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BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Deuteronomy (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?

2. From John 20, by what other name was the apostle Thomas known? Caleb, Naaman, Omri, Didymus

3. Which book begins, "And the Lord spake unto Moses in the wilderness"? Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Joel

4. What did Jesus and Peter pay for with a coin found in a fish's mouth? Tax, Bread, Lodging, Sandals

5. From Proverbs 11, what word did Solomon use to describe soul winners? Warm, Wise, Wealthy, Wonderful

6. What prophet was saved from death by a talking donkey? Balaam, Ezekiel, Joel, Samuel

ANSWERS: 1) Old, 2) Didymus, 3) Numbers, 4) Tax, 5) Wise, 6) Balaam

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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Travel begins to dominate your sign as spring gives way to summer. Make plans carefully to avoid potential problems during the first half of June.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A romantic Libra sets a challenge that your "sensible" side might question, but your idealistic self finds the prospect too intriguing to resist. The choice is yours.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Those tense times in your personal life are just about over. Concentrate on reaffirming relationships. Your love for travel opens up a surprising new opportunity.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) The Big Cat usually loves to be in the center of things. But this week, it might be wiser to watch and learn from the sidelines. A Pisces wants to make you purr.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) "New" is your watchword this week. Be open to new ideas, both on the job and in your personal life. A romantic Aries or Sagittarian beckons.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Some difficult family decisions have to be faced, but be sure to get more facts before you act. Also, be careful not to neglect your health during this trying time.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You still need to support a loved one through a difficult time. Meanwhile, things continue to work out to your benefit in the workplace.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Aspects continue to favor expanding social opportunities. A Gemini reaches out to offer a chance for reestablishing a once-close relationship.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) There's a potential for misunderstandings in both your job and your personal life. A full explanation of your intentions helps smooth things over.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You might be feeling restless on the job, but delay making any major moves until all the facts are in. Meanwhile, a Scorpio has a surprising revelation.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your business sense works to your advantage as you sort through the possibilities that are opening up. A Libra is Cupid's best bet for your romantic prospects.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a gift for being open-minded about people. This helps you make friends easily. You do very well in public service.

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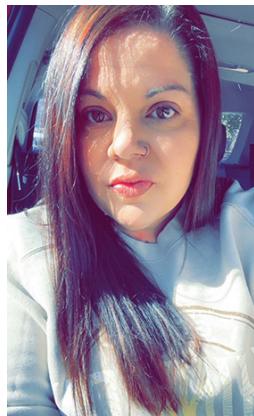
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- 16th - Father's Day
- 19th - Juneteenth
- 20th - Summer Begins

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by BUD BLAKE

HOLD IT, TIGER!

THERE'S A LOTTA JUNK IN OURWAY, HOW 'BOUT CLEARING IT?

ALL CLEAR, HUGO!

The Spats by Jeff Pickering

WHAT DOES JEFF BEZOS DO EVERY NIGHT BEFORE BED?

HE PUTS HIS PAJAMAZON.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Arm is not showing. 2. Dog's tongue is moved. 3. Leg is moved. 4. Ear is moved. 5. Tree limb is shorter. 6. Sweater is shorter.

King Crossword

ACROSS

- Haunting
- Seizes
- Cancels
- More apt to seep
- April 1 gags
- Consult
- Scrooge portrayed Alastair
- Feudal workers
- Oahu, for one (Abbr.)
- Nobel Prize subj.
- San Francisco's - Hill
- Sufficient, informally
- Philosopher Kierkegaard
- Droning reed
- Tease
- USO patrons
- Flood protection
- "Cabaret" director Bob
- Tactic
- Pantheon member
- Future doc's exam
- Gore and Green
- Bamboozles
- Med. plan option

