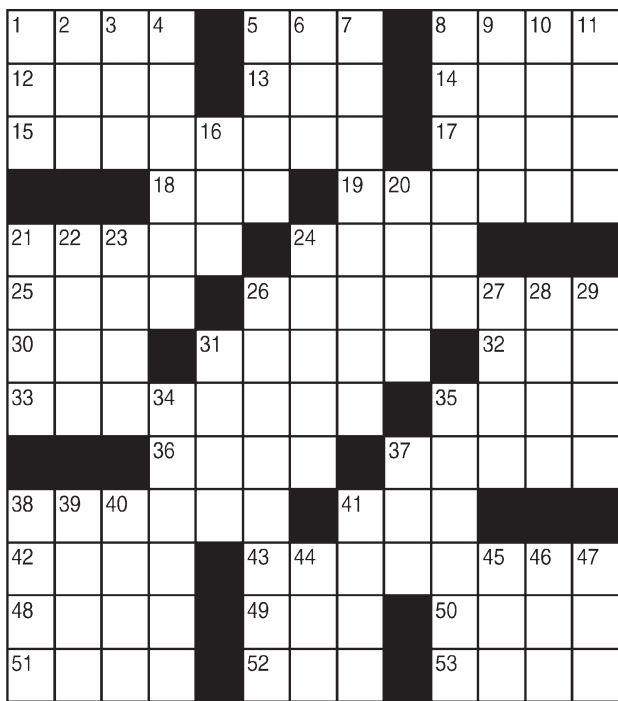


King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Moby-Dick's pursuer
- 5 Strange
- 8 Slight coloration
- 12 Disturb
- 13 Hawaiian neckwear
- 14 Reed instrument
- 15 Tunes
- 17 Diamond source
- 18 Court
- 19 Spring, for one
- 21 Unspoken "I dunno"
- 24 Leave suddenly
- 25 Henhouse
- 26 Became less harsh
- 30 Everything
- 31 Bisect
- 32 Commotion
- 33 Creator of 1-Across
- 35 "Phooey!"
- 36 Shoppe describer
- 37 Greedy one's cry
- 38 Wheedle
- 41 "A mouse!"
- 42 Enthusiastic
- 43 Rapid decline
- 48 Equestrian game



- 49 Type squares
- 50 Concept
- 51 Aware of
- 52 Regret
- 53 Retain
- 10 Taboo, to a child
- 11 Adolescent
- 16 Pooch
- 20 Model
- 21 Con game
- 22 Golf target
- 23 Hot dog holder
- 24 Southern lass
- 26 Seasickness
- 27 Friendly
- 28 Dutch cheese
- 29 Be too fond
- 31 Jack and Jill's terrain
- 34 Type of doll
- 35 Long-snouted antelope
- 37 Obtain
- 38 Crime boss
- 39 Shakespear's river
- 40 Leave at the altar
- 41 Different
- 44 Ostrich's cousin
- 45 Rhyming praise
- 46 Teensy
- 47 Siesta

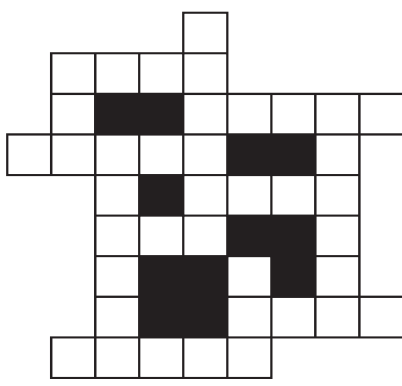
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FEAR KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ... OR DARE!

- YDA
- SPREEO
- BIAIL
- DESE
- GULCED
- SAS
- ♥OPOL
- RYFIA
- ♥ISP
- FYTDLE
- ♥CATSO
- OLEA



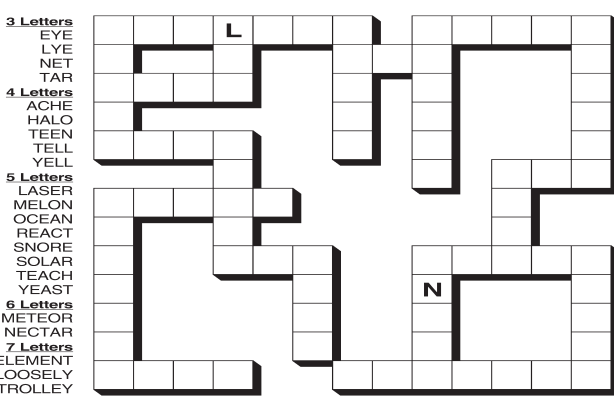
Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down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

