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## Walk A Mile For Sports!



The Annual Hertel North Park Youth Baseball League Parade, 2022. This year's parade takes place Saturday, May 6th.

By Bill Snyder

Did you know that North Buffalo boys and girls would "walk a mile" in order to play baseball or softball this Summer?

Yes, they would! They'd walk a mile every year if the weather is good. That's exactly what everyone's hoping for this Saturday morning at 11:00 am when the Hertel North Park Youth Baseball League opens their 66th season on Hertel



Avenue with their annual parade through North Buffalo. The Parade kicks off at the corner of Hertel and Saranac Avenue and will march east in the right-hand lanes under the watchful eyes of the Buffalo Police Department's Traffic Division for a safe journey to Shoshone Park.

Over 1,000 area boys and girls have signed up to play this season on well over 100 teams from t-ball four and five year

olds to high schoolers up to 15 or 16 years, ready to play ball after opening ceremonies in the home of Hertel North Park Youth Baseball and Softball. Leading the Parade again this year is Buffalo Mayor Byron W. Brown, who has given his support to this League ever since he was elected in his very first term.

The players all love to see his smiling face as he hands out bubble gum and smiles for pictures.

"This has got to be one of the best days of the year" *Continued on page two.*

## 21st Annual Fruit Belt Clean-A-Thon Set For May 5<sup>th</sup>

Volunteers from the University at Buffalo, PS #37 Futures Academy and the community will be participating in the 21st annual Fruit Belt Clean-a-Thon, scheduled for 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, May 5.

The event is sponsored by the UB Center for Urban Studies, PS #37 Futures Academy, the Fruit Belt Coalition, and Roswell Park Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Media are invited to cover the event. Arrangements can be made by contacting A.S.M. Abdul Bari, program assistant for the Center for Urban Studies, by calling 470-419-9481, or Cameron Carver, the

center's garden manager, at 716-308-1113.

The event typically draws about 100 students, including seventh- and eighth-graders from Futures Academy, and 100 community volunteers each year.

Now in its 21st year, the Fruit Belt Clean-a-Thon aims to teach Futures Academy and UB students about the importance of civic engagement, while building relationships between Futures Academy and the Fruit Belt community.

The clean-a-thon will cover several blocks of Buffalo's Fruit Belt neighborhood, between Michigan and Jefferson *Continued on page three.*



## Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



May, 1984. NOT IN SERVICE - YET - The Buffalo Rocket went along for a free ride last Wednesday when the NFTA offered members of the local media ride from the Theater District station to Allen St. aboard the Light Rail Rapid Transit trains. What's in store for the future patrons? A fast and smooth ride.

## Gear Up For National Bike Month

With May being National Bike Month, Independent Health is giving Western New Yorkers a chance to win a Bike Month Prize Pack.

If you love bicycling in Western New York, we want to hear about it. In 350 words or less, tell us why you love riding a bike – is it your main mode of transportation?

Has it helped you in your health and wellness journey? Is it something you enjoy doing with your family?

Submit your story by May 24 and you could win the grand prize courtesy of Independent Health. The Bike Month Prize Pack includes:

One (1) \$200 gift card to Dick's Sporting Goods

Two (2) complimentary SkyRide registrations with two (2) bike helmets

Two (2) free annual memberships to Reddy Bikeshare (or two \$40 riding credits for existing members)

One (1) Independent Health prize pack

Entrants must be at *Continued on page three.*

## Local Weather

THURSDAY, MAY 4TH



Cloudy  
High 50°  
Low 36°

FRIDAY, MAY 5TH



Partly Cloudy  
High 42°  
Low 29°

SATURDAY, MAY 6TH



Mostly Sunny  
High 48°  
Low 35°

SUNDAY, MAY 7TH



Mostly Sunny  
High 60°  
Low 46°

MONDAY, MAY 8TH



Showers  
High 62°  
Low 47°

TUESDAY, MAY 9TH



Partly Cloudy  
High 55°  
Low 36°

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10TH



Partly Cloudy  
High 61°  
Low 50°



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For years, the City Honors' High School Chorus has helped the Park with the singing of our National Anthem. Hertel North Park has always paid tribute to America every year and Opening Day is no exception. Every Saturday Morning, before the first games are played at 9:30am, the Park pauses to sing The Star Spangled Banner by removing all baseball caps and facing the Park's flag in front of the Chianta Fieldhouse. This Saturday, after our Nations song, the words will be yelled to the heavens by everyone. "Play Ball!"