DOWN

- Physicist Fermi
- Captivate
- Skedaddle
- Sorts
- Ruhr Valley city
- "- shabby!"
- Course load?
- Aussie hoppers
- Dye type
- Two-piece suit
- Establishes
- Basilica areas
- Husband of Pocahontas
- Novelist Enid
- Bridges
- Doles out
- Cosa -
- Sticky stuff
- Blueprint, e.g. islander
- Short jackets
- Resided
- Only
- Hardly hip
- salts
- Pen tip
- Computer image, briefly

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

- TELEVISION: What subject does Walter White teach at the beginning of "Breaking Bad"?
- GEOGRAPHY: Which three countries make up the Baltic states in Europe?
- MUSIC: What is the title of The Beatles' first album?
- LITERATURE: Prince Edward Island is the inspiration for which novel series?
- HISTORY: Which Roman emperor built a wall across northern England to deter invaders?
- MOVIES: Which movie first featured the character Lisbeth Salander?
- ASTRONOMY: The asteroid belt lies between which two planets in our solar system?
- U.S. STATES: Which state's coast was dubbed the "Graveyard of the Atlantic" because so many ships wrecked there?
- FOOD & DRINK: What does the term "a la carte" mean?
- SCIENCE: What is the process called when a gas changes into a liquid?

1. Chemistry; 2. Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania; 3. "Please Please Me"; 4. "Ame of Green Gables"; 5. Hadrian; 6. "The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo"; 7. Jupiter and Mars; 8. North Carolina; 9. According to the menu; 10. Condensation.

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Answers
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Piedmont Pets
June 6, 2024 By Paulette Dean

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Years before, I had read a story in the James Herriot series (I think) about a Golden Retriever who had spent years living in isolated darkness in a shed. She was skinny and scared when she was finally rescued. There were no pictures of her, but I know exactly what expression she had on her face. I have now seen it thousands and thousands of times.

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This Hunzinger chair, which sold for \$406 at Conestoga Auction Company, is marked with its patent date of March 30, 1869. It is made of beech wood carved to resemble bamboo. Hunzinger was inspired by machinery for the look of his furniture as well as construction methods. Like many of his designs, this chair looks like it could be made from pipes. X-frames are another characteristic Hunzinger element; some of his chairs could fold, and some just looked like it.

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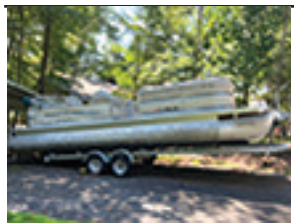
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Answers

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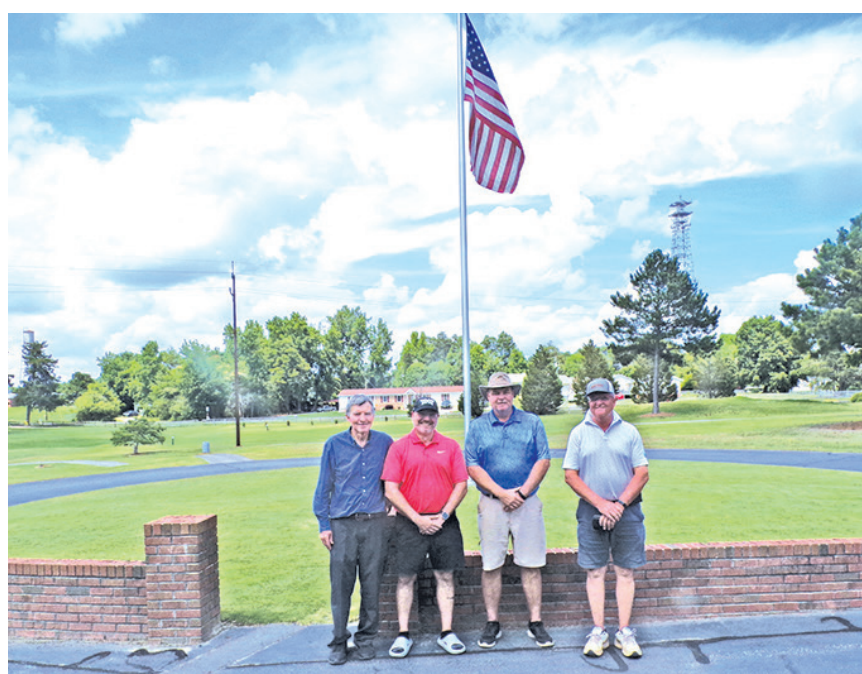
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- Which song by The Byrds had trouble getting airplay?
- Where did Jesse Colin Young get his name?
- Name the song that contains this lyric: "Sometimes it's better to let it all go, I've been there and I think I should know."

