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Brain Zone!

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. Suture | ___ T ___ | Exchange places | ___ W ___ |
| 2. Infant | ___ ___ D | Put on ice | ___ ___ L |
| 3. Warlock's brew | P ___ | Whim | N ___ |
| 4. Sweeper | ___ ___ M | Babbling stream | ___ ___ K |
| 5. Alice's mad friend | ___ T ___ | Horse strap | ___ L ___ |
| 6. Chicken coop sound | ___ L ___ | Actor Norris | ___ H ___ |
| 7. Snow particle | ___ K ___ | Flicker | ___ R ___ |
| 8. Prison curator | ___ D ___ | Actor Beatty | ___ R ___ |
| 9. Poke your nose in | ___ N ___ | One-masted sailboat | ___ L ___ |
| 10. Church singers | ___ O ___ | Rocker or recliner | ___ A ___ |

Micro Crossword By Elizabeth C. Gorski

Across

- Suffix with "moon" or "sea"
- "The future depends on what you do ___" (Mahatma Gandhi)
- "Anti-Memoirs" author Malraux
- Soup veggies
- Vega's constellation

Down

- Play for time
- ___ Island hot dogs
- Venomous viper
- Arctic garment
- Spuds' buds

1	2	3	4	5
6				
7				
8				
9				

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FLASHBACK
POP, ROCK & SOUL
TRIVIA BY MICK HARPER

- Name the group that wrote and released "Who'll Stop the Rain."
- Name the three musicians who died in the 1959 plane crash that Don McLean wrote about in "American Pie."
- Which artist wrote and released "Kodachrome"?
- Name the duo that released "Let It Be Me."
- Name the song that contains this lyric: "Got to say a few things that have been on my mind, And you know where my mind has been."

Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- U.S. STATES: Which state has the most national parks?
- ANATOMY: Which blood type is considered to be a universal donor?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Which three signs of the Zodiac are considered to be Earth signs?
- ROYALS: What was Queen Elizabeth's favorite dog breed?
- GEOGRAPHY: Which continent has a mountain range called The Great Rift Valley?
- MONEY: What is the basic currency of Russia?
- TELEVISION: Which long-running TV sitcom features a dog named Comet?
- MUSIC: How many strings does a standard violin have?
- GAMES: How many title deeds does the Monopoly game have?
- SCIENCE: What is the main cause of ocean tides?

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

Force
SUDERS [] []

Grasp
RENAL [] []

Increase
AIRES [] []

Slew
ADMIYR [] [] []

TODAY'S WORD [] [] [] [] [] [] [] []

"It's not the doctor bills that worry me, it's the thought of having three _____ daughters."

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CITY OF FLORENCE



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James Martin: Visionary In Textiles

Robert Perry, who served as the minister of a church in Florence for a number of years, had been a professor of history at the University of Alabama and recognized as an authority on the history of the cotton industry in the state and region. In an article which he wrote for the *Times-Daily* on December 16, 1990, he states that the lower South in the United States was producing three-fourths of the world's cotton in the mid-1800's.

Prominent within the cotton-growing world at the time was local businessman, James Martin, who had migrated from Kentucky in Florence's early days. Around 1840, Martin joined with two other men to build the Globe Cotton Factory on Cypress Creek (from hence, by the way, came the name of present-day Cypress Mill Road). By 1844, the mill's capacity was increased significantly, but an arsonist was successful in destroying it - which was so discouraging that Martin's two partners quit. Undaunted, James Martin secured other investors and built an even larger factory, the Martin-Weakley Mill. By 1850, the mill had 2,000 spindles and 80 looms and was the third largest cotton factory in the State. Growth continued almost exponentially.



Cotton growing in a field

Martin was not just an industrialist; he was also a humanitarian. He built housing for his workers and provided school and church facilities for them, as well. These humanitarian acts were in addition to his provision of gainful employment for hundreds of people in the mill - people who otherwise would have probably spent their lives illiterate and barely subsisting on their small farms. The Martin family home, known today as the Martin-Bounds House, still stands proudly on Cypress Mill Road.

- Billy Warren, *City Historian* (brwarren@florenceal.org)

CryptoQuote

AXYDLBAAXR
is LONGFELLOW

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

GW HIR'KQ PIE XLTGPB

BRHL EI VQXK SQQZL XPO

X OKQLL, ESQP HIR YXP'E

XLT DQ QGESQK.

- TKGLEQP LEQVXKE

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BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Darius (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. In biblical times, how long did the journey of Ezra ordinarily take from Babylon to Jerusalem? *3 days, 4 months, 2 years, 5 years*
3. From Philippians 4, what does the Apostle Paul instruct us to do rather than worry? *Cry, Pray, Love, Talk*
4. What creature(s) did the prophet Joel have a vision of? *Locusts, Flies, Vipers, Leeches*
5. From John 18, who asked, "What is truth"? *Moses, Paul, Pilate, David*
6. In what catastrophe were all of Job's children killed? *Flood, Fire, Wind, Stampede*

ANSWERS: 1) Neither, 2) Four months, 3) Pray, 4) Locusts, 5) Pilate, 6) Wind

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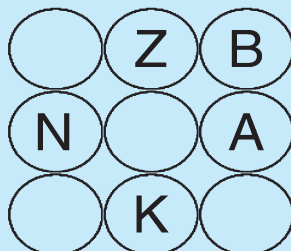
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by Ryan A. Berenz

