

# Curtain Up! Buffalo 2023



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**Curtain Up! The Biggest Party of the Year in the Theatre District! returns Friday, September 22, 2023.**

Celebrate 40 years of live theatre in Western New York on Friday, September 22nd at Curtain Up! 2023 in the Buffalo Theatre District! This will be the 40th in-person celebration of the opening of Buffalo’s professional theatre season. Curtain Up! is produced by the Theatre District Association of WNY Inc. Founded in 1979, Theatre District Association of WNY, Inc. is a not-for-profit community association dedicated to

the promotion of the health and well-being of Buffalo’s neighborhood known as the Theatre District. Curtain Up! 2023 is Presented by M&T Bank. As always, Curtain Up! is a “make your own” night signature event. Select a place to dine, purchase tickets for any of a wide variety of shows, and then enjoy free entertainment on the street in the Theater District. There will be a Curtain

Up! Kickoff Party held upstairs at The Bijou on Friday, September 22nd from 5:30pm through 7:30pm. Guests will enjoy a two-hour open bar, and delicious bites featuring a carving station, and hors d’oeuvres. A limited number of tickets are available and priced at \$75 per person. For more information, and to purchase tickets, call the Shea’s Buffalo Theatre Box Office at (716) 847-0850.

## September Is Passport Awareness Month

The Erie County Clerk’s Office is celebrating National Passport Awareness Month by reminding the traveling public that my office is an official Passport Application Acceptance Agent of the United States Passport Service for first-time customers and children. Further, I would like to remind current passport holders to ensure that



their document is valid prior to traveling. Most tourists know they need a passport to travel internationally to foreign lands, however many are unaware that in a number of foreign countries, your passport must be valid for six months beyond your date of return. If your travel document expires before that, you may be

denied boarding your flight or entry to your destination and be sent back home immediately upon your arrival. This information is hardly ever mentioned by airlines upon making your international flight reservations. As a first step in planning any trip abroad, check to see what identifying documents are required for your intended destination and verify that your passport is valid for at least six months. If the expiration date is less than that of

## Fire Prevention Month Starts In October

October marks the 101st anniversary of Fire Prevention Week, the nation’s longest-running public health observance on record. Mayor Byron W. Brown and Fire Commissioner William Renaldo announced today that the Buffalo Fire Department is teaming up with the National Fire Protection Association® (NFPA®) to promote this year’s Fire Prevention Week campaign, “Cooking Safety Starts With You”, educating everyone about simple but important actions they can take to keep themselves and those around them safer when cooking. Cooking is one

of the leading causes of reported home fires and home fire injuries. To learn more about cooking safety, Mayor Brown encouraged residents and families to attend one of the 5 scheduled Fire House Open Houses in Buffalo. Mayor Brown stated, “When children and their families stop by one of our City’s Fire House Open Houses, they will learn invaluable life-saving practices that highlight our continued effort to reduce the public’s risk to fire, house fires or cooking-related fires. I thank the Buffalo Fire Department for its continued commitment



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## Memories

*From the Buffalo Rocket archives*



**September, 1984. EXPLAINING WITH A GESTURE...**Buffalo’s own "galloping gourmet" was at the Sample on Saturday offering tips on how on slice fruit and build a fruit sculpture. "Maurice the Magnificent" Clark also provided clues on how to select ripe fruit while offering humorous asides drawn from his career as a chef.

## Local Weather

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND	SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD	SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH	MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH	TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH
 Mostly Sunny High 73° Low 51°	 Partly Cloudy High 76° Low 53°	 Partly Cloudy High 73° Low 54°	 Showers High 69° Low 54°	 Partly Cloudy High 70° Low 52°	 Mostly Sunny High 69° Low 53°	 Mostly Sunny High 74° Low 53°



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- Turn pot handles to-

Join Mayor Byron W. Brown, Fire Commissioner William Renaldo and members of the Buffalo Fire Department for a fun-filled month of Fire Safety! To find out more about Fire Prevention Week programs and activities in Buffalo, go to [www.buffalony.gov](http://www.buffalony.gov) or contact the Buffalo Fire Departments Fire Prevention Bureau at (716) 851-5333 extension 752.