Answers

- Bob Seger. In 1974 he put together the Silver Bullet Band. He was inducted into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame in 2004.
- Fats Domino, in 1955. The song is included in Rolling Stone's 500 Greatest Songs of All Time.
- "Eight Miles High," in 1966. Radio stations were concerned the song was about drug use, but the group claimed it was about their plane trip to England.
- Born Perry Miller, he decided on the new stage name by blending the names of the Lotus car designer, Colin Chapman, and two outlaws, Jesse James and Cole Younger.
- "Better Love Next Time," by Dr. Hook in 1979 on their "Sometimes You Win" album. While the song made a commendable appearance on the Hot 100 chart, it rose to No. 3 on the Adult chart.

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- Live Music by Mama BriBri & The Stranger @ Old 97 Tavern

Friday, 7th

- OldSkool @ Cascade Community Center
- Pottery Wheel Try-It Sessions @ Impotters Clayworx
- 2 Young 2 Old @ Ballou Recreation Center
- Danville Dairy Daddies @ American Legion Field
- First Friday: Schoolfield Sockhop @ 917 West Main Street
- Live Music by Kyle Foster Moore @ The Golden Leaf Bistro
- DJ Steve Edmunds @ River District Social
- Wicked Karaoke @ 2 Witches Winery & Brewing Co.
- Live Music by Ted Dalton @ Mountain Valley Brewing

Saturday, 8th

- Farmers' Market @ Danville Community Market
- Virginia Grown Farmer's Market @ Olde Dominion Agricultural Complex
- Wine Tasting @ Vintages by the Dan
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- Live Music by Cory Luetjen @ The Golden Leaf Bistro
- Live Music by Virginia Sweet @ 2 Witches Winery & Brewing Co.
- Live Music by The League of Ordinary Gentlemen @ Old 97 Tavern
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Ten students participated in the Davis Music Service annual recital on May 31st. Students included (Back row left to right) Logan Weadon, Lilly Thomas, Jake Turner, Will Ricketts (Front Row) Jenson McKinney, Grace Clark, Olivia Ricketts, Brooklyn Beach, Case Dalton, Carson Dalton, and instructor Donnie Davis.



In addition to the performances, Jenson McKinney, Olivia Ricketts, and Carson Dalton were recognized for their Superior ratings at the 2024 National Piano Guild Auditions held in Greensboro in May.

The Community Foundation of the Dan River Region names Executive Director

The Community Foundation of the Dan River Region is pleased to announce the hiring of Dan Hayes as its new Executive Director, effective July 1st. With Dan's extensive experience in the non-profit sector and proven track record of successful leadership in our community, The Foundation is excited to welcome him to the team.

Dan brings a wealth of experience to the role, having previously served locally in roles with Averett University and the Blue Ridge Mountains Council BSA. He held volunteer roles with Rotary, The Arc, Scouting, and his church. Dan has a passion for helping communities thrive through philanthropy and is committed to making a positive impact in the Dan River Region.

As Executive Director, Dan will lead The Foundation's efforts to support local non-profit organizations and improve the quality of life for residents in the area. This includes The Foundation's grantmaking programs, cultivating relationships with donors and community partners, and overseeing the day-to-day operations of the organization. "We are thrilled to have someone of Dan's caliber join our team," said Foundation Board President Scott Barnes. "His experience, leadership, and passion for our mission make him the ideal candidate to lead The Community Foundation of the Dan River Region into the future."



