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# VORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to cats.

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Solve the code to discover words related to building.

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Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 18 = **R**)

A. 16 11 15 7 13 18 22 16 13

Clue: Build

B. 6 17 13 8 18 14 17 5 7

Clue: Supplies

C. 7 22 25 8 18 12 14 7 8

Clue: Manage

D. 4 18 17 6 8

Clue: Outer structure

## Guess Who?

I am an actor born in California on June 6, 1947. I started acting as a child in a local children's theater. I am best known for my work as a nightmare-inducing character who slashed his way through several horror films.

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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to healthy vision. Each number corresponds to a letter.

(Hint: 26 = E)

26 12 26 16 Α.

Clue: Needed for sight

B. 16 11 9 17

Clue: One of the five senses

26 24 1 7

Clue: Test

D. 23 11 20 26

Clue: Widen

## **WORD SCRAMBLE**

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to hurricanes.

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Answer: Force

Answers: A. eyes

B. sight

C. exam

D. dilate

## Guess Who?

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#### Word Sleuth

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally. Every puzzle has one unlisted clue.

#### SUPER —

#### **CLUE LIST** MXUQTNKHEMBYPVS Bowl PMJHEHBYYNOVOTQ Charger Cooled OLIG(HIGHWAY)DWDB Heavyweight YWTRCPMIDMDKEIF Hero Highway DBYWUISQEOOSRLM Human Natural KIFDBZNBZWXWEUR Nova S Q O N L J H O I F Y D G U A Power Sized C A Y W V T R W S S Q V R P T Sonic Star NLKIHEFLARUTANS Tuesday Woman ECBZHAVONAMUHEY WVUSRQPDELOOCNH

#### WALK IN —

**CLUE LIST** LLJGDAXVSPNKIFT Appointment CAXVSQOCPLJHECN Bank Bathtub AXV(COOLER)TRPNIE Booth L J H F D O E B C Y K N A B M Clinic Cooler X V T P S L R I R R B R P O T Donor Front MKEESENIAUEGEDN My shoes Shower BTTRWIOPTHZXWUI Step S D U O L C E H T N T R Q O O The clouds The park NOHCLHTOSRONODP The rain Your sleep Y S J I T A O G F Y D R C A P Y X W V B B T S R P M O F N A

#### **SLEEP** WORDS

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#### **CLUE LIST**

Catnap Doze Dream Drop off Drowse Forty winks Insomnia Nod off Sandman Saw wood Shut-eye Slumber Snooze Snore ZZZZ

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#### **CLUE LIST**

Azinger Crenshaw Davis Love III Hagen Kite Lehman Marr **Nicklaus** Pavin Snead Strange Sutton Wadkins Watson

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#### REACHING THE FRESH HOLD ACROSS

- 1 Rand McNally book
- 6 Deli cheese
- **11** Easy be
- **16** Gremlin
- 19 apso (dog breed)
- **20** Proofreading symbol
- 21 Donald's first ex
- 22 Shootist's org.
- 23 Brand-new scientific discovery?
- 26 Sackable NFL players
- 27 Attack
- 28 With 30-Across, attire for the slopes
- 29 Filmdom's Spike 30 See 28-Across
- 31 Roth (savings
- plan) 32 Let baby oinkers out
- of their cages? 36 Klee pieces
- 39 Mystery writer Marsh
- 41 Lives, as in a house
- **42** Powerful quartet?
- 47 Naturist's practice
- 50 Yothers of "Family Ties"
- **51** ASAP part
- 52 Mauna (volcano)
- 54 Great Plains tribe
- 55 Geared for the garage?
- 58 Water, lime, and rust
- **60** Prior to, poetically
- **61** Cousin of a regular Joe? 65 Hidden part of a guitar
- neck? 67 Lube anew
- 68 Act segment
- 69 Yellowbelly's cry of disgust? 125 "There's no such thing
- 74 In a shark costume?
- **79** Actor Lash
- 80 Shortage
- 82 "— Nacht" (German "Silent Night")
- 83 "Pity, pity"
- 84 Fraternal patriotic org.
- **85** "... just me?"
- **89** Regretful person
- 90 Continued
- 92 Had a vocal altercation?
- 95 Large artery
- 98 Rockies' Mountains
- 99 Motel units: Abbr.
- 100 Study of deep ruts? 105 Skeleton lead-in
- 107 Gung-ho
- 108 Little, to a 6-Down
- 109 TripTik org.
- 110 Prioritized, as wounded people
- 114 Frat letters
- 115 Ruffle that wins a blue ribbon?
- 119 "Y"-sporting collegian

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- 120 Odor detectors **121** On — firma
- 122 Cliff nest

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- 123 Govt. prosecutors 124 Food box abbr.
- publicity'

126 Poodle, e.g.

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Romeo (sporty car)
- "- is a test"
- 3 Phyllis' TV husband
- 4 Very, to Vivaldi
- 5 U.S. rocket launched in 1961
- **6** Dundee dweller
- 7 1812 event
- 8 Tee off
- **9** Hearing, e.g.
- 10 Incite
- **11** Not feel well
- 12 Gracefully slender
- 13 Plebes and doolies, e.g. 14 Lara Croft player Jolie
- 15 No, to a 6-Down
- 16 Harsh interrogator
- 17 Top banana
- 18 People's histories
- 24 Actress/writer Fannie
- 25 Actor/humorist Shriner 30 Drove away quickly

- 32 Is the right size
- 33 Orbison and Clark

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34 Like the verb "be": Abbr.

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- 35 College URL ender
- **36** Top web site?
- 37 Titanic tusker **38** 2200 hours
- **40** "That's it!"
- 43 Sir's partner
- 44 Nourishment
- **45** Losing tic-tac-toe row
- **46** Pt. of NYU
- 48 Spot to salve 49 Get together
- 52 Vivitar rival
- **53** Knighted physician William
- 56 "I Dream of Jeannie" actor Hayden -
- **57** Karate weapon
- 59 Not those, in Brooklynese
- 60 Make in (start working on)
- 62 "Klute" star Jane63 More plentiful
- 64 Hollywood's Kazan 66 1990s NFL running back Curtis
- 69 Cat weapon
- 70 Robust
- **71** 1979-81 hostage situation
- 72 Eggy dessert

73 Switch or smack suffix

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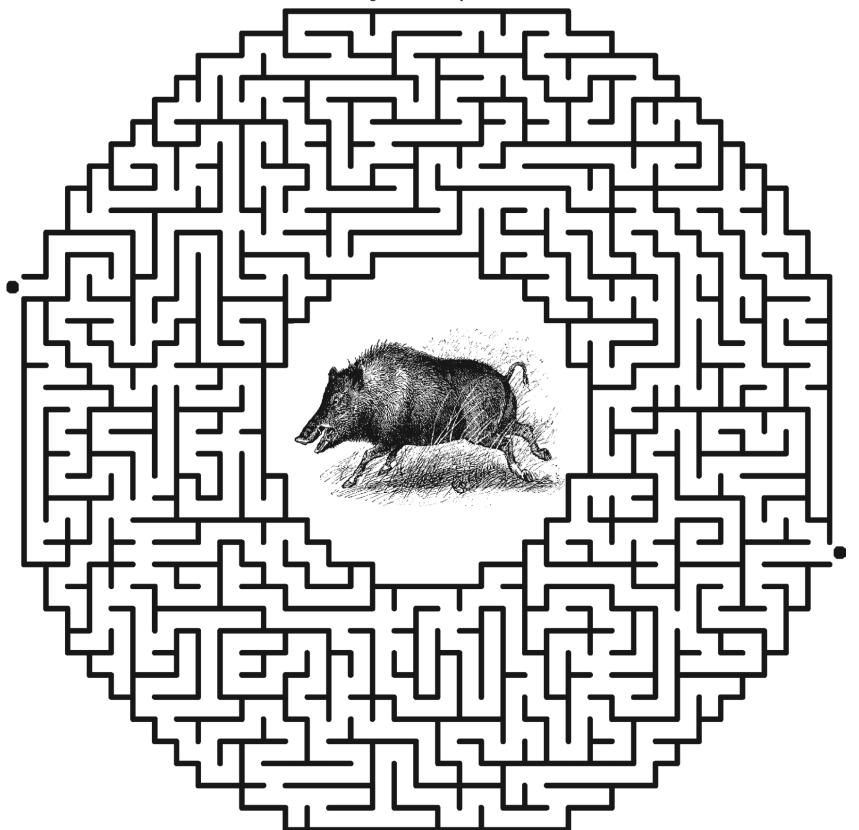
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- **74** Tory's rival
- 75 Missy
- **76** Prefix for element #9
- 77 Intestinal division
- **78** Geeky types 81 Mr. Capote, informally
- 84 Arctic footwear
- 86 Feng -
- **87** Inflammation suffix
- 88 Large load
- 91 Roman gold
- 92 Med banner
- 93 Embryo enclosers 94 Hack's car
- 96 Least spicy
- 97 "Not just yet"
- 100 Well-known 101 Throat dangler
- 102 Chou En-
- 103 Ukraine port 104 Mall draws
- 106 Western film
- 110 Tube spot
- 111 Author Vidal
- 112 Sandusky's county 113 Like batik
- 115 TV's Spike,
- formerly 116 Q-U divider
- 117 Ball in space
- 118 Monkly title

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# Mega Maze

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## CROSSWORD THOMAS JOSEPH

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#### **ACROSS**

- 1 Wit
- 6 Inverted v
- 11 Acid type
- 12 Heep of fiction
- 13 Bath sprinkles
- 14 Yarn
- 15 Permeable, as soil
- 17 French answer
- 19 Put down
- 20 Central
- 23 Outstanding
- 25 Verdi opera
- 26 "Fly Like an Eagle" singer
- 28 Beach eroder
- 29 Not out of bounds
- 30 Date
- 31 Tour carrier
- 32 Wing
- 33 Incentive
- 35 Ornamental flower
- 38 Ball's husband
- 41 Soft leather
- 42 Bangor's state
- 43 Central
- 44 Blackboard material

