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## Happy Veteran's Day 2025!



Veteran's Day occurs on Tuesday, November 11th this year.

history.

The annual Buffalo Veterans Parade November, 8 2025, at 11am on McKinley Parkway to the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens Čeremony starting at 11:30 am 2655 South Park Ave.

Veterans Day occurs on November 11th every year in honor of the "eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month" of 1918

that signaled the end of World War I, honoring the men and women of all wars who have served our Nation and answered the call to defend it. The United States

rose to greatness on the strength of their service and their stories are woven into the fabric of our Nation's

Every Veterans Day, Erie County holds a number of memorial services to honor these men and women for their patriotism, love of country and willingness to serve and sacrifice. I encourage all Erie County residents to take time to honor and celebrate the heroism and courage of our local veteran community by attending a veteran's event in your community or by simply displaying an American flag outside your home.

#### Celebrate The Magic Of The Season At WNY's Favorite Holiday Shopping Tradition, Christmas In The Country



Christmas in the Country, 2024.

The popular and highly anticipated Christmas in the Country Artisan Market returns for its 41st year at the Hamburg Fairgrounds from Nov. 6-9! This cherished Western New York tradition brings together more than 450 artisans from across the country offering an unparalleled array of handcrafted, made-in-the-USA trea-

Spread across five buildings and charming outdoor chalets, you'll discover everything from stunning home décor, unique jewelry and aromatic candles to artisanal foods, small-batch beverages, stylish pottery and even gifts for your pets, making it the ultimate holiday shopping destination for everyone on your list.

Exciting New Finds & Fan Favorites

This year, Premier Promotion's is thrilled to wel-Continued on page six.

#### The Buffalo History Museum "Waterway of Change" Exhibit

The Buffalo History Museum is offering free guided tours of the Waterway of Change exhibit every Saturday at 1:00 PM. The guided tour will last about 40–45 minutes and is limited to  $\overline{20}$ guests. This exhibit invites visitors to explore the transformative story of the Erie Canal. It begins with

traditional THE BUFFALO Haudenosaunee

and the canal's opening in 1825, tracing how it helped turn Buffalo into a bustling port and shipping hub by the late 19th century.

It also highlights the diverse perspectives of Indigenous Peoples, Black individuals, women, and immigrant communities affected by the canal's development, offering a richer understanding of its cultural and historical significance.

Through an interactive multimedia experience featuring short films, touchscreens, audio, historical artifacts, and dramatic lighting, visitors of all ages and abilities will discover

Buffalo's rapid transforhomeland of the HISTORY MUSEUM mation, the technical innovations behind the canal, and the vital contributions of individuals to the city's development.

> We are open the following hours in the fall: Sunday: Thursday -12:00 PM - 5:00 PM.

> For more information please visit buffalohistory.org.

## Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



November, 1993. FIRE SAFETY AT ST. ROSE OF LIMA...Lieutenant Paul Schifferle of the Buffalo Fire Department brought two fire trucks to give the primary grade students at St. Rose of Lima on Winston Road and Parkside Avenue a demonstration and instructions on fire safety.

#### **Local Weather**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH



High 49° Low 46°

Partly Cloudy High 48° Low 58°

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH** 



Rain High 68° Low 56°



Cloudy High 50° Low 55°

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH** 

High 60° Low 47°

**TUESDAY. NOVEMBER 11TH** 

Partly Cloudy High 58° Low 49°

**WEDNESDAY. NOVEMBER 12TH** 

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#### **Botanical Gardens Popular Orchid Show Returns**



The Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens along with the Niagara Frontier Orchid Society will host their biannual Orchid Show featuring hundreds of exotic orchids, vendors, and experts on November 8-9.

The Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens and the Niagara Frontier Orchid Society will host their popular

biannual Orchid Show on Saturday, November 8 from 10:00am to

4:00pm and Sunday, November 9 from 10:00am to 3:00pm. The show will feature hundreds of exotic and award-winning orchids, expert orchid growers and sellers, and other orchid vendors.

Exhibitors of Orchid Show include members of the Niagara Frontier Orchid Society. Visitors will have the opportunity to see hundreds of exotic and award-winning orchids from expert growers and can shop and learn with the vendors. Judging will take place ahead of opening on Saturday, and visitors will be able to see which orchids have taken the top prizes.

This popular event is great for orchid lovers, plant lovers, photographers, or anyone who wants to enjoy a relaxing day among the beautiful flowers within our conservatory. Organizers suggest purchasing tickets ahead of the event, but tickets can also be

purchased at the door.