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# The Blotter

## Felonies

From "D" District

**North Buffalo**  
**April 30, 2023**  
Delaware Avenue – Defendant did punch victim with a closed fist in the face causing pain and swelling to her right eye.

**April 30, 2023**  
Amherst Street – Complainant reports that defendant did enter store after previously being trespassing in writing on 6/26/22 and then did take (6) sticks of deodorant (concealed in reusable bag) and exited store without payment. Total of merchandise is \$46.93. Defendant was stopped by complainant outside of store and recovered all property.

**April 29, 2023**  
Delaware Avenue - Victim states suspect did punch and stomp the victim's head. Victim also states suspect took the victim's phone and smashed it on the ground without permission when victim attempted to call 911.

**April 25, 2023**  
Grider Street - Subject did rent a vehicle from Uhaul that was due back 4/12/23. Subject did keep vehicle without permission from Uhaul to keep vehicle.

**West Side**  
**April 30 2023**  
Congress Street – Defendant and victim got into verbal argument, victim states defendant then got upset and grabbed her by the arms, then punched her in the arms.

**April 27, 2023**  
Forest Avenue – Defendant did panhandle customers while in the parking lot of 244 Forest Avenue and did refuse to leave the premise when asked by the complainant

multiple times. The complainant is store manager of Dollar General. Appearance ticket issued.

**Riverside**  
**April 30, 2023**  
Austin Street – Victim states her and defendant did get into a verbal argument that did turn physical when defendant did share victim onto the bed by means of hands. Victim states defendant then did jump on her to grab her phone in order to prevent her from calling 911. Active non-offensive order issued.

**April 27, 2023**  
Grove Street – Between the time frame of August of 2022 and March of 2023, defendant did enter and remain unlawfully within the upper apartment of 55 Grove Street without permission of the owner and while inside said dwelling, she did remove and withhold property of owner, impeding recovery of items which included a Sony sound bar and a crucifix. On 3/15/23, defendant did produce those items in front of officers demonstrating her possession and withholding of those items since the time that she took them from the upper apartment.

**April 27, 2023**  
Tonawanda Street – Defendant was advised to not be in the store yet she continues to refuse. Defendant was found in the store today.

**April 27, 2023**  
Franklin Avenue – On 3/26/2023 at approx. 1525 hours defendant did enter 2232 Delaware Avenue. "Kohl's" in the city of Buffalo with another unknown white male suspect and selected \$717.50 of

merchandise and passed all points of purchase without any attempt to pay for the items. Defendant did walk out of the store with the items in his arms and get into the passenger seat of a New York registered vehicle and fled eastbound. Lieutenant did identify the defendant. Detective has video and receipt.

**April 26, 2023**  
Elmwood Avenue - On 4/26/23 at 1118 hours in the vicinity of Elmwood and Bidwell, defendant did recklessly drive a New York Registered vehicle, a black 2014 BMW 4050. After a domestic argument inside of the vehicle which victim was operating, victim exited the vehicle. Defendant get into driver seat and drove the vehicle away while victim was hanging onto the vehicle. Victim suffered abrasions to the right knee and right face, right shoulder pain and lacerations to both hands. Victim refused medical attention. Defendant drove vehicle south on Elmwood from Bidwell, west on West Delevan, then northeast on Bidwell crossing Elmwood Avenue. Victim was dragged and also ran after the vehicle.

**April 27, 2023**  
Court Street - On 4/26/2023 at about 2200 hours while at Barnes and Forest the defendant along with two co-defendants pushed, shoved, and punched the complainant. The complainant has a scratch to her lower right eye.