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Topper
- 2 Thurman of "Pulp Fiction"
- 3 Many-legged arthropod
- 4 Formerly
- 5 Cole Porter song
- 6 Comfortable
- 7 Bohemian
- 8 Carnival city
- 9 Audience
- 10 Belonging to thee
- 16 Battery metal
- 17 Evicts
- 18 Loosen, in a way
- 20 Long times
- 21 Perfect
- 22 Actress Hannah
- 24 "— Maria"
- 25 Swiss peak
- 27 Pants measures
- 31 Ring star
- 33 Program lines
- 34 Vaccine type
- 35 Next-to-last letter
- 36 Attila, for one 37 Actor Cariou
- 39 Kitchen pest
- 40 Last letter

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#### **ACROSS**

- 1 Long stories
- 6 Zoo sights
- 11 Handbag
- 12 Wading bird
- 13 Clear
- 14 Comic Denis
- 15 Dress in
- 16 Deck topper
- 18 Nothing
- 19 Fancy planter
- 20 Fishing aid
- 21 Born
- 22 Deejay's bribe
- 24 Polar pioneer
- 25 "Arthur" Oscar winner
- 27 Exasper-ate
- 29 Barbershop splash
- 32 In the style of
- 33 Band job
- 34 Historic time
- 35 AWOL pursuers 36 roll (succeeding)
- 37 Corp.'s superior
- 38 Deep singer
- 40 Bowling button
- 42 Vast expanse

- 43 Worth of acting
- 44 Shoe shapers
- 45 Lairs

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Acceler-ated
- 2 Dawn goddess
- 3 Low specs
- 4 Canyon carrier
- 5 In view
- 6 Star
- 7 Epoch
- 8 Frilly attire
- 9 More spooky
- 10 Fashioned
- 17 Stoker's place
- 23 Vinegar partner
- 24 Purchase26 First man
- 26 First mar
- 27 Frolic
- 28 Llama's cousin
- 30 Needing attention
- 31 Dull finishes
- 33 Thugs
- 39 Plopped down
- 41 Before, to bards

#### By Frank A. Longo

#### STAR WHO **NEVER TUMBLED ACROSS**

- 1 Palm Sunday shout **8** Spots on the boob tube
- 13 Father of Isaac
- 20 Actor Carroll
- 21 Official helpers
- 22 Oozing liquid
- 23 Start of a riddle
- 25 Grew tired 26 Test-driven car
- 27 "Here, pigs!"
- 28 Wood smoother
- 29 Circular rubber
- 31 Riddle, part 2
- 37 Sprinter Bolt of the 2008 Olympics
- 40 Imam's religion
- 41 Grenoble's river
- **42** Fleet head
- 46 Award for an ad
- 47 Turkish capital
- 48 Riddle, part 3
- **53** Novello of old films
- 54 Former capital of Yemen
- 55 Capital of Yemen
- 56 Haughty type
- 58 Lamb's mother
- 59 Entertainer O'Donnell
- **61** Double curves
- 64 Je ne sais -
- 65 Defunct Russ. state
- 66 Riddle, part 4
- 71 Bit of a circle
- 74 Joker Jay
- 75 Impelled
- 76 Atelier stand
- 80 Prizm maker, once
- 81 "What —!" ("How hilarious!")
- 83 Mae and Adam
- 86 Axis-vs.-Allies conflict
- 87 Architect Jacobsen
- 89 Riddle, part 5
- 93 Nicely warm
- 95 "Well, old chap!"
- 96 Son of Agamemnon
- 97 Equine
- **98** Caesar's robes
- 100 Hourglass, e.g.
- 102 End of the riddle
- 105 Rupture
- 110 Jailbird
- 111 Green patch in a desert
- 114 Lecher
- 115 Like Mussolini
- 117 Riddle's answer
- 121 Friendly pact
- 122 Newswoman Zahn 123 Gave fizz to
- 124 Spy's file

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**125** Awards for soap operas

126 Steady hum producers

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- 1 "— you spell relief?"
- 2 Earthy tone
- 3 "Ditto"
- 4 Author Chekhov
- 5 Mobile-to-Memphis dir.
- 6 Rejections
- 7 Guitar-toting Guthrie
- 8 Hoodwink
- 9 LP plastic
- 10 Busyness
- 11 Lawn moisture **12** 1040 info
- 13 Teeming
- **14** Designer Geoffrey
- 15 Enters, as computer data
- 16 Relaxing time on the slopes
- 17 Coverers of some bald spots
- **18** Get long in the tooth

32 Leon Uris' "--- 18"

- **19** Pre- (undergrad study)
- **24** Like sound recordings that aren't sharp, for short
- 28 RR bldg.
- 30 Wise mentor

- 33 S "Sam" 34 Blocks up

- 38 Impertinence
- 39 Sporty Italian car, for short
- 43 Carpentry groove

- **46** Went in pursuit of
- 47 Put in word for
- **50** Skin eruption
- 51 Judicial hearing
- 52 Verb go-with
- 57 Lose steam
- 62 Do wrong
- 69 Subcompact from Chevy

- building
- 73 Super dupers
- 77 "M\*A\*S\*H"

- 35 "This way" signs 82 Leg part
- 36 One charring something
- 42 A long way off
- 44 Married Fr. women
- **45** Old Aegean Sea region
- **49** 12 inches

- 60 "Enchanted" girl of film
- 63 Largo 67 "Bad" Brown
- **68** Getting years
- 70 Sailboat varieties
- 71 Christie of mysteries 72 Put a new top on, as a

- 78 Berlin article
- 79 Tells a falsehood
- 84 McAn (shoe brand) 85 Parched
- 88 Hearts
- 90 Morales of
- Hollywood
- 91 French city **92** Belgrade citizen
- **94** Ends of railroad lines
- 98 Rip to bits 99 Suffix of sugar names
- 100 Sparkly crowns
- **101** -bitsy
- 103 Detritus 104 Pious
- **106** From the city
- 107 Highway, e.g.
- 108 More positive
- 109 Gravitates 112 "If — my way ..."
- 113 Fortuneteller
- 115 Grazed (on) 116 Portuguese for "year"
- 117 Orangutan, for one
- 118 "— the Walrus" 119 Pirate's drink
- 120 Play-for-pay athlete

#### Sudoku

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, column and 3x3 box contains the same number only once

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#### **ACROSS**

- 1 Valentine senders
- 7 Bakery buy
- 11 Not clear
- 12 Prefix with European
- 13 Vienna's river
- 14 "Shane" star
- 15 Bert's pal
- 16 Gave a G, e.g.
- 17 Ollie's pal
- 18 Wane
- 19 Farm workers
- 21 Melody
- 22 Filer's form
- 25 With it
- 26 Early evictee
- 27 Dresses finely
- 29 Want
- 33 Cuts
- 34 Otto Preminger film
- 35 Walk the waiting room
- 36 Fortissimo, compared to forte
- 37 File stand-in
- 38 Eventually
- 39 Jersey cagers
- 40 Be heedful

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Mine finds
- 2 Mind-boggling images
- 3 Pat's partner
- 4 March event
- 5 Hick
- 6 Envision
- 7 Fragrant flower
- 8 Carousing
- 9 Combined
- 10 Cow chow
- 16 Words before "car" or "cop"
- 18 Oboe parts
- 20 Part of a dentist's bill
- 22 Patio
- 23 Orange shade
- 24 Sideways colons
- 25 Long sticker
- 28 Hymn finishes
- 30 Accounting check
- 31 Smooth liqueur
- 32 "Will & Grace" role
- 34 Actress Anderson
- 36 Like Abner

#### **CROSSWORD**

#### **THOMAS JOSEPH**

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#### **ACROSS**

- 1 Pert talk
- 5 Throw away
- 10 Help in crime
- 11 Arrow holder
- 13 Volcanic output14 Suave
- 15 Lasting forever
- 17 Tavern
- 18 Wise teachers
- 19 Asian language
- 20 Exploit
- 21 Prefix with "sphere"
- 22 Form
- 25 Darth of "Star Wars"
- 26 British bars
- 27 "Skedaddle!"
- 28 Tax grp.
- 29 Southern U.S. region
- 33 Before, to bards
- 34 Traveler's stop
- 35 Straight
- 37 TV warrior
- 38 Minute part
- 20 T 11 C C1
- 39 Idle of film
- 40 Fender scars
- 41 "Auld Lang —"

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Bewitched town
- 2 Let up
- 3 Common dice roll
- 4 New businesses
- 5 Cube side
- 6 Ringlets
- 7 Umbrella part
- 8 Took advantage (of)
- 9 Mark Twain, for one
- 12 "Bathers" painter
- 16 Facial feature
- 21 Chapeau holders
- 22 Salesman's talks
- 23 Made haste
- 24 It makes the heart grow fonder
- 25 Like creepers
- 27 Watches over
- 29 Incline
- 30 All without exception
- 31 Red Square name
- 32 Vestige
- 36 Long, long time

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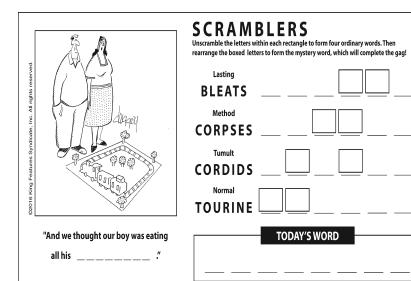
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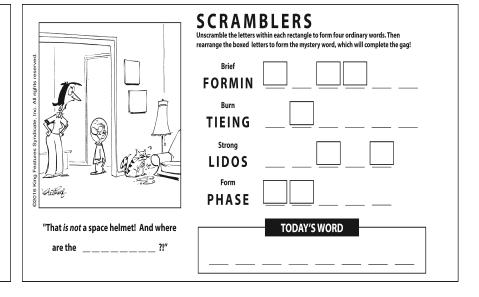
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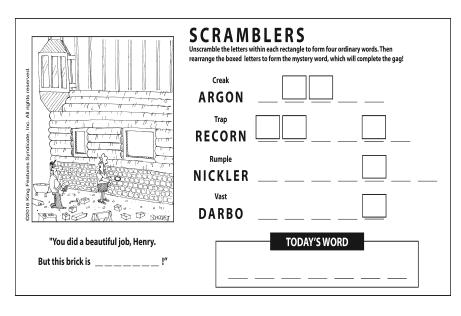
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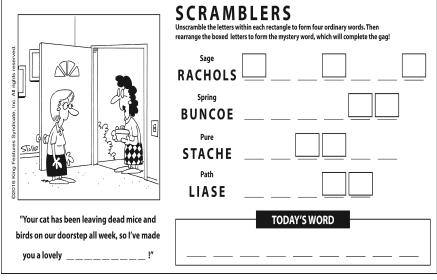
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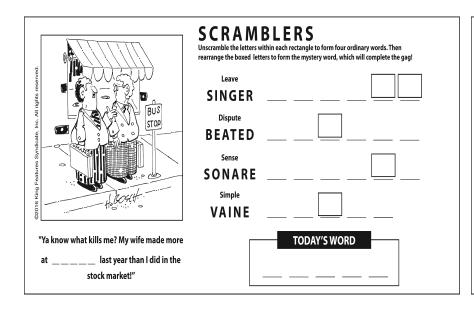
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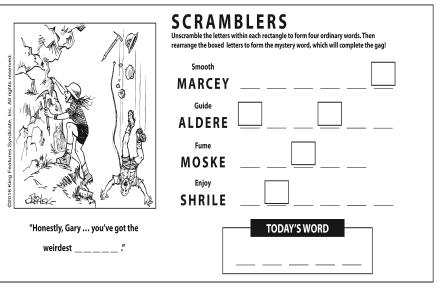