The Orchid Show is included with regular admission. Tickets for Adults are \$18.00, Sebuffalo and niors and Students are Botanical \$16, Kids Gardens ages 3-12 are \$9.50, and Botanical

Gardens members are always free. A full list of special events, classes, and exhibits can be found on the organization's event calendar at buffalogardens.com. About Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens

Buffalo and Erie Countv Botanical Gardens is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization that welcomes all to enjoy its living plant collections, breathtaking conservatory, and educational programming. Opened in 1900, the Botanical Gardens is located within a park system designed by Frederick Law Olmsted. Support for the organization is provided by public funds from Erie County; the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation; members; donors; and friends.

About Niagara Frontier Orchid Society

The Niagara Frontier Orchid Society's mission is to seek to promote the culture and enjoyment of orchids and aims to further every member's orchid related knowledge. They are dedicated to encouraging the protection of orchids and their conservation in natural habitats around the world. For more information on the Niagara Frontier Orchid Society visit www. niagarafrontierorchids. org.

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## The Blotter **Felonies**

From "D" District

#### Man Steals 4 Credit Cards And Makes Charges Over \$500.00

#### North Buffalo November 3, 2025

Delaware Avenue - During a physical altercation the defendant did grab the victim's breast causing bruising and scratches while screaming obscenities and threatening to sexually assault victim. Fearing for her physical safety, the victim locked herself in her office until police arrived. Victim is seeking order of protection as she works in his group home.

#### November 2, 2025

Norwalk Avenue - The co-defendant did cross onto the complainant's property and did engage the complainant in an aggressive manner after an argument. The defendant did strike the complainant multiple times on the head and face causing visual bruising and physical injury to his face and head. The complainant also complains of shoulder pain. The co-defendant was issued a roadside appearance ticket to appear in Buffalo City Court. Video footage exists of the incident and is recorded on patrol officers body worn camera. The complainant was evaluated by AMR for his injuries.

#### November 1, 2025

Hertel Avenue - The defendant entered victim's property without permission by walking up to the driveway to the rear of the home where a New York registered vehicle was parked. The defendant appears to have a keyfob belonging to the vehicle which was taken during a previous incident. Defendant unlocked the parked vehicle and took 4 credit cards belonging to the victim. A short time later, the defendant used the stolen credit cards to make purchases at Wegmans, 601 Amherst Street, TOPS, 345 Amherst Street, and Home Depot, 2100 Elmwood Avenue. The total financial loss to the victim exceeded \$500.00. Video of the incident and uses of the credit cards collected by detective and obtained by supporting deposition.

October 31, 2025 Ontario Street - The defendant did engage in tumultuous and threatening behavior towards the public and made obscene gestures. The defendant also made threats to shoot an officer in the face.

#### October 31, 2025

Delaware Avenue - Officers responded to accident with injury on Delaware Avenue. Defendant was operating vehicle northbound in the southbound lanes of the S-curves and struck two other vehicles that were traveling southbound in southbound lanes. When officers were investigating accident, defendant did admit to operating said vehicle. Officers observed glassy red eyes, impaired speech, strong odor of alcoholic beverage from defendant. Defendant did admit to officers on scene that she was coming from Mother's Bar/Restaurant and had one martini on scene. In AIU office she stated to officers she had two martinis. Defendant stated that she didn't know how

she ended up going northbound in southbound lane and stated she was very tired. Defendant refused SFST's on the scene and declined ADI. Defendant was read Miranda and DWI warrants on the scene by patrol officer and transported to AIU office in patrol car. Breath test administered by AIU officer. Defendant did test positive for .17% BAC.

#### October 28, 2025

Delaware Avenue - Defendant did get into a verbal altercation with mother. He did threaten to kill his mother. Mother is fearful.

#### West Side October 30, 2025

Elmwood Avenue - Defendant struck victim in the face, causing swelling and pain to right eye. Defendant treated at ECMC for broken nose from inci-

#### October 28, 2025

Elmwood Avenue - Defendant did use an old receipt to match SKU #'s on candy inside 5Below while also placing said items in her purse. 5 candies were attempted to be returned by defendant and defendant did also take without permission 1 pink mug, 1 earphones, and 1 energy drink. Estimated transaction \$17.45. Merchandise returned by patrol officer.

#### MAGIC MAZE • DESCRIBING SNOW

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

Biting Blinding Blizzard Blowing

Crunchy Drifting Grainy Heavy

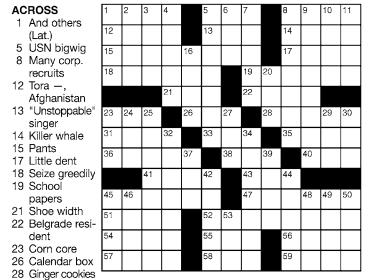
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Answers on page six.