**April 27, 2023**  
Clayton Avenue - On the above date, time, and location defendant did enter the victim's apartment through the back window without permission and fought with the current boyfriend who left the scene. Defendant did also put his hands around the victims neck causing her not to breathe and became fearful for her life.

# Gear Up For National Bike Month

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least 18 years of age and a resident of New York State. Essays will be reviewed by a panel of judges. To submit your story, visit independent-health.com/bikemonth.

Community biking event planned for May

Independent Health is also excited to partner with GObike Buffalo and Reddy Bikeshare to help raise awareness on all the ways you can celebrate bicycling in Western New York:

GObike Buffalo is the ultimate resource for all

things bicycling in our region, connecting you to more than 30 different events across Buffalo and Niagara Falls during Bike Month.

Independent Health will be at the following events with FREE giveaways, while supplies last:

May 6 – Bike Month Blastoff at GObike's Headquarters (313 Broadway) | 12 – 4 p.m.

May 17 – Bike to Work Pit Stop Party (Delaware and Utica) | 8 – 10 a.m.

Visit [gobikebuffalo.org](http://gobikebuffalo.org) for the latest updates on Bike Month events and more.



# 21st Annual Fruit Belt Clean-A-Thon Set For May 5<sup>th</sup>

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avenues and Cherry and East North streets. Carlton and Orange streets will be closed during the event.

Volunteers will meet at Futures Academy, 295 Carlton St., Buffalo. Check-in is 8:30-9 a.m. The cleanup will run from 9 a.m. to noon. Anyone interested in volunteering is asked to show up

during check-in the day of the event.

The "Futures Festival" will take place following the cleanup from noon to 2 p.m., featuring games and activities for kids provided by UB's Office of Government and Community Relations, as well as a community picnic, including a free cookout lunch for all volunteers.

# King Crossword

## ACROSS

- 1 Cuts off  
5 Cookout, briefly  
8 Gridlock sound  
12 Jacob's brother  
13 Actress Lucy  
14 In — land  
15 Goatee's spot  
16 Here (Fr.)  
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18 Submit  
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26 Tour vehicles  
29 Toe count  
30 Actress Hagen  
31 Sciences' partner

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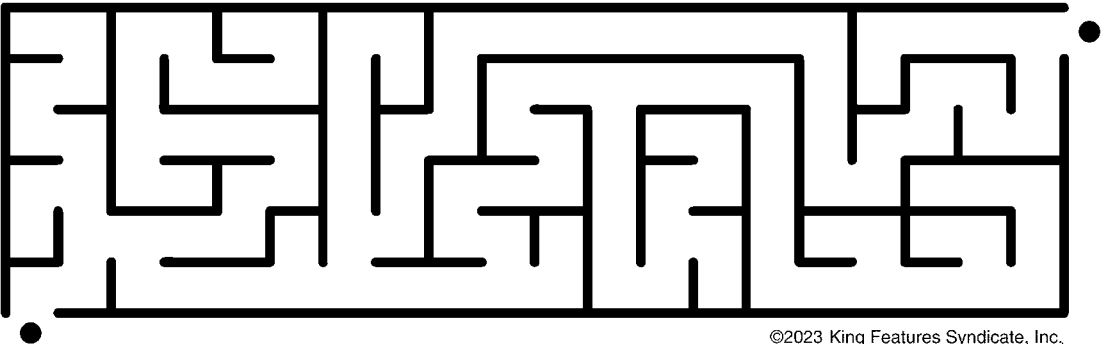
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47 — Victor  
49 Art Deco master  
50 Carton sealer

- 51 Texas tea  
52 Albacore, e.g.  
53 Cold War initials  
54 '60s war zone  
55 Once around the sun  
6 Pen name  
7 Took part in a bee  
8 Mel of many voices  
9 Hearing aids?  
10 Inventor Whitney  
11 Knee protector  
19 1040 org.  
21 Many millennia  
23 Unemotional  
24 Perched on  
25 Labels  
26 Biting remark  
27 Pakistani  
6 New companies  
32 Uncharged particle  
33 Full feeling  
35 Crony  
36 Bankroll  
38 Duck down  
39 Kingdom  
42 Loyal  
43 Sicilian spouter  
44 Beloved  
45 R-V link  
46 Prof's helpers  
48 Spy org.

