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## Time to “Let Go” and Share Milly West Art Collection Sale



**Where: Milly West Tres Puertas Home Gallery at 212 Bramlett Blvd., Oxford**  
**When: October 4th and 5th (Friday and Saturday); 10 am–6 pm each day**

As former owner of Southside Gallery, Milly West feels blessed to have had a reason to collect art and promote artists from all over the South and from Cuba.

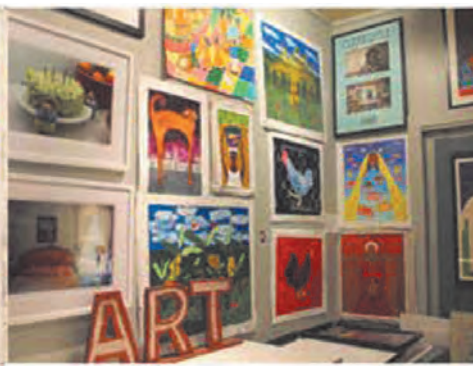
“It’s been over forty years since I first started as a photographer, exploring the South with my camera,” she said. “I made dozens of trips to Clarksdale and all over the Delta. I have traveled through small towns of Georgia and Alabama collecting art treasures by some amazing self-taught artists.”

She left the gallery “in good hands” 22 years ago, and went on to graduate school at the University of Tulsa, taught photography and writing at Ole Miss, and kept on with making and collecting art.

“My house is my gallery! Now, I am ready to let go. For this current show, I am offering most works in my collection and my own photos, and some incredible Cuban art, by that country’s most famous artists, at the lowest prices ever.”

Everything in the collection of art is either created or purchased by West, or in a few cases, on consignment.

“I have traveled to Cuba approximately forty times, and my love of that country has never waned, nor has my love of the South,” she said. “I can’t wait to welcome all art lovers to see this collection. Also, I want to thank Wayne Andrews and the great staff at YAC for their support of this exhibit and all artists in and around Oxford.”



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# JUSTIN HOLT

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# Neutral Snap

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## THURSDAY 9.19.2024

- Moe's: BINGO (8 pm)
  - The Old Henry: LIVE BAND (7:30-10:30 pm)
  - The Powerhouse: Thacker Mountain Radio Season Premiere with author **KATHERINE WOOD** for *Ladykiller*, musical guests **AFRISSIPPI, MY GIRL THE RIVER** (doors 5:30; show 6 pm)
  - Rooster's: KARAOKE (9:30 pm-close)
- Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Check It Out Book Club (11 am); Afterschool Zone: Slime (3:45 pm); Check It Out Book Club (5:30 pm)  
The Lyric: MASON RAMSEY  
Overby Center (University): Free film screening of *Our Movement Starts Here*, Q&A with filmmakers JOHN RASH & MELANIE HO (5-7 pm)  
Proud Larry's: LEMON'S, THE HYPOCRITES, JOE HOGUE  
T.I.N. (Water Valley): YOU LOOK LIKE A COMEDY SHOW (8 pm)  
Wonderbird Spirits (Taylor): YPO HAPPY HOUR (5-7 pm)

## FRIDAY 9.20.2024

- The Library: JUSTIN HOLT (9 pm)
  - The Old Henry: DUELING PIANOS (8 pm-midnight)
  - Rafters: DJ DRUMM
  - Rafters on the Water: OPIE & THE BOYS (7-10 pm)
  - Rooster's: MEMPHIS MOJO (9:30 pm)
- The Grove Pavilion (University): FALL FAMILY WEEKEND (noon); Trashcan Friday Flow - Yoga in the Grove (12:15 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Storytime (10:30 am); Afterschool Zone: Slime (3:45 pm)  
The Lyric: LASO Latin Night (9 pm)  
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## SATURDAY 9.21.2024

- VAUGHT-HEMINGWAY STADIUM: OLE MISS VS. GEORGIA SOUTHERN (6:45 pm)**
- The Library: JUSTIN HOLT (9 pm)
  - The Old Henry: DUELING PIANOS (8 pm-midnight)
  - Rafters: DJ DRUMM
  - Rafters on the Water: DAVIS COEN & COMPANY (7-10 pm)
  - Rooster's: OPIE (9:30 pm)
  - Square Books, Jr.: Storytime takeover with **MARSHALL RAMSEY** for *Saving Sam!* (10 am)
- The Grove Pavilion (University): FALL FAMILY WEEKEND (noon)  
Midtown Shopping Center: Midtown Farmer's Market (7-11 am)

## SUNDAY 9.22.2024

- Funkys: NFL SUNDAY TICKET
- The Old Henry: LIVE MUSIC @ BRUNCH (11 am-3 pm)
- Rafters on the Water: JOE AUSTIN & THE TALLAHATCHIES (1-4 pm)

## MONDAY 9.23.2024

- Rooster's: DJ WADE (9:30 pm)
- Hometown Pizza (Water Valley): BINGO NIGHT (6:30 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Pokemon Playdate (3-4 pm); Afterschool Zone: Straw-build Challenge (3:45 pm); Bringing Up Baby with Lafayette Pediatric Clinic's Dr. ANNE KRISTEN GLASER (5:30 pm)

## TUESDAY 9.24.2024

- Moe's: TRIVIA (7 pm)
  - Off Square Books: WRIGHT THOMPSON in conversation with **GLORIA DICKERSON** for *The Barn* (5:30 pm)
  - Old Armory Pavilion: Oxford Community Market (3-6:30 pm)
  - Rooster's: OPEN MIC (9:30 pm)
  - Square Books: Early morning release party for **SALLY ROONEY's Intermezzo** (8-9 am)
- Hometown Pizza (Water Valley): TUESDAY TRIVIA (6:30 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Baby Storytime (9:30 am); Afterschool Zone: Straw-build Challenge (3:45 pm)  
Powerhouse: Big Bad Business Series: Round Robin (6-8 pm)



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## WEDNESDAY 9.25.2024

- Funkys: LADIES NIGHT
  - Moe's Penny Bar: COMEDY OPEN MIC (9 pm)
  - Rooster's: KARAOKE (9:30 pm)
  - Square Books, Jr.: STORYTIME (10 am)
- Bernard Observatory (University): SouthTalks: The Built Environment of Homelessness with **CHUCK STEFFEN** (noon)  
Business Row (University): Operation Immunization Flu Shots (2-4 pm)  
Campus Wines: Wine Tasting (5-7 pm)  
Circle & Square Brewing: TRIVIA (7 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Conversation Cafe: LARRY WELLS (10 am); Afterschool Zone: Straw-build Challenge (3:45 pm)  
Midtown Shopping Center: Midtown Farmer's Market (7-11 am)  
Proud Larry's: NEAL FRANCIS, DAISYCHAIN

## THURSDAY 9.26.2024

- The Library: NEUTRAL SNAP
  - Moe's: BINGO (8 pm)
  - The Old Henry: LIVE BAND (7:30-10:30 pm)
  - The Powerhouse: Thacker Mountain Radio with author **ERIN AUSTEN ABBOTT** for *Small Town Living*, music guests **LITTLE WILLIE FARMER, W8ING4UFOS** (doors 5:30; show 6 pm)
  - Rooster's: KARAOKE (9:30 pm)
  - Square Books: **NATASHA LANCE ROGOFF** signing *Muppets in Moscow* (2-3 pm)
- Ford Center: THE FRONTMEN - LARRY STEWART (Restless Heart), **RICHIE MCDONALD** (Lonestar), **TIM RUSHLOW** (Little Texas) (7:30 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Afterschool Zone: Straw-build Challenge (3:45 pm)  
Nutt Auditorium: Faculty Recital w/ **JOS MILTON, AUSTIN SMITH** (7:30 pm)  
Proud Larry's: JEMS, CYRENA WAGES

## FRIDAY 9.27.2024

- Oxford Square: OLE MISS HOMECOMING PARADE (5:15-7 pm)**
- The Library: NEUTRAL SNAP (9 pm)
  - The Old Henry: DUELING PIANOS (8 pm-midnight)
  - Rafters: DJ DRUMM
  - Rafters on the Water: THE PINK SHEETS (7-10 pm)
  - Rooster's: DAVIS COEN
- The Grove Pavilion (University): Trashcan Friday Flow - Yoga in the Grove (12:15 pm)  
Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Storytime (10:30 am); Afterschool Zone: Straw-build Challenge (3:45 pm)  
The Old Henry: DUELING PIANOS (8 pm-midnight)  
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**SATURDAY 9.28.2024**

**VAUGHT-HEMINGWAY STADIUM: OLE MISS VS. KENTUCKY (11 am)**

- **The Library: NEUTRAL SNAP (9 pm)**
  - **The Old Henry: DUELING PIANOS (8 pm-midnight)**
  - **Rafters: DJ DRUMM**
  - **Rafters on the Water: HAGGARD COLLINS BAND (7-10 pm)**
  - **Rooster's: SAINT SOCIAL (9:30 pm)**
  - **Square Books, Jr.: STORYTIME (10 am)**
- Midtown Shopping Center: Midtown Farmer's Market (7-11 am)  
 Proud Larry's: GARRY BURNSIDE