Additionally, U.S. travelers must meet the REAL ID compliance standard in order to board domestic flights and access certain federal facilities. A valid U.S.



# The Blotter

## Felonies

From "D" District

**North Buffalo**  
**September 17, 2023**  
Hertel Avenue – On 9/16/2023 officers responded to a gun call at 2212 Niagara Street, upon arrival victim stated a dark tan SUV, did pull up to him at the gas station, and a white male operator did display a black firearm stating, "This is my bike, give me my f\*\*\*\*\*g bike." Victim states defendant while still having firearm in his right hand did take keys out of the ignition of New York registration, a motorcycle. Defendant did flee in New York registered brown 2017 Infinity QX30. On 9/17/2023 at approximately 1800 hours, patrol officer did observe New York registered vehicle pulling into TOPS gas station at 425 Niagara Street with defendant operating vehicle. Defendant was taken into custody and transported to D district station house to speak to detective. Defendants NY ID suspended.

**September 17, 2023**  
Parkside Avenue – Defendant did strike victim in the face while officers were on scene separating both parties.

**September 16, 2023**  
Homer Street – The victim states that her husband became upset and began hitting her son with a stick. She attempted to intervene but the defendant began hitting her by punching her in the head, hitting her back and spitting in her face causing pain, bruising, and swelling to her back. This assault also took place in front of their three juvenile children.

**September 15, 2023**

Delaware Avenue – On above, date, time, and location defendant did take without permission \$240.80 worth of merchandise from the store without attempting to pay. Defendant did then flee from officers on foot refusing numerous commands to stop. Defendant was found to have warrant outside of Buffalo.

**September 15, 2023**  
Delaware Avenue – On above, date, time, and location defendant did take without permission \$390.15 worth of merchandise from the store without attempting to pay.

**September 15, 2023**  
Hertel Avenue – On 3/27/23 while outside of 1553 Hertel Avenue defendant did strike victim with a closed fist in the abdomen knocking the wind out of victim and causing substantial pain and bruising to the same.

**West Side**  
**September 18, 2023**  
Grant Street – Defendants were found trespassing in known vacant unit, complainant did state defendants did bang on her door and windows. This act did alarm and seriously annoy complainant.

**September 17, 2023**  
Niagara Street – Patrol did respond to a large fight call at 2192 Niagara Street. Upon arrival officers observed multiple large crowds engaged in a physical altercation. Officer did attempt to break up a fight that defendant was engaged in at which point defendant did refuse multiple verbal commands to back up and did stop towards officer in an aggressive man-

ner. Tasers was deployed and defendant was taken into custody without further incident. Appearance ticket issued.

**September 17, 2023**  
Niagara Street – Officers responded to a fight call at 2192 Niagara Street inside the ballroom the defendant refused to comply with officers' commands and began pushing and shoving and becoming increasingly aggressive. Officers then deployed OC spray to subdue defendant. The defendant refused to comply with officer demands to place her hands behind her back. Defendant was treated by AMR on scene.

**Riverside**  
**September 18, 2023**  
Military Road – While investigating an unrelated call officer did identify the defendant who was known to have multiple active Buffalo warrants.

**September 18, 2023**  
Military Street – Defendant while driving New York registered vehicle had an expired NYS inspection. Traffic stop conducted and defendant did have multiple warrants out of Buffalo.

**September 15, 2023**  
Hartman Place – Victim states while walking home from work, defendant did follow her around, threaten to harm her and throw a glass liquor bottle at her. No injuries, victim requests an order of protection due to fear for her safety.