## DOWN

- 1 Nobelist  
2 Job-safety org.  
3 Ache  
4 Ice cream parlor orders  
5 Russian pancakes

# Kids' Maze



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# Northwest Buffalo Beat

By Dave Gallagher AKA Joe Bortz

## What Could Have Been?

Just drove back from Florida last week alone and in the rain. Done it so many times I have the route memorized. Long trip and being in no hurry I did it in three days. Outside of the rain, it was not too bad. Mostly Interstate and the roads were all in good shape. Even the mountain roads in West Virginia. Those roads are engineering feats. Amazing ups and downs and around. Even a couple of tunnels going through the highest mountains. They were all good until you hit New York State and the Thomas Dewey thruway. Like a lot of things in New York, it is a disgrace. The road was the worst of the 1400 miles. Most of the trip was toll free, except of course New York. Been making this trip for many years and it is always the same, the 100 miles in New York has the very worst road of all. Went to Rochester the other day and that part is even in the worst shape. All the other states have the exits coordinate with the mile marker. Not in New

York. If you travel, you know of what I speak. That makes it so much easier to plan your route and your day. I have personally asked both NY state assemblymen and senators why this state does not have this convenience. The answers were so dumb I do not want to repeat them. So, let's talk about leadership, what could have been in our area alone.

Years ago, one hot topic was expansion of the Peace Bridge as we know it is too slow. There was talk about a second bridge like the one that exists now. Much like the Grand Island Bridges. Then they said maybe a completely new four lane bridge with a huge customs reception and greeting plaza. They had drawings and sketches of what could have been. You can see the results. Nothing happened. Great leadership.

Then we had a signed agreement to build a dome stadium downtown. Someone decided that an open stadium in the snow belt would be better so the powers to be reneged

on the contract. The dome was never built, and Erie County was sued by the potential builder. They are now proposing to build another open stadium in the snow belt. All the years of experience with the bad weather and the embarrassment it brings nationally to the area must mean nothing to the political. What the Buffalo Bills players had to endure this year, and other years, did not seem to be a wakeup call when considering a new stadium in Orchard Park. Having season tickets for 50 years, there were so many games I wished we had a dome, as I sat there bundled up but still freezing. Must be a huge Bills fan to do that.

We then have the half-completed subway system. I say half as it could have been so much more than it is. Never used railroad tracks going into the suburbs were available and could have connected to the present subway's rails and made it twice what it is. Of course, there would have been extra cost involved but it seemed to make sense. Guess not as it never happened for some reason.

In all these cases it seemed that it would have meant so much more to have them happen. No one can argue that something needs to be done about the Peace Bridge. My thought is that no football game should have to be played in incimate weather. Especially snow. To build a stadium where that is going to happen again to me makes no sense. If you are going to build a new stadium, do it right. The subway does serve a purpose, but it is so limited and could have been so much more.

These are just three of the many things that could have been, should have been. They would have been huge for the county. Made a big difference.

Fortunately, we did have Jimmy Griffin and Brian Higgins who did much to develop downtown and the waterfront. I am sure there are others involved who have contributed to what is good about the area and there is much. However, do you agree that so much more could have been done and some still could be? Start by fixing that lousy New York State thruway. With the high tolls that should be easy. Unless some of that money is going south. Maybe that is the answer. We need to elect people without deep pockets.