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Tony Setliff

June 3, 1965 ~ May 28, 2024 (age 58)

Tony Setliff, age 58, of Danville, Virginia, passed away on Tuesday, May 28, 2024 at Sovah Health.

Mr. Setliff was born on June 3, 1965 in Danville, Virginia to the late Virginia Williamson Setliff and Jesse L. Setliff

Mr. Setliff spent most of his life in Danville where he worked at Walmart at a stocker.

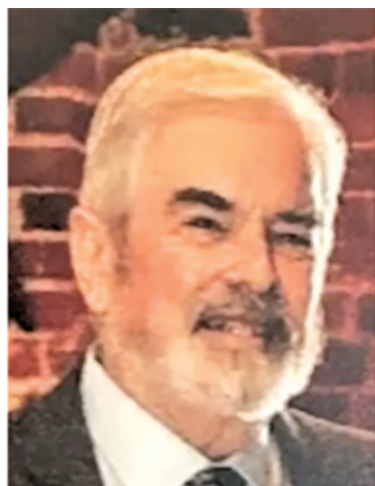
Mr. Setliff is survived by his brother, Michael Setliff (Elsie); nephews, William Falls and Jeffrey Setliff; niece, Lisa Wrenn; sister-in-law, Kathy Setliff; special friend Janice, along with his Walmart associates.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brothers, Jesse Setliff Jr. and Jeffrey Setliff Sr.

Swicegood Funeral Service is respectfully serving the Setliff family.

Thomas "Tommy" Douglas Bryant

June 29, 1945 - May 28, 2024



Thomas "Tommy" Douglas Bryant, 78, passed away peacefully on May 28, 2024. Tommy was born on June 29, 1945 in Danville, VA to the late Louise Neal Bryant and the late Landon Ambrose Bryant Sr. He is survived by his loving wife of

56 years, Mrs. Judy Snead Bryant.

Tommy was of the Christian faith and was a member of Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church, but in later years attended Chestnut Level Baptist Church. He was a loving family man, that cared very deeply for his family. He worked for many years at Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company previous to his retirement. He also proudly served his country in the U.S. Army. Tommy had a special love for classic cars and was an active member in the Virginia-Carolina Classic Chevy Club for many years.

In addition to his wife, Tommy is survived by two daughters; Angela Blackburn and husband Victor of Summerfield, NC, and Stephanie Lynn Bryant of the residence; two grandchildren; Kristina B. Perkins and husband Robbie, and William D. Blackburn; and also many numerous close friends and family.

In addition to his parents, Tommy was predeceased by two brothers; Landon A. Bryant and Wallace Dean Bryant.

A Celebration of Life Service was held on Friday, May 31, 2024 at 1:00pm at Chestnut Level Baptist Church, 6940 Spring Garden Road, Blairs, VA 24527 with Pastor Zach Hyler officiating. A visitation was held prior to the service on the same day from 11:00am to 1:00pm also at Chestnut Level Baptist Church. The family respectfully requests that anyone wishing to come visit them please do so by attending the visitation at the church prior to the service.

Norris Funeral Services, Inc. & Crematory, Mt. Hermon Chapel, Danville, VA is respectfully serving the Bryant family. Online condolences may be made at www.norrisfuneral.com

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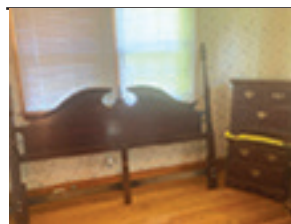
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Patricia Ann Wilford Holbrook



Patricia Ann Wilford Holbrook, 70, of Pelham, NC, passed away on Tuesday, May 28, 2024 at her home surrounded by her family.

Born on September 18, 1953, she was the only daughter of the late Everett Sam Wilford and Minnie Alice

Vaughan Wilford.

On June 6, 1971, she married the love of her life, James Oliver Holbrook, who survives.