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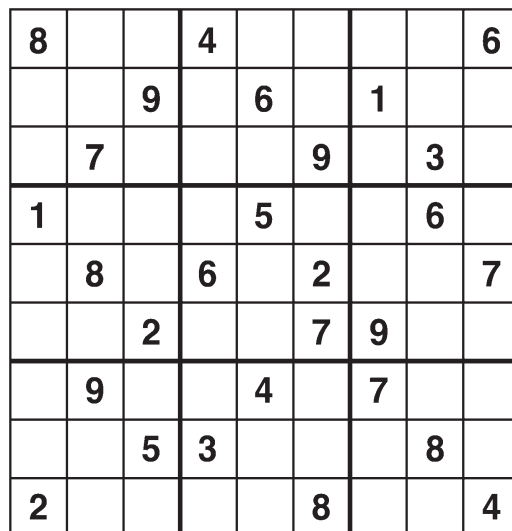
CRISSCROSS - ELEMENTARY SCHOOL*
Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.



*All words are formed from the letters in ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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.

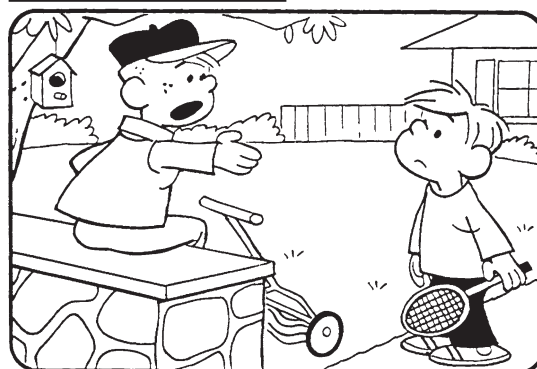
DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

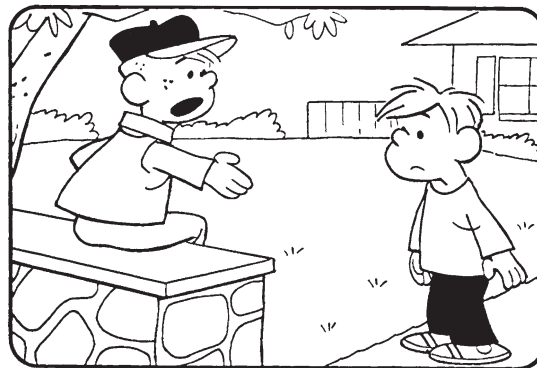
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

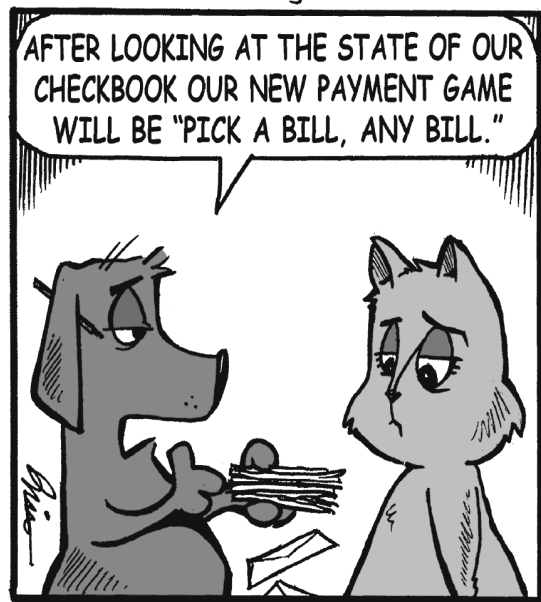


Differences: 1. Birdhouse is missing; 2. Arm is raised; 3. Lawn mower is missing; 4. Fence is shorter; 5. Head is tilted; 6. Tennis racket is missing.