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#### **Wuzzles**

Each Wuzzles is a word riddle which creates a disguised word, phrase, name, place, saying, etc. For Example, NOON GOOD = GOOD AFTERNOON

H/A/R/M **CHILD Print Your Answers Here: Print Your Answers Here:** 1. Requirement 2. Requirement Mr. Meeting LEE 3. Requirement 4. Requirement 5. Requirement Print Your Answers Here: Print Your Answers Here:

#### Even Exchange

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.

1.	Bend				V			Witch's spell				S		
2.	Chap		Ε					Tag along		Ο				
3.	Page border				G			Sheen or Steve				Т		
4.	North Dakota city					Т		Unimportant				_	R	
5.	Mean woman		Н					Scatter seeds		Т				
6.	Obstacle	Н						Go sour	С	_				
7.	Royal residence					С	Samminushih	Appetite					Т	
8.	Egyptian capital	_				0		Terrier breed					Ν	
9.	Tailor's filament						D	Intimidation						Т
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2.	Fountain		Р					Yell		Н				
3.	Make a difference		Α					Mumble		U				
4.	Judge's seat		Ε					Bouquet		U				
5.	Ceremonial						L	Layout						Т
6.	Platform		Α					Air gun bullet		E				
7.	Shady place			В				Knight's attire			М			
8.	Palace			S				Livestock		_	Т			
9.	Hot season				M			Civil War Fort				Т		
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2.	Windy month		_	R				Fire stick			Т			
3.	Best clothes	F			_			Vineyard	W					
4.	Roar like a bull		Ε					Catch the wind		1		_		
5.	Sweetheart				М			Burn brightly				R	_	
6.	Cringe with fear	С	_					Might	Р					
7.	Hotel guest		0					Accountant's book		Ε			_	
8.	Necklace charm					_	Т	Student's closet						R
9.	Specialist				E			Sell abroad				О		
10.	Full of good cheer		О					Toast topping		Ε				

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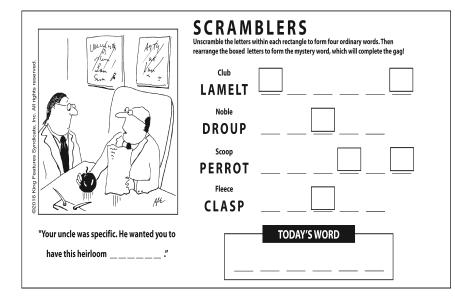
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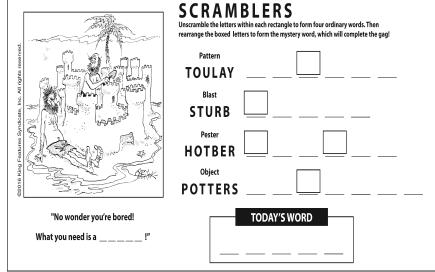
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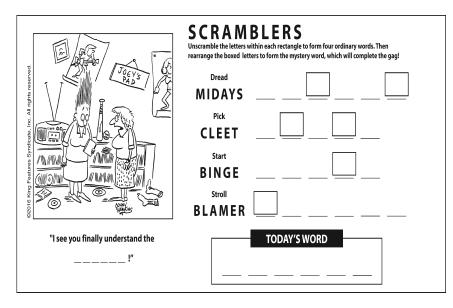
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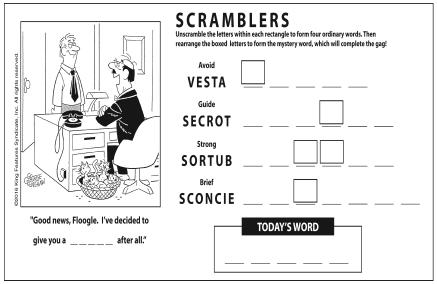
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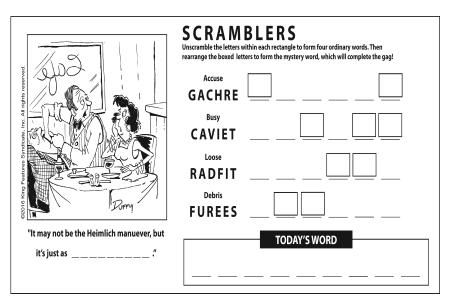
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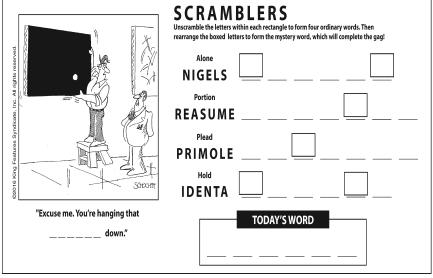




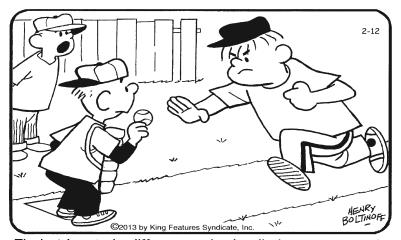




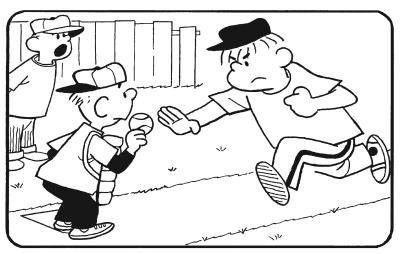




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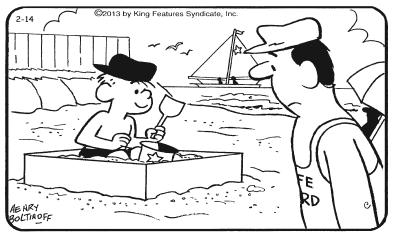
Differences: 1. Leg is moved. 2. Arm is longer. 3. Ball is larger. 4. Fence is different. 5. Collar is different. 6. Mouth is different.



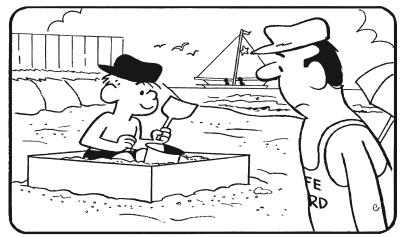
Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Trowel is moved. 2. Shovel handle is shorter. 3. Branch is missing. 4. Pocket is added. 5. Wheelbarrow handle is shorter. 6. Clump of dirt is moved.



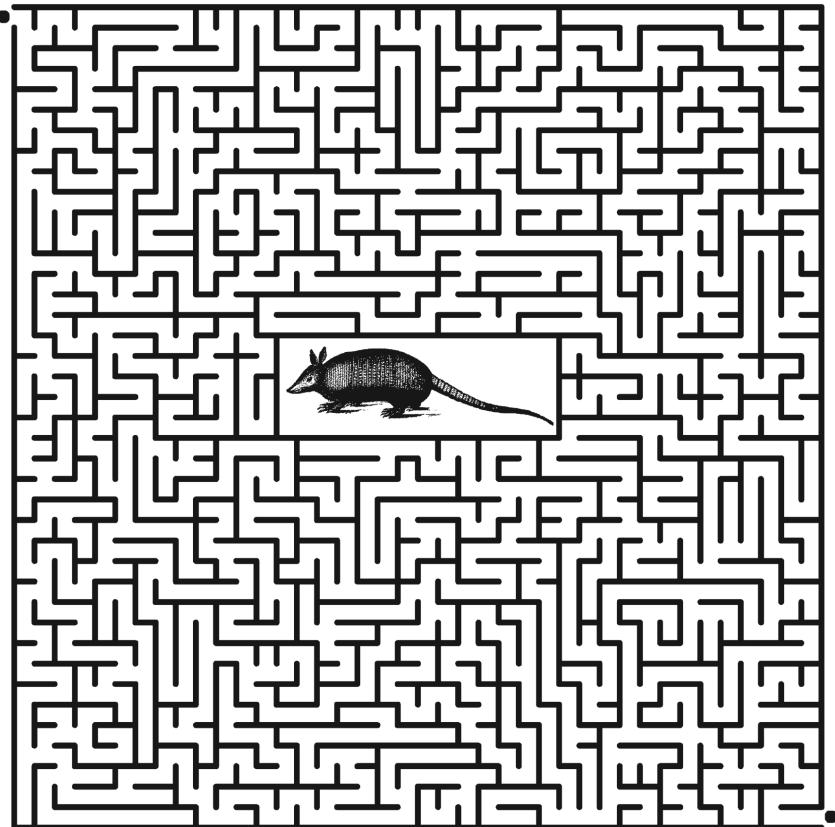
Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Star is missing from pail. 2. Shovel is larger. 3. Man has less hair. 4. Fence is not as wide. 5. Person under umbrella is missing. 6. Arm is thinner.

