

King Classic Sudoku

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Difficulty: ★★1/6

8	1	2	4	9	7	6	3	5
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Difficulty: ★1/5

ISAAC ASIMOV'S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: FAST THINGS
(e.g., It is the fastest planet. Answer: Mercury.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL
1. The fastest land animal. Answer _____
2. Nickname for the NHL's fast-skating Maurice Richard. Answer _____
3. Who is "faster than a speeding bullet"? Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL
4. The jet stream is fast-moving. What is it? Answer _____
5. The fastest bird. Answer _____
6. It attains the fastest achievable speed. Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL
7. This type of amusement ride in

Abu Dhabi accelerates from 0 to 149 mph in 5 seconds. Answer _____
8. The Thrust SSC recorded a speed of 763 mph. What is it? Answer _____
9. "Eat fresh" and "Have it your way" are slogans for what type of food? Answer _____

ANSWERS: 1. Cheetah. 2. "The Rocket." 3. Superman. 4. Air current. 5. Peregrine falcon. 6. Light. 7. Roller coaster. 8. A car. 9. Fast food.

SCORING:
18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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ACROSS
1 Tippy fellow
4 — in the sky
7 Hangs down
11 Get with difficulty (with "out")
12 Tough spot
13 Do a farm job
14 Timetable abbr.
15 Body of fresh water
16 Pond growth
17 Actor — Sheen
19 Idea
21 School for boys in England
23 Plead
24 Yellowish gemstone
27 Fleecy animal
29 Jackson 5 hit
32 Utah city
33 Predator's victim
34 Sailor
35 Poetic preposition
36 Tsunami

DOWN
37 Volcano shape
38 Actor — Cruise
39 "— you sure about that?"
40 Stuff oneself
41 At the stern
43 Delhi dress
45 Limited
48 Room for food storage
52 — of March
53 Faucet problem
55 St. crosser
56 Fender spoiler
57 Flow with force
58 "— in Black"
59 Feed for horses
60 So far
61 Conclusion

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
5 Writing fluid
6 Paradise
7 Outpouring
8 Everglades denizen
9 Kind of club dancer (Hyph.)
10 Cygnet
12 Attack by air
18 Sports group
20 Comply
22 The jitters
24 Whistle sound
25 Cookie brand
26 Eternal
28 Small
30 Loud noise
31 Western people

33 Golf standard
36 Electrical unit
37 Coconut fiber
40 Chart
42 Clenched hands
44 Celebrity roster (Hyph.)
45 Name for a pooch
46 "I had no —!"
47 Tense
49 Titled woman
50 Divisible by two
51 Tear
54 Regret

CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" B G X M B Z V C / B X Y K N Z X U J Z G L Z A M
M B Z V C . / K N B J B J X V T X F J K N Z L X J Z .
/ T N Z D Z I Z D B X Y / B X Y T N X K B J
Y B J J B G S . " — Y X D P J K D X G C

Previous Solution: "Perhaps it's only when people are dead that we can safely show how much we cared about them." — P.D. James

TODAY'S CLUE: A *slings* /

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