**SUNDAY 9.29.2024**

- **The Old Henry: LIVE MUSIC @ BRUNCH (11 am-3 pm)**
  - **Rafters on the Water: ROCKET 88 (1-4 pm)**
  - **The Powerhouse: ANUBIS IMPROV Leveled Up Showcase (7 pm)**
- Greenfield Farm (CR 249): PLEIN AIR INVITATIONAL (4-5:30 pm)  
 Old Armory Pavilion: OXFORD ON SKATES (3:30-5 pm)  
 Rowan Oak: PLEIN AIR INVITATION open house (1-4 pm)

**MONDAY 9.30.2024**

- **Rooster's: DJ WADE**
- Lafayette County & Oxford Public Library: Afterschool Zone: BUTTONMAKING (3:45 pm);  
 Bringing Up Baby with Lafayette Pediatric Clinic's DR. ANNE KRISTEN GLASER (5:30 pm);  
 Family Art Night (5:30 pm)  
 Hometown Pizza (Water Valley): BINGO NIGHT (6:30 pm)  
 Proud Larry's: DASH RIP ROCK, LAID BACK COUNTRY PICKER

**TUESDAY 10.01.2024**

- **Moe's: TRIVIA (7 pm)**
  - **Off Square Books: DAVID MCCONNELL for *The Beads* (5:30 pm)**
  - **Old Armory Pavilion: Oxford Community Market (3-6:30 pm)**
  - **The Powerhouse: THREE BLIND WINES (6-8 pm)**
  - **Rooster's: OPEN MIC NIGHT (9:30 pm)**
- Hometown Pizza (Water Valley): TUESDAY TRIVIA (6:30 pm)  
 Lafayette Co. & Oxford Public Library: Afterschool Zone: BUTTONMAKING (3:45 pm)  
 Nutt Auditorium: UM Sonic Explorations Performance - ADRIENNE PARK (7:30 pm)  
 University Museum: Membership party (5:30-8 pm)

**WEDNESDAY 10.02.2024**

- **Funks: LADIES NIGHT**
  - **Moe's Penny Bar: COMEDY OPEN MIC**
  - **The Powerhouse: Melodies & Monologues w/ STEVE VASALLO: Music of the '70s (6 pm; \$10, includes 1 glass of wine)**
  - **Rooster's: KARAOKE (9:30 pm)**
  - **Square Books, Jr.: STORYTIME (10 am)**
- Barnard Observatory (University): SouthTalks: When the West Was West with SUSAN GAUNT STEARNS (noon)  
 Campus Wines: Wine Tasting (5-7 pm)  
 Circle & Square Brewing: TRIVIA (7 pm)  
 Lafayette Co. & Oxford Public Library: Afterschool Zone: BUTTONMAKING (3:45 pm)  
 The Lyric: THE CALIFORNIA HONEYDROPS (8 pm)  
 Midtown Shopping Center: Midtown Farmer's Market (7-11 am)  
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## TLV King Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Bit of butter
- 4 "Dream on!"
- 8 Half (Pref.)
- 12 "Kinda" suffix
- 13 Mandolin's kin
- 14 Redact
- 15 LAX info
- 16 Embraces among team members, say
- 18 Mideast peninsula
- 20 "Gee, ya think?"
- 21 Nevada city
- 24 Pansy part
- 28 Floor coverings
- 32 Luau dance
- 33 Paul Newman film
- 34 Refine metal
- 36 Male turkey
- 37 "M\*A\*S\*H" star
- 39 Pub vessels
- 41 Sand castle site
- 43 Clear the decks?
- 44 Gearwheel tooth
- 46 Mary Poppins, e.g.
- 50 Hydrants
- 55 Tic-tac-toe win
- 56 Totals
- 57 Mine, to Marcel
- 58 -- de mer
- 59 Sheepish remarks

### DOWN

- 60 Swimmer Biondi
- 61 Moody rock genre
- 1 Slapstick arsenal
- 2 Italian wine region
- 3 Compared to
- 4 North African capital
- 5 California's Big --
- 6 "Am -- blame?"
- 7 Family fight
- 8 Sneaky laugh
- 9 Sch. URL ender
- 10 "Top Gun" target
- 11 TGIF part
- 17 Young seal
- 19 Coach Parseghian
- 22 Feeling no pain
- 23 Curved moldings
- 25 Ballet wear
- 26 Sleep like --
- 27 Felonious flights

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- 28 Melville captain
- 29 Hold sway
- 30 Icelandic epic
- 31 Whole lot
- 35 Trains, buses, etc.
- 38 Entry
- 40 CEO's deg.
- 42 Jump
- 45 Glitz partner
- 47 Alaskan seaport
- 48 Linguist Chomsky
- 49 Present-day "carpe diem"
- 50 "Terrif!"
- 51 Wyo. neighbor
- 52 Vitamin stat
- 53 Hollywood's Thurman
- 54 Acquired TLV

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## MAGIC MAZE ● — COAST

A I F C A X V S Q O L J H E C  
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 H F D B Y X E C Y N V T E R P  
 R A B A L A M R I O M F I K I  
 G E A D S T O H I F B Z L X W  
 U T R T R V S Q O H I N E U L  
 J I B G I N Q E F D P C D C G  
 A Y A X U W U V W D T P A S R  
 P O R S N C I T N A L T A P L  
 K J Y I N E T T O G R O F S G  
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally. Unlisted clue hint: RED-BROWN METAL

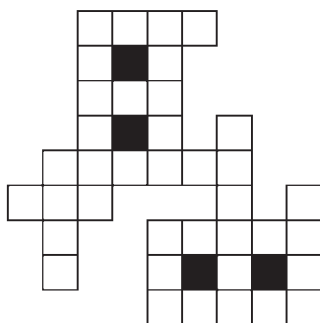
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| Adelie     | East      | Ivory    | Sapphire |
| Atlantic   | Forgotten | Malabar  | Sunshine |
| Barbary    | Gold      | Mosquito | West     |
| Coromandel | Gulf      | Pacific  |          |

## FEAR KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ... OR DARE!

- ENE
- ASRIFA
- ♥ HIFEC
- SMTI
- ♥ SCIFLA
- ACS
- ENRI
- ♥ ESALT
- IFT
- CAMNIA
- ♥ LOTNA
- ESFA



Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

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O	R	L	U	H	V	O	P	D	A	I	N	N
3	5	7	8	2	3	8	5	4	5	8	6	7
R	C	A	E	Y	C	R	E	G	M	G	T	D
4	7	2	7	4	2	7	5	7	6	2	6	5
S	D	O	I	U	U	T	E	I	H	R	E	N
8	7	3	5	2	8	4	7	8	2	3	8	3
Y	O	I	T	S	H	C	N	I	E	S	G	E
2	3	4	6	3	4	8	4	3	6	3	4	2
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5				8		3		
8				6			1	
	9				5			6
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		5	9					4
	6			1		7		
2					4			9

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging  
◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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# Super Crossword

