

King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Beige

5 Owns

8 Excellent, in slang

12 "You've got _"

13 Individual

14 Wealth source

15 "— She Lovely"

16 Periodical, for short

17 Congrega-tion's cry

18 Govern-ment in power

20 Stress

22 Wrestling surface

23 Towel designation

24 Vocal come-back

27 Snake-related

32 To and —

33 Personal question?

34 Ernesto Guevara

35 Middle-ear membrane

38 Old card game

39 Shade source

40 Ram's mate

42 Of Hebrew descent

45 Lighthouse light

49 Shaving cream

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

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49 50 51 52

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additive

Tokyo's old name

Tardy

Catherine, Henry VIII's sixth wife

Moreover

Grand story

BPOE members

Deposit

Dilbert's workplace

grew up

Literary collection

Genesis name

Tranquil

Nostalgic, in a way

Port of Yemen

Camper's shelter

Mother

Actor McBride

Salamander

Weep

Student's assignment

Dien Bien — (Vietnam city)

One disinclined

to do the town

"Eureka!"

Trawler need

Needlenose tool

Mornings (Abbr.)

Unopened

You and I

Scoff

Israeli airline

Get better

Garb for Superman

Elevator name

Choker location

"CSI" evidence companion

DOWN

1 Eastern

2 24 bottles

3 Peal

4 In the preceding month

5 Where you

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Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



MAGIC MAZE • ASSOCIATED WITH ROPE

D L I G D B Y W T R P M K T S

I F D B R Y W U S G N I W O T

Q O M K A E I F D B Z I X S O

W U C A P S T A N S S Q O R N

N L N J P H F S D T C A Y E K

W V T O E M Y D E D I A R B S

T A C K L E E D Q Y H C N I W

P N L K L Y I H H F L E C F B

Z Y W L I V N G N I R O O M U

S R U G N I P M U J Q P P N M

L P J I G N I B M I L C H F E

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Braided Capstan Climbing Fibers

Hemp Jumping Knots Mooring

Nylon Polyester Pulleys Rappelling

Towing Twisted Winch

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Letter Box

by Linda Thistle

Place a letter 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 letters listed above the diagram. When completed, the row indicated will spell out a word or words.

A G I L N O R T W

N R L T

A T N

W N R A

I W G

W O R I

T G N

T N I A L

G L O R

→

FEAR KNIGHT

By: rj johnson

CONQUER THE WHIRLED

RUO

EMTRAJ

TYLSU

LIMF

FIYLER

JGI

♥TORI

DOJFR

♥ELI

♥TRANGE

♥RATLE

UAGE

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

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Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

RIDDLE SEARCH — MORNING MEAL

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 comedians like to eat for breakfast?**

BACON

BAGEL

BISCUIT

BUTTER

CEREAL

EGGS

FRUIT

HAM

HOT COCOA

JAM

JUICE

MILK

OMELET

PANCAKES

ROLL

SMOOTHIES

TOAST

WAFFLES

T S M O O T H I E S

C E R E A L H M A H

E K A S E L F F A W

B A C O N Y L R I J

I C S K C E M U U S

S N H G T O B I R E

C A D S G A C T L D

U P A E G E D T L K

I O R E T T U B O W

T E L E M O I T R H

Riddle answer: _____

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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.

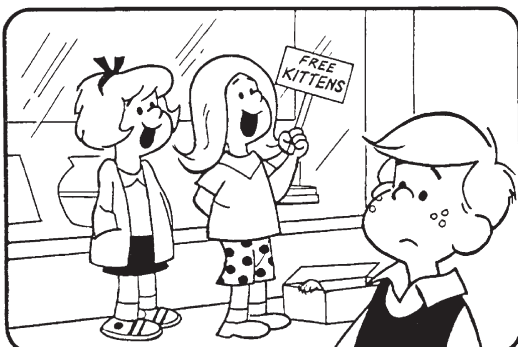
DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How quickly can you find them? Check answers with those below.

Differences: 1. Bow is different. 2. Hand is concealed. 3. Beads are missing. 4. Sign is smaller. 5. Tail is replaced by paw. 6. Glasses are missing.

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Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

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

1. Ordinary

2. Financial investor

3. Bryce or Grand

4. Runway participant

5. Eatery

6. Pasta segment

7. Radio or newspaper

8. Latin-American dance

9. Indemnify

10. Postage sticker

— — — — N

— A — — —

— — — — Y

— — — — L

— — — — N

N — — — —

— — — — A

T — — — —

— — S — —

— T — — —

Checked pattern

Foxhole

Large field gun

Data processing unit

Pearl retriever

Curly-haired canine

Military doctor

Oblong fruit

Harm

Lady and Tramp's son

— — — — D

— — U — —

— — — — N

— — — — M

— — — — V

P — — — —

— — — — C

M — — — —

— — — — J

— — — — C

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) With new facts to work with, you should feel more confident in moving ahead. But continue to do so at an unhurried pace so you can spot details you might otherwise miss.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Taking on that new workplace project could be one of your smarter career moves. Expect a surprising show of support from someone who had always been a critic.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might feel you're too busy to undertake a new responsibility. But check it out before making any decisions. What you learn could persuade you to change your mind.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You feel quite content enjoying all the comforts of home right now. But the urge to travel grows stronger, and by week's end, you could begin packing your bags.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A hectic period begins to ease up, but that doesn't mean the Fine Feline can do much cat-napping these days. You need to finish those old tasks and prepare for new ones.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Expect to get some good news about your financial situation by week's end. But it could still be too early to rush out with a long shopping list of things to buy.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your management skills make an impression on some workplace VIPs who might be looking for someone like you to take on an upcoming project. Good luck.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Meeting a former adversary might be unsettling at first. But time has softened hard feelings, and you could be on the brink of starting a new relationship.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A troubling situation close to home might cause you to change your travel plans. But getting all the facts before you act might cause you to reconsider.

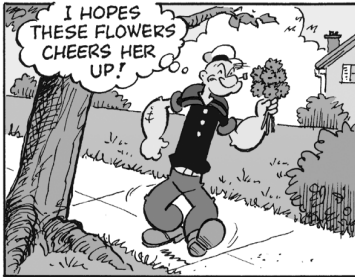
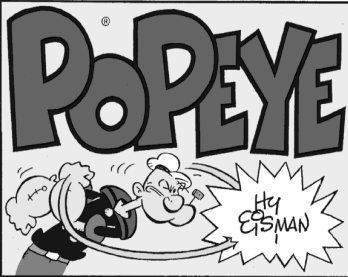
CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You might be quite alone right now in deciding to support a major workplace shift. But others will join you as new information supports your bold move.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A former co-worker returns with news that could persuade you to reassess recently made plans. Be sure to consult with a trusted colleague before you act.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your motives behind a recent decision could be called into question by a rival. But once you present the facts, all doubts will be resolved. Enjoy an arts-rich weekend.

BORN THIS WEEK: While you love being the center of attention, your generous heart allows you to share the attention with others.

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The Spats

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