

# Rocket Scientist Turned Author to Entertain Retirement Home Residents

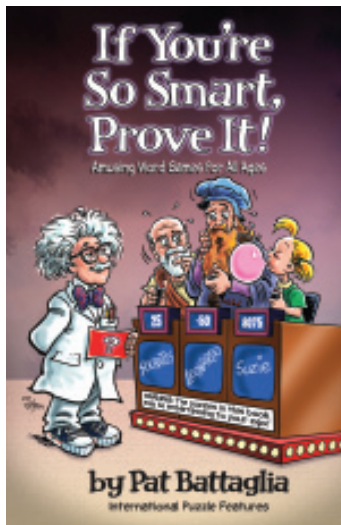
Join Pat Battaglia (aka Dr. Fun) playing word games  
at Pinecrest in Hickory, NC  
Thursday October 8, 2009 at 3:30 PM

Interview Dr. Fun & learn:

- Why he went from a rocket scientist to a Ph.D. (Doctor of Phun)
- How his prescription for games gives fast relief from boredom
- How a single dose can improve mental acuity
- Why his games are habit forming and contagious
- Common side effects experienced
- How to spread the bug of fun & laughter



**Talk Show Producers:** Prizes are available for call-in listeners giving correct answers.



Try this, just for fun.



A man left home, made three left turns and returned home.  
Waiting for him were two masked men. Who were they?

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Dr. Fun (aka Pat Battaglia) was a rocket scientist. Really! He helped develop rockets for NASA space programs in the 1960's. He is also an expert in devising entertaining word games. The games are fun for ages 8 - 80 and are definitely not rocket science!

Dr. Fun is the author of four books. His latest is **If You're So Smart, Prove It!** It is a sequel to **Are You Smart, or What?**, which is endorsed by Bill Cosby.

His previous book, **So You Think You're Smart**, has been a best seller and is now in its 17th printing.

He also writes the **If You're So Smart...** newspaper puzzle column that has been in syndication for over 20 years.

Dr. Fun visits schools and retirement homes with his interactive **Word Fun Presentations** to get everyone thinking, learning and having fun.

**Availability:** Charlotte, NC & nationwide via telephone ■ **Contact:** Pat Battaglia (704) 921-1818