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## **King** Crossword



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Answers on page six.

## Weekly SUDOKU

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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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## Consider the "Wearing Out" Factor While Deciding When to Claim Social Security - Ask Rusty

Dear Rusty: Enjoyed your recent article on claiming SS benefits. I feel, however, any decision making should also include what I call "wearing out" factor. Yes, financial need, health, and longevity are definite criteria for a decision. The inevitable problem (I just turned 83) is the speed at which many of us descend down the back side of that hill after we hit around age 65. Yes, one might live to 85-90 but as you age after 65, many physical limitations begin to appear. Only then does one realize their earlier retirement decision (waiting to max out SS) might not have been honestly evaluated to the extent

needed. I speak from experience: after having reached 60 in excellent health, I took early retirement from work, then Social Security at 62, and glad I did so. I figure the degree of slope on the backside of that "hill" will increase with age (it did quickly for me), so one best start enjoying a retirement life as soon as financially possible. Signed: Glad I claimed at 62

Dear Glad I Claimed

at 62: Thank you very much for your excellent perspective on the "wearing out" factor. And please know that I wholeheartedly concur with your opinion that waiting for a higher Social Security benefit is

not always the most prudent choice. For perspective, however, we have found that far too many people claim Social Security as soon as they are eligible at 62 simply because "it is there," without fully analyzing whether that is the best option considering their personal circumstances.

You are correct - enjoying your retirement life while you are still physically able is a valid consideration. And that is why we always suggest that evaluating both your financial needs as well as your health and life expectancy is important. Fulfilling one's "bucket list" is, indeed, an important consideration and if claiming Social Security at age 62 (after evaluating all factors) enables one to do that, then that is exactly the right choice. It obviously was for you.

Age does, indeed, tend to slow us down, so if taking the SS money early means being able to enjoy life while you still can, then that is a good decision. But having more money as you age can also make your "golden years" a lot more comfortable. As we have recently witnessed, inflation has an insidious way of reducing our financial comfort in retirement. Despite having a retirement pension from your primary working career, imagine how another 25% in your monthly Social Security payment (had you claimed at full retirement age instead of age 62) would help make vour senior years more comfortable.

## **SCRAMBLERS**

solution

1. Worse; 2. Desert;

3. Hamper; 4. Meteor

Today's Word

## **MOTHER'S**

Puzzle on page two



#### Pop Quiz

Test your knowledge!

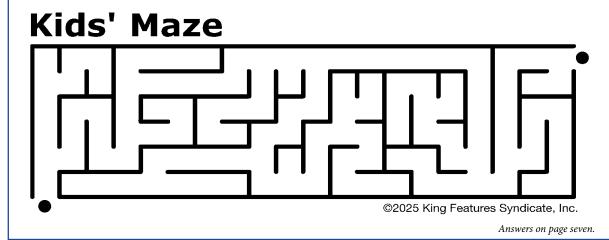
- 1) When was Pluto reclassified as a dwarf planet?
- 2. What phrase does the acronym URL stand for?
- 3) Where are the Dodecanese Islands?
- 4) Which country music star threw the javelin in college?
- 5) Which character on the series "Bridgerton" admits to being Lady Whistledown, the pseudonym of a gossip writer?
- 6) How many degrees are in a circle?
- 7) What was the name of actor Henry Fonda's last movie?
- 8) In human beings, what is the condition called polythelia?
- 9) Which celebrity chef had a specialty food store called "The Barefoot Contessa"?
- 10) What metallic element has the highest melting point?

Answers on page seven



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#### Choir Of St. Louis Church **Welcomes Ars Nova Musicians**

The Choir of St. Louis Church will join the Ars Nova Chamber Musicians for the orchestra's annual VIVA VIVALDI CONCERT on Sunday, November 16th at 5:00 pm in

St. Louis Church, Main and Edward Streets, Buffalo.

Featured will be works of Vivaldi, Corelli, and Bach. The Buffalo Suzuki Strings will join the orchestra in additional works of Vivaldi.

Admission is a suggested donation of \$20 to benefit Ars Nova.

The Choir of St. Louis Church is an all-volunteer ensemble. Its members rehearse each

Thursday evening and lead the musical worship at 11:00 am each Sunday. Its repertoire covers nine centuries of sacred music

and nearly every style of western composition. In past years,

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#### Shea's November Schedule of **Performance & Events**

Performing Arts Center released the schedule of productions and events for November. The month's lineup includes the Broadway

touring production of WICKED, as well as outstanding local productions presented by MusicalFare, Second Generation, and O'Connell & Company Theatres.

