

Local & Entertainment

Search and rescue

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Rope training involved rescuing an injured subject from the side of a cliff. Volunteers rappelled about 70 feet down a cliff and then had to get the injured party on a stretcher. The Air National Guard, out of Mountain Home, Idaho, then used a helicopter and lifted the individual off the cliff. This exercise was repeated six times on Saturday.

In addition, map, compass, and GPS training was offered, along with a little bit on setting up an instant command center.

There was work around characteristics common to missing persons.

Scientific studies offer insights into the behavioral characteristics of missing persons depending on age, gender, and cognitive impairments such as Alzheimers or Down Syndrome.

Wolfe said there are outside factors that also tie into behavior, such as temperature. A person behaves differently at 10 degrees below zero than at 90 degrees.

Former Baker County Sheriff Terry Speelman and his sons did all the

cooking for the event, including putting together a steak dinner on Saturday night.

Wolfe said that more attended the dinner than were able to make the whole training ("specifically, sheriffs").

Sheriff Travis Ash attended a get-together dinner at the training on Saturday evening.

He visited with the eight search and rescue volunteers attending from Baker County, who said the training was fantastic.

Search and Rescue volunteers participate in ongoing monthly training on the local level.

The Region 5 training happens annually and typically rotates between counties. Wolfe said Malheur County has hosted the training the past two years, but a different county will host next year.

According to the Baker County Sheriff website (bakersherrif.org), Baker County Search and Rescue volunteers respond to about 25 missions each year, logging over 16,000 miles by "air, four-wheel drive trucks, snowmobiles, boats and also two-wheeled vehicles."

They also have Horseback