**September 15, 2023**  
Livingston Street – Defendant reportedly threw wood and glass at victim, making threats to kill her. When police arrived on scene, defendant did attempt to slam door on officers, did threaten them and did resist cutting by pulling arms away and fighting with officers. AMR transported to Buffalo General for medical clearance.

# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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FREE PIZZA: Cheryl Brown, 42 Lovering Ave., 14216

# King Crossword

**ACROSS**

1 Swamp

6 Foliage

12 Alaskan peak

13 Current measure

14 Kidnapper's demand

15 European peninsula

16 Venetian blind part

17 Suffix for million

19 Busy insect

20 Penne — Vodka

22 Press for payment

24 — Alamos

27 Mexican snack

29 Aussie greeting

32 Chekhov play, with "The"

35 Nickelodeon's Explorer"

36 Outlet letters

37 Venus, to Serena

38 CBS logo

40 Abel's brother

42 Campaigned

44 Bangkok cuisine

46 Elevator name

50 Biblical prophet

52 Outer-space

cloud

54 Honor

55 With uniformity

56 Vestibules

57 Valleys

9 Porches

10 Ireland

11 Plane reservation

12 ER workers

18 Former Chrysler CEO

21 USPS delivery

23 "Yecchi!"

24 PC screen type

25 Discoverer's call

26 Peace

28 Admitted to the clergy

30 "Entourage" role

31 QB's gains

33 Shaft of light

34 201, in old Rome

39 Bygone anesthetic

41 Prestigious prize

42 Coral formation

43 To boot

45 Easter entrees

47 Melody

48 Misfortunes

49 Utter

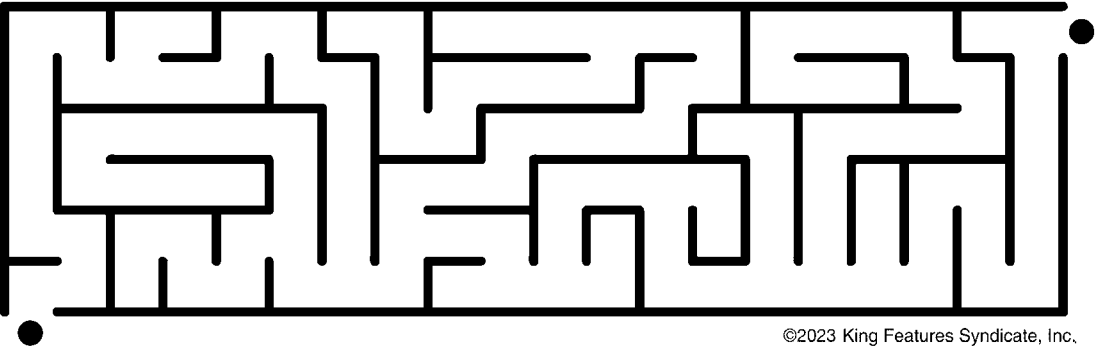
51 Observe

53 Actress Longoria

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# Kids' Maze



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# Northwest Buffalo Beat

By Dave Gallagher AKA Joe Bortz

## Times Change.

I have written in this column before how I grew up as an adolescent in World War two. First through fifth grade. Formable years for a young boy in grammar school. Lots of what you are taught on a daily basis tends to stay with you into your later life, fortunately that does not stay with you as you live and learn. Things change, people change, your surroundings change, time changes everything. Just the way it is.

During those war years, which were terrible, we at home had to make sacrifices. Not only with the rationing and having to do without but families lost loved ones. Sons who would never return. I even knew some of them, as they were friends of my older brothers. Both of whom were in the service. So, it was certainly understandable that it was taught to hate the enemy. Posters, signs, even movies, and all sorts of things designed to hate and even want the evil empires to be eliminated. It was part of our learning in school. It was instilled

in us, as young people, to want our enemies dead. Hitler, Tojo, and Musollini had to be defeated no matter what the cost.

