## **GARFIELD**

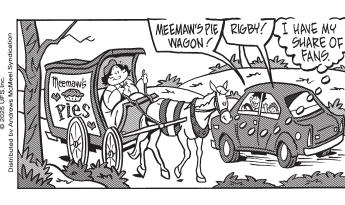






#### **ROSE IS ROSE**





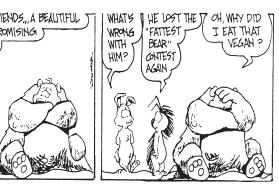
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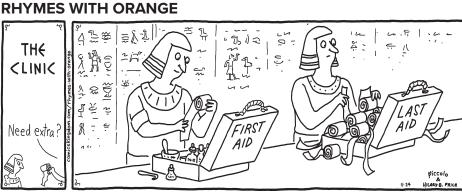


#### **MUTTS**

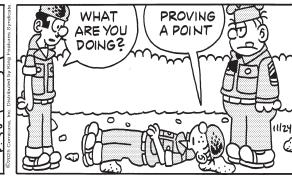












#### **DADDY DAZE**





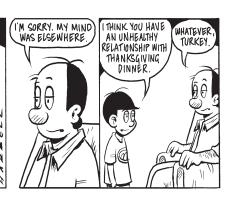


IT'S A GOOD THING WE BROUGHTALONG PRETEND EQUIPMENT, A NONEXISTENT MAP AND PROVISIONS OF ONE EMPTY GRANOLA WRAPPER.

#### ADAM DAILIES







#### MODERATELY CONFUSED



#### REALITY CHECK



## THE BORN LOSER





cartoon has me



# Talking Turkey about

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> more American than pumpkin pie?



hanksgiving is a holiday that is stuffed. celebrated mainly in Canada and the United States. While harvest celebrations of giving thanks are found in almost all religions and cultures, Thanksgiving in the Americas has evolved into a unique holiday tradition that celebrates the giving of thanks along with a bountiful dinner that is shared among family and friends.

### Fresh Start

A successful harvest in 1621 led to one of the most famous feasts in U.S. history. Shared between the Wampanoag and the Pilgrims, the meal did not include modern favorites, such as mashed potatoes, pumpkin pie or cranberry sauce, but instead featured menu items like venison, lobster, eel, duck, shellfish and fish.

nearly every year since 1924.

Family Traditions

The tradition of having football games on Thanksgiving Day began in 1876 with

a game between Yale and Princeton. NFL

Thanksgiving Day parades started to gain popularity during the late 1800s. The Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade has been held

#### 1621 Pilgrim Thanksqiving celebration lasted for three days.

In Canada, Thanksgiving is held on the second Monday in October.

## Word Search

Can you find the hidden words? Search carefully because some

words are backward or diagonal. HOLIDAY GIVING MEAL **DUCK** THANKS JINGLE POTATO SAUCE BOB TURKEY FEAST **EAT** DINNER BELLS EEL FAMILY MASH PIE YOURTOPICHERE AGUAMHDIODECE GALENULL TCROVMONG POPUPPANELGUI

president Abraham

Thursday in November as the

federal Thanksgiving

holiday.

ou get when you bake 3.14 mpkins into a flakey crust! What do you get when you cross a turkey with a ghost? A poultry-geist! Pumpkin pi. In 1863,

The popular song "Jingle Bells" was originally written as a Thanksgiving song titled "One Horse Open Sleigh."

Sarah Josepha

Hale is often called "the

mother of Thanksgiving," for her

three-decades-long campaign to

United States governors, senators and

presidents to establish Thanksgiving

as a national holiday. She is also Lincoln attempted to unite known for her role in promoting the turkey in a traditional the country during the Civil War by declaring the last Thursday in November to be a national day of Thanksgiving meal thanksgiving. Eighty years later, Congress established the fourth

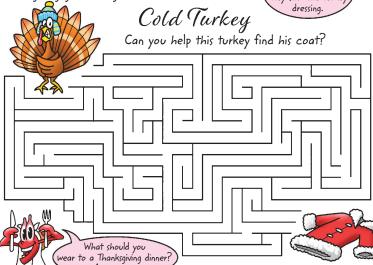
Presidents of the United States have given presidential pardons to a turkey every Thanksgiving since George H.W. Bush nade it a formal tradition

in 1989.

Why did the cranberries turn red? They saw the turkey dressing.

THANKSLLEYOUJ

Thanksgiving games began in 1920. Cold Turkey



Many 'days of thanksgiving were held in Colonial America before the Pilgrims' famous 1621 Virginia celebration in

meal, including a Spanish celebration in Florida in 1565, the Jamestown celebration of 1610 and a

A har-vest.