Ann was employed by the hospital and later with home health care as a CNA 3. She was a member of Gatewood Baptist Church. She enjoyed the outdoors and raising animals. However, her greatest enjoyment came later in life when she became a grandmother and great-grandmother.

In addition to her husband, Ann is survived by her son, James Oliver Holbrook, Jr.; grandchildren, Joshua Wayne Holbrook (Britney), Matthew James Holbrook (Danielle) and Dwayne Lee Hatcher (Dixie); great-grandchildren: Joshlynn Jade Talbott, Ember Izabella Holbrook, Madison Grace Hatcher, and Ryder James Holbrook; several step grandchildren and great grandchildren; brother, Charlie Roark; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a son, Timothy Ray Holbrook; brother, William "Billy" Roark; and half-brothers, Danny Ray Solomon, Edward Solomon.

The funeral service was held on Saturday, June 1, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. at the Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel with Pastor David Lee Hatcher officiating. The family received friends prior to the service from 10:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Interment followed in the Holbrook Family Cemetery in Milton, NC.

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by Matilda Charles

Surviving summer heat

While winter cold can cause health problems for seniors, the summer heat can be just as dangerous.

Heat that's too high can lead to heat exhaustion. Nausea, feeling weak or dizzy, being thirsty, having rapid pulse -- those are all signs that we're too hot. Then there is heat rash, heat edema (swollen ankles and feet), heat cramps, heat stroke ... all with their own list of serious medical results.

The risks can come not only from the temperature, but from some of the prescription drugs we take, drinking alcohol and caffeine, living without air conditioning and having certain medical conditions.

The National Institutes for Health has a list of suggestions for dealing with summer heat:

Consult with your doctor about how many ounces of water you need to drink on a daily basis. Ask if it needs to be only water, or if juices count in your daily intake of liquid.

Keep the drapes closed to block the sun.

Go somewhere else during the heat of the day, ideally a cool place with air conditioning. Think about the library, a movie theater or the mall during the heat of the afternoon until the sun goes down.

Ask the rec center, senior center, town government or health department if they have cooling centers.

Wear lightweight cotton clothes instead of synthetics. It's not just the heat, humidity adds to the temperature as well. Seniors don't produce as much sweat as we used to, so there's little natural cooling as breezes blow over us.

Keep an eye on the news for advance notice about heat waves in your area. Plan ahead for where you might go to cool off and for meals that don't heat up the kitchen.

And remember: If you do have air conditioning, use it! A heatwave is not the time to worry about the electric bill!

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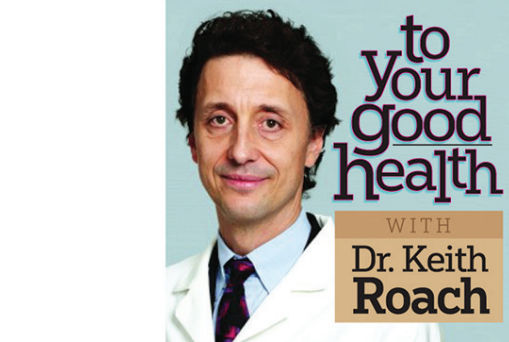
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Narrowing Down the Main Cause Behind Insulin Resistance

DEAR DR. ROACH: What is the main cause for insulin resistance? I was diagnosed with Type 2 diabetes about five years ago. I've maintained a consistent weight under 200 pounds, and I'm only 5 feet, 9 inches tall. I was able to get my A1C level down to 7.2% last summer, but in late fall, my numbers started spiking, even with insulin. I now find myself injecting crazy amounts of insulin just to maintain normal glucose levels.

I'm on a diet of 40 grams of carbohydrates a day. I walk close to 20,000 steps a day. But on a regular day, I inject 30-40 units of mealtime insulin before eating a low-carb, high-protein meal. Still, my level spikes above 250 mg/dL, and it stays there for a few hours. -- A.R.N.

