

# FUN NIGHT IDEAS

## *Backtrack Blitz Night (China Edition)*

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### **Basic Overview:**

Backtrack Blitz Night is a fun night designed to go back and review the ground you have covered on your Expedition. Obviously this is a night you would want to schedule towards the end of your year to get the best results. Review question topics include: the missionary that the kids learned about in their books, facts about the country they learned about, facts about the wildlife that they learned about in their books and the wildlife lessons, and the missionary from your church that your children wrote letters to, prayed for and collected an offering for in your missions participation lessons.

Using the Blamee powerpoint game (which can be downloaded from our website in the same place that you downloaded these instructions and flyer) you will compete in a boys vs. girls review game to see which gender has the best memory. If powerpoint is not available, please see the last pages of this file for an alternate way of competing Award everyone on the winning team with a piece of candy.

### **Additional Ideas:**

None.

### **Reminder Flyer:**

See the flyer and additional instructions on the next pages.

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## ***THE CHINA EXPEDITION REVIEW***

### **Backtrack Blitz Night Summary:**

Backtrack Blitz Night is a review night set up to help you to go back and review the many things that you have learned on your Expedition throughout the year. Topics include: the missionary that the kids learned about in their books, facts about the country they learned about, facts about the wildlife that they learned about in their books and the wildlife lessons, and the missionary from your church that your children wrote letters to, prayed for and collected an offering for in your missions participation lessons.

### **Running Backtrack Blitz Night:**

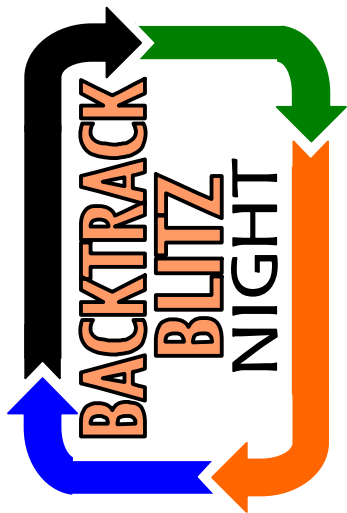
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1. You can alternate by asking question 1 to the girls, question 2 to the boys, questions 3 to the girls, etc. If the girls miss their question, the boys can have a chance to answer and vice versa. If both teams miss the question then read the page number included with each question and see who can find it first.
2. You can just have a general mob mentality and ask questions to everyone and see who stands up to answer first.

After they answer the question, the child will pick a blue square on your powerpoint game board. Clicking on that square with your mouse will reveal a point value behind the square, which is how many points that team gets. A "Blamee" will reset the teams score to zero. Bonus Questions are given at the end for the kids to answer especially if it is a close competition. For these questions simply call on the child who stands up the fastest.

At the end of the question time, we recommend giving a small prize (i.e. piece of candy etc.) to each player on the winning team.

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### 1st-3rd Grade Questions

(Q1 - China) - What country did we learn about this year (page 1 in their books)? (A) **China**

(Q2 - Taylor) - What Missionary did we learn about in our books this year (page 8 in their books)? (A) **Hudson Taylor**

(Q3 - Taylor) - Name the country that Hudson Taylor grew up in (page 8 in their books)? (A) **England**

(Q4 - China) – What is the name of the tallest mountain found in China and the world (page 60 in their books)? (A) **Mt. Everest**

(Q5 - Wildlife) – What is group of tapirs called (page 108 in the books and Wildlife lesson)? (A) **A candle**

(Q6 - Taylor) - Where did Hudson Taylor work when he turned 11 year old (page 8 in their books)? (A) **At a bank**

(Q7 - China) – How do the people of China say horse (page 84 in their books)? (A) **Yee Pee Ma**

(Q8 - Taylor) – How old was Hudson Taylor when he first arrived in China (Page 44 in their books)? (A) **Twenty-one**

(Q9 - Taylor) - What helped Hudson to realize that he needed to be saved? (page 20 in their books)? (A) **He read a gospel tract in his dad's office one afternoon.**

(Q10 - China) - What color clothes do the people of China wear to weddings (Page 96 in their books)? (A) **Red**

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(Q11 - Taylor) - What terrible thing happened in 1900, where the Chinese people began attacking all foreigners (including missionaries) (Page 104)? (A) **The Boxer Rebellion**

(Q12 - Snapshots) – Why was Andrew van der Bijl nervous to cross into Romania (from the missionary snapshot lesson)? (A) **He was smuggling Bibles into a country that did not allow it.**

