

Simon: Ok. And any thoughts on sayings?

Simon: What's 'it's all downhill from here' mean? Down is associated with bad things (poor down, I say) but it's far easier to run downhill!

Simon: It's one of those rare phrases that doesn't mean anything.

Simon: Why?

Simon: I don't know. Have YOU ever caused anyone confusion?

Simon: I hope not. I meant to copy and paste a Youtube video link to a Facebook friend, but I copied the phrase 'apology 20', instead. (Because I copied the phrase onto my Wix page beforehand). I can only imagine the confusion that would cause, so I deleted it before it was viewed. Or did I? Because actually it could have been seen before the conversation box was opened. What I do know was the comment wasn't commented on.

Simon: Why would anyone start a conversation with the words 'apology 20'?

Simon: Which is why I was so embarrassed.

Simon: Any stories about pests?

Simon: I was wondering why flies were so attracted to me and wouldn't leave me alone, they were dog fleas!

Simon: That must have been annoying...

Simon: Yeah, a flea landed in my cup of water and I swallowed by accident which gave me some satisfaction, what goes around comes around.

Simon: Has your dad been affected?

Simon: Yes, he let the dog sleep on his bed and then said he woke up with fleas all over his mattress, despite knowing of the flea problem beforehand. Maybe he's not as intelligent as he's letting on. What gets to me is I thought I saw a fly in my cup of water and I let it get away! If I knew it was a flea I would've thrown it out the window immediately!

Simon: Darn. Any stories about emails?

Simon: I often sort my boss's emails into various folders at cool times such as 11:11:11 and no one would ever know which is a powerful thought...

Simon: THAT'S powerful.

Simon: Yes, if only folder additions had recorded times like sent emails do. Then again...

Simon: ... Not as dramatic a thought...

Simon: Exactly. No mystery.

Simon: Any thoughts on social media?

Simon: I still think X is called Twitter, which is for the best as X.com sounds like the kind of site that will give you a virus...

Simon: Either that or it could be a site that is just very mysterious...

Simon: Why is the letter X so mysterious?

Simon: I have no idea. Maybe because it isn't used very often?

Simon: Not true, I see it every day...

Simon: :S

Simon: Also, what's 'Grok' on X? It sounds like the kind of thing an orc would say. An X rated orc, whatever that is.

Simon: Maybe you should move on.

Simon: Great idea.

Simon: Any thoughts on lyrics?

Simon: I don't mean to sound pretentious, but doesn't 'rule Britannia, Britannia rules the waves, we will never be slaves' sound like a childish rhyme to you? It could continue 'the enemies will go to their graves in a cave'...

Simon: 'And then join other enemies once called 'Dave'.'...

Simon: It's bad enough in a regular song, but for England's national anthem? It needs to be better.

Simon: Seen any weird people?

Simon: I saw a guy wearing a jester's hat which does sound funny, but he actually looked genuinely scary, which was weird...

Simon: Why did he look scary?

Simon: He just looked like the kind of person who could use a gun. Imagine someone like him being the last thing you'd ever see, you wouldn't believe it.

Simon: Ok. And any inspiring blood pressure stories?

Simon: After having it taken, it was so low I was told I could faint which I took as a compliment - a good sign workouts are going well! That was proven when I got home and Google said my BP WAS in the normal range, I think the nurse was just trying to scare me which does happen. At least I won't get a heart attack right? Annoyingly I do get stressed (mostly by my computer) so I guess I still could.

Simon: Cause of death: Computer update.

Simon: Exactly what I'm fearing.

Simon: Any thoughts on Ted Nugent?

Simon: Yes, he has a very screamy song called 'Flesh and Blood' that was released in 1980. If he wrote more similar songs, he could have invented a new genre!

Simon: He would have alienated many prior fans though...

Simon: Yeah, it would be like the Beatles writing a song called 'Gore, gore, gore!' No one really wants that.

Simon: Any thoughts on guitar transcribing?

Simon: I heard that a guitar transcriber tried to work out what Yngwie Malmsteen played through his live DVD. I'd hate to tell him this, but apparently the concert was rerecorded in a studio meaning that all his obsessive viewing and reviewing would have been largely wrong.

Simon: And any close shaves to finish things?

Simon: DEI is short for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. Luckily the phrase isn't ordered 'Inclusion, Equity and Diversity' as that would be IED, i.e. Improvised Explosive Device!

Simon: Wow, imagine the chaos that would be caused if someone got the wrong idea...

Simon: Yes, very disturbing.

Simon: And... bye!