DISORDERLY CREATURES

- ACROSS**
- 1 Old-time crooner Julius
  - 7 James — Garfield
  - 12 Taxing org.
  - 15 Old newspaper section
  - 19 On cloud nine
  - 20 Having fine granules
  - 21 Refilled to the brim
  - 23 Nocturnal burrower wearing clothes?
  - 25 "Rocky" star
  - 26 French "a"
  - 27 Taking after
  - 28 Semiaquatic reptile that's really zealous?
  - 30 Big spotted cat released from jail early?
  - 34 Doc treating laryngitis
  - 35 Orig. texts
  - 36 Sports official
  - 37 Interprets
  - 39 Antifraud org.
  - 42 1990s Toyota coupe
  - 45 "McQ" actor Gulager
  - 46 Ready- — (precooked)
  - 48 Region
  - 49 Tesla's Musk
  - 50 Lobe-finned swimmer turning red?
  - 54 Pioneering email co.
  - 55 One-eighty
  - 56 Mini-guitar
  - 57 Elizabeth — Browning
  - 58 Spiny anteater on a leash?
  - 64 Put in very hot water
  - 65 Solid ground
  - 66 Actor Wallace
  - 67 Seat winners
  - 69 Florida city
  - 72 Quark's place
  - 74 Very small monkey from the red planet?
  - 79 Rhine siren
  - 82 "Sliver" writer Levin
  - 83 "Emma" has two of these
  - 84 Slalom, e.g.
  - 85 Whip-tailed marine menace going off course?
  - 90 Bard
  - 91 Composer Khachaturian
  - 92 Fix up, as an old house
  - 93 Hard wood
  - 94 Actress Blair
  - 95 Kid's amuser
  - 96 Eighth Greek letter
  - 98 Mil. bigwig
  - 99 Irish dance
  - 100 Waterloo marshal Michel
  - 101 Wheel-spinning rodent that's a Bay State college mascot?
  - 108 Large lizard from northern South America?
  - 112 Dialect suffix
  - 113 Penny prez
  - 114 Electric circuit component
  - 115 Mimicking bird that's predatory?
  - 119 Classic typewriter brand
  - 120 TV show blocking device
  - 121 Text alterer
  - 122 Trait carrier
  - 123 Enervate
  - 124 Latin abbr. meaning "and the following"
  - 125 Sailor's morning warning
- DOWN**
- 1 Starting boost
  - 2 Actress — De La Garza
  - 3 More scarce
  - 4 Gambling parlor, in brief
  - 5 "Look here, too," in a reference
  - 6 Befuddles
  - 7 Doc's gp.
  - 8 Shut-eye site
  - 9 Dust picker-upper
  - 10 Take — of faith
  - 11 Actress Loy
  - 12 "Agreed!"
  - 13 Campus mil. gp.
  - 14 Zoned (out)
  - 15 Ignited again
  - 16 2004-11 Laker Lamar
  - 17 Bluefin, e.g.
  - 18 Unbox, e.g.
  - 22 Schemes
  - 24 With 31-Down, it doesn't bode well
  - 29 Like the verb "go": Abbr.
  - 31 See 24-Down
  - 32 Humdinger
  - 33 Aussie birds
  - 38 "... three men in —"
  - 39 She starred in "Room"
  - 40 — Actress (award for 39-Down)
  - 41 Thai currency
  - 42 Serenity
  - 43 "Hi," in Hilo
  - 44 Nonpolluting power source
  - 45 Bonnie's pal
  - 46 — torch
  - 47 Linear, briefly
  - 48 Sahara's land
  - 50 Agent's cut
  - 51 "Say what?"
  - 52 Seize
  - 53 Spruces up
  - 55 Sinful
  - 59 Group of PC gurus
  - 60 Hard wood
  - 61 Covert org.
  - 62 Actress Long
  - 63 Actress Jillian
  - 68 Fajita meat
  - 70 Was keen on
  - 71 Singer O'Day
  - 73 "Don't tell — can't!"
  - 75 Singer Coolidge
  - 76 Chi-Town daily paper
  - 77 Singer Janis
  - 78 Novelist Tan
  - 79 Future atty.'s exam
  - 80 Other, in Oaxaca
  - 81 Pertaining to
  - 86 "Return to reality!"
  - 87 SeaWorld whale, once
  - 88 Leaves
  - 89 Vent vocally
  - 90 Sty animals
  - 94 Greenish citrus drink
  - 96 All wound up
  - 97 "Regency" hotels
  - 98 Pie charts, e.g.
  - 99 Quartz type
  - 100 Easily duped
  - 102 Presnell of " Fargo"
  - 103 Legislate
  - 104 That girl
  - 105 Petite pies
  - 106 Kindle buy
  - 107 New attempt
  - 108 Sailor's quaff
  - 109 700-mile-long Congolese river
  - 110 "The check — the mail"
  - 111 Ninth Greek letter
  - 116 Game draw
  - 117 Trio before R
  - 118 Free (of)

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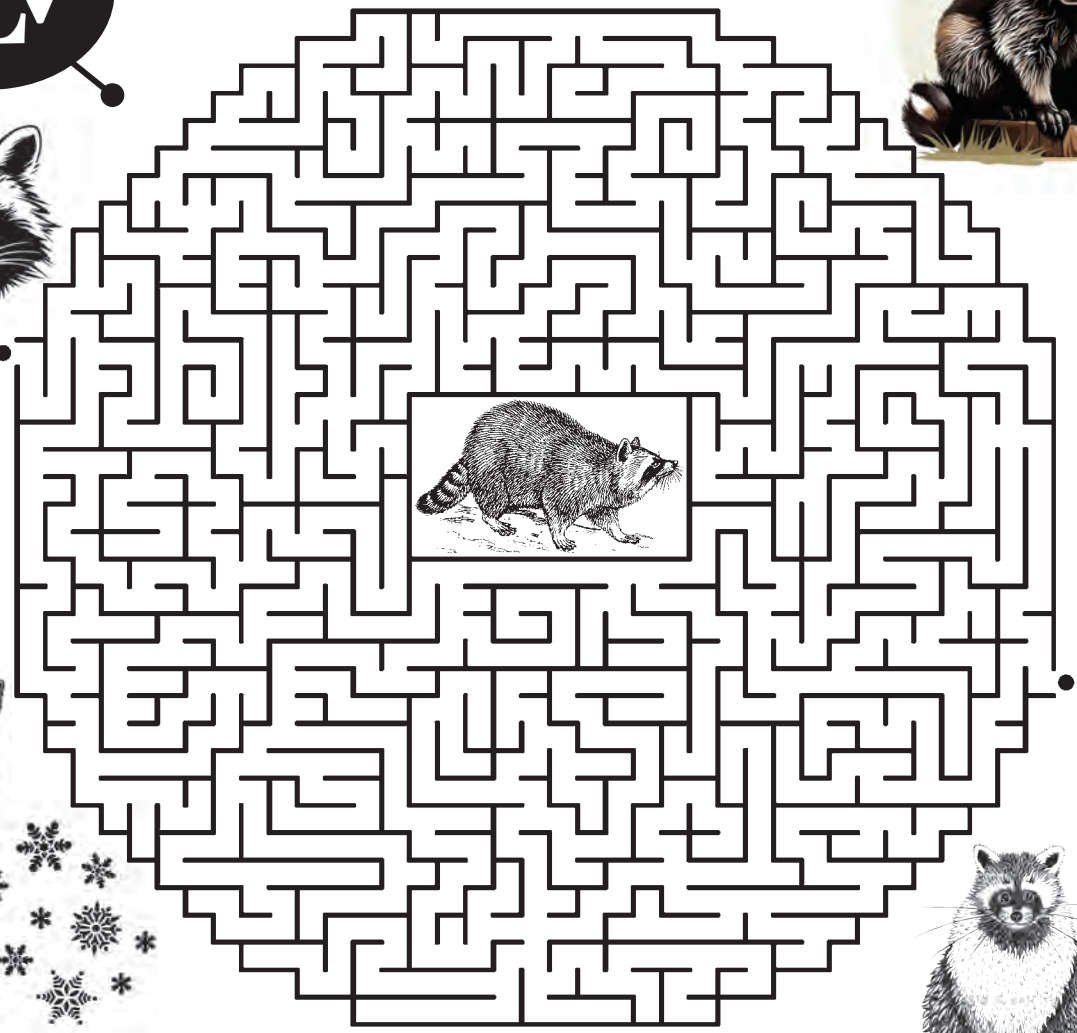


# Mega Maze



# Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

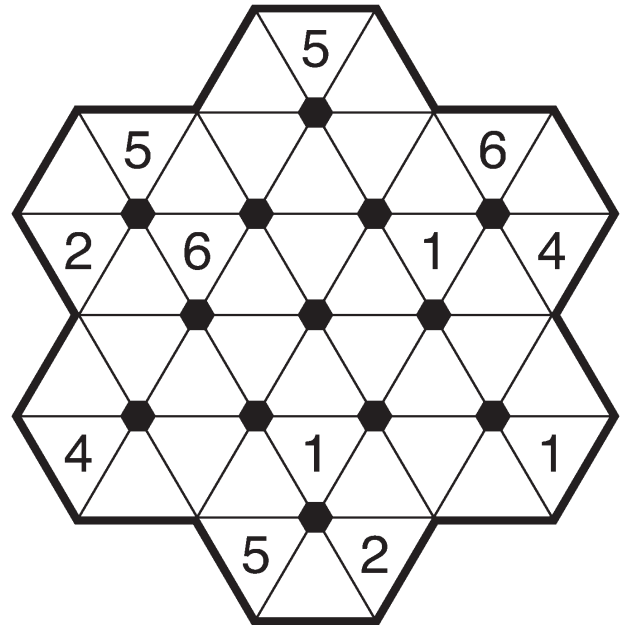


- GEOGRAPHY:** Mount Vesuvius overlooks which modern Italian city?
- MYTHOLOGY:** What kind of creature is half bird and half woman with an alluring song?
- SCIENCE:** What is a common name for iron oxide?
- FOOD & DRINK:** What kind of pastry is used to make baklava?
- MOVIES:** What is the name of Elle's chihuahua in "Legally Blonde"?
- MEDICAL:** What is a common name for bruxism?
- LITERATURE:** Prospero is a character in which of Shakespeare's plays?
- ASTRONOMY:** How many stars make up the Big Dipper?
- U.S. STATES:** Which state's nickname is The Sunflower State?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM:** Which is the only continent without bees?

ANSWERS BELOW

# SNOWFLAKES

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

## CryptoQuote

AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample, **A** is used for the three L's, **X** for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

D TSSN XLGX XLS WFSGXSKX  
 FSMGFY TZF YZDHW HZXLDPW  
 DK XLS ZCCZFXRHDXU XZ  
 YZ JZFS. - EZHGK KGNV

## CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: D equals F

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 QEUTX UD NJEOPCY HKPGG  
 DGPODCHI OIPO HOPEO P  
 NUKXPYR OUQJOIJE?