ANSWER: Insulin is a signal that there is plenty of sugar in the body, and the body uses insulin to take sugar out of the blood into cells. Normally, just a little insulin will make blood sugar levels go down a lot. When it takes a lot of insulin to lower blood sugar levels, we say that there is insulin resistance. A great deal of work has been done in trying to elicit why people develop resistance to insulin.

There are some rare congenital cases involving mutations of the insulin receptor. There are rarely acquired immune-mediated causes that have antibodies to insulin or the insulin receptor. These antibodies have an extremely high resistance to insulin.

However, most cases of insulin resistance are associated with obesity. Your BMI is 29.5, suggesting that you're overweight but not obese. In this case, abdominal fat is more metabolically important, since it can lead to free fatty acids and compounds called adipocytokines, which may contribute to insulin resistance.

People with abdominal obesity and insulin resistance often have abnormal cholesterol levels and high blood pressures, a combination called "metabolic syndrome." Blood pressure and cholesterol must often be treated separately.

Insulin works to lower blood sugar, but there are four main hormones that oppose insulin and raise blood sugar: cortisol, catecholamines, glucagon and growth hormone. Elevated levels of any of these hormones will cause insulin resistance. I know this isn't your case, but the pregnancy hormone human placental lactogen causes insulin resistance and is the proximate cause for gestational diabetes.

Some medicines (steroids, birth control pills, and HIV medicines) can cause insulin resistance. Critically, glucose itself can cause insulin resistance! High blood sugar levels prevent insulin release as well. This is why getting and keeping a normal blood sugar level is so critically important, especially when a person is first diagnosed.

Management of a person with high amounts of insulin resistance can be challenging. You are already doing amazingly well with exercise, and it sounds as though your diet is of the type that is commonly recommended. Medications that reduce insulin levels -- such as metformin, GLP-1 agonists and thiazolidinediones -- are often recommended to reduce the amount of insulin used.

Your situation is not common, and you should absolutely be in the hands of an endocrinologist who specializes in diabetes.

Dr. Roach regrets that he is unable to answer individual questions, but will incorporate them in the column whenever possible. Readers may email questions to ToYourGoodHealth@med.cornell.edu.

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celebrity extra
by Dana Jackson

Q. Now that "NCIS: Hawaii" has been canceled, are there going to be any other "NCIS" shows in the works? — K.S.

A. Yes! "NCIS" has been a very successful franchise for CBS ever since it premiered on the network back in 2003. Starring Mark Harmon, the series has spawned four spin-offs ("Los Angeles," "New Orleans," "Hawaii" and "Sydney") with two more planned.

"NCIS: Origins" will focus on Harmon's character at the beginning of his career in the 1990s, with Austin Stowell ("Three Women") stepping into his shoes. The series will air on CBS on Monday nights beginning this fall, and Harmon is listed as the narrator.

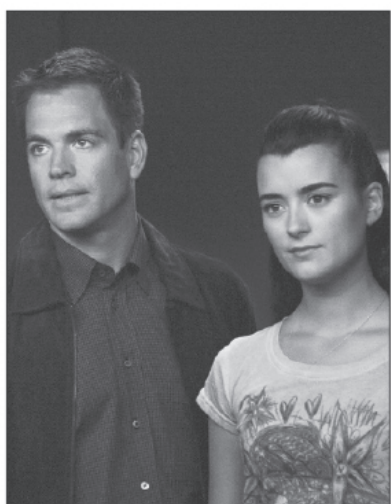
The other new spin-off, "NCIS: Tony & Ziva," will air on the streamer Paramount+ and will star fan-favorites Michael Weatherly and Cote de Pablo, who reprise their "NCIS" roles. You may remember that de Pablo's Ziva was presumed dead when the actress left "NCIS," but later, it was learned that she was alive and went on to live happily ever after with Tony and their baby in France. The new series picks up with the family on the run in Europe.

"I expect intrigue, romance, the background of Europe, impossible situations that will make our life complicated, but somehow a little something about love," explained de Pablo on a recent announcement via Zoom. Paramount+ has ordered 10 episodes, with shooting to begin shortly in Budapest.