The full November schedule is below:

October 23 November 9 for Multiple Performances

Come

From Away

Produced by Musical-Fare Theater

Shea's 710 Theatre, 710 Main Street, Buffalo October 24 - November 9 for Multiple Performances

Urinetown

Produced by Second Generation Theatre Company

Shea's Smith Theatre, 654 Main Street, Buffalo November 1 at 7:00PM Swan

Lake

Shea's Buffalo Theatre, 646 Main Street, Buffalo

November 12 - 30 for

Multiple Performances WICKED

Part of the Five Star Bank 2025-26 Broadway Season

Shea's Buffalo Theatre, 646 Main Street, Buffalo

November 14 - 16 for Multiple Performances

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Academy's Footloose Presented by Nardin Academy

Shea's 710 The-atre, 710 Main Street, Buffalo November 21

December 7 for Multiple Perfor-

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Golden Girls - The Lost Episodes VII

Produced by O'Connell & Company

Shea's Smith Theatre, 654 Main Street, Buffalo

To purchase tickets or for more information on Shea's events visit www.sheas.org. Groups requesting 10 or more tickets can contact Mary Oshei at 716-829-1153 or moshei@sheas.org. Follow Shea's Performing Arts Center on Facebook, for up-to-the-minute announcements, pre-sale codes, and schedule updates.

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Hertel Holidays: The Holiday Season is right around the corner, and Hertel is ready for another great experience! Join us December 5th and 6th for our Hertel Holidays Weekend event! Join us on Friday the 5th, starting at 6PM until 9PM, at St. Margaret's Parish, for the annual Tree Lighting, sponsored by councilman Feroleto. Get a photo with Santa and Mrs. Claus! Then on Saturday get started on your holiday shopping on Hertel! Join us throughout the day for great deals and meals from the local businesses and restaurants along the



Our Lady of Hope Parish 18 Greenwood place Buffalo will be holding it annual fall festival on Saturday November 15th in O"Brian hall on the corner of Grant and Lafayette St. 5:00 PM. Admission \$5.00 including 1 Raffle ticket. additional tickets \$5 or 5 for \$ for \$20. Prizes include 55" TV, Apple I Pod, \$200 cash. Food and drinks available.



**Shea's Performing Arts** Center announced registration is now open for "Sing Your Story," a camp for students ages 10 - 17running during the February school break. Through a song of their choice, students in this camp will

explore their unique life experiences to create a personal monologue and sing their story. Under the guidance of Shea's lead teaching artist Alejandro Gómez, participants will develop their own ideas, lighting, and culminating costumes, in a one-of-a-kind performance where they are the star! Sing Your Story concludes with a community showcase on the Shea's Smith Theatre stage, celebrating each student's creativity and voice. The week-long camp will run February 16 - 20 from 9:00AM - 4:00PM daily. Space is limited. The cost of the camp is \$250 for the week, with assistance available to those in need. To register, visit: https:// www.sheas.org/camps/ sing-your-story/.



Tim Bohen, author of Emerald Thread: The Irish in Buffalo. will give a talk entitled "How the South Buffalo Irish Shaped Our City and Nation" November 18th at the Cazenovia Neighborhood Library, 155 Cazenovia St., Buffalo, NY 14210. Bohen will share the inspiring stories of Buffalo's Irish men and women—politicians, writers, athletes, entertainers, journalists, military heroes, and philanthropists—who have shaped our community. From the first baseball World Series to the Battle of Midway, from the Stanley Cup to the Olympics, and even to Hollywood's bright lights and the halls of Congress, the South Buffalo Irish have made their mark on history and led the way. Don't miss this celebration of their extraordinary legacy. Free & open to the public. Call 716-821-0564 to reserve your seat.



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#### Celebrate The Magic Of The Season At WNY's Favorite Holiday Shopping Tradition, Christmas In The Country

Continued from page one. come nearly 40 new artisans to the market, joining the talented creators you've come to know and love. Meet the makers, hear their stories, and find truly one-of-a-kind gifts. As Dan Kaczynski of Premier Promotions puts it, "We always strive to keep things fresh and exciting while preserving the traditions and artisans our guests love."

Sip, Savor & Stroll

Treat yourself to tastings from some of the region's finest craft spirit and wine producers, then stop by the food truck rodeo for a delicious variety of bites to keep you fueled for a full day of festive fun.

Sneak in a selfie with throughout the Santa weekend and enjoy the DJs from Moving Music Entertainment on 42nd Street all weekend long!