Not unusual to have the country feel that way. We were suffering so it did not take much to build upon that hatred. "We must win this war and see the end of the Japanese, German and Italian armies." Used to call them Japs and Krauts. Do not recall any nicknames for Italians. Maybe because I lived in an Italian neighborhood. As I recall there were plenty of German and Italian immigrants who barely spoke English but were never considered as our enemy. Not so with Japanese Americans. They were for whatever reason considered traitors and put in concentration camps in California. Just for being Japanese. Like I said we were taught to hate. Maybe it was a racial thing as they were Asians and we in the US were mostly European descendants. I think those of us that lived back then can agree we were brainwashed that the "Japs" were the most vicious and

brutal. Not till after the war ended did we see what the Nazi's did.

Who were our friends? Who helped us defeat both of our two worst armies, Germany, and Japan? Russia and China, besides of course our regular allies, England, and France. Back then we admired and fought side by side with these people. The Chinese, the Russians. I have a picture of American soldiers greeting the Russians as the two armies finally met in Germany. We were buddies, friends, hugged and even kissed each other on the cheeks. How happy we were to have them on our side to help us defeat the evil third Reich and the Japanese Empire. We would have had a much longer war if not for the help of China who were also our friends in battle. That was then, how is it now?

It is today and the two greatest threats to our country and our way of living are China and Russia. Things change, people change, time changes everything. Japan and Germany and of course Italy are allies now. So, all those formidable years of learning to hate are to be forgotten? I never did learn to hate the Italians and the German people but the picture they painted of the Japanese was full of innuendos to inspire you to want to win the war at any cost. Buy more war bonds. It seemed to work. Perhaps it was because of the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor that made the Japanese out to be such bad people.

Here In Buffalo, there are not many Japanese Americans. Met a few at the YMCA Martial Art classes that my sons attended. Other than that, seldom and far between. That is until my new neighbor came from Japan. Hiroshima of all places. Now after watching all the footage and documentaries on World War two, even movies, you see things that were and are not now. My neighbor is a doctor and so was his wife who is not Japanese. Really nice people. In all honesty it was my first real encounter with a true Japanese person. What did I expect, did all those first years of dislike surface? Not at all as he was just another human being like you and I. We became friends and never ever talked about the war. Have to admit I did want to ask about his hometown. Hiroshima is now a beautiful city, and the remnants of those terrible days are, or should be, forgotten. We are all built the same, just sometimes we have differences for whatever reason. Like I said, things change, people change, and time changes everything. Hope it is for the best.

Do you have a birthday greeting you would like to see here? Birthdays, anniversaries, interesting pictures, short stories or even a 500 word column of interest to your neighbors. Send them to me and I will see what I can do. Nothing political or controversial. Send to Jbortze@aol.com

### MAGIC MAZE ●

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### MUSIC GENRES

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

Acoustic	Country pop	Hip-hop	Rap
Americana	Doo-wop	Jazz	Reggae
Cajun	Flamenco	New wave	Tango
Classical	Heavy metal	Oldies	

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Use main entrance by Duff's





Ask Rusty – Nonagenarian War Veteran Asks About Extra Credit For His Service

**Dear Rusty:** I'm turning 95 this year and am caretaker for my wife in our 70th year of marriage. I served before 1968 (1951-53) during the Korean War. How do the "special extra credits for military service" work for me? Is it retro-active? My wife, who only worked a short time, gets half of my Social Security so would it affect hers, too? **Signed: Korean War Veteran**