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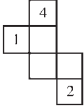
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Answers: 1. Naples. 2. Siren. 3. Rust. 4. Phyllo or filo. 5. Bruiser. 6. Teeth grinding. 7. "The Tempest." 8. Seven. 9. Kansas. 10. Antarctica.



## STICKELERS

Below is an unfolded cube with the numbers 1, 2 and 4 on three of its faces. Can you place the numbers 3, 5 and 6 so that when the cube is reformed, the opposite faces will total seven?



## KNIGHT MOVES

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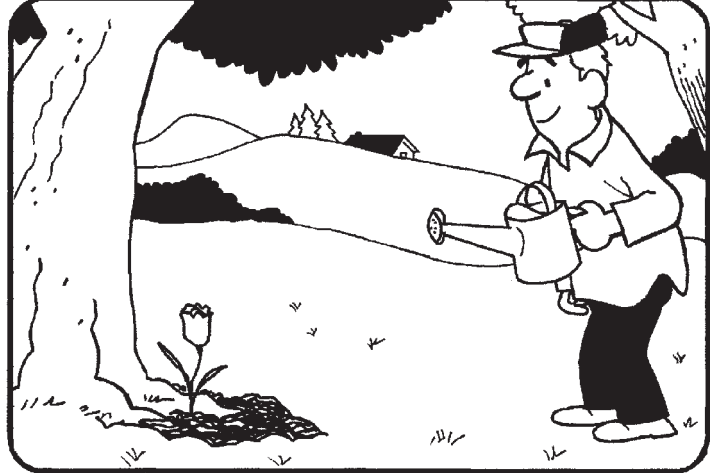
Unlock the power of chess to find the eight-letter word of the day. Choose your starting letter carefully, then move around the square in a one by two fashion to get to the next letter.

## HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



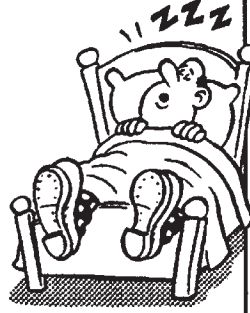
Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Tree trunk is different. 2. Spout on watering can is longer. 3. Cap is larger. 4. Hair is shorter. 5. Mountain is different. 6. Flower is different.

## Riddle Card

- Who goes to bed with his shoes on?
- What gates are like church bells?
- What old weapon is like an angry lover?
- How can you make a tall man short?
- What is the hardest key to turn?



Illustrated by David Coulson

Answers: 1. A horse. 2. Toll gates. 3. A cross-bow. 4. Borrow a hundred dollars from him. 5. A donkey.

## Junior Whirl

by Charles Barry Townsend

1		L	I	E			
2			L	I	E		
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4			L	I	E		
5			L	I	E		
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7				L	I	E	
8					L	I	E



### LIAR, LIAR, PANTS ON FIRE!

In the old days, an untruth was rewarded with a soap sandwich. In the grid shown here, we have room for eight words, each

of which contains a "LIE." Using the following hints, see if you can find them before the young man above gets a second helping.

**A BETCHA!** Place an empty bottle and a straw on the table and bet your friends that, using only the straw, they can't pick up the bottle and take it into another room. Only the straw may touch the bottle and you can't tie a knot in it.

Solution: Bend the straw and insert it into the bottle, where it will wedge itself in, as shown in fig. 2. You will then be able to lift the bottle and win your wager.

**IMPROVE YOUR AURA WITH A QUICK SOLUTION!** Using the definitions below, can you find the four five-letter words missing in the grid shown? All words must read the same across and down.

- A haunted house sound.
- A Cuban dance.
- A glowing piece of coal.
- At right angles to.
- Fate or destiny (given).

1	2	3	4	5	K
2					A
3					R
4					M
5	K	A	R	M	A

Answers: 1. Creak. 2. Rumba. 3. Ember. 4. Abeam. 5. Karma.

## Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

- Mare or colt                    \_\_\_ R \_\_\_                    Rambler or split-level                    \_\_\_ U \_\_\_
- Not in class                    \_\_\_ B \_\_\_                    Concurrence                    \_\_\_ S \_\_\_
- Downpour                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ G \_\_\_                    Hoodwink                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ D \_\_\_
- Robust                    \_\_\_ R \_\_\_                    Conveniently located                    \_\_\_ N \_\_\_
- Run like a track star                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ T                    Planting season                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ G
- No longer little                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ W \_\_\_                    Grumbler's sound                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ A \_\_\_
- Squirm                    W \_\_\_ \_\_\_                    Chuckle                    G \_\_\_ \_\_\_
- Unimportant                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ O \_\_\_                    Coal worker                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ E \_\_\_
- Decline                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ E \_\_\_                    Teacher's message                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ O \_\_\_
- Hard-hearted                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ R \_\_\_                    Beer mug                    \_\_\_ \_\_\_ I \_\_\_

## WORD LADDERS

Can you go from READY to SLAMS in 6 words? Change one letter for each rung in the ladder.

READY

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

SLAMS

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**Delivery:** Fetcht

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**Mon, Wed-Fri:** 7 am-1 pm  
**Sat-Sun:** 8 am-2:30 pm  
**Closed Tue**  
**Early Bird Special:**  
 Wed & Thur 7-9 am: 10% off

**Boure**  
**Mon-Thu:** 11 am-10 pm  
**Fri-Sat:** 11 am-10:30 pm  
**Bar:** Mon-Wed 4 pm-midnight;  
 Thu-Fri 4 pm-1 am;  
 Sat noon-1 am  
**Delivery:** Fetcht

**City Grocery**  
**Mon-Sat:**  
 Lunch: 11:30 am-2:30 pm;  
 Dinner 6-10 pm;  
 Fri & Sat till 10:30 pm  
**City Grocery Bar**  
**Mon-Sat:** 4 pm-till  
**Happy Hour 4-6 pm:**  
 M-F \$1 off wells & domestics

**Funkys**  
**Mon-Thu:** 2 pm-1 am  
**Fri:** noon-1 am; **Sat:** 11 am-1 am  
**Sun:** 11 am-9 pm  
**Delivery:** Fetcht   
**Mon:** \$5 Octanes  
**Tue:** \$5 Grape Gatorade  
**Wed:** LADIES' NIGHT:  
 \$5 Skinny Bitches  
**Thur:** \$4 domestics

**The Library**  
**Mon-Fri:** 3 pm-1 am  
**Sat:** 11 am-1 am  
**Sun:** 11 am-9 pm  
**Happy Hour 3-7 pm**  
 Mon-Fri \$1 off all drinks

**Moe's BBQ**  
**Mon-Sun:** 11 am-10 pm  
**Penny Bar** open 3 pm  
**Delivery:** Fetcht   
**Happy Hour 3-6 pm:**  
 Mon-Fri 1/2-price apps,  
 2-for-1 wells, wines & domestics  
**Mon:** \$2 domestics + \$1 PBR,  
**Tue:** TRIVIA + \$25 High Noon  
 buckets  
**Wed:** COMEDY OPEN MIC  
**Thu:** BINGO + \$5 Bushwhackers  
 (7 pm)

**The Old Henry**  
**Wed-Fri:** 5 pm-1 am  
**Sat:** midnight-1 am  
**Brunch Sun:** 11 am-3 pm;  
 bar open later. Live music  
 11:30-2:30

**OPA!**  
**Tue-Thu+Sun:** 11 am-9 pm  
**Fri-Sat:** 11 am-10 pm  
**\$15 Lunch: 11 am-4 pm:**  
 Tue-Fri: pita wrap, fries + drink)  
**Happy Hour 3-7 pm:**  
 Tue-Thu \$1 off wells, house wine,  
 & beer  
**Tues & Thurs:** 2-for-1 Lemonadas  
**Wed:** 1/2-off house wines &  
 Martinis; **Fri:** \$5 Margaritas  
**Delivery:** Fetcht

**Quack's**  
**Wed-Thu:** 4 pm-1 am  
**Fri-Sat:** 11 am-1 am  
**Sun:** 11 am-9 pm  
**Happy Hour 4-6 pm W-F:**  
 2-for-1 wells, \$1 off all beer  
**Wed:** All Day Happy Hour  
**Fri:** Free Fri-day (Free side of fries  
 with hot dog purchase)  
**Sun:** Chicken and Waffles,  
 brunch specials

**Rafters on the Water**  
**Mon-Wed:** CLOSED  
**Thu-Fri:** 5-10 pm  
**Sat-Sun:** 11 am-10 pm

**Rafters on the Square**  
**Sun-Mon:** CLOSED  
**Wed-Fri:** 5 pm-1 am  
**Sat:** noon-1 am  
**Fri & Sat:** DJ DRUMM  
 + \$2 White Claws

