

# Buffalo Moving Day 2023



Dean Eoannou of Parkinson's Boxing tears the ribbon to begin the Moving Day Buffalo walk in 2022.

The Parkinson's Foundation will host Moving Day Buffalo on September 23, 2023, at the SUNY Erie North Campus, 6205 Main St, Williamsville, NY 14221. Approximately 500 people are expected to take part in movement demonstrations and a walk to beat Parkinson's. The family-friendly, in-person event is one of 28 community events taking place across the coun-

try in fall 2023. Funds raised through Moving Day support cutting-edge research, improved quality of care and education programs to improve the lives of people with Parkinson's disease (PD) and their families. Movement is critical in the battle against symptoms of PD. Movement demonstrations, such as boxing and Tai Chi, will illustrate exercises that are proven to be effective

for people with PD. "Our program is showing tremendous results for many people we work with," said Dean Eoannou, founder of Parkinson's Boxing. "It's important to show people how training can help and for us to be able to give back," he continued. There will also be informational exhibits and a PD Experience where people who don't have Parkinson's

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## The Great Pumpkin Farm Annual Fall Festival



The Great Pumpkin Farm starts 28th Annual Fall Festival on September 16 and September 17.

The Great Pumpkin Farm in Clarence, NY will kick off its 28th annual Fall Festival this week-

end: Saturday, September 16 and Sunday, September 17 from 10:00 a.m. to 7pm with a special Armed Forces Weekend in collaboration with Clarence Citizens for Veterans. The regular admission fee will be waived for active duty and retired military, veterans, police or fire department personnel who present proper identification to WNY Heroes representatives at the gate; they will also be permitted to bring one guest for free. All attractions will be up and running on open-

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## Buffalo Chamber Music Society Celebrates 100th Season

The Buffalo Chamber Music Society, one of the nation's oldest chamber music presenters, will celebrate their 100th season at the opening concert on October 3, 2023. To honor the occasion the Society has commissioned a string quartet by Pulitzer Prize winning composer Jennifer Higdon. The Aizuri Quartet, recent winners of the Cleveland Quartet Award, will perform the world premiere of the quartet. The concert begins at 7:30 in the Mary Seaton Room of Kleinhans Music Hall and will preceded by a talk with the musicians beginning at 6:45. A dessert and wine reception will follow the concert. Tickets are \$30 and may be purchased at the door. Students are free.

Praised by the Wash-

ington Post as 'astounding' and 'captivating' the Aizuri Quartet was named recipient of the 2022 Cleveland Quartet Award by Chamber Music America and that same year was also awarded the Grand Prize at the M-Prize Arts Competition. The Quartet's debut album 'Blueprinting' was released by New Amsterdam Records to critical acclaim, nominated for GRAMMY Award and named one of NPR's Best Classical Albums. The Aizuri Quartet performs regularly on the world's great music series and champions quartets by living composers. Their programs have included works by Gabriella Smith, Paul Wianko and John Adams among others.

More information [www.bflochambermusic.org](http://www.bflochambermusic.org).



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## Memories

*From the Buffalo Rocket archives*



September, 1984. THE ANNOUNCEMENT...Rich Products' David Rich made the announcement Friday at the Buffalo Convention Center that Rich Products Corporation had purchased the Wichita Aeros and that Triple A Team would be playing in Buffalo 1985. Looking on were mayor Griffin and County Executive Edward Rutkowski.

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can learn what it's like to contend with some of the affliction's symptoms.

It is estimated that one million people in the U.S. are living with Parkinson's, with approximately 90,000 people newly diagnosed each year. Moving Day events across the country have raised more than \$40 million supporting the Parkinson's Foundation's mission to make life better for people with Parkinson's disease.

One of the critical efforts supported by Moving Day donations is PD GENERation, a clinical study by the Parkinson's Foundation. PD GENERation examines the ge-

netic foundations of the disease, opening doors to new treatment approaches and, hopefully, a cure. The Foundation is seeking additional participants for the study, and more information will be available at the event.