# Mega Maze

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#### By Frank A. Longo

#### LOVE IS ALL AROUND

**ACROSS** 

- 1 Stick with it
- 8 Wife of Cronus
- 12 "Man Mancha"
- 16 JFK's successor 19 Not too much
- 20 A very long time
- 21 Brushing and flossing
- 23 1985 Larry
- McMurtry novel 25 Cockney, e.g.
- 26 Inferior newspaper
- 27 Municipality
- 28 Exude vitality
- 29 Sitting atop
- 33 Certs piece, e.g.
- 34 Regard
- 35 Plane's path
- 36 Songsmith Berlin
- 38 Like traditional keyboards
- 40 Neuters
- 41 Film director Kotcheff
- 43 Suffix with pent-
- **44** "Je —" (French for "I am")
- 45 Double-curve shape
- **46** Starts seeing things out of balance
- 52 "— Got Nobody" (standard song)
- 54 Baseball's Blue Jays, on scoreboards
- 55 Job to do
- 56 Novelist Brown
- 57 Birthplace of GM
- 60 Infuse with gas
- 62 Not spicy
- 63 Train puller
- **65** 1981 hit for Earth, Wind & Fire
- **69** "... with -foot pole!"
- 70 Voting slip
- 72 Picked by 70-Across
- 73 "Lord, is —?"
- 74 Points where rays meet
- 77 Jr.'s jr.
- 78 Mack vehicle
- 79 It vibrates in the direction of its propagation
- 83 AOL or MSN
- 86 She's a Brit. royal
- 87 French sea
- 88 Infuriation
- 89 Cut's partner
- 91 Emanates
- 94 Meryl Streep's alma mater
- 96 Rips to bits
- 98 French for "bridge"
- 99 Toupees, e.g.
- 100 Certain citrus orchard
- 102 Cheap town bar
- 105 Spanish pot 106 Make out
- 107 County in northwest Florida
- 108 Gunpowder or firework
- 113 In error

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- 114 Chimps, e.g. 115 Yellow avenue
- in Monopoly
- 116 Hive buzzer
- 117 Bird's refuge
- 118 Jet-set jets, once
- 119 Bridge part

#### **DOWN**

- 1 Chum
- 2 "Turn to Stone" rock gp.
- Tin Tin
- 4 With severity
- 5 "Jumpin' Jack Flash, —!"
- **6** Catchphrase
- 7 Pro
- 8 Split again
- 9 Noisy owl
- 10 Be jealous of
- **11** Enzyme ending
- 12 Chinese tea
- 13 Loops (cereal)
- 14 Tall and thin
- 15 Actor Alan
- 16 Poet Sidney
- 17 Nominal promotion of a
- military officer 18 Actor Irons
- 22 Least warm
- 24 Italian author Umberto 28 Cruise ship

- 29 Beam intensely
- 30 Sharp barks
- 31 Tax-deferred svgs. plans
- 32 Back something with a wager
- 33 Liquid petrolatum
- 37 Steam
- 38 Answer's opposite: Abbr.
- 39 Candle part
- 42 Mass. hours
- 44 Hot tub site
- 46 "Stretch" car
- 47 Inflexibility
- 48 Proofer's "keep this in"
- 49 Ninny
- 50 Trumpet part **51** Culminated
- 52 A part of
- 53 \$20 bill dispenser
- 57 Thrash about
- 58 Kin of bingo 59 Trap post-blizzard
- 60 Gardner of film **61** Vietnamese holiday
- 62 Deride
- 64 "In the same place" footnote abbr.
- 66 Begin a tennis game against
- 67 Adhesive
- 68 DVR button

- **71** Fibbing sorts
- 74 Rasp
- **75** Singer Redding
- **76** Since, slangily
- 78 Paving goo
- 80 Organized whole, in
- psychology
- 81 PR concern
- **82** Requiring no cord 83 "As — often the case ..."
- 84 R-W hookup 85 Le Pew of cartoons
- 89 Book's start
- 90 Nabs
- 91 Self-confidence
- 92 New player
- 93 Just to be sure
- **94** Bon (epicure)
- **95** Totally wrong
- 97 Playwright Eve
- 99 Becomes hip, with "up"
- 101 Artist Ernst 103 Shylock's offering
- **104** "Okey-
- 105 "Stupid me!" **108** — Cruces
- **109** Sgt.'s underling **110** 103-Down accrual:
- Abbr. 111 Bk. number
- **112** Prior to, in sonnets

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## **LETTER WRITING WORD SEARCH**

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

#### **WORDS**

**ADDRESS** CARD **COMPUTER** CORRESPONDENCE **DISCOVERY** DRAFT **EMAIL ENVELOPE FILES LETTER MEANING MESSAGE PENCIL** PENMANSHIP PENPAL **PLUME POSTAGE SCROLL** SEALED **SECRET** SHEET **STATIONERY TEXT WORDS** 

## Guess Who?

I am an actor born in New Jersey on April 6, 1969. One of my first movie roles was in a "Halloween" franchise film. I'm particularly known as a comedic actor, but when I joined the Marvel franchise, I got to take on a superhero role.

Answer: Paul Rudd

## **WORD SCRAMBLE**

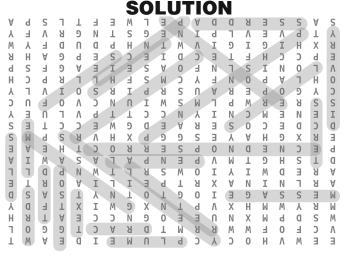
Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to letter writing.

**TSDFRA** 



Answer: Drafts

#### SOLUTION



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## **CONSTRUCTION WORD SEARCH**

E B S E T Т B W T E R C N 0 C C C Α S S Ι S S M Y G B K N G Α A D M W 0 Α G S Ε P Ι E R A R N A D Α K K K М E S U Ε B Ι C Α Ε R E R 0 N N G 0 D W T B U R A A P S S 0 D U Y B W N W S S E Ι Ι E R 0 U W U Ι Ι Y L R L S B Ι T В E S P T Т E 0 E Y N D N 0 R K R Ι М P C S E 0 K P T 0 Н Α C Α Ι C R Н L D E Н U D G C N Ν Y N U R T S T Y Ι M N 0 G T D G U A A Α Ι C C T T G C T W A М Ν W T A Α Н Y U В C S U S D B U R W R G B K G Ι R E E Т В Т S C G S R 0 B D D W N N 0 Ι Y Ι N U Н R R Т P G T Ι U 0 W 0 P S 0 S P Y U Ι Y W Т R K R P M Ι L T G T T S Y C L W N R R G 0 0 U C Н G Н Ι Ι N 0 B N 0 Н R Α K Ι T C Y P G T В В G R 0 U U Α U A A E U S D E G М Т Т A S K P T В S D Ι K

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

#### **WORDS**

**AGGREGATE APPRAISAL ARCHITECT BASEMENT BEAM** BID BUILD **CASEWORK** CAULKING CHANGE ORDER **CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION COST DESIGN** DRYWALL LAB0R LOAD **MORTAR PROPERTY PUNCHLIST REPORT** ROUGH-IN **SLAB SUPPORT** 

## Guess Who? WC

I am an actor born in Jersey on May 5, 1983. My first acting experience came in school plays, and I made my television debut in 2002. I am perhaps best known for my action roles, including a witcher and a man of steel.

Αηςννεν: Ηεηγγ Cavill

### WORD SCRAMBLE

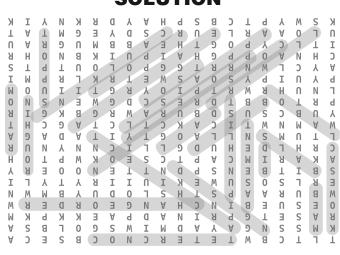
Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to building.

#### AHMREM



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#### SOLUTION



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#### Point & Solve

In this crossword puzzle variety, the clues appear in the diagram itself. Simply enter the answers in the directions indicated by the arrows.

Frighten off	•	Vowel's point value in Scrabble	Maui music makers	Throw cuffs on	Enter uninvited, in a way	•	It was replaced by the euro	Moniker for Park Avenue's place	Mileage recorder	lmitate a noisy dog
Rurally raised guy		•								V
Capital north of Cyprus							Ore (Tater Tots maker)			
Rye bread sandwich							Dems' rival Stir up			
Invented		Terrible		"Shoo!" Actress Thurman			•			Bids without speaking
<b>&gt;</b>		•				Begin the bidding				V
Betty's friend in Bedrock						As far as				
Zones	•					Gravity- powered vehicle	•			
"Oui" or "sí"	•			Cynics' looks	-					

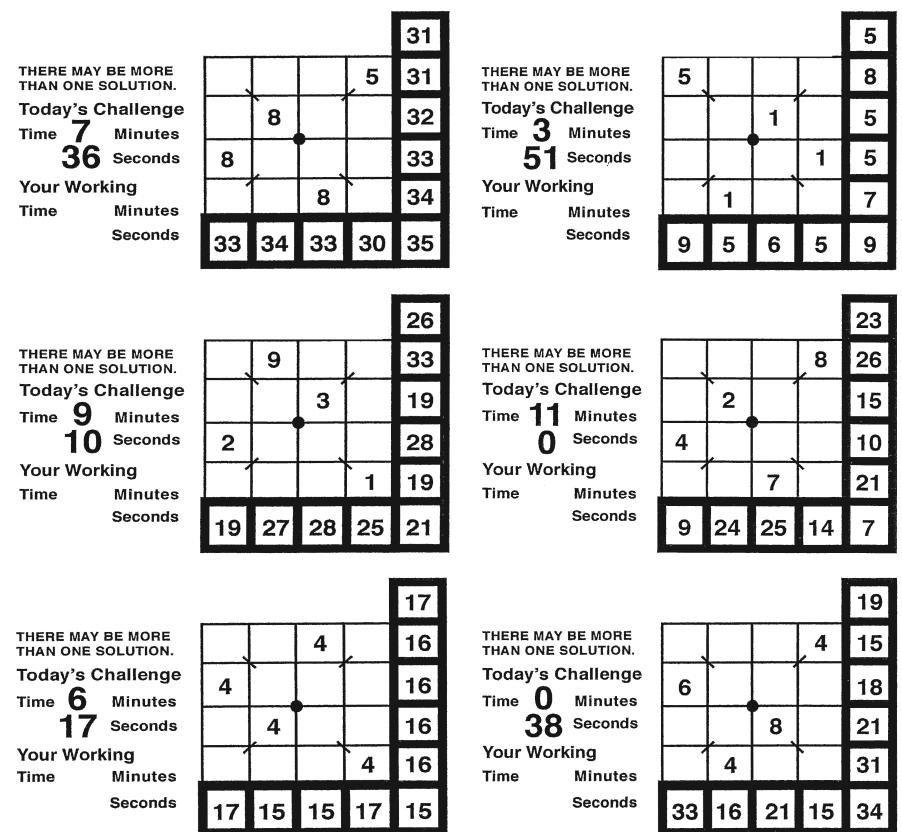
Set of 13 items	Dessert often ordered à la mode	Maker of the Rio and Soul	Fish that may be shocking	•	Direction- pointing symbols	Drink like Pepsi One or Tab	Mined- and- refined minerals	Bolshevik leader Zilch	*	Once named
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Dock	•				"Me, Myself & " (2000 film)	•				
Alto, California	•				Spine- tingling	•				5
Action words		Sounded like a bell	Actress Emma Boast							Inquires
•					China's Mao tung		The calling the kettle black	" had it up to here!"	Hertz rental offering	
Average golf score	•			Subjects at hand						
Kid candy store	•			Neighbor of a Czech or Pole	•					
Gizmos for whipping cream	•									