**Rooster's**  
**Mon-Sat:** 3 pm-1 am, Sun till 9p  
**Mon-Fri:** \$5 Domestics  
**Mon:** \$4 Pitchers + \$1 Rooster Shot  
**Tue:** 2-for-1s, **Wed:** \$3 Vodka &  
 Whiskey, **Thu:** LADIES NIGHT +  
 \$1 Lemon Drop + \$3 Well Vodka  
**Sun:** \$1 Mimosa shots

**Southern Coop**  
**Tue-Thu:** 11 am-8 pm  
**Fri-Sat:** 11 am-9 pm  
**Delivery:** Fetcht

**Tallahatchie Gourmet**  
**Mon-Wed:** 11 am-2:30 pm  
**Brunch Sat & Sun**  
 11:30 am-3 pm  
**Delivery:** Fetcht

**Saint Leo**  
**Tue-Sun:** Lunch 11 am-3 pm  
 Bar & Pizza 3-5 pm  
 Dinner 5-10 pm  
**Brunch Sat & Sun:**  
 10:30 am-3 pm  
**Happy Hour 3-5 pm**  
**(Tue-Thu):** \$10 Pizzas,  
 Bubbles + Fries, \$6 Wine &  
 Cocktails

**Snackbar**  
**Tue-Thu:** 4-10 pm  
**Fri-Sat:** 4-10:30 pm  
**Happy Hour 4-6 pm:**  
 \$2 domestics, \$4 drafts,  
 \$6 select wines, \$8 select  
 classic cocktails, small plate &  
 oyster specials  
**Mon:** INDUSTRY NIGHT

**SoLa**  
**Wed-Sat:** 5-9 pm  
**Sun Brunch:** 10:30 am-1:30 pm  
**Delivery:** Fetcht   
**Happy Hour 5-6 pm:** \$5 fresh  
 Margaritas & Happy Hour Snacks  
**Wed:** Spaghetti + \$5 wine  
**Thu:** Ramen & \$5 Rosé

**Uno Mas**  
**Mon-Sat:** 11 am-10 pm  
**Sun:** 11 am-9 pm  
**late night menu Thu-Sat**  
**Happy Hour 3-6 pm:** \$2 tacos;  
 \$5 house Margaritas (\$20  
 pitchers); 2-for-1 domestics; 1/2-  
 off appetizers  
**Tues:** HAPPY HOUR ALL DAY,  
**Sat:** \$5 Frosens & \$20 Frozen  
 pitchers  
**Sun:** Service Industry Sunday

**Volta Taverna**  
**Mon-Thu:** 11 am-9 pm;  
**Fri-Sat:** 11 am-9:30 pm;  
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by Pheobe Cramer

**Name:** Garrett Holland  
**Where do you work?** Rafters / Old Henry  
**Hometown:** Nashville, Tennessee  
**Zodiac sign:** Virgo  
**Are you a student?** Yes, Senior, Accounting and manufacturing  
**What are your specialities?** At Rafters, I make a mean whiskey coke, however downstairs at the Old Henry, I've really been perfecting my espresso martinis.  
**What is your most essential bar tool?** I am a knight and the bar key is my sword. Together we decimate Michelobs.  
**Most craved mid-shift snack:** Anything made by our fantastic head chef, Owen Weatherall  
**Who is the most famous customer you've served?** Harris Smith, Vice President of the Ole Miss Interfraternal Council  
**What's on your favorite playlist right now?** Lots of '70s rock and classic country.  
**What's the best movie you've seen lately?** Dune Pt. 2  
**What is your favorite sport & team?** Ole Miss Football, obviously  
**Have you read any good books lately?** Haulin Rebs by Rall MeKin - Hilarious book written by a local uber driver about his experiences with drunk college kids.  
**What is your favorite bar in the world?** Cecelia's in Breckenridge, Colorado - ifykyk  
**Tell us about your most memorable night in Oxford:** Ole Miss vs Bama 2014, watching the goal post get marched through the Grove.  
**What's the best band you've ever seen in Oxford?** I've seen some great bands here, but Afroman at the Lyric was otherworldly.  
**What do you like best about living in Oxford?** I love that although the university is growing so rapidly, we have still been able to maintain the small town vibe.  
**Who is your all-time favorite Rebel?** Dexter McCluster signed my football when I was 6, so definitely him.  
**Where's your favorite place to go on a road trip?** Any big away game  
**Where do you hope to be in 10 years?** Mansion in the hills 🏠



Garrett Holland, bartender for The Old Henry and Rafters on the Square. Submitted Photo.



Garrett Holland (right) and general manager Blake Dougherty (left) representing The Old Henry in the annual Iron Bartender competition hosted by Yoknapatawpha Arts Council. Submitted Photo.

- **Beethoven** went out of his way to ensure his morning coffee was made with exactly 60 beans per cup.
- In the hit film **Back to the Future**, the time machine was originally an old fridge. According to **Huff Post**, "Ultimately, it was determined that it probably was not a good idea to use a refrigerator in such a manner as kids might want to reenact the scene."
- Up until the beginning of the 19th century, models were not used to showcase clothes. Fashion companies would use dolls instead.
- Pentheraphobia is the intense and disproportionate fear of your mother-in-law.
- To ensure **Queen Elizabeth II** received her food on time, clocks in the royal kitchen at **Windsor Castle** were set five minutes ahead.
- While they might look the same, **Jenga** blocks have subtle differences in dimensions to make their construction less stable. Each brick is a different size and weight, so no two games are alike.
- As a souvenir from his trip to the **Middle East**, **French** author **Gustave Flaubert** brought home a mummy's foot and kept it on his working desk.
- Herrings communicate through farts.
- In 1916, **Adeline** and **Augusta Van Buren** became the first women to travel across the country on two solo motorcycles. They made it despite frequently being arrested for the "crime" of wearing pants.
- **Galileo's** middle finger is on display at the Museo Galileo in **Florence, Italy**.
- In 2009, a team of scientists searched **Scotland's Loch Ness** for evidence of **Nessie**. While the fabled monster remained elusive, they at least recovered more than 100,000 golf balls.

**Thought for the Day:** "Nobody grows old merely by living a number of years. We grow old by deserting our ideals. Years may wrinkle the skin, but to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul."  
 -- Samuel Ullman 🏠

## Local Headlines

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### Author and Economist Power Couple Set to Host Campus Talks

Lance Rogoff, an author and TV producer, will discuss her award-winning book *Muppets in Moscow: The Unexpected Crazy True Story of Making Sesame Street in Russia* at 2 pm September 25th at the Honors College.

### Sarah Isom Center Hosting Annual Sarahfest Artshow

*Surplussed Atlanta—The Built Environment of Homelessness* of *Homelessness*, a photography exhibit, will be on display at The Powerhouse through September 26.

### Ole Miss Baseball Releases 2025 Schedule

The 2025 season will be the first to feature the elimination of divisions in the SEC.

### Visit Oxford Announces Square Jam Session Featuring Neon Junkies, Thistle Ridge, and Maggie Rose

Visit Oxford is hosting Square Jam Session, a free concert taking place in the historic downtown Square of Oxford from 5 pm to 9 pm on October 25, 2024, ahead of the Ole Miss versus Oklahoma football game.

### Local Economic Developer Launches Quarterly "Melodies & Monologues" Event at The Powerhouse

The next show is slated for Wednesday October 2 (6 pm at The Powerhouse) when DJ Steve Vassallo challenges the audience via 14 classics from the '70's.

### The View From The Balcony: "Pets On The Run"

by Randy Weeks

### Lafayette County Master Gardeners: "Vitex"

by Bronwynne Bailey

### Oxford Police Department Captain Kevin Parker Graduates the FBI National Academy

### Oxford School District announces new Director of Transportation and new Supervisor of Grounds

### School of Pharmacy Announces Operation Immunization Dates

### Ridgeland, Mississippi Man Arrested in Oxford After Escaping from the Carroll County Regional Correctional Facility

### Building Fund Contribution Pushes Plans Toward Progress

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# TV COMIX

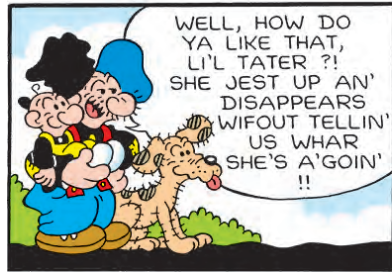
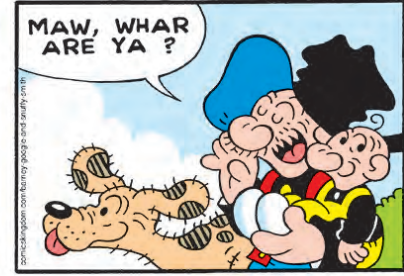
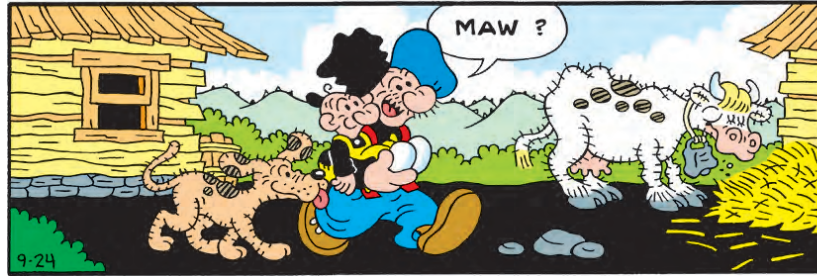
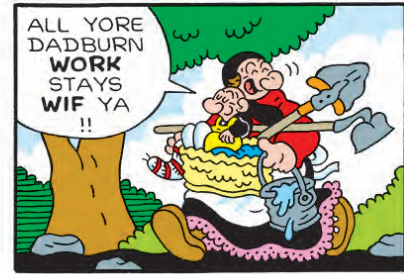
Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



## GRIN and BEAR IT



"Keep looking. If the icecap on Mars is melting, there have to be SUVs there!"



## Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



Hal Foster's **Prince Valiant**  
BY SCHULTZ AND YEATES

A LONG DAY OF RIDING, AND THEN SUPERVISING THE LOADING OF THE SHIP THAT HE AND HIS FAMILY WILL TAKE TO THE MISTY ISLES, CANNOT EASE VAL'S TROUBLED CONSCIENCE. UNABLE TO SLEEP, HE STROLLS ONTO TINTAGEL'S WHARFS, TORMENTED BY ALETAS ACCUSATIONS.

AS HE IDLY SCANS THE DARK HARBOR, A SLIGHT MOVEMENT OF SHADOWS WITHIN SHADOWS CATCHES HIS ATTENTION. DID HE REALLY SEE SOMETHING MOVING UP THE HULL OF HIS SHIP?

THEN, FOR THE BRIEFEST MOMENT, A MOVING FORM IS SILHOUETTED AGAINST THE STARS, AS IT SILENTLY HAULS ITSELF OVER THE GUNWALE AND ONTO THE DECK.

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BUT EVEN BEFORE THE STEALTHY INTRUDER IS ON BOARD, VAL CHARGES FOR THE GANGWAY, YELLING A WARNING TO THE HALF-ASLEEP SHIP'S GUARD.

THE THREE MEN COMB THE DECK TO FIND - NOTHING. THAT MEANS THE INTRUDER HAS GONE BELOW, WHERE HE WILL BE AS DANGEROUS AS A CORNERED RAT.

NEXT: *Below*

YEATES 7/2/13

# Americanisms

"A free society is a place where it's safe to be unpopular."  
— Adlai Stevenson

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## Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps

OK, DAD, JUST FOLLOW ME AND WATCH MY BACK.

UH, THAT'S OK, YOU STILL HAVE A COUPLE MORE LIVES BEFORE YOU'RE OUT.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?? YOU'RE RUNNING ALL OVER AND AIMING AT THE SKY.

I THINK FOR YOUR SAKE MAYBE YOU'D BE BETTER OFF JUST SURRENDERING.

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I'M SUFFERING FROM INTENSE NAUSEA.

HAVE YOU BEEN EXPOSED TO NEGATIVE CAMPAIGN ADS?

HAS VIEWS SUNS 2024

## The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

WOW...IT'S WINDY OUT THERE!!

HOW WINDY IS IT??

I JUST SAW A CHICKEN LAY THE SAME EGG TWICE!!

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**CNN** Donald Trump discusses Vice President Harris's ethnic identity

## TIGER

by BUD BLAKE

DON'T BELIEVE EVERYTHING YOU READ ON T-SHIRTS!

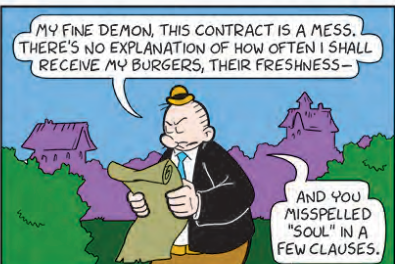
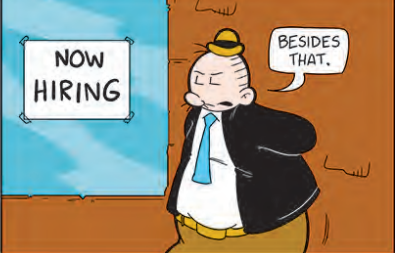
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**CLIMATE CHANGE DENIERS' ANNUAL PICNIC**

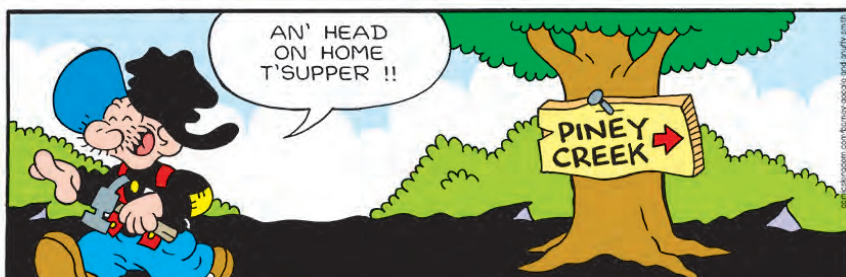
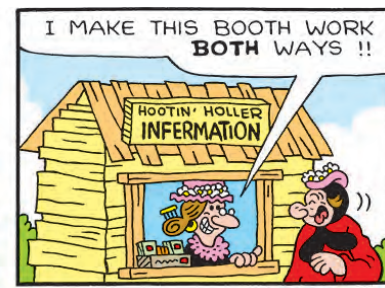
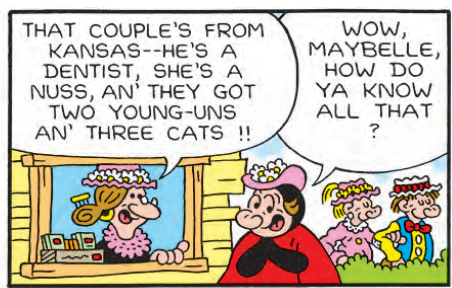
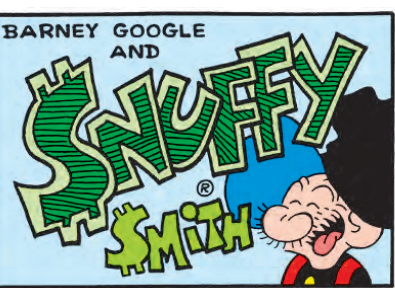
"UNFORTUNATELY, OUR FEATURED SPEAKER JUST MELTED."

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THIMBLE THEATRE PRESENTS  
**POPEYE**  
BY RANDY MILHOLLAND



A SPORT WE'D LIKE TO SEE:  
**CenterPoint Power Slap**



**GRIN and BEAR IT**



"I'm willing to discuss the terms of my surrender, Mrs. Figby."

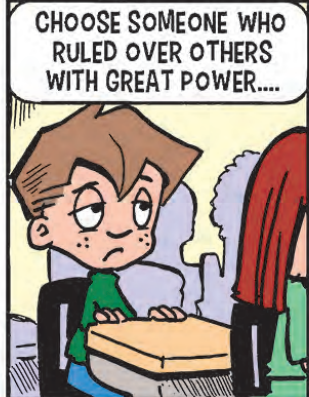
**Americanisms**



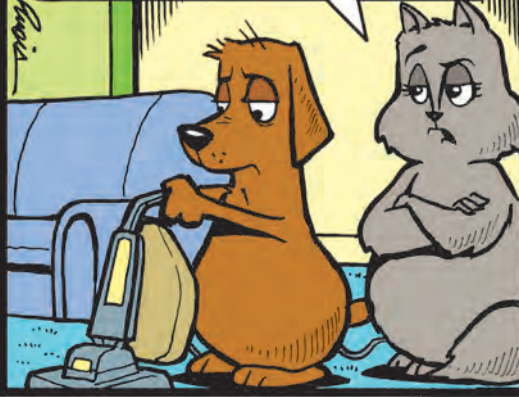
"You can't always be the most talented person in the room, but you can be the most competitive."  
—Pat Summitt

**Amber Waves**

by Dave T. Phipps



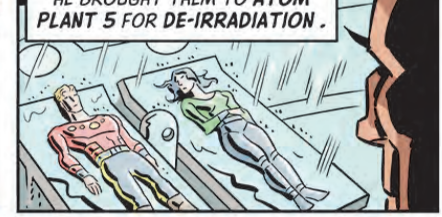
I CAN GET YOU THE INSTRUCTIONS, BUT BASICALLY THE TRICK IS TO HIT THE ON BUTTON AND MOVE IT AROUND THE FLOOR.



MY BROTHER RENO WENT TO INVESTIGATE AN ENERGY SPIKE DOWN IN THE RUNOFF TUNNELS.



...WAS FLASH GORDON AND DALE.



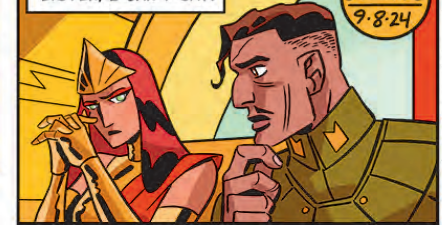
HEROES BOTH-- AND FUGITIVES.