"This event grows every year, showing the importance not only of the Foundation's work but of this community event. The educational aspect of Moving Day is significant, but the socializing is probably even more important" offered Chris Jamele, development director for the Foundation's New York and New Jersey Chapter. Many participants at Moving Day Buffalo form teams

with family, friends and colleagues, illustrating the strong networks of support that people have and helping to expand awareness about the disease and the Foundation. The event draws people of all ages and walks of life.

To learn more about Moving Day Buffalo and how you, your family and friends and your company can get involved, please visit: [www.MovingDay-Buffalo.org](http://www.MovingDay-Buffalo.org). Moving Day is made possible, in part, through the generous support of national and local partners including Abbott, AbbVie, Amneal, DENT Neurologic, Kyowa Kirin, Medtronic, SUNY Erie and Supernus.

## The Great Pumpkin Farm Kicks Off Its 28th Annual Fall Festival

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ing weekend, and additional entertainment will include Vinnie and Teddy, the ever-popular animatronic dinosaurs, who will roam the corn maze both days from noon until 4:00 p.m. looking for their prey, and the Balloon Experts, who will amaze with their incredible balloon characters and designs. There will also be live music in The Witches Brew indoor or outdoor bar (weather depending).

As with every year at this annual fall attraction tradition, there's something for everyone, including amusement rides; hayrides; corn maze; the pumpkins and mum patch; Zombie Train; Apple Cannons; Super Mega Slide; Train ride on the Oak Express; shooting gallery; homemade donuts, pies, cookies and pastries; Halloween decorations and special events, such as the World Pumpkin Weigh Off, Pumpkin Olympics, Pumpkin Drop & IndePumpkins Day – and so much more!

The Great Pumpkin Farm is open weekdays from 10:00 a.m. to 7pm from Monday, September 18 through Tuesday, October 31. There is NO admission on weekdays, except on Columbus Day, October 9. The Pumpkin Palace is open and features Halloween decorations, a bakery and candy store as well as the Witches Brew Bar & Cafe. Guests can purchase pumpkins; corn-

stalks; gourds and cider. There's also a petting zoo, hay maze and playground. Group tours are also conducted during the week.

Admission to the Fall Festival includes over \$30 in FREE attractions & Coupons:

FREE Magic Show with Mike & Annie  
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with paid admission include:

\$1 off the Corn maze  
\$1 off the Panning for Gems  
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\$1 off the Jumbo Pillows  
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The Great Pumpkin Farm is located at 11199 Main Street in Clarence and features plenty of free, onsite parking.

Complete event information is available at [www.greatpumpkinfarm.com](http://www.greatpumpkinfarm.com).

Since 1996, when it first hosted the World Pumpkin Weigh-off and was included in the Guinness Book of World Records for the first 1,000-lb. pump-

kin, the Great Pumpkin Farm in Clarence, New York has grown. Its annual Fall Festival is Western New York's largest fall family event in the region, and includes popular events such as the World Pumpkin Weigh Off; Pumpkin Farm Olympics; IndePumpkins Day, Annual Pumpkin Drop, World Pumpkin Pie Eating Competition and more. For more information on the Great Pumpkin Farm and its Fall Festival, visit [www.greatpumpkinfarm.com](http://www.greatpumpkinfarm.com).



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# The Blotter

## Felonies

From "D" District

**North Buffalo**  
**September 8, 2023**  
Hertel Avenue – On 7/9/23 at approximately 1450 hours the defendant did enter The Family Dollar located at 492 Grant Street fill his reusable bag with candy and other misc items and passed all points of purchase without paying for said items. Larceny was caught on video.

**September 8, 2023**  
Hertel Avenue – On 8/2/23 defendant did enter an occupied house at 642 Elmwood Avenue lower apartment through a side window and did steal \$1260.00 in electronics. The entrie incident was captured on video. Defendant did admit to detectives incident of wrongdoing. Defendant has a drug problem.