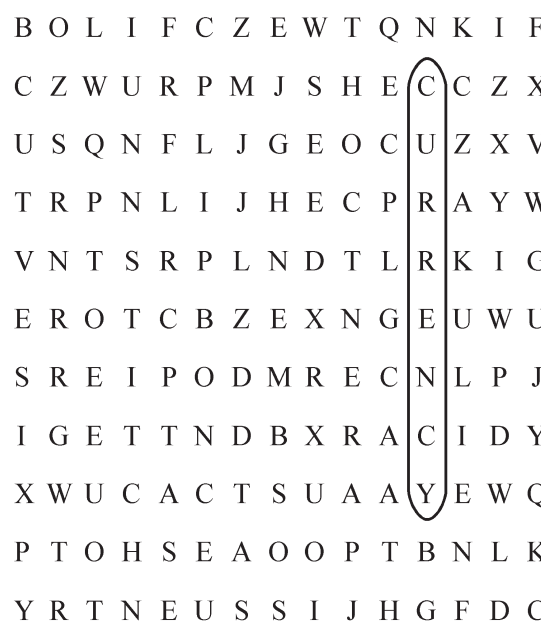
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

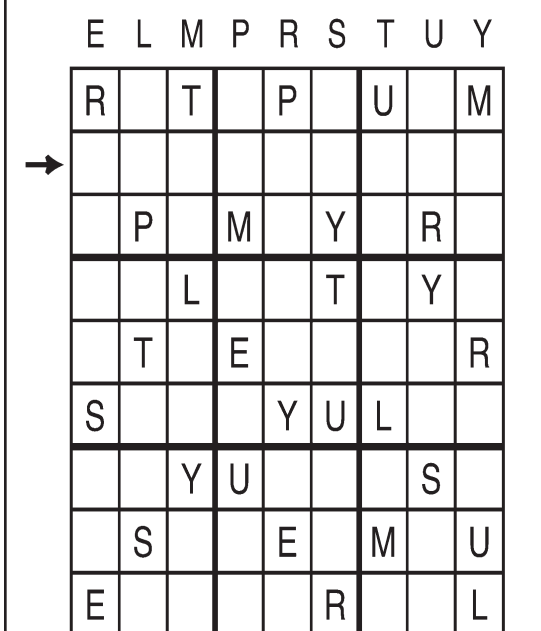
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|----------|--------|---------|--------|
| Action | Entry | Purpose | Stitch |
| Barrel | Handed | Seater | Tax |
| Bed | Issue | Shot | Wing |
| Currency | Parent | Source | |

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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.



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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.

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|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|
| 1. Fisherman's kit | ___ A ___ | Amuse | ___ I ___ |
| 2. Edit | ___ ___ S | Revitalize | ___ ___ V |
| 3. British biscuit | ___ O ___ | Play segment | ___ E ___ |
| 4. Loose coins | ___ ___ N | Use a credit card | ___ ___ R |
| 5. Put a match to | ___ R ___ | Caress | ___ U ___ |
| 6. Inhospitable | H ___ | Swamp | M ___ |
| 7. Buy stocks & bonds | ___ ___ S | Turn upside down | ___ ___ R |
| 8. Dwelling | ___ L ___ | Armistice | ___ E ___ |
| 9. Pantry | ___ R ___ | Firefighter's steps | ___ D ___ |
| 10. Fully fledged | ___ ___ W | Grumble and moan | ___ ___ A |

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) This week could offer more opportunities for ambitious Lams eager to get ahead. But don't rush into making decisions until you've checked for possible hidden problems.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Some light persons to shine on professional and/or personal situations that have long eluded explanation. Best advice: Don't rush things. All will be made clear in time.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Although you might want to protest what seems to be an unfair situation, it's best to keep your tongue and temper in check for now. The full story hasn't yet come out.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Work prospects are back on track. But watch what you say. A thoughtless comment to the wrong person -- even if it's said in jest -- could delay or even derail your progress.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A colleague might try to goad you into saying or doing the wrong thing. It's best to ignore the troublemaker, even if he or she riles your royal self. Your supporters stand with you.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Be careful not to let your on-the-job zealotry create resentment with co-workers who might feel you shut them out. Prove them wrong by including them in your project.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Although it's not quite what you hoped for, use your good business sense to make the most of what you're being offered at this time. Things will improve down the line.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A more positive picture of what lies ahead is beginning to take shape. But there are still too many gaps that need to be filled in before you make definitive plans.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Continue to keep a tight hold on the reins so that you don't charge willy-nilly into a situation that might appear attractive on the surface but lack substance.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You still need to demand those answers to your questions. Remember, your wise counseling earns you respect, but it's your search for truth that gives you wisdom.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You'll find that people are happy to help you deal with some difficult situations. And, of course, knowing you, you'll be happy to return those favors anytime. Won't you?

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Give that special someone in your personal life a large, loving dollop of reassurance. That will go a long way toward restoring the well-being of your ailing relationship.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are a delightful paradox. You like things neat and tidy. But you're also a wonderful host who can throw a really great party.

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