New contest for Week 1337: Lidder me this: anagram riddles

1. Q. What famed institution in Hamelin, Germany, taught the skills of craft and art? A. The High School of Music and Arts
2. Q. What's the name of the tallest metal band ever? A. Motley Crue

This week's contest was the sudden birthchild of Chiel, aka Gene Wurgmunder. Like his equally and equally sudden predecessor, he sent two urgent emails to the Empress with the sentinels above. And opposed to the current reused context, the concept is simple: Write a Q&A joke (or an An Anagram) to fit the theme of the recent contest.

The theme this week is "The Tale of Tone-down, as a Tone-down...

For the last puzzle's clues:

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE
(Aug 9, 2019)

1. "I'm seeing a little white house by the sea, and there's a little red house behind it."
2. "I have two heads and eight legs, but no eyes, no mouth, and no ears."
3. "I'm a town in Germany and a town in Italy."
4. "In the Olympics, I am the first to win a medal, and the last to lose one."

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