**September 6, 2023**  
Delaware Avenue – Defendant at approximately 0146 hours did enter Jim's Steak Out at 2611 Delaware Avenue and jumped front counter, pointing a firearm at employees and demanding money from register. Employees told defendant they could not open register defendant then approached store manager and demanded money from sale. Defendant fled store east on Avery and was apprehended at Taunton and Virgil (corner lot) patrol officer saw defendant toss yellow bag over the fence. Defendant did resist arrest by pulling away from patrol officer and took fighting stance. Defendant did pull away from cuffing. Patrol officer went to the other side of fence and recovered yellow plastic bag with handgun inside (P9R - 9mm caliber Parabellum) no round in chamber and 15 rounds in the magazine.

**West Side**  
**September 10, 2023**

Genesee Street – Offender was detained by NFTA police airport per request by Buffalo Police. Custody transferred to BPD for city of Buffalo outstanding warrant issued on 6/15/2023. Offender transported to City Central Booking and then transferred to Holding Center for indictment warrant.

**September 9, 2023**  
Poplar Street – Complainant reports defendant did show up to her workplace with co-defendant and did grab the complainant by the arms and move her out of his way so he could search her workplace for complainant's child.

**September 9, 2023**  
Breckenridge Street – Defendant engaged in a verbal dispute with victim after drinking and was making verbal threats to her and yelling in her face, victim 2 (son) intervened and defendant did display green kitchen knife. Victim 2 and defendant did then engage physically, where victim 2 did restrain defendant to take knife away, and defendant continued to yell that he "would kill" victim 2 when he got up both victims are fearful and state defendant's behavior is ongoing and causing alarm for safety.

**September 8, 2023**  
Forest Avenue – At approximately 1227 hours on the same date and location the defendant did re-enter the store with an unknown object and chase complainant, victim and other store employee while verbally threatening them. The defendant did threaten to kill victim. The defendant did take without permission the before mentioned Tide Pods past all points of purchase without

paying for said items. At approximately 1241 hours on the same date and same location the defendant did chase victims while they were in parking lot of the before mentioned location. Victims were all able to evade defendant and make their way back to the store. As victim 1 closed the front door in an attempt to keep the defendant out, the defendant did throw a piece of concrete through the door window, thus damaging door (est. damage over \$250.00). At approximately 1245 hours at the same date and location victim 1 did exit the store via a rear door and was confronted by the defendant on north side of store located on Forest Avenue. The defendant pursued victim 1 aggressively in an attempt to evade the defendant, victim did enter the roadway of Forest Avenue and got struck by oncoming traffic. Victim 1 suffered multiple injuries as a result of traffic accident. Victim 1 was transported to via ambulance to ECMC for treatment. All the preceding actions by the defendant did place the victims in fear of imminent serious physical injury.

**September 7, 2023**  
Grant Street – Officers responded to a radio call at 143 Parkdale for harassment. Defendant did make verbal threats to victim and did grab and twist victims left arm causing pain and discontent.

**September 8, 2023**  
Potomac Avenue – Patrol responded to a threat in progress call and upon arrival did make contact with the victim. Victim did give statement to patrol that the defendant did chase him into the store and threaten to kill him, which made him fearful.

**Riverside**  
**September 9, 2023**  
Pavonia Street – Victim reports a verbal argument escalated when defendant did push the victim multiple times. Victim asked defendant to leave her home but he refused.

# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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## King Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Stetson, e.g.  
4 Big gulp  
8 Miles away  
12 Boxing leg-  
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13 Galileo's  
birthplace  
14 Tubular pasta  
15 Comedy club  
razzers  
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18 Attack  
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praise  
21 Old Ford  
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29 AAA job  
30 Archipelago  
unit (Abbr.)