I INFORMED EMPRESS AURA AND KING BARIN--



WHETHER THEY'LL LISTEN, I CAN'T SAY.



NOW, DOWN AT THE ATOM PLANT, FLASH WAKES.



# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	1			5		3		
5					2			8
		4	7					2
1			5					8
	6			9	8	1		
		5			6			7
8					3	4		
	9			2				6
		7	4					5

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ◆

- ◆ Moderate
- ◆◆ Challenging
- ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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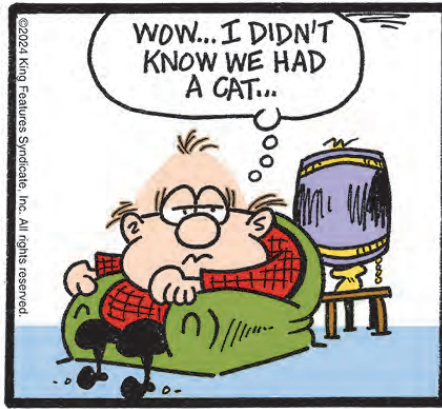
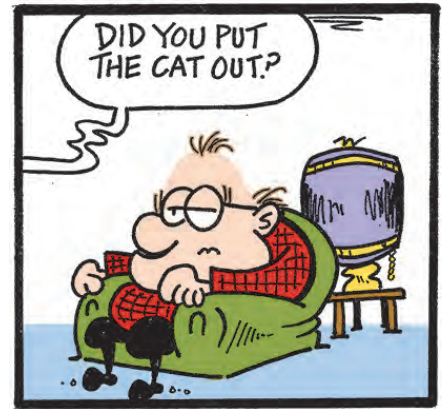
# King Crossword

## Answers

Solution time: 24 mins.

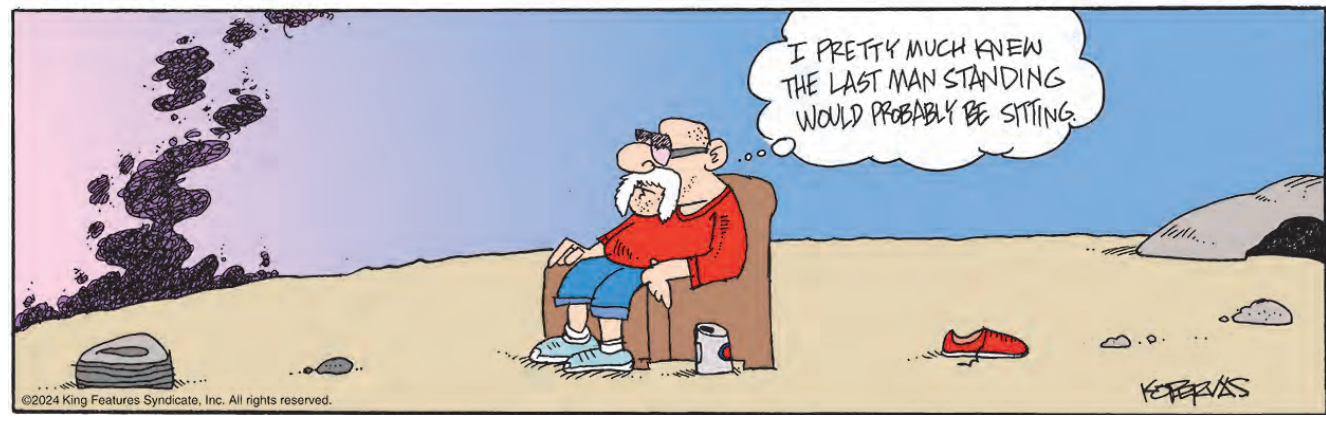
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## The Spats

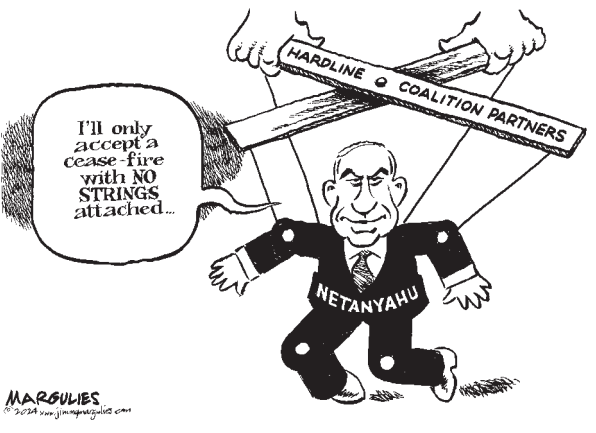


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### The Garden Bug

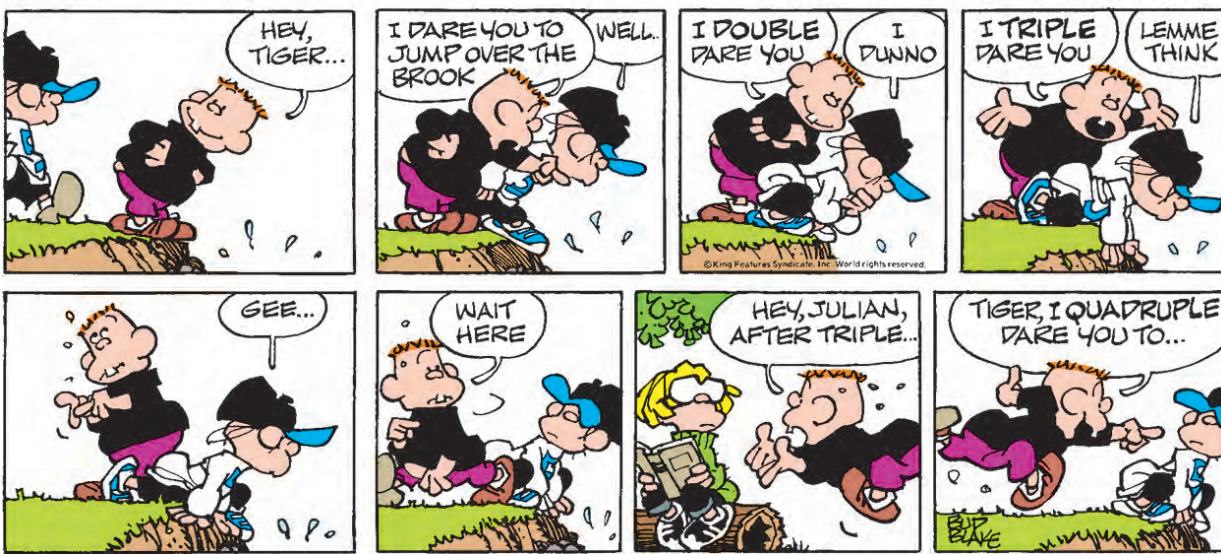
Soil with a pH level above 7 is alkaline, and less than 7 is acidic (7 is "neutral").

Plants that like acidic soil include azaleas, rhododendrons, hydrangea, gardenias, camellias, holly shrubs, crepe myrtles, calla lilies and pine trees.

To increase the acidity of your soil, mix ground **Acidic soil** rock sulphur into it, using 1.2 oz. per square yard for sandy soils and 3.6 oz. per square yard for all other soils. You can also add sawdust, composted leaves and peat moss to lower the soil pH. - Brenda Weaver

Sources: [www.thegardenhelper.com](http://www.thegardenhelper.com), [www.gardeningknowhow.com](http://www.gardeningknowhow.com)





### WORD LADDERS

Can you go from SWELL to SHIFT in 6 words?  
Change one letter for each rung in the ladder.

**SWELL**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**SHIFT**

## THE ILLUSTRATED BIBLE

*If it had not been the Lord who was on our side, when men rose up against us, then they would have swallowed us alive, when their wrath was kindled against us; then the waters would have overwhelmed us, the stream would have gone over our soul...*

PSALM 124:2-4

# TOP ten

## Happiest Cities in the World: 2024

1. Aarhus, Denmark
2. Zurich, Switzerland
3. Berlin, Germany
4. Gothenburg, Sweden
5. Amsterdam, Netherlands
6. Helsinki, Finland
7. Bristol, U.K.
8. Copenhagen, Denmark
9. Geneva, Switzerland
10. Munich, Germany

Source: Institute of Quality of Life

"That painter you hired to re-do the living room... was he, by any chance, named \_\_\_\_\_?"

### SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Calm  
**SOEPER**   

Nest  
**TOROS**   

Title  
**CLAMI**   

Smudge  
**REAMS**   

**TODAY'S WORD**



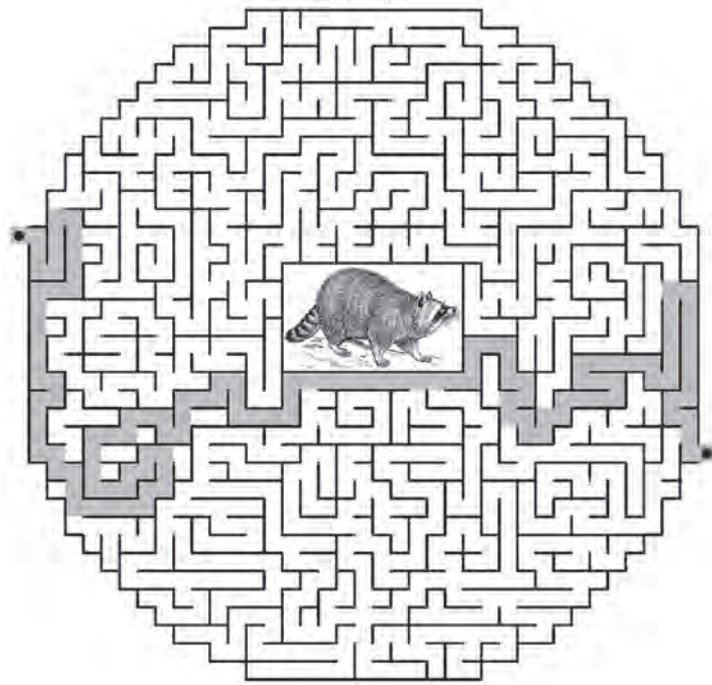
## Super Crossword

Answers

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U	N	E	A	L	A	M	A	N	I	A	C	C	A	I	M	A	N					
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G	E	N	E		S	A	P		E	T	S	E	Q		R	E	D	S	K	Y		

## Mega Maze

Solution



## Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

4	1	9	2	3	6	5	7	8
6	3	8	5	4	7	2	9	1
5	2	7	1	8	9	3	6	4
8	4	2	7	6	3	9	1	5
7	9	1	8	2	5	4	3	6
3	5	6	4	9	1	8	2	7
1	8	5	9	7	2	6	4	3
9	6	4	3	1	8	7	5	2
2	7	3	6	5	4	1	8	9

## CryptoQuote

answer

I feel that the greatest reward for doing nothing is the opportunity to do more. — Jonas Salk

## CryptoQuip

answer

What would you call a group of certain small flatfish that start a company together?  
Co-flounders.

## SCRAMBLERS

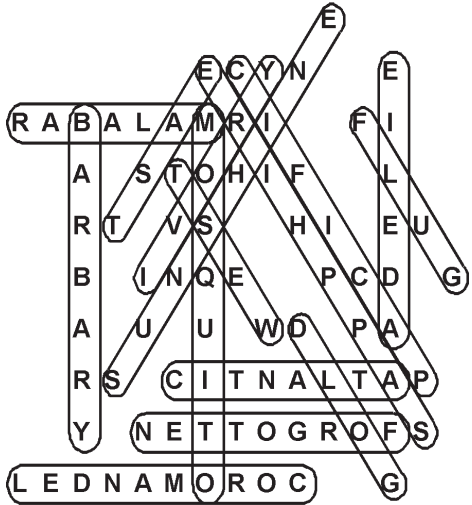
solution

1. Repose;
2. Roost;
3. Claim;
4. Smear

Today's Word

**PICASSO**

## COAST



## Even Exchange

answers

1. Horse, House
2. Absent, Assent
3. Deluge, Delude
4. Hardy, Handy
5. Sprint, Spring
6. Grown, Groan
7. Wiggle, Giggle
8. Minor, Miner
9. Lessen, Lesson
10. Stern, Stein

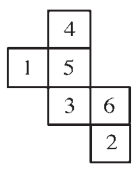
## Go Figure!

answers

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+		-		-		
7	-	3	÷	2	=	2
x		÷		x		
6	-	1	x	8	=	40
=		=		=		
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## Sticklers Answer

With the numbers placed as shown on the diagram to the right, the opposite sides each will add up to seven when the cube is reformed.



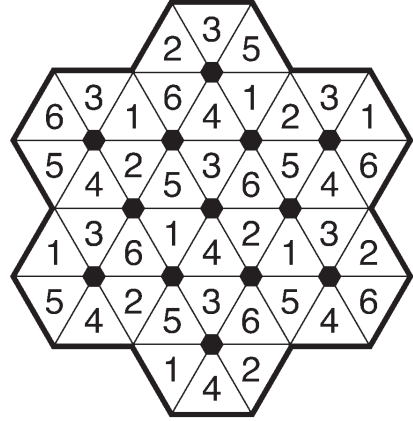
## WORD LADDER

Answer

SWELL, SHELL, SHALL, SHALT, SHAFT, SHIFT

## SNOWFLAKES

solution



## Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

8	3	9	4	5	1	2	6	7
5	4	2	6	3	7	9	1	8
6	7	1	2	8	9	4	5	3
9	2	5	1	7	6	3	8	4
3	6	7	8	2	4	1	9	5
1	8	4	3	9	5	7	2	6
4	9	8	7	6	2	5	3	1
7	5	3	9	1	8	6	4	2
2	1	6	5	4	3	8	7	9

## WORD LADDER

Answer

READY, READS, BEADS, BEAMS, SEAMS, SLAMS

## KNIGHT MOVES

Answer

E	N	S
T		M
T	N	U

STUNTMEN



answer

		M	I	S	T			
		A			T			
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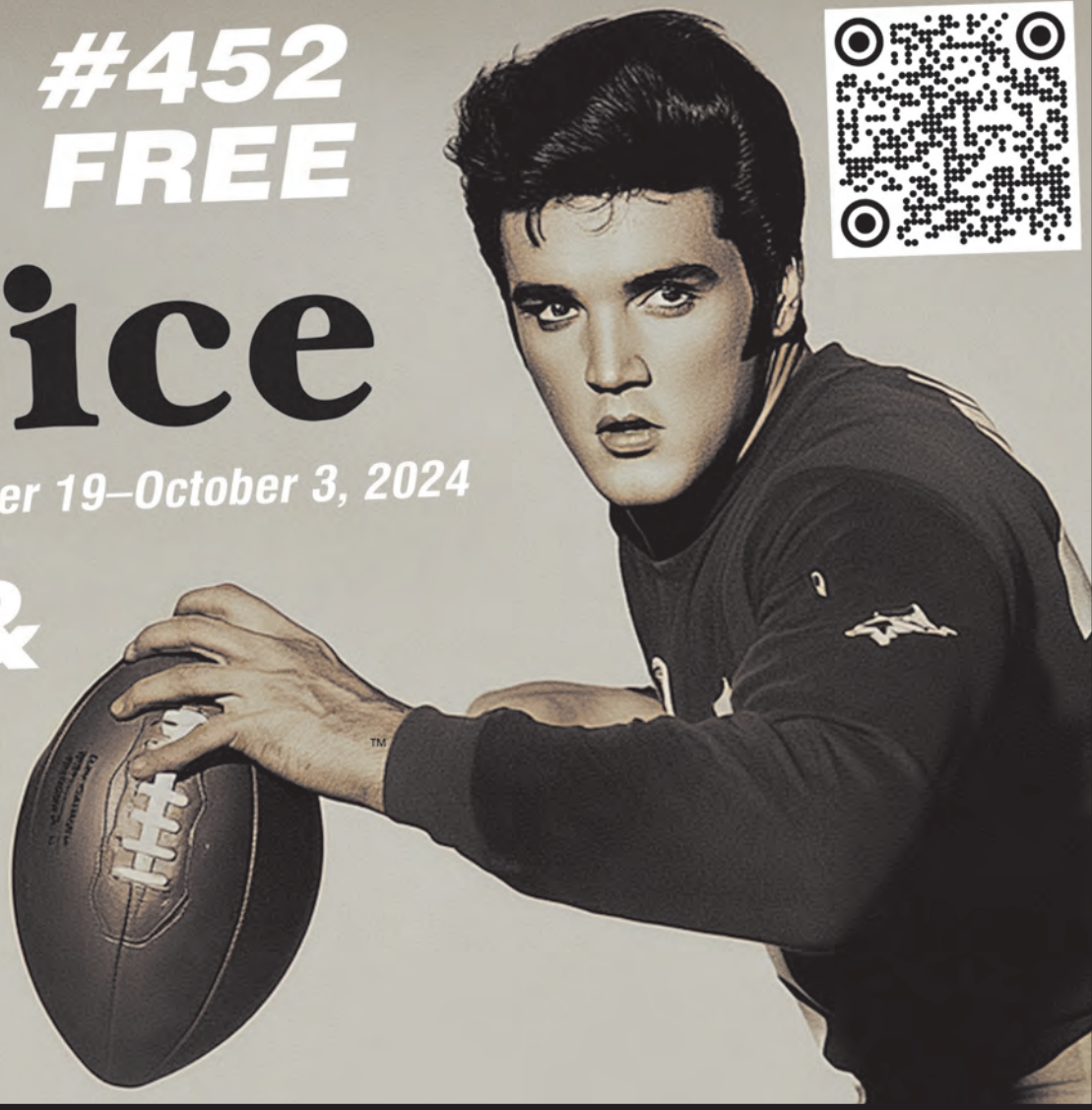
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