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The Dish Movie Questions (2000)

As you watch this motion picture about Apollo 11, please think about and answer the following questions that go along with events in the film.

- 1) What month and year does the movie take place in?
- 2) What country has the largest radio telescope in the Southern Hemisphere?
- 3) Why did NASA need to use this telescope?
- 4) What happens to the Dish during the town celebration and dance?
- 5) What VIP comes out to visit the Dish during the crisis?
- 6) What does Mitch use as a point of reference when looking for the signal from Apollo 11?
- 7) How many people does Al estimate to be watching the moon landing on TV?
- 8) In the United States, the moon landing happened on Sunday, July 20th, 1969. Why do you think the people in Australia watch the landing on Monday, the 21st of July?
- 9) What does E.V.A. stand for?
- 10) What is the maximum wind speed that the Dish is rated for?

11) Neil Armstrong was the first human being to set foot on the moon, who
was the second man on the moon?

12) What is the name of the place where the Eagle landed on the moon?