- 31 Sacred bird  
of Egypt  
32 Sushi fish  
33 Nile queen,  
familiarily  
34 Capitol Hill  
VIP  
35 Passing craze  
36 Sacred song  
37 Browbeat  
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55 Surpass

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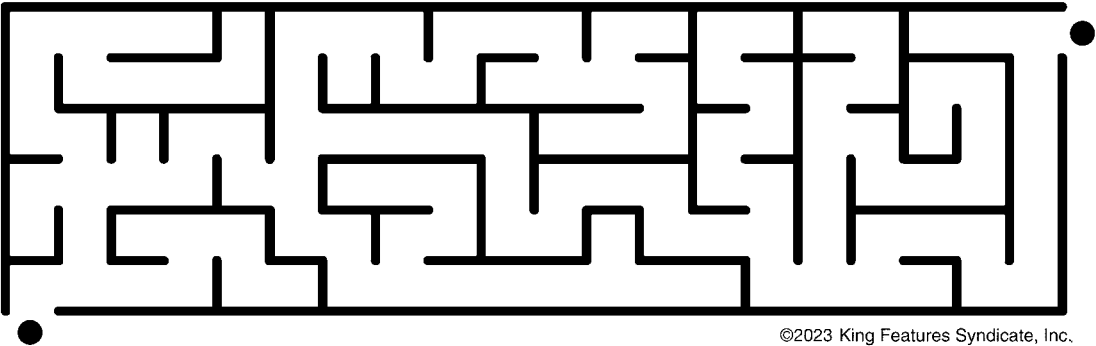
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49 Shoe width

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## Kids' Maze



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# Stefan Mychajliw

Guest Columnist

## The Great Equalizer.

Education is the great equalizer.

It is what my old Parish Priest Father Ron Pecci told me, God rest his soul, when it comes to one tool for every child in America to crawl out of poverty. Prior to joining the Franciscan Order, Father Ron was a biology major in college and was the first person I knew who earned a Master's Degree.

Fr. Ron led our home church, Saints Rita and Patrick's at the corner of Fillmore and Eagle Street, during my younger, formative years.

He saw firsthand how financially poor we were, and drilled into me how important a strong education was concerning professional success.

Back in the early 1990's the question was "what college are you going to?" It was that simple. Father Ron knew I wanted to pursue a career in Broadcast Journalism and with his faith and guidance, I had been accepted to both Syracuse University and Saint Bonaventure University.

I chose the Newhouse School of Communications at Syracuse University, which kicked open so many professional doors for me. It was much easier making contacts and connections in the reporting field with so many SU grads across the country and at every major network.

Keep in mind, that was more than 30 years ago. My times have changed.

This week my wife Ashley and I took our sons Maksym and Emeryk for their first days of school. They're starting Pre-K and Kindergarten, respectively.

While the advice was right on the money for me to have one path to journalism, that is straight to college, I'm

not so sure I'm going to let our sons know that is the only path to success.

Think about how many young kids nowadays rack up hundreds of thousands of dollars in student loan debt to get a four year gender studies degree with a minor in Sanskrit, only to remain unemployed and saddled with loan repayments they can't make.

Now, we must teach our youth there are multiple pathways to professional success in addition to college.

Look at the building trades for example. Young men and women can earn a two-year-degree, learn a critically important trade, not be saddled with debt, and make six figures right off the bat. Keep in mind, there's such a shortage for plumbers, electricians, and welders, that some of these debt free and hard working folks can charge as much as lawyers for an hour of

work.

Don't forget military service as well. There's incredible opportunities for young adults to serve our great nation and earn a college degree at the same time.

While it both broke our hearts and filled us with great joy that our "baby boys" are now in school (we will blink and they'll be high school graduates before we know it), I'm blessed and grateful that they'll have numerous options upon that day they cross the stage and enter the professional world.College. Building Trades. Military service.

Ashley and I will most definitely and thoroughly lay out all of their op-

tions and let them choose for themselves.

With so many students (and their parents) spending as much as \$300,000 for a four-year-undergraduate degree, I hope our boys at least consider the Building Trades with the possibility of a degree in finance to build the biggest construction company in New York State.

Until then, my wife and I will cherish every moment we drive them and pick them up from school, knowing whatever path they choose, the education they receive will give them amazing professional opportunities in the greatest country in the world.

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Unlisted clue hint: AMUSEMENT PARK ROLLER —

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Airplane	Fire pole	Rocket	Time
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Ask Rusty – Will Opening A Joint Account Affect My Disabled Father’s “SSI?”