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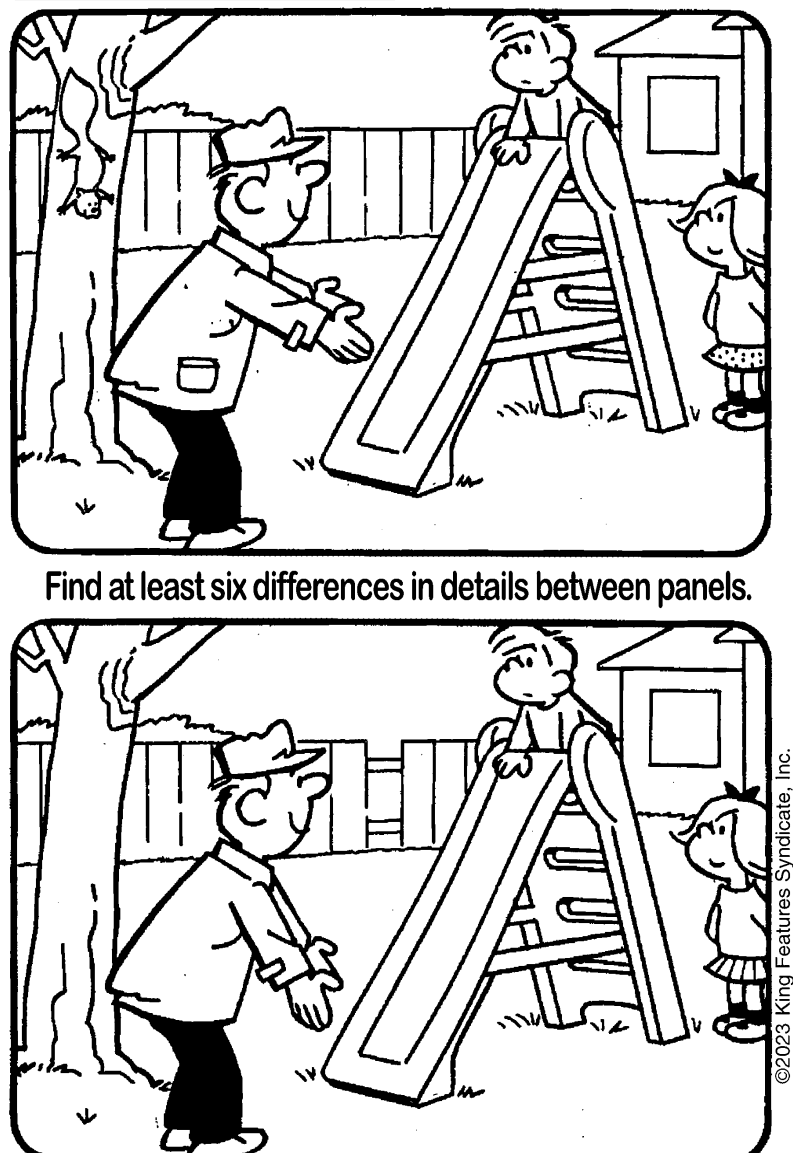
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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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FREE PIZZA: John Spasiano, 116 Crestwood Ave., 14216





## Ask Rusty – About “Survivor” Benefits vs. “Spousal” Benefits

**Dear Rusty:** I will be 70 in August and will file my application for benefits in May. I know I’ll get my maximum possible amount at age 70, but I need you to clarify things I have read.

Per an award-winning TV host, author, and host of a money podcast “if the higher-earning spouse delays until age 70 to claim Social Security, that guarantees the survivor the biggest possible benefit.” But then I read in a different article that if a person delays beyond their full retirement age to obtain a higher personal benefit (like I have), my spouse’s benefit would still be based on my FRA benefit amount. I am confused about which statement is the correct version. **Signed: Confused About My Spouse’s Benefit**

**Dear Confused:** I’m not surprised that you are confused about these seemingly contradictory statements. It is, indeed, quite logical (and common) for a widow or widower to think they must apply for a “spousal benefit” from their deceased spouse. And while that’s technically true, those of us who live in this often confusing world of Social Security jargon would say the wid-

ow or widower is applying for a survivor benefit, not a spousal benefit. What’s the difference? Well, when you’re speaking with a Social Security representative or an advisor, the term “spousal benefit” means something entirely different than the term “survivor benefit.”