**Dear War Veteran:** First, I want to express my gratitude for your war-time service to our country and I also applaud your 70 years of marriage. Thank you, and congratulations! Regarding the "special extra credit" for military service, Social Security FICA taxes weren't withheld from military pay prior to 1957 so you didn't pay Social Security payroll taxes (FICA) from your military earnings during the years you served. As a result, Social Security would have no record of your military earnings during those 1951-1953 service years. But when you claimed Social Security later in life they would have asked if you served in the military and given you "special extra credit"

in the form of presumed earnings for your service years. They likely would have asked for a copy of your DD-214 and would have added \$160 to your earnings record for each active duty month during those 1951-1953 years. Note they do not give you an extra amount of Social Security; rather, for benefit computation purposes, they reflect your earnings for those years a bit higher than are shown in your earnings record (which would likely show zero for your service years). For example, if you served 12 months active duty in 1952, when your Social Security benefit was calculated they would consider your 1952 earnings as \$1,920 (\$160 x 12), instead of the zero shown in your record because you didn't actually pay FICA tax on your military pay. But whether those extra earnings credits would have any effect on your Social Security benefit is a separate item. Assuming you had earnings from regular employment over your lifetime and paid into Social Security from those non-military earnings, you became eligible for Social Security benefits from earnings outside of

your military service. If you worked and earned a decent salary for at least 35 years, then those special extra credits for your military service years would have no effect on your Social Security benefit. If you had less than 35 years of regular non-military employment, then those extra earnings added for your military service years counted and provided you with a slightly higher Social Security benefit when you claimed.

So, the bottom line is this: if, over your lifetime, you worked for at least 35 years paying into Social Security via FICA payroll or self-employment tax, then the "special extra credits" for your military service years had no effect on your Social Security benefit. But if you worked less than 35 years in which SS taxes were withheld from your earnings, then those "special extra credits for military service" contributed to and increased your Social Security benefit when you claimed. However, even if you worked for over 35 years outside of the military and the extra credits didn't matter for your Social Security benefit, your service to our country did, indeed, matter a great deal. From one veteran to another, thank you again for your service to our country.

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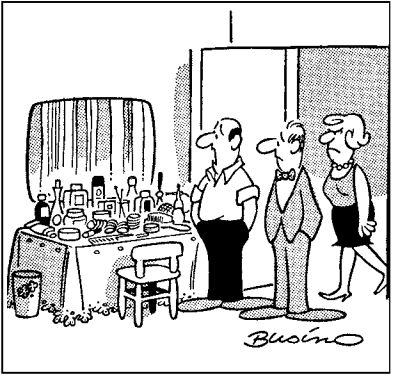


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"I used to laugh at all that \_\_\_\_\_ until the first time I saw her without it."

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SCRABLERS

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!

Aim

PRAISE

Cheer

ASUME

Quench

LEAKS

Dispute

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# The Grapevine

**St Peter's United Church of Christ** on 1475 Orchard Park Rd West Seneca on Sat, Sept 23 10AM- 3PM. An estate sale of Jewelry, perfume bottles, vintage tablecloths, post-cards from Europe, many vintage items and crafts.



**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.



**Moving Day Walk for Parkinson's:** The Moving Day Walk will take place on Saturday September 23, 2023 starting at 9:00am at SUNY ECC NORTH located at Main St. @ Youngs Rd. 9:00 am – Gather at Campus 10:00 am – Begin Walk. 3 mile walk and ½ mile walk available.



**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.



**Ten Lives Club** is hosting their All-You-Can-Eat Pasta Dinner on Saturday, September 23, from 4:30PM to 6:00PM. The event will be held at the Knights of Columbus located at 36 Pierce Ave, Hamburg, NY 14075. There will be a variety of pasta sauces for guests to try, from tomato bases to white sauces. At the event, there will be a variety of vendors, basket raffles, special raffles, merchandise for sale, and cats for adoption. Dinner tickets for this event are \$15 for adults and \$6 for children under 6 years of age. Tickets will be available for purchase at the door the day of the event. For more information about this event, please call their Event Coordinator at (716) 646-5577 ext. 2.