**Dear Rusty:** I live in Michigan and my senior disabled father lives in rural Kentucky. His income is part Social Security and part disability. I talked to a local credit union near his home and explained I would like to open a joint account. They said as long as he comes in with his ID it’s possible. My question is – will adding money to our joint account affect his SSI and disability? **Signed: Caring Daughter.**

**Dear Caring Daughter:** First, I need to clarify that there are two types of disability programs administered by the Social Security Administration – Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI), and Supplemental Security Income (SSI). The acronym “SSI” normally refers to “Supplemental Security Income” which is a benefit for disabled senior adults (and children) who have very little income and very few assets. “SSI” is not Social Security income; rather it is a general benefit program jointly administered by the Social Security Administration and the State in which your father lives. In contrast, Social Security Disability (SSDI)

benefits are earned from working and are not affected by the recipient’s assets, as are “SSI” benefits.

From what you’ve written, I assume that your father may have a small Social Security retirement benefit (because he has reached his full retirement age and SSDI isn’t available after full retirement age), and he is also receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI) disability benefits. If this is the case, although your father’s Social Security retirement benefit would not be affected by opening a joint account at the credit union, his Supplemental Security Income (SSI) disability benefit likely will be. As co-owner of the joint account your assets would count towards your father’s “SSI” asset limit, and your assets, as well as any “in kind” assistance you otherwise provide, would likely put your father over the SSI income/asset eligibility limit and result in his SSI benefits being terminated.

So, although the credit union may be willing to open a joint account for you and your father, I’m afraid that would result in your father losing

his SSI (Supplemental Security Income) benefits, leaving him with only his small Social Security retirement benefit. You may wish to review the SSI eligibility information here, or you could contact the Social Security Administration and ask to speak with someone experienced with Supplemental Security Income matters. For clarity, “SSI” assistance is jointly administered by the Social Security Administration and each State’s Human Services department, and assistance available varies somewhat depending on the recipient’s state of residence. Thus, since your father lives in Kentucky, you might also contact that state’s human services agency to discuss your options for providing remote assistance to your father without jeopardizing his Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefit here.

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**La Festa del Rosario:** A mass of celebration for honoring the patron saint of Montedoro, Sicily Maria Santissima del Rosario will be held on Sunday, October 1 at 11:00 am, St. Anthony of Padua Church, 160 Court Street, Buffalo. A reception with refreshments will follow the mass in the Scalabrini Room lower level of the rectory. This event is held annually perpetuating a tradition that originated in Montedoro and celebrated in Pittston, PA where many Montedorese first settled in the United States. All are welcome to attend.



**St. Margaret's Parish** will host a chicken barbecue on Saturday, October 7, 2023, from 3:00 to 6:00 pm. The event will be catered by BW Smokin' Barrel and will be DRIVE THRU only in the parking lot behind the Church. Ticket price is \$15 and includes a half-chicken, green and potato salads, roll and dessert. Tickets can be purchased on-line at <http://www.stmargaretbuffalo.com>, in the St. Margaret rectory (call 876-5318) during normal business hours or following weekend Masses (Sat. 4:30pm and Sun. 8:00am). All proceeds benefit repairs to St. Margaret Parish.



**Knights of Columbus:** Our 4th Meat Raffle, October 14th, . 755 Erie Ave. North Tonawanda, NY. Doors open at 6pm, first draw at 7pm. Entry includes beer & pop. There will be a basket raffle, a 50/50 raffle, a large item raffle with three items. All funds raised help benefit the Tonawanda Erie Canal Gateway Lions Club and all monies are spent locally to help people within our communities that we serve (Cities of Tonawanda and North Tonawanda). A

great way to spend a Saturday night!!!