The two articles you mention are, I believe, referring to two different types of Social Security benefit. The term “survivor benefit” is typically used to describe benefits available to a surviving spouse when the higher earner dies, but the term “spousal benefit” is typically used to denote benefits available to a lower earning spouse when both partners are still living. I agree this is confusing, and that distinction was apparently not clear in the articles you read. Therefore, to clear your confusion:

- If the higher earning spouse dies and has delayed claiming until age 70, that does, indeed, “guarantee the surviving spouse the biggest possible benefit.” The survivor benefit is based on the full amount the deceased was receiving at death.
- When both spouses are living and the higher-earning spouse delayed

until age 70 to claim, their living spouse’s benefit, when the higher-earning spouse claims, will be a maximum of 50% of the higher-earning spouse’s full retirement age (FRA) amount. While both are living, a spouse’s benefit is based on their partner’s FRA amount, regardless of when their partner actually claimed.

So, in your case, your wife’s spousal benefit from you while you are both living will be based on your FRA entitlement, even though you waited longer to claim. But if you die first, your wife’s survivor benefit as your widow will be based on 100% of the amount you were receiving at your death. In effect, both statements you referred to in your question are true considering that they refer to two different benefit types. It is the terminology distinction which frequently causes misunderstanding.

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by Linda Thistle

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# The Grapevine

**Reunion for ALL years of Nativity of the BVM School** on Albany Street. To be held at: Town of Clarence Park (large pavilion-capacity 300) 10405 Main Street Clarence, N.Y. 14031 Date: Sunday July 9th, 2023 from 10:00am-8:00pm-Potluck. Reservations are a must! RSVP by 6/30/23 to: Helen (Brown) Kurzdorfer at 716-400-7977 Rosie (DiLiberto) Mendolera at 716-881-1306.

**The Buffalo River Festival** will be held June 16, 17 and 18th. A fun filled family event will be held at Buffalo River Fest Park at 249 Ohio Street. The event includes a vendor/artesian fair, a heritage tent by Waterfront Memories Museum, a Kids Zone, the InTomes Technical Services' Father's Day Kids Fishing Derby, I Got It Bingo, rides on the EM Cotter Fireboat and live entertainment, drinks and food.

**Elmwood Village Annual Spring Clean Up** will be held Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 9:00 am to 1:00pm. To volunteer, email [info@elmwoodvillage.org](mailto:info@elmwoodvillage.org). Sponsored by the Elmwood Village Association.

**The East Side Garden Walk!** A free self-guided garden tours Saturday and Sunday, July 22 & 23, 2023, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Deadline to register to show your garden on the tour is May 15, 2023. Register online at [EastSideGardenWalk.com](http://EastSideGardenWalk.com). Your garden does not need to be perfect; no one's garden ever is. If you have a garden in the footprint of East Side Garden Walk,

you're welcome to participate. There are no fancy garden criteria--no site visits, no judging, no entry fees, nothin'-- all you have to do is be proud of your little spot of earth. It does not need to be giant. It does not need to be professionally landscaped. Gardens range from large to a few square feet -- register your front, back, or side garden; your upper porch (seen from the street); or your business storefront dolled up with plantings! It is the diversity that makes the event a success. The East Side Garden Walk is more than a free self-guided garden tour! It's a way for residents to take control of the narrative for our community. We share gardens, stories, and our spirit of perseverance with those from within and outside our neighborhood. The tour counters the negative stigma often portrayed on the news -- by creating positive stories of our homes and our neighborhood. We use our love of gardening and community to create connections between gardeners, neighbors, and visitors. East Side Garden Walk is an event produced by Gardens Buffalo Niagara (GBN) whose mission is to create more vibrant and beautiful communities by sharing our gardens. Other GBN events include Garden Walk Buffalo, Tours of Open Gardens on Thursdays and Fridays in July, The Buffalo Style Garden Art Sale, and Urban Farm Day.

**Buffalo Olmsted Parks** are launching the 2023 park's inaugural Derby Day Fundraising Event Hosted at The Terrace in Delaware Park, 199 Lincoln Parkway on Saturday, May 8, 5:30pm

-- 8:00pm. Reflecting the style of the Kentucky Derby itself, attendees are encouraged to wear their hats and bowties. Box seat tickets to the 2024 Kentucky Derby or the 2023 Saratoga Race-track are set to be the top prizes for the Derby Day Fundraiser raffle. Tickets can be purchased at [www.bfparks.org/derby2023](http://www.bfparks.org/derby2023).

