Listening Ex. > Hooliganism

A. Listen to a podcast about hooliganism between two people, Ravi and Tess. Identify the false information in each statement, cross it out, and write the correction on the line provided.

1. The topic show would be related to something that happens in England.

Correction: _____

2. Ravi is always questioned about being a football hooligan by people from other countries.

Correction: _____

3. Being an English football fan is used interchangeably with 'troublemaker'.

Correction: _____

4. During the 80's and 90's there were a few incidents involving acts of violence.

Correction: _____

5. Scenes of the football violence went viral nationwide

Correction: _____

B. Complete the missing information. Use ONE or TWO WORDS in each blank.

According to Ravi, football hooliganism has stopped being (6) _____ in the last decades. However, English football fans' (7) _____ has not changed people's minds about them. Today, going to a football match should not be considered (8) _____, and the new stadiums offer more (9) _____, greater views and better food than before. Although it can be seen as a(n) (10) _____, it is true that more men attend these events in comparison to women.

C. Answer the questions below. Write NO MORE THAN SIX WORDS on each blank.

11. Who does Ravi take with him to the stadium sometimes? _____.

12. What does Ravi ask Tess? _____.

13. When do they both plan to do it? _____.

14. Does Tess accept the offer? _____.

15. Why does Tess sound reluctant to Ravi's proposal? Because she _____.

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