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The Grapevine

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## Senior TRIVIA

### Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

- 1) Which European city has almost 2,500 bridges?
2. How many infinity stones exist in "Avengers: End Game"?
- 3) How many digits do pandas have on each hand?
- 4) Which car manufacturer used the ad slogan, "Life is a journey. Enjoy the ride"?
- 5) What is Hogwarts' motto in the "Harry Potter" book series?
- 6) Which show spawned the spinoff TV comedy "Laverne & Shirley"?
- 7) How long is an eon?
- 8) What is the name of the band that John Lennon, George Harrison and Paul McCartney were in before The Beatles formed?
- 9) What does the Apgar score measure?
- 10) Which state has an active volcano named Mount St. Helens?

Last Answers: 1. California, Sequoia National Park. 2. An herbivore, a plant eater. 3. Agra. 4. "Dr. No." 5. Bulova watch. 6. Coco Chanel. 7. Cut into short, thin strips. 8. Gross domestic product. 9. Grimalkin. 10. J. Robert Oppenheimer.

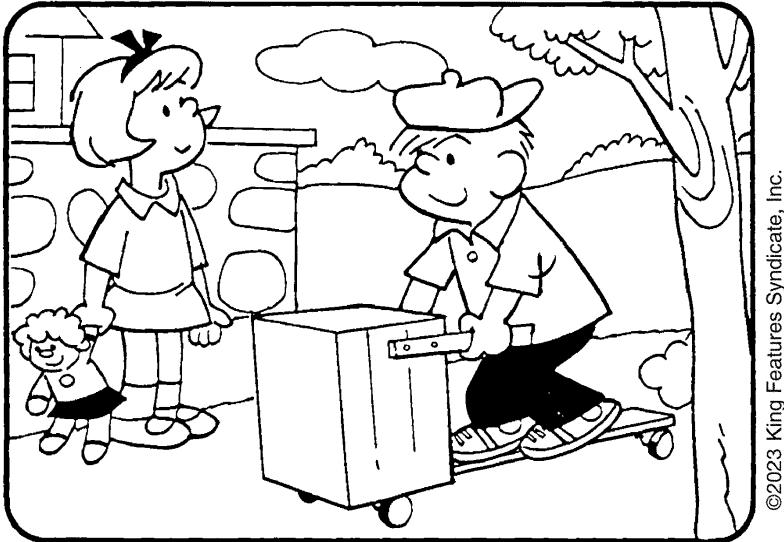
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## HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF




Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Plant is missing. 2. Doll's hair is shorter. 3. Socks are shorter. 4. Horn is missing. 5. Shirttail is different. 6. Wheel is missing.

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Mabrouk LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on August 3, 2023. Office location is Erie County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon who process against may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served upon him/her to 2476 William Street, Cheektowaga, NY 14206. Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity. 42

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1. Aspire 2. Amuse;  
3. Slake; 4. Argue

Today's Word

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King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

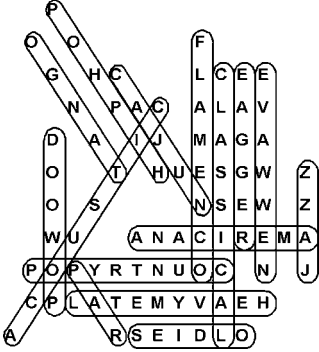
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1	9	4	7	2	6	8	5	3
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MUSIC GENRES



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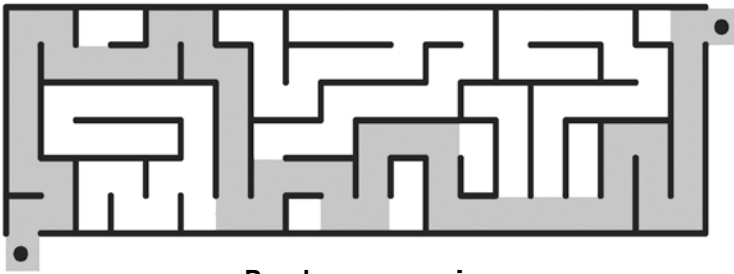
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