1. A 1985 NHL game in which the Edmonton Oilers defeated the Chicago Blackhawks 12-9 has the record for total player points (goals plus assists) scored in a single game with how many?
2. Before it was renamed Connie Mack Stadium in 1953, the baseball and football arena in Philadelphia was known as what?
3. Kevin Mayer became the decathlon world record holder in 2018 competing for what country?
4. Name the New England Patriots linebacker who caught touchdown passes in Super Bowls XXXVIII and XXXIX.
5. What brand, established as a rubber tire manufacturer in Ireland in the 1890s, began making golf and tennis balls in the early 1900s?
6. Which Major League Baseball team fired manager Billy Martin after only one season despite winning 97 games in 1969?
7. Which Toronto Maple Leafs player had his No. 9 retired in 1934, the first time a professional athlete had a jersey retired in his honor?

WORD SPIRAL



Fill in the missing letters to reveal the nine-letter word that starts at one of the four corners and moves clockwise around the perimeter before ending in the center.

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Brain Zone!



MINI SUDOKU

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way: that each row across, each column down and each small 6-box square contains all of the numbers from one to six.

2					
1	6				2
6	1	2			4
5	2		1	4	
	4				6

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FIND THE TWINS

WHICH TWO ARE EXACTLY ALIKE?



GO FIGURE!

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

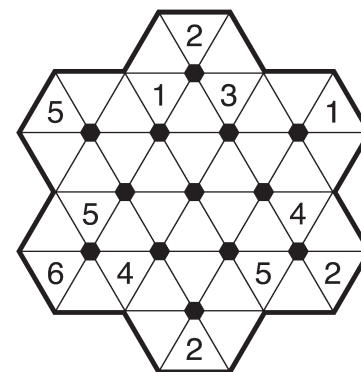
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4		9		6				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

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

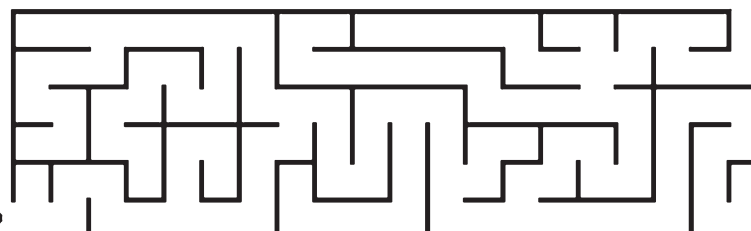


DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

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Kids' Maze



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Brain Zone! ANSWERS



Answers

1. Creedence Clearwater Revival, in 1970 on their "Cosmo's Factory" album. The song has been covered by several others, including Bruce Springsteen and Rod Stewart.
 2. Ritchie Valens, Buddy Holly and The Big Bopper. In the song, McLean called it "the day the music died." The song was added to the National Recording Registry in 2017 by the Library of Congress.
 3. Paul Simon, in 1973. Kodachrome was a type of 35mm film.
 4. The Everly Brothers, in 1960.
 5. "A Little Bit More," originally released in 1973 by songwriter Bob-gosh. The song didn't become a hit until covered by Dr. Hook & the Medicine Show in 1976. While not seeing a lot of No. 1 chart-toppers, the group's songs were hits nonetheless, getting significant airplay.
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Even Exchange answers

- | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Stitch, Switch | 6. Cluck, Chuck |
| 2. Child, Chill | 7. Flake, Flare |
| 3. Potion, Notion | 8. Warden, Warren |
| 4. Broom, Brook | 9. Snoop, Sloop |
| 5. Hatter, Halter | 10. Choir, Chair |



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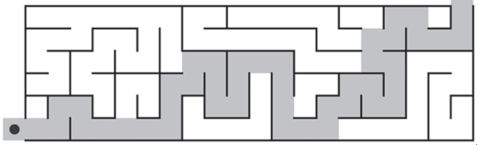
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CryptoQuote answer

If you're not asking guys to wear heels and a dress, then you can't ask me either.

— Kristen Stewart

Kids' Maze Solution



Answers

1. California.
2. Type O negative.
3. Capricorn, Taurus and Virgo.
4. Corgis.
5. Africa.
6. The ruble.
7. "Full House."
8. Four.
9. 28.
10. The gravitational pull of the Moon.

7	-	1	-	4	=	2
+		+		+		
6	-	3	+	8	=	11
-		+		÷		
9	+	5	÷	2	=	7
=		=		=		
4		9		6		

MINI SUDOKU Answer

2	3	4	6	1	5
1	6	5	4	3	2
4	5	3	2	6	1
6	1	2	3	5	4
5	2	6	1	4	3
3	4	1	5	2	6



Answers

1. 62.
2. Shibe Park.
3. France.
4. Mike Vrabel.
5. Dunlop.
6. The Minnesota Twins.
7. Ace Bailey.

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Micro Crossword

Answer

S	C	A	P	E
T	O	D	A	Y
A	N	D	R	E
L	E	E	K	S
L	Y	R	A	

FIND THE TWINS

WHICH TWO ARE EXACTLY ALIKE?



SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Moral;
2. Shrunk
3. Hamlet;
4. Creak

Today's Word

HOMEMAKER

Word Spiral Answer

BALKANIZE