One of the States	*	German linking word	They're attached to the sternum	Clucking brooders	Title role player on TV's "Becker"	Song and dance	Latte option	*	Really listened	Pay a stud fee?
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Like junk mail, usually	•						One in the pen	•		
"Ya got me"							Peppery Skate feature			
One telling it like it isn't		Slalom path "Pronto"				Lie in the sun too long	•			
•				Suffix of enzymes		Comic's bit		Puccini's "O babbino caro"		Go after legally
Cousin of the Olympics										
Collars Small slip					Opposite of bonjour	•				
•					Glittery rock					

Scores right after touch- downs	Making a printed duplicate of	Stepped (on)	Cost per unit	About	Church seat	*	Secret writing to decipher	•	Foot-leg joint Tethers	Afflicted suddenly
•				V	V					
Removed pencil marks from	•						Hobby shop buy Altar vow	•		
Large, powerful German dog							<b>V</b>			
•					Actor Kinnear	Actor Arnaz Jet name				
Cowboy contest		Actress West of old films	Set (down)	Mop & D.C.'s country	•	•		Psychic's claimed gift, for short	Zodiac sign related to a lion	
Tainted							Animal related to a reindeer	•		
Queasy feeling							Use one's eyes			
Take control of, as a situation										

#### Challenger

Fill each square with a number, 1-9. Horizontal squares should add to the totals on the right, vertical squares should add to the totals on the bottom and diagonal squares should add to the total in the upper and lower right.



- KUDRAQ CTEFKTF

### Cryptoquote

## AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

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

LCQCKPBDC BQQ DFC	SJV EZH EZCSK XYJDE
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OTFYROJ UXWKAK IXTD JEA WDWJUJWTF TI JETKA PETD PA OUFFTJ XAKADMQA.	ONOPTMVT JWRO WD ZVPL  KR LBO LKLVJ BVPIKUT KR  LBO GUWNOPDO.  — DL. LBOPODO KR

JWDWOGS

#### Word Sleuth

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally. Every puzzle has one unlisted clue.

#### ISLAND NATIONS

#### **CLUE LIST** UONKHDAXURPMJGD Cuba AXV(J)SSQNKIFDAXV Cyprus Fiji T Q O A A S M J H F C A Y W U Haiti R P T M K I U I N L A J H F D Iceland Indonesia BZOATNSRJXVGDTR Ireland Jamaica Q A O I I M A E P I K U N I H Malta $\label{eq:force_energy} F\ D\ A\ C\ B\ W\ J\ L\ N\ Y\ F\ R\ A\ O\ Z\ ^{Nauru}$ Samoa Y H M A L T A A I O C U L W T Sri Lanka Taiwan V T B R Q O P N N R D A E L K Tonga United IUHFDCADAZSNCXW Kingdom

## SECRET SERVICE DIRECTORS

OVROLIFCZWTQNKI	CLUE LIST
F C Z W N U R P M J H E C Z X	Basham Bell
USQNELJGECZXVTR	Brooks
P N M L Z J H N E F C A Y W V	Flynn Hazen
TRPAATNAALLKYIG	Knight
EWASHBURNVEYECD	Magaw Maloney
BZXGWSUOOSIENOR	Moran Rowley
POIWAGAMSLKLONM	Sullivan Washburn
L N S K O O R B L J L W L I G	Wilkie
K E D N O S R E I P I O A U B	Wilson Wood
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#### U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT

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J	Н	E	C	L	A	X	R	L	V	T	R	P	N	L	Extender Hercules
R	J	Н	F	G	D	В	Y	Ο	U	Y	X	V	T	R	Hornet
P	Ο	J	L	A	N	C	Е	R	T	C	Е	P	S	Ο	Jayhawk Lancer
Y	M	T	A	Е	R	Н	K	I	T	A	R	G	Е	D	Orion Osprey
В	Е	Z	P	Y	C	E	X	T	Е	N	D	Е	R	X	Predator Raptor
W	U	R	T	A	Н	R	P	Q	О	О	Е	Е	Н	N	Sentry
L	J	I	P	G	R	A	T	Ι	R	I	P	S	R	F	Spectre Spirit
D	C	A	A	S	Y	X	W	W	V	R	V	T	S	P	Viper
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#### COMPARATIVE WORDS

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В	Y	W	U	S	E	Q	О	A	S	A	M	K	I	F	Greedier Happier
D	R	Е	G	G	I	В	P	В	Z	R	X	W	U	S	Healthier
Q	О	Е	R	R	D	P	N	L	R	M	О	J	R	Н	Larger Later
R	F	D	R	Е	I	Н	T	L	A	Е	Н	W	Е	C	Nicer Sadder
A	Е	Y	W	Е	T	V	A	T	S	R	L	Q	D	P	Shorter Taller
N	L	T	R	D	V	R	Е	T	T	Е	В	L	D	K	Tidier
Ι	Н	F	T	Ι	G	Е	О	Е	C	C	В	Z	A	Y	Warmer Wetter
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#### **LUMINARIES ACROSS**

- 1 Oklahoma tribe
- **4** Placed in position
- 9 Restrict
- 14 Hair hides it
- 19 Sing barbershop-style
- 21 Make for (run to)
- 22 Threesome
- 23 Large tanks for marine life
- 24 Death, in Venice
- 25 Jul. 4 cookout
- 26 Los Angeles tourist draw
- 29 Blvd. crosser
- 30 Eternally, to bards
- 31 Fleur-de--
- 32 Cushy class
- 35 Military bigwig's garb
- 44 Early Beatle Sutcliffe
- 45 "Get writing"
- 47 Maui necklace
- 48 "L.A. Confidential" novelist James
- **49** Gossip sheet
- 55 Carl Sagan's sci.
- 56 "Born Free" feline
- 57 Nike rival
- **58** Rejuvenation location
- 59 "There's Out Tonight"
- 60 Eye part
- 62 Grant, Tan, and Carter
- **64** Letters after zetas
- 66 Hunters' gp.
- 67 The Best Picture is its culmination
- 72 Diary writer Anaïs
- 74 Lead-in for byte or hertz
- 75 Shuttle org.
- 76 Cosmetician Rubinstein
- 79 Bone: Prefix
- 81 "Walk- welcome"
- 83 Rescind 86 Toward shelter, to a sailor
- 87 Israel's Golda
- 88 June 14 "honoree"
- 91 Nautical chart
- 93 Feel lousy
- 94 Protein-rich bean, to a Brit
- 95 Wallach of film
- 96 Loose celestial grouping
- 101 Misplaces
- 103 Rocker Petty
- 104 Rebuffing responses
- 105 Cool, in the 1940s
- 106 Theme of this puzzle
- 116 Western holler
- 118 Bring down
- 119 Exact same
- 120 Soup utensil
- 121 Warning
- **122** 1981-89, politically
- 123 Schmoes

124 124 Prescription bottle data

#### **DOWN**

1 "Pick me! Pick me!"

126 Glistening grass stuff

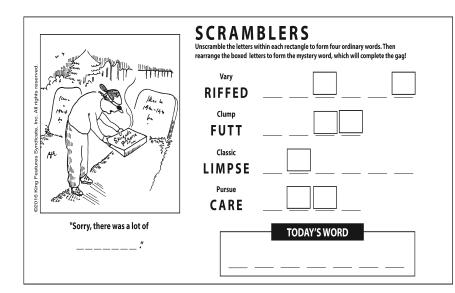
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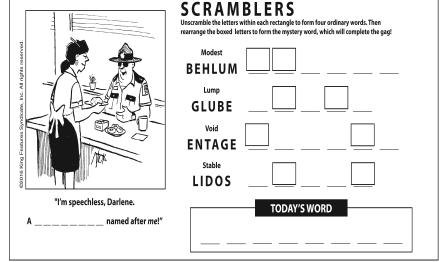
125 Old-style fax

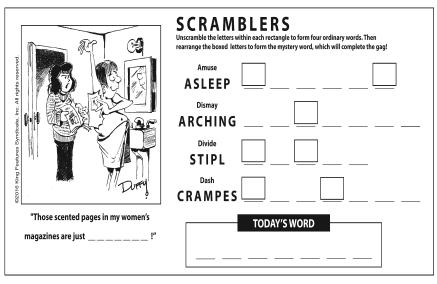
- 3 Sportscaster Hershiser
- 4 MacBook Air alternative
- 5 Bedazzled
- 6 Beginner: Var.
- 7 Basso Pinza
- 8 Anesthetize
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- 10 Major celeb
- 11 Author Twain
- 12 Analogy part
- 13 Viral illness
- 14 Fourth-cen. Greek prelate called "the Great"
- 15 Pack tight
- 16 Million or billion suffix
- 17 Test facility
- 18 "Stat!"
- 20 Indian Ocean archipelago
- 27 Teeny-tiny
- 28 Less coarse 32 Oleate, e.g.
- 33 "... told by an idiot"