**Public Notice Charter School of Inquiry** Board of Trustees Regular Monthly Business Meeting Will be held on: Wednesday, September 13, 2023 Starting at 5:00 PM at Charter School of Inquiry 404 Edison Buffalo, NY 14215



**AFSP Out of the Darkness Walk:** The Out of the Darkness Community Walk will be held on September 23rd at the Buffalo Waterfront, Canalside, 44 Prime St, Buffalo and is a journey of remembrance, hope, and support. It unites our communities and provides an opportunity to acknowledge the ways in which suicide and mental health conditions have affected our lives and the lives of those we love and care about. Check-in Time: 8:30 am Walk Ceremony Start Time: 10:00 am Walk will follow after the ceremony.



**Capen Garden Walk Plant And Seed Exchange** September 23 @ 10:00 am - 2:00 pm University Presbyterian Church 3330 Main St., Buffalo, New York. Capen Garden Walk will hold a free plant & seed exchange from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23 at University Presbyterian Church, 3330 Main Street, corner of Niagara Falls Boulevard, Buffalo. Bring your perennials and seeds to share and get some new plants and seeds for your garden. Free packaged seeds will be provided by the ART-seeds program of the University Heights Arts Association. In addition, pots, planters, and garden art will be for sale. Donations of used pots, garden ornaments, and other garden paraphernalia are welcome. contact us: [capengardenwalk@gmail.com](mailto:capengardenwalk@gmail.com)



**Dog Ears Bookstore.** The new adult literary program at Dog Ears Bookstore that focuses on women in literature

will continue on Tuesday, Sept. 19. The book highlighted during this session will be *Their Eyes Were Watching God* by Zora Neale Hurston. The All Our Voices Literary Program is a free monthly series for women of all ages that explores the different voices of women including immigrants, Black, Latina, Indigenous, LGBTQ, and formerly incarcerated individuals through diverse authors and time periods. Sessions take place from 10 a.m. to noon located at 688 Abbott Road in South Buffalo. Please visit Dog Ears Bookstore or call 823-2665 to register or for more information.



**Reinstein Woods** presents the 23rd annual Fall Festival at Reinstein Woods Nature Preserve in Cheektowaga on Saturday, Sept. 16, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Visitors can spend the day enjoying nature activities, exhibits, guided walks, live animals, and more. The festival is free and open to the public. Festivalgoers can practice wildlife observation skills at the Wildlife Spotters Challenge before heading out on a guided birding walk. Kids of all ages will become scientists through interactive activities at the Pond Exploration Zone and Science Zone while also enjoying crafts, face painting, and costumed characters. Smokey Bear will make a special appearance. Special presentations happen throughout the day, including wildlife talks from the Wildlife Department of the SPCA Serving Erie County, and a demonstration by NYS Forest Rangers. Festivalgoers can enjoy dining on treats available for purchase at Boy Scout Troop 500's food stand. Visitors are encouraged to green their transportation by riding the Parks Adventure Bus to the Festival. The bus will arrive at the festival at 9:50 a.m., 11:50 a.m., and 1:50 p.m. and departs for the Metropolitan Transportation Center at 12:15 p.m., 2:15 p.m., and 4:15 p.m. More details can be found on the NFTA website.



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## Senior TRIVIA

### Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

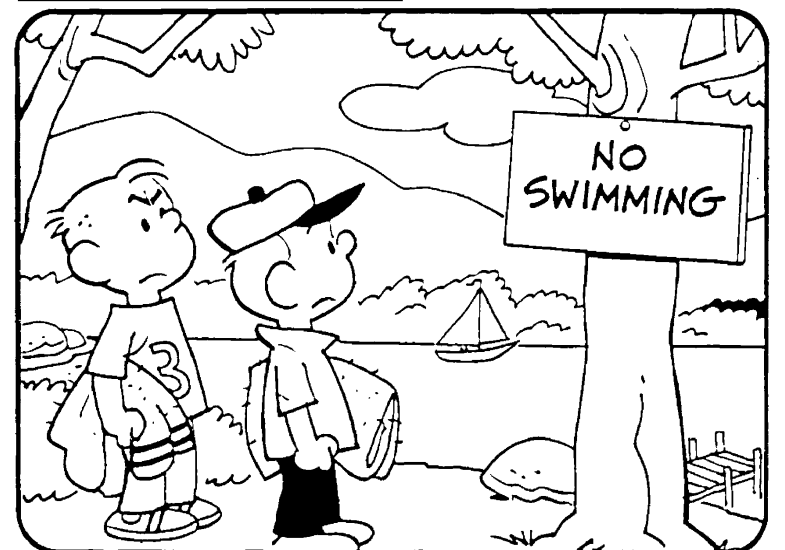
- 1) Which state is home to a giant sequoia tree named General Sherman?
2. Is a rhinoceros an herbivore, omnivore or carnivore?
- 3) Which city in India is home to the Taj Mahal?
- 4) What is the title of the first James Bond movie?
- 5) What was the product featured in the first TV advertisement?
- 6) Which French fashion designer is credited with inventing the Little Black Dress?
- 7) What does it mean to julienne vegetables?
- 8) What does the acronym GDP stand for in economic terms?
- 9) What is the cat's name in Shakespeare's "Macbeth"?
- 10) Who is considered the father of the atomic bomb?

