

K-19: The Widowmaker Name _____

Directed by Peter Sarsgaard released 2002 137 minutes, rated PG-13

Russian nuclear sub accident, based on a true story. Block _____ Date _____

Questions to be answered during the movie.

1. The mission of K-19 was to launch a _____ missile.

2. Why did Russia want President Kennedy to learn about K-19?

3. How many were dead before the sub left dock? _____

4. What is wrong with the nuclear reactor?

residual _____

5. There is a loss of _____ in the reactor.

6. What might happen if the reactor reaches a temperature of 1000° ?

7. The reactor lieutenant states there could be an explosion (bigger / smaller) than Hiroshima.

8. Does the eight-man repair team get the coolant flowing again? _____

9. Why does the mouse die?

10. How many total men died from the radiation? _____

11. Do you think the captain received fair treatment from the Russian military? Explain.

12. Write a brief synopsis of this movie, as if for a review.