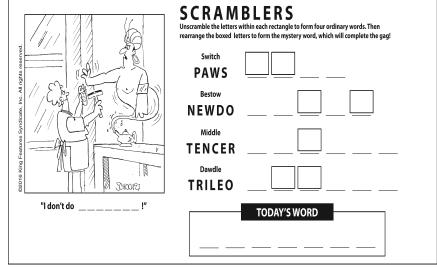
- **34** Not trivial
- 35 Literature Nobelist André
- **36** Feminizing suffix
- 37 Swiss mountain
- 38 Rural tracts
- 39 Didn't guzzle
- 40 "The Flim- Man" (1967 film)
- 41 "Citizen Kane" director
- **42** Helicopter part
- 43 Loy of films
- 46 Angry lecture
- 50 Not of the clergy
- 51 Auction Web site
- 52 Grown girl
- 53 To the heavens
- 54 Partakes of
- **59** Tennis pro Arthur 61 Western mil. alliance
- 63 Postpaid encls.
- 65 Mary-Kate Olsen's twin
- 68 Land o' Blarney
- 69 Raving type
- 70 Captivated
- 71 Royal name of Norway
- 72 Chinese menu notice
- 73 "— Dark Stranger"
- (1946 spy film) 77 1960 Wimbledon winner
  - Fraser

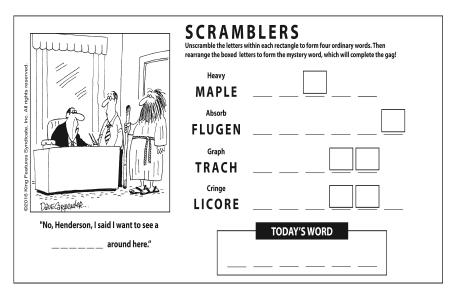
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- 80 Writer Bombeck 82 Clic -
- (Bic pen brand)
- 84 Make lighter
- 85 below cost
- 88 Author Sinclair
- 89 July third?
- 90 Store receipt add-on
- 92 Not merely words
- 97 "That pleases me" 98 Takes guns from, e.g.
- 99 Souse
- 100 Casual cotton top
- 102 Decide to join
- 105 Neolithic British Isles monument
- 106 Hammer-wielding god
- 107 Fish piercer
- 108 Unaided **109** "— ever thus"
- 110 "Take one" 111 "Zip- — -Doo-Dah"
- 112 Cutlet meat
- 113 Got 100 on
- 114 Hard to find
- 115 Picnic dish
- 116 Financial daily, briefly
- 117 Gibbon, e.g.

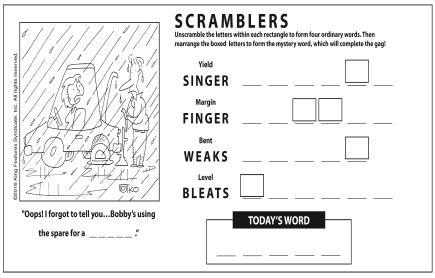












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3 Sportscaster — Albert

- 42 State bordering Veracruz 46 Melancholy **47** 2, for helium: Abbr. 48 NASA scrub 49 Regarding **54** Resort near Naples 57 Bygone Toyota 58 Insults wittily 59 Foxworthy and Bridges 60 Job bid figs. **61** Extent **63** Discovered **64** Tilting **65** Ob- — (delivery Dr.) **67** Jerky sort 68 Film director Nicolas 69 Infringe upon 70 Scoffing sort 71 Tot's amuser
- 97 Turn a blind 98 Big gun gp. 99 Lush green vegetation 101 Planet paths 106 Laughable 107 "The Father of the Symphony" 109 Kind of paint 110 As a friend, to François 113 "— first you don't ...' 115 Alternative to vanilla: Abbr. 116 Jamaica, por ejemplo 117 Flatbread of India 118 Greek pita sandwich 119 Part of WHO: Abbr. 120 "- favor, señor!" **122** — Lingus 123 Visit with 124 Engine stat

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116 Tinkertoy or Lego

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121 — "King" Cole 122 — Luis Obispo

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**117** Mo. #9

118 Lab eggs

119 Köln article

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**66** Largest moon of Uranus

**67** Alternatives to waffles

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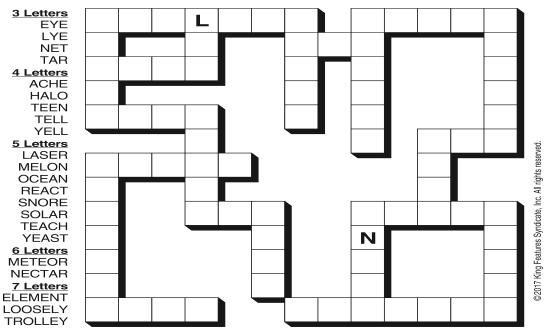
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**101** Equine beast

# Puzzles4Kids by Helene Hovanec

#### CRISSCROSS - ELEMENTARY SCHOOL\*

Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.



\*All words are formed from the letters in ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

# Puzzes4kids by Helene Hovanec

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

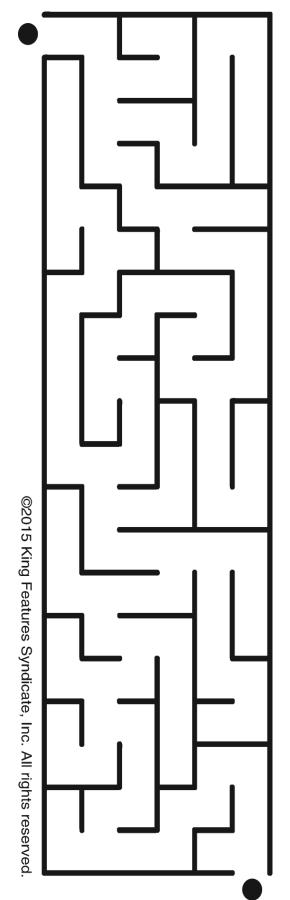
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#### Kids Maze



## Puzzles4Kids by Helene Hovanec

#### **RIDDLE SEARCH - FOODS MADE WITH HONEY**

Look up, down, and diagonally, both forward and backward to find every word on the list. Circle each one as you find it. When all the words are circled, take the UNUSED letters and write them on the blanks below. Go from left to right and top to bottom to find the answer to this riddle: What do bumblebees get when they put honey under their pillows?

**BAKED APPLE BAKED BEANS** CAKE FLAN **FUDGE GRANOLA** JAM **MOUSSE** MUFFIN **PARFAIT PECAN PIE POWER BAR PUDDING** SAUCE **SMOOTHIE** TART YAMS

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Riddle answer: \_

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**WORD FUN** 

Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

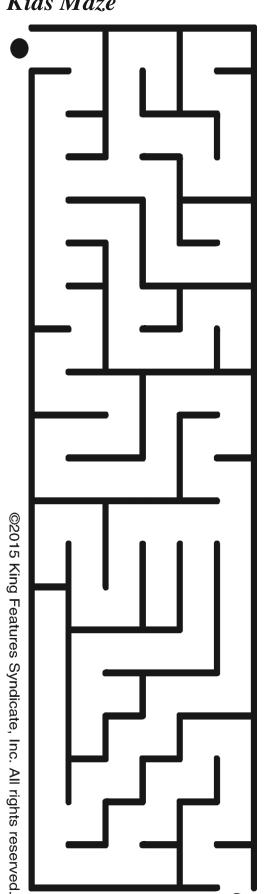
WHAT SONG DO NAVY-LOVING PIGS SING?

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HOLLER	 HELLO
TWISTY	 WITTY

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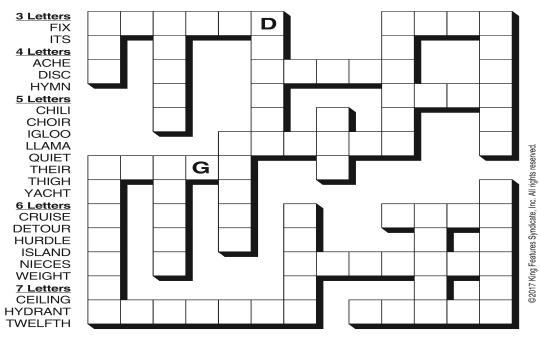
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#### **CRISSCROSS – HARD TO SPELL WORDS**

Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.



# Puzzles4Kids by Helene Hovanec CODED RIDDLE

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

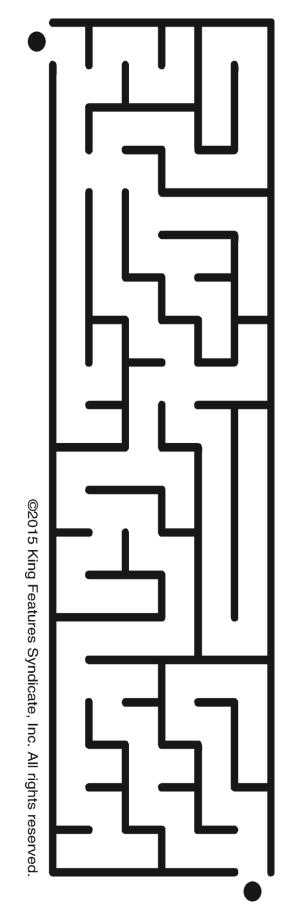
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GPS B EJQ?

#### Kids Maze



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### RIDDLE SEARCH - LET'S PLAY FOOTBALL

Look up, down, and diagonally, both forward and backward to find every word on the list. Circle each one as you find it. When all the words are circled, take the UNUSED letters and write them on the blanks below. Go from left to right and top to bottom to find the answer to this riddle: Where do gardeners play football?