Q. Is it true that Susan Lucci is going to be the "Golden Bachelorette"? Will the show air soon? — J.K.

A. ABC decided to give audiences what they've been requesting for decades — a "Bachelor" for Boomers. Gerry Turner, a 72-year-old retired restaurateur and widower, became "The Golden Bachelor," marrying, and alas divorcing, Theresa Nist, a financial securities specialist from Manhattan.

Despite the disappointing conclusion to that romance, the season itself was a hit with many questioning who would be the first Golden Bachelorette. There was a recent report that "All My Children" star Susan Lucci was asked to be the chooser, but a spokesperson from



Gail Schulman & Amanda Beane
Michael Weatherly and Cote de Pablo to star in "Tony & Ziva"

ABC has denied it.

According to TVLine, they eventually found their "The Golden Bachelorette" star in 61-year-old Joan Vassos, a school administrator who had to leave the "Golden Bachelor" season early to be by her daughter's side for a medical crisis. She'll make her debut this fall when "The Golden Bachelorette" premieres, with episodes being expanded to 90 minutes long.

Q. Is the PBS series "Antiques Roadshow" still making new episodes? I see reruns all the time where they give updates on what an item would be appraised at in 2024, but they're still reruns. — V.O.

A. Yes, "Antiques Roadshow" is currently filming its upcoming 29th season with a five-city tour. The new season will premiere sometime in 2025, with episodes filmed from their stops this summer in Las Vegas; Baltimore; Bentonville, Arkansas; Urbandale, Iowa; and Littleton, Colorado.

For more information about the show and future tours, visit PBS.org/wgbh/roadshow.

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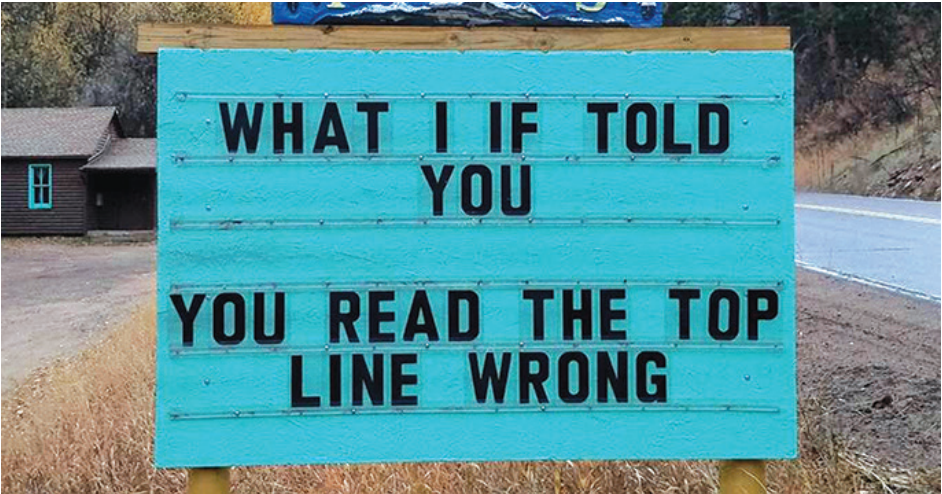
It takes a lot of nerve to cook up a scheme to steal large amounts of money from government agencies such as the VA, especially since in the end the criminals get caught.

One thief tried to convince the VA that he couldn't use his feet anymore. The scam got him a 100% disability rating (as well as the monthly benefits that went along with it), plus a specially adapted car. He was ratted out by several witnesses who saw him drive to a VA medical center, get out and walk around and sit in a wheelchair before rolling into the center. He was also seen by several others (who had known him a long time) walking around in a mall. Not only did he get sent to prison, but he has to pay back a large amount of money.

