*Curious Behavior* by Robert R. Provine

1. What common links are shared between the yawn, sneeze, and orgasm?
2. What are mirror neurons?
3. Why do we have stereotyped laughing patterns?
4. How is laughter different among humans and chimpanzees?
5. How are laughing and speaking similar?
6. What is the role of crying in a baby-mother relationship?
7. How was voluntary control determined?
8. What is the tear effect?
9. What is the value of tears?
10. How do emotional tearing and vocal crying work together?
11. What is sympathetic tearing?
12. What is the social importance of eyes?
13. Why do we cough?
14. What is the concern with cough CPR?
15. What is the purpose of conversational and social coughing?
16. What are ties with relentless sneezing and stress?
17. Why are sneezes noisy?
18. Although you cannot force yourself to sneeze, can you block a sneeze?
19. What are some proposed treatments for hiccups?
20. Why do we hiccup?
21. When do we hiccup?
22. Why is vomiting contagious?
23. Why smell before tasting?
24. Why do we get motion sickness from cars and boats but not from walking?
25. What is the reasoning for tickling?
26. What is the body’s response to tickling?
27. Give an extreme example of itching.
28. Why do we itch?
29. Do we ever scratch without an itch?
30. What did Frenchman Joseph Pujol discover?
31. What is flatulence?
32. What is belching?
33. What is Provine’s take on the embryocentric perspective?
34. When does the baby start moving inside of the womb?
35. How does prenatal world serve as a controlled condition?