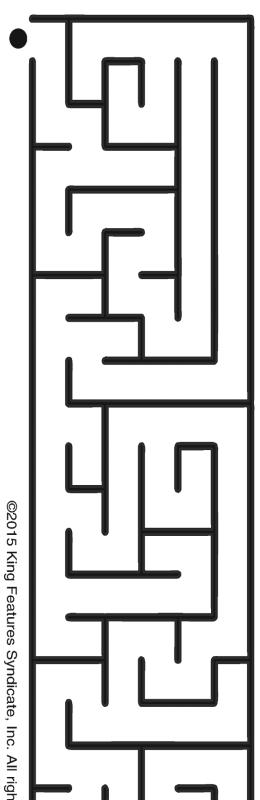
**BENCH** DIVE DRIVE FIELD GOAL FREE KICK **GOALPOST GRIDIRON HALF TIME** HIKE HUDDLE PUNT REPLAY **SNAP STADIUM TOUCHDOWN** 

YARD LINE

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Riddle answer: \_\_ \_

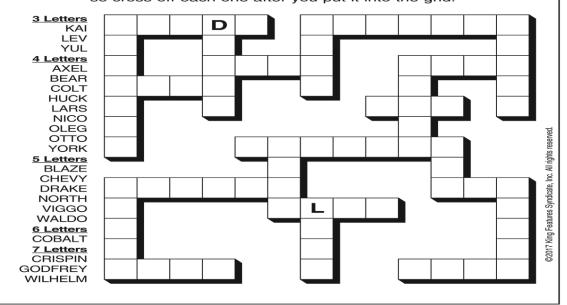
## Kids Maze



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## **CRISSCROSS – UNIQUE BOYS' NAMES**

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## Premier Crossword

## By Frank A. Longo

#### C[N] DOUBLE ACROSS 1 Least distant 20 21 22 8 "Mr. Mom" co-star 23 25 **16** Prefix with physics 20 Accept the opinion of 26 28 29 21 Was very meaningful 22 Word after New or 30 golden 23 Compound in Tums 36 39 38 25 Part of FYI 26 "It's —!" 41 40 42 43 44 ("See you then!") 27 Put a flaw in 46 48 52 28 Run- — (pioneering rap trio) 53 54 55 59 60 56 29 Fats Domino's 61 "Whole - Loving" 30 Departs in a ship 65 66 69 32 Man — cloth 35 Wrinkle-free textile 70 72 73 fiber 36 Previous to, in odes 75 76 78 **37** What women film directors and 79 80 82 83 producers break through 85 86 88 89 90 40 Satisfied sigh 42 — the finish 43 Lilting tune **44** — dixit 99 100 45 "Pony Time" singer 104 105 106 107 **51** Gorilla researcher Fossey 108 109 110 111 112 113 53 Delhi money 54 "Buddy" star Russo 114 115 116 55 Greek consonants 57 "All in the Family" 117 118 119 in-law Mike 61 Kill - killed 106 "— for Innocent" 16 "Health Letter" publisher 71 Their bulbs produce lathers **62** Rumple 17 Voyage of vanity? (Grafton novel) when crushed 63 Former rival 107 Not just stout 18 Germans 72 Female WWII server of Best Buy 108 "Here we are -19 Systematize 73 Colorful parrot **65** Salt Lake City student olden days ..." 24 Give a ring **74** Unit of cards 66 Robert Frost, e.g. 77 "— of robins ..." 109 Tendencies of a social 29 China's Chou En-**67** Requiring no prescription: group's behaviors and 31 Sore 78 Brewed drink Abbr. **32** 28.35 grams 80 Lobbying gp. 68 Scientologist - Hubbard beliefs 33 Criticism 82 — Lund Laszlo 114 Congregate 69 Pooh-bah 34 Like a tribal emblem 70 School cutups 115 Using indirect references 83 Miner's find 73 "— Herr" 116 City noted 35 Mockery 84 Shrieks for miracle cures 38 Security claims 85 Shrinking Asian lake **74** Sprint 117 Give lip 75 Valorous 39 Spain's El -86 Africans of small stature

**76** Revolting Turner 77 Bern's river 78 All wound up 79 "And quickly!" **81** Numismatist **84** 1995-2007 NFL lineman Warren – 87 America's "Uncle" 89 Courtroom declaration 90 Sturdy tree 91 British newspaper puzzle 96 Sis's sib 99 Loose overcoat 100 Like Jack Sprat's diet 101 Rocked on the brink

**104** Violinist Mischa or

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105 Chairman of China

- 118 Sticky strips with poison 119 Tortilla treat **DOWN** 1 Jewel box 2 Chief 3 In the recent past 4 Factions 5 Cat Nation members **6** V preceders 7 Ex-Met Agee 8 Old Russian ruler 9 Lobed thing 10 Eve's origin 11 Nuptial vow 12 India's Indira 13 Shady public walk **14** Univ. military program **15** Map no.
- 40 Busy as -41 Prez Lincoln 45 Stoop low 46 Rush violently 47 Sustain 48 Barbarous **49** Actor Charlton 50 Karel Capek play **52** Env. alert 56 Hard: Prefix **58** Bon — (playboy) 59 "Yea, verily 60 2002 Lucy Liu sci-fi film 62 Sioux shoe 63 Dol. units **64** One of four archangels 66 Greek consonants 67 Above
- 88 Rand (map maker) 92 Bronze-hued 93 Discover by digging, as a pig 94 Ear-related 95 Outcome 96 Starr or Lee 97 Lay dormant 98 Ukraine city 102 Doughnut's shape 103 Critic Roger 105 Meditate 106 TV Soprano player Robert 109 Half- — latte 110 D.C.'s home 111 Put a tear in 112 "Hail, Cato!" 113 Kanga's joey

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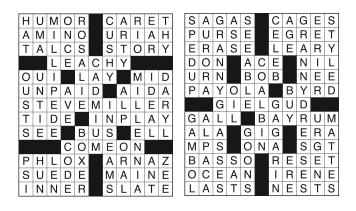
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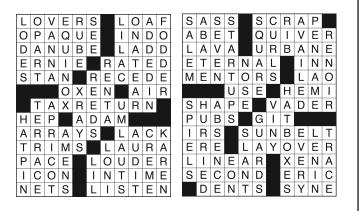
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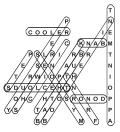


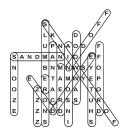
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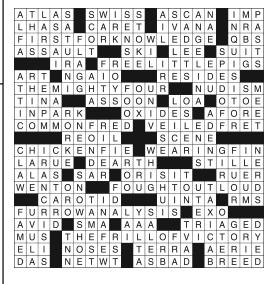
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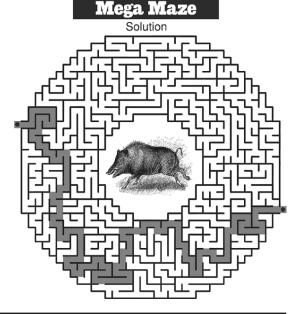


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#### Page 5 **Premier Crossword**



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#### Scramblers 1

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

solution
1. Stable; 2. Process;
3. Discord; 4. Routine
Today's Word

**BROCCOLI** 

### Scramblers 2

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

solution
1. Inform; 2. Ignite;
3. Solid; 4. Shape
Today's Word

**GOLDFISH** 

#### Scramblers 3

## SCRAMBLERS

solution
1. Groan; 2. Corner;
3. Crinkle; 4. Broad

Today's Word

**CROOKED** 

#### Scramblers 4

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

solution
1. Scholar; 2. Bounce;
3. Chaste; 4. Aisle

Today's Word

**CASSEROLE** 

#### Scramblers 5

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

solution 1. Resign; 2. Debate; 3. Reason; 4. Naive

Today's Word
BINGO

#### Scramblers 6

## SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Creamy; 2. Leader;

3. Smoke; 4. Relish

Today's Word
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#### Multi-Sudoku 1

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

# Guess Who?

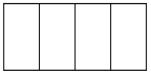
I am a professional skateboarder born in California on May 12, 1968. I am nicknamed "The Birdman" for my aerial stunts, and I was the first skater to successfully land a 900degree spin out of a half pipe.

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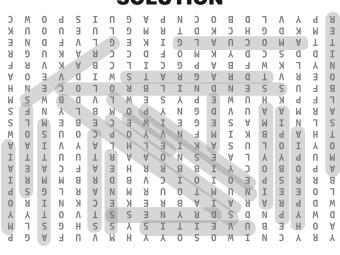
# **WORD SCRAMBLE**

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to vision.

SAHL



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## Wuzzles 1

## 1. Four-part harmony

## 2. Lions

## Wuzzles 2

## 1. Common decency

## 2. An outgoing child

## Wuzzles 3

## 1. Lonely

## 2. A list of requirements

## Wuzzles 4

## 1. Rough seas

## 2. Missed her meeting

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### Scramblers 1

#### SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Mallet; 2. Proud; 3. Report; 4. Scalp Today's Word

#### **TOMATO**

#### Scramblers 3

#### SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Dismay; 2. Elect; 3. Begin; 4. Ramble Today's Word

## LYRICS

## Scramblers 5

#### SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Charge; 2. Active; 3. Adrift; 4. Refuse Today's Word

#### **EFFECTIVE**

## Scramblers 2

## SCRAMBLERS

solution
1. Layout; 2. Burst;
3. Bother; 4. Protest
Today's Word

HOBBY

#### Scramblers 4

## SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Stave; 2. Escort; 3. Robust; 4. Concise Today's Word

**BONUS** 

#### Scramblers 6

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

*solution* 1. Single; 2. Measure; 3. Implore; 4. Detain

Today's Word
UPSIDE

## Page 16 Even Exchange

1. Curve, Curse

2. Fellow, Follow

Margin, Martin

4. Minot, Minor

5. Shrew, Strew

1. Audio, Audit

Spout, Shout

Matter, Mutter

4. Bench, Bunch

5. Formal, Format

1. Davis, David

3. Finery, Winery

March, Match

4. Bellow, Billow

5. Flame, Flare

Sudoku 1

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1 3 4 2 9 8 7 5 6

7 6 2 5 1 4 9 3 8

3 9 6 8 5 1 4 2 7

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## n Exchange

6. Hurdle, Curdle

Palace, Palate

8. Cairo, Cairn

9. Thread, Threat

10. Lever, Level

6. Pallet, Pellet

7. Arbor, Armor

8. Castle, Cattle

o. Castle, Cattle

9. Summer, Sumter

10. Slept, Swept

6. Cower, Power

7. Lodger, Ledger

8. Locket, Locker

9. Expert, Export

Sudoku 2

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#### Sudoku 3

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#### Sudoku 4

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Sudoku 2

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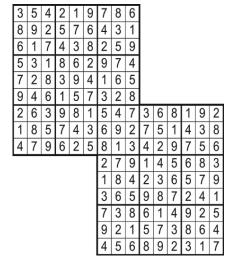
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#### Multi-Sudoku 2



#### Multi-Sudoku 3

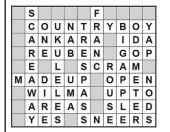
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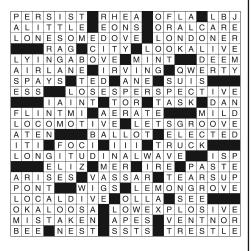
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**Premier Crossword** 