And what about the eye doctor who took kickbacks for ordering unnecessary brain scans? His partner in crime was a medical diagnostics company. Not only did they generate fake diagnoses, but they pulled this on hundreds of patients and then sent out the bills. The money he stole ran into the millions, although he only made \$100 or so for each fake diagnosis and brain scan he ordered. What would make a doctor, who'd been in practice for 40 years, think he could get away with a scheme like this? He'll have plenty of time to think about that in prison.

The bigger the scam and the more moving parts, the more likely the criminals are to be caught. Such was the case with a guy who had his fingers in several types of health care fraud: offering and paying kickbacks to doctors who wrote fake test orders, compounded medicines and genetic cancer screenings (costing \$10,000 each). The players included not only the doctors but pharmacies, labs and durable medical equipment companies. The perp's share of the \$51 million cash haul for all these schemes was \$10 million. He won't get to spend that in prison.

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* More than 70 species of mushrooms glow in the dark.

* A 67-year-old woman named Dorothy Fletcher had a heart attack on a plane. When the stewardess asked if a doctor was on board, luck was on Dorothy’s side: Fifteen people on their way to a cardiology conference stood up! Dorothy survived.

* A killer fog that swathed London in 1952 and left as many as 12,000 people dead led to Parliament’s passing the first Clean Air Act in 1956.

* “Percussive maintenance” is the technical term for hitting something until it works.

* Richard Anthony Jones spent 17 years in jail on a robbery charge until talk by some of his fellow inmates revealed he had a doppelganger with the same first name in the same jail. This second Jones was actually the guilty party.

* Before his acting career took off, Harrison Ford worked as a roadie for The Doors. That gig proved so intense that he humorously claimed he was “one step away from joining a Jesuit monastery” after it ended.

* Black cats are considered to bring good luck in Japan.

* While doing research for the film “Castaway,” William Broyles Jr. isolated himself on a beach for a week to immerse himself in the survival experience, which lent authenticity to the screenplay.

Thought for the Day: “By seeing each day and each situation as a kind of training exercise, the stakes suddenly become a lot lower. The way you interpret your own mistakes and the mistakes of others is suddenly a lot more generous.” -- Ryan Holiday

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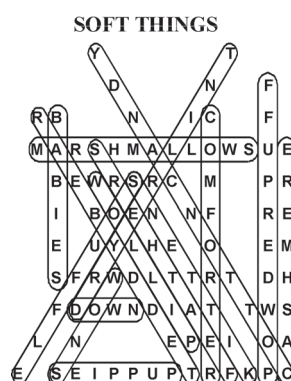
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* “Remove tea stains from your teapot with a few drops of bleach added to a pot of hot water. Let sit for five or so minutes, then swish with a brush. Most tea stains will come right out. Be sure to rinse well.” -- A.A. in Florida

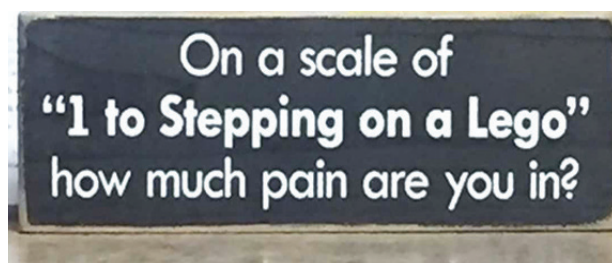
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- ¼ cup (29 g) powdered sugar
- ¼ cup (53 g) packed light brown sugar
- ½ teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 tablespoons milk
- 12 mini peanut butter cups, chopped
- ¼ cup (43 g) mini chocolate chips
- Graham crackers and pretzels for serving

INSTRUCTIONS

In a medium bowl using an electric mixer (either handheld or a stand mixer) whip the cream cheese, peanut butter, powdered sugar and brown sugar together until light and fluffy, 3-4 minutes.

Mix in the vanilla and milk until the mixture is smooth.

Fold in the peanut butter cups and mini chocolate chips. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

Serve with graham crackers, pretzels or anything else your heart desires!