Last Answers: 1. Iowa. 2. Pickled cabbage. 3. Global positioning system. 4. South America. 5. Poor Richard's. 6. 24. 7. Fear of being alone. 8. About 1 inch or less. 9. Goldfish. 10. Geoffrey Chaucer.

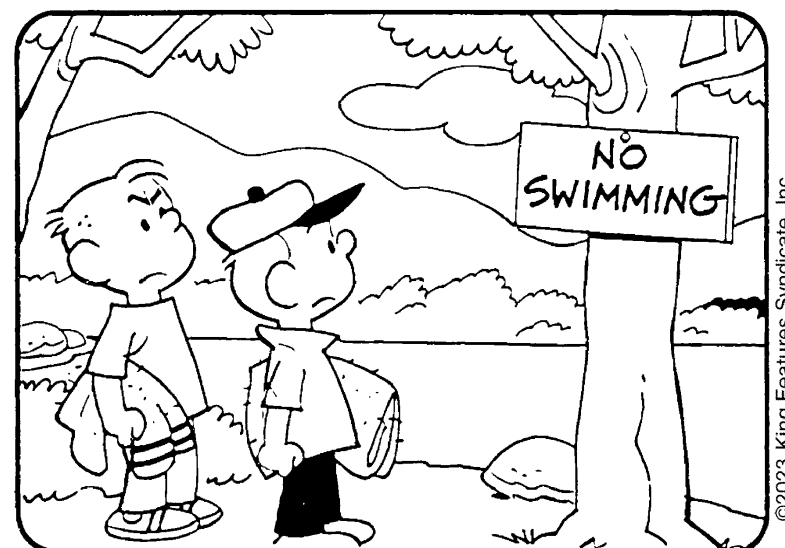
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Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Towel is missing. 2. Sign is smaller. 3. Arm is moved. 4. Sailboat is missing. 5. Sign is smaller. 6. Dock is missing.



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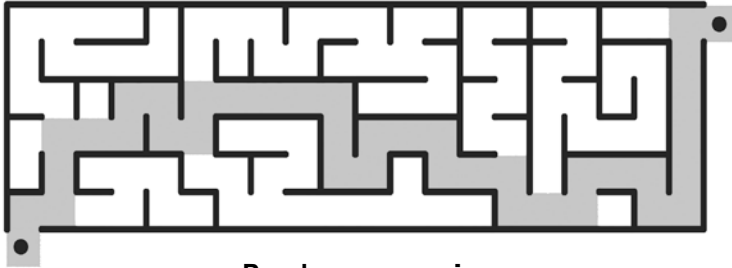
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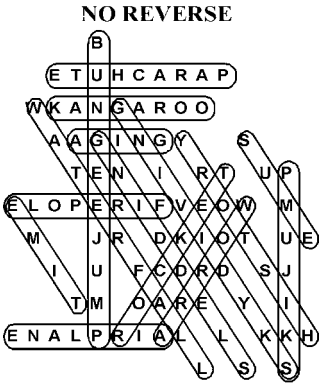
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