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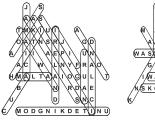
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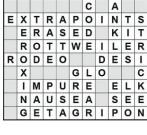
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COMPARATIVE WORDS





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Cryptoquote

- CELEBRATE ALL THE THINGS YOU DON'T LIKE ABOUT YOURSELF — LOVE YOURSELF. - LADY GAGA
- NOW THE THING ABOUT HAVING A BABY AND I CAN'T BE THE FIRST PERSON TO HAVE NOTICED THIS — IS THAT THEREAFTER YOU HAVE IT. - JEAN KERR
- WE ARE ALL MORTAL UNTIL THE FIRST KISS AND THE SECOND GLASS OF WINE.
  - EDUARDO GALEANO
- HE WHO TRIMS HIMSELF TO SUIT EVERYONE WILL SOON WHITTLE HIMSELF AWAY. - RAYMOND HULL
- ALMOST ALL ABSURDITY OF CONDUCT ARISES FROM THE IMITATION OF THOSE WHOM WE CANNOT RESEMBLE. — SAMUEL JOHNSON
- EACH SMALL TASK OF EVERYDAY LIFE IS PART OF THE TOTAL HARMONY OF THE UNIVERSE. — ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX

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## Page 30 Premier Crossword



## Page 31

## Scramblers 1

#### SCRAMBLERS

solution 1. Differ; 2. Tuft; 3. Simple; 4. Race

Today's Word
TRAFFIC

Scramblers 3

**SCRAMBLERS** 

solution

1. Please; 2. Chagrin;

3. Split; 4. Scamper

Today's Word

**SAMPLES** 

Scramblers 5

**SCRAMBLERS** 

solution

1. Ample: 2. Engulf:

3. Chart: 4. Recoil

Today's Word

**PROFIT** 

# SCRAMBLERS

#### solution

1. Humble; 2. Bulge; 3. Negate; 4. Solid

Today's Word **DOUGHNUT** 

#### Scramblers 4

#### **SCRAMBLERS**

solution

1. Swap; 2. Endow; 3. Center; 4. Loiter *Today's Word* 

**WINDOWS** 

#### Scramblers 6

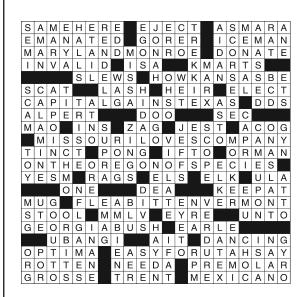
## SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Resign; 2. Fringe; 3. Askew; 4. Stable *Today's Word* 

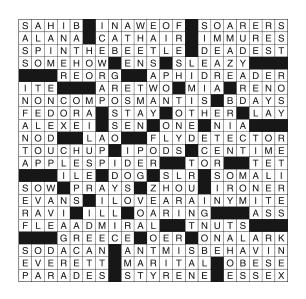
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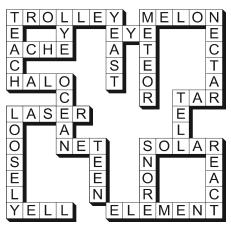
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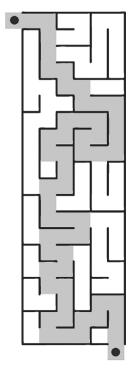
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Answer

What has wings, a long tail and wears a bow?

A birthday pheasant.

## Kids Maze



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## Kids Maze

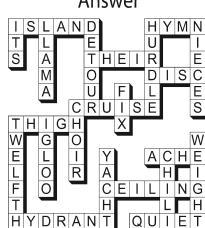
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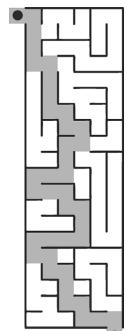
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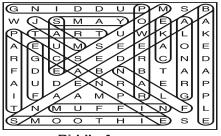
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**Answer** 





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Riddle Answer: Sweet dreams.

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**SENIOR** 0 **RINSE DIAPER** DRAPE **DAYTON** Ν **TODAY CHOKER CHORE** Κ SALINE Ε **NAILS HOLLER** R **HELLO TWISTY** S WITTY **GIANTS** Α STING

**VOWELS** W **LOVES STREAM** Ε **TRAMS ARMIES** Ι **SMEAR BADGE BAGGED** G **RESHIP** Н **PRIES** 

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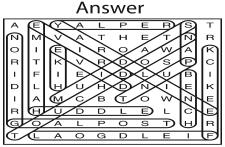
Answer

What did one potato chip say to the other?

Shall we go for a dip?

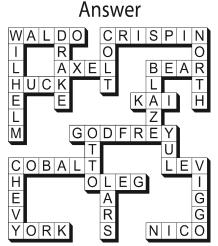
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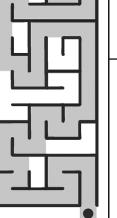
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Riddle Answer: At the Rose Bowl.

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# **SKIN CARE INGREDIENTS WORD SEARCH**

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

## **WORDS**

**ACIDS** ALPHA-HYDROXY BALM BETA HYDROXY **COLLAGEN** COPPER PEPTIDE **DIMETHICONE ELASTIN GLYCERIN GLYCOLIC HYALURONIC HYDRATION HYDROQUINONE KOJIC** LACTIC L-ASCORBIC LOTION LUBRICANT **NIACINAMIDE RETINOL SALICYLIC SUNSCREEN** WATER

# Guess Who?

I am a singer born in New York on May 20, 1981. I began taking piano lessons at age 4. My style has been called catchy, light pop with lyrics that share hard truths about life. I have been compared to Alanis Morissette.

Answer: Rachel Platten

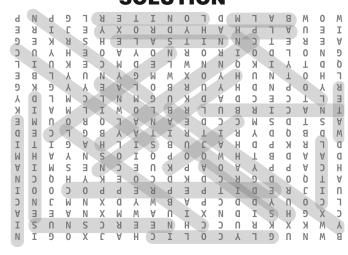
## WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to skin care.

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# **BURGER JOINT SLANG WORD SEARCH**

S U J G R Α Ε G R U B E D Α 0 Y Ι U Ι Y Y F Ε Y G Н W L D 0 T L S B J Ι P G В R J S L G A W U R B Α G N P G J B S A R W W Ν C S C U C C Ι S Ε G C E C D D Н R 0 W U D T Ι S Ι J F N T D М D 0 B E М D 0 S 0 Ι U Y U Y Т D М M D N U Α S T P N 0 A M G A 0 D S E U N U F T B I T D Н S Н E В W 0 W Α 0 C 0 D D U Н 0 C P B Y B C R Y E C Α D Т B 0 E Y T Ι S U U B W P C R J М D S C Ι S N E C T E S B A A J R М Ε S C T P U N Ι Α C Α L A G М U Ι B F T S Ε Ε S B Y R 0 0 U R 0 B Н L Н R T U A R 0 М 0 Α B R G N 0 U B Y Y Y E Ι J J D J D В E F Α Ι C Y Y C 0 Y Y Ι R Ν Н 0 D R W G G E U Ι E U C Y J U E J 0 R 0 М S C E T R G U Ι A N E E S J R C

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

## **WORDS**

ALL-THE-WAY BLOWOUT BLUE BUTTER BURGER COMB0 DOUBLE MEAT EAST COAST **FACIAL HAMMERED** LT0 MID-RARE **MINIBURGER** NO FUN ON WHEELS **PATTY** PLAIN JANE RABBIT FOOD RATIO **SALLY SEAR SLIDER** SLUG SMASH BURGER SPECIAL SAUCE

# Guess Who?

I am an actor born in Ireland on May 25, 1976. I was interested in acting since seeing a stage production of "A Clockwork Orange." I've starred in a number of movies, but my role on a television show about a street gang from the late 1800s made me a household name.

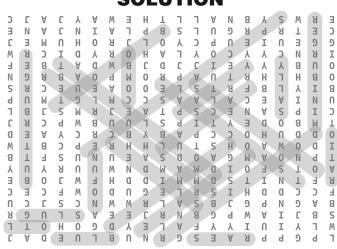
Answer: Cillian Murphy

# **WORD SCRAMBLE**

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to hamburgers.

# TKEUPHC

диузгэх: хөлсүп



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# **TOSSED SALAD WORD SEARCH**

Н Ι N 0 Ι N 0 Α E U P H D Н Ι R М S E E Ε T S N B 0 G B B D D P Α U T G S C U C S A U G R A В B Т D 0 G R V R B I V R A D Ι S S P 0 A 0 М L Ι Н V P D S M Y S D L 0 V P T Α C S Ι B U E Ε Ε Y G U U T 0 K Α Ι P U P T D E V Y Y V K N 0 C М K 0 V 0 P G P N Ι V C A Ν Ι P S E Ι E C S C V K E U D В Ι М R M М R L Y Т C T T Ι N N 0 P 0 H Н N C M U S C T Ι Ε R E Y S G 0 V D T C Н Α V G Н G 0 Α Ε S C Н U М S L C Α L K S V Y Ι E 0 C T T R N A D 0 K N E N L 0 P P 0 0 Ι C S P E 0 Н R U D G N D U R E P G E E Y Ι C Τ 0 R 0 L C T C T М S T A Ι В E R Y T C B E B B N U М S D Н G S E C T U T 0 0 D M N N Ε G S L P P A В V 0 D E N L U 0 Ε C C R Н 0 Ι 0 0 Ε R Α E U Ι C S Т 0 Y Ι 0

**WORDS** 

**APPLES ARUGULA AVOCADO BEANS BEETS BERRIES CELERY CHICKEN CHICKPEA CROUTONS KALE** LETTUCE **NUTS** OIL **OLIVES** ONION **PEPPERS RADISHES SEEDS SPINACH SPROUTS TOMATO VINEGAR** 

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

# Guess Who?

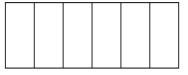
I am an actress born in California on May 29, 1989. I did runway modeling for Dolce & Gabbana as a teenager. I started in independent films and then went on to bigger roles. I am the granddaughter of a famous singer.

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## WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to salad.

YCERLE



Апѕмек: Сеlеку