(Q13 - Wildlife) – How long is a pangolin's tongue (Page 48 in their books or wildlife lesson)? (A) **Up to 16 inches long**

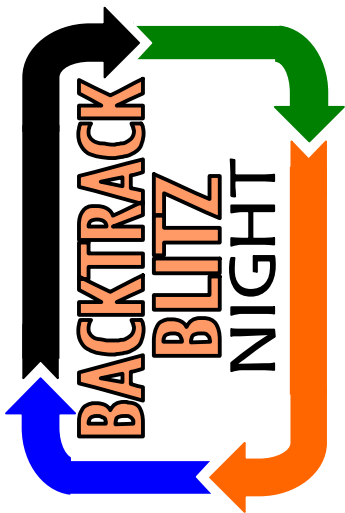
(Q14 - China) What is the name of the famous landmark in China that is 4,500 miles long (page 96 in their books)? (A) **The Great Wall of China**

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(Q15 - Bonus) - What was the name of our missionaries that we wrote letters to, prayed for, and collected and offering for this year?

(Q16 - Bonus) – Why did the Conwells call Betty Greene on the telephone (see the missionary snapshot lesson)? (A) **They needed Betty to fly their daughter to the hospital right away**

(Q17 - Bonus) Who was Robert Moffat determined to tell about Jesus ( see missionary snapshot lesson)? (A) **The famous and evil Chief Afrikaner**

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### 4th-6th Grade Questions

(Q1 - Taylor) - Name the town that Hudson Taylor grew up in (page 8 in their books)? (A) **Barnsley**

(Q2 - China) – What did the Chinese people invent in the 1300s that was only to be used by emperors (page 72 in their books)? (A) **Toilet Paper**

(Q3 - Wildlife) - About how many hours per day does a panda spend eating (page 48 in the books and Wildlife lesson)? (A) **Sixteen hours**

(Q4 - Taylor) – Why did Hudson have to stop working at the bank (page 8 in their books)? (A) **His eyes got infected**

(Q5 - China) How do people say eachother's names in China (page 120 in their books)? (A) **you call a person by their last name first and then their first name. They do not have middle names.**

(Q6 - Taylor) - What year did Hudson arrive in China? (Page 44 in their books)? (A) **1854**

(Q7 - Taylor) - What did Hudson get rid of in order to get ready to go to China (page 32 in their books)? (A) **He got rid of his soft feather mattress and slept on the floor.**

(Q8 - China) – How do the people of China say "Cake" (page 84 in their books)? (A) **Don Gow**

(Q9 - Taylor) – What was the name of the girl that Hudson met and later married in Ningpo (page 68 in their books)? (A) **Maria Dyer**

### 4th-6th Grade Questions

(Q10 - Wildlife) – What is something a snow leopard cannot do that other large cats can do (page 108 in the books and Wildlife lesson)? (A) **Snow leopards cannot roar or purr like other large cats**

(Q11 - China) - What was invented by the chinese and originally used to signal to each other during wars (page 72 in their books)? (A) **Kites**

(Q12 - Taylor) - What did Hudson do that made the people of Yangchow think he was very brave to do (Page 80)? (A) **He moved back to Yangchow even after his house was robbed and burned down**

(Q13 - Wildlife) – How many times bigger is a panda's tooth than a human tooth (Page 48 in their books or wildlife lesson)? (A) **Seven time bigger**

(Q14 - China) How many people live in China (page 60 in their books)? (A) **1.3 billion**

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(Q15 - Bonus) - What was the name of our missionaries that we wrote letters to, prayed for, and collected and offering for this year?

(Q16 - Bonus) What did Jacob Chamberlain find on a path in the jungle (see the missionary snapshot lesson) (A) **A spotted tiger**

(Q17 - Bonus) - What mountain range was Betty Greene the first woman to fly a plane over (see the missionary snapshot lesson) (A) **The Andes Mountains**

If PowerPoint is not available at your church, you can also print out papers and tape them to the wall in a fashion similar to what is seen below. Print out copies of the following pages and use masking tape to tape the papers to the front wall of your classroom. It may be best to do three rows of 7 (21 total) or 3 rows of 8 (24 total). Each question that the kids get right gives them the chance to come up and pull one paper off of the wall. They will get the points or lose all their points if they pick a “blamee.”





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POINTS



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**BLAMEE**

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