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"This event is too special - and frankly too big — to experience in just one day," said Kaczynski. "Now our guests have the freedom to enjoy it at their own pace.'

Shop With Heart

Even better? Your visit helps support the local community. Proceeds from this year's event will benefit several incredible organizations, nonprofit The P.U.N.T. including Foundation, Hamburg Eden Animal Rescue Team (H.E.A.R.T.), Variety - The Children's Charity of Buffalo and Hamburg Presbyterian Church.

Mark your calendars! Christmas in the Country runs from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

on Nov. 6 and 7, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Nov. 8, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Nov. 9. Discounted tickets are available from Oct. 22 to Nov. 5 at select locations throughout Erie County. For more information, including ticket locations, visit wnypremierpromotions.com.

For more than 40 years, Premier Promotions has produced high-quality, extremely successful artisan events including Springtime in the Country, Christmas in the Country, Yuletide in the Country and Christmas in the Country Rochester. Last year, more than 130,000 visitors attended these events, purchasing more than \$10 million in high-quality, handcrafted goods from juried artists and artisans. These events have also helped raise more than \$3 million for Western New York charities.

#### 6th Annual Turkey Dinner Giveaway

Dominguez Marketing will host its 6th Annual Turkey Dinner Giveaway along with 8 local companies in a combined effort to give away 500 turkey dinners with all the trimmings to local veterans, active military and first responders. The event will be held Wednesday, November 26, beginning at 10 a.m. in the parking lot of the Boulevard Mall at 1267 Niagara Falls Blvd, Amherst, NY 14226 (on the Niagara Falls Blvd. side by the big "B"). The dinners will be served on a first come, first serve basis, and every recipient will receive a reusable tote. Proof will be required (ID, license, badge) and there is a limit of two meals per vehi-

cle. The dinner giveaway has been coordinated for the past five years by Mark Dominguez Jr., CEO of Dominguez Marketing, a Buffalo-based marketing firm. The meals for this year's event have been donated by some of the firm's clients, including AVA Roofing & Siding; Mustachio's Pizza; Modern Flooring & Renovations; UTECH Basement Waterproofing; Mississip-pi Mudds; Old Man River; District 37 Kitchen & Taphouse. Food for the meals is being donated at a reduced cost by Kevin's Catering.

The to-go meals will consist of a slow roasted turkey breast served with mashed potatoes, stuff-

ing, buttered corn, cranberry sauce, and homemade turkey gravy. The meals will be served cold and will need to be reheated.

"This is the least we could do for our local veterans, active military and first responders," said Mark Dominguez, CEO of Dominguez Marketing. "Showing our appreciation for them one day of the year simply does not do justice for the sacrifice each one of them has made defending our country, keeping our streets safe, and making sure people are cared for when they are hurt. They need our continued support as they often miss many of these holidays because of being on duty."

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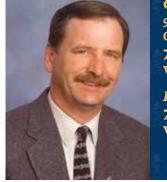
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Articles of Organization in New York on October 20, 2025. The LLC's office is in Erie County. The Secretary of State has been named as agent of service of process against the LLC and shall mail such process to 4492 Haag Road, Eden, New York 14057. The LLC is formed to carry on any business for which an LLC may be formed in NY.

Notice of Formation of Summit Strategic Strategies, LLC Articles of Org. filed with the Sec. of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/18/2025. Office in Erie County. SSNY is the designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 522 W. Ferry Street, Unit 2, Buffalo, NY 14222. Any lawful purpose.

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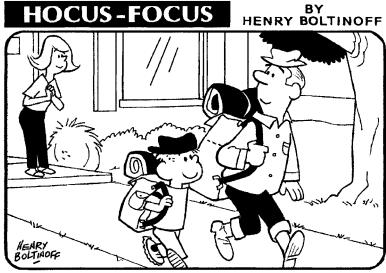
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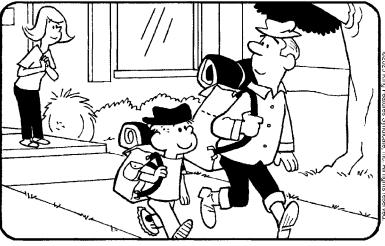
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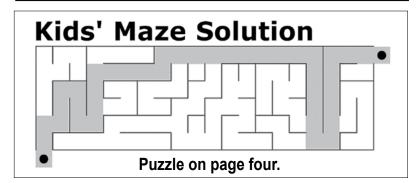


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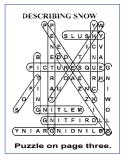
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#### **GAMES**

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