**North Park Community School** presents the End of the Year Celebration held at the North Park Community School at 780 Parkside Avenue, Buffalo on Saturday, June 10th, 9:00am to 12:00pm. Free and open to the entire community! Fun for the whole family: Braid babes, Henna, Mini Golf, Face Painting, Cooking, Caricature, Little Buffalo, Making Waves, Explore & More, Community Music School, Cupcake Decorating, Petting Zoo, Zoomobile, 360 Photo-Booth, School Tours, and so much more!

**Cinco De Rhino** - May 5 Cinco de Mayo is Cinco de Rhino at the Buffalo Zoo! Celebrate all five species of rhino, specifically the two at the Buffalo Zoo (Black Rhino and Greater One-Horned Rhino) during Cinco de Rhino presented by Reimer Home Services! Zoo visitors can show their appreciation and learn about these amazing herbivores with keeper talks, enrichment sessions, and biofacts between 11:00 am-1:00 pm. All of these fun activities are included with admission to the Zoo on May 5.

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N N O S I A R E L E S J H F E

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U S Q N E M S P N N Z E M I A

K J H F O R E N E O M C U L D

B Z Y H X N U T O M O O V L A

U T P U O C U A E B I C R E M

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally  
Unlisted clue hint: GOOD MORNING

Amour	Femme	Mademoiselle	Oui
Au revoir	Fille	Merci beaucoup	Raison
Bonsoir	Homme	Monde	Temps
Excusez-moi	Madame	Non	

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Answers on page seven.

## Senior TRIVIA

### Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

- 1) How many U.S. states border Canada?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2) The musical "My Fair Lady" is based on which play?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Who was the first person to win Nobel prizes in two different sciences?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Which 1997 movie featured a character named Jack Dawson?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 5) What is the name of Ross's pet monkey in "Friends"?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 6) How many languages exist worldwide?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 7) Which country produces Manchego cheese?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 8) How many track and field events are in a decathlon?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 9) Which president had the most children?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 10) What is the title of Britney Spears' first album?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Answers: 1. 1. "Philadelphia." 2. Burnt gunpowder. 3. Six. 4. Andrew Jackson. In 1806 he shot and killed Charles Dickinson in a duel. 5. The Beach Boys. 6. Eight: six children and two parents. 7. None -- the United States doesn't have an official language. 8. Providence. 9. Earth. 10. A turophile.

"He wants you to wait outside, \_\_\_\_\_!"

### 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!

Covert

CRESTE

Talk

SCHEEP

Practice

MUSCOT

Noise

CARMOL

TODAY'S WORD

Answers on page seven.

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SCRAMBLERS

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1. Secret 2. Speech;  
3. Custom; 4. Clamor

Today's Word

MOTHER

Puzzle on page six.



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Kids' Maze Solution



Puzzle on page three.

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Weekly SUDOKU  
Answer

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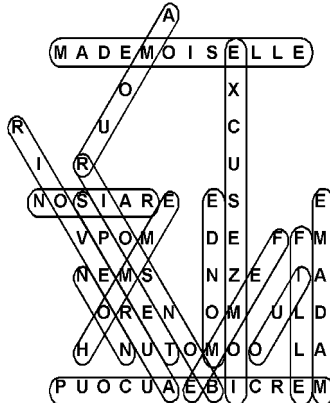
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Nickel City Bottle Return.....2209 Niagara Street  
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Riverside Market.....740 Tonawanda Street  
Riverside News Stand.....Tonawanda Street  
Roland Insurance Agency.....432 Amherst Street  
Sun Restaurant.....1989 Niagara Street  
Up To You Deli.....2189 Niagara Street

COMMON FRENCH WORDS



Puzzle on page six.

King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

L	O	P	S		B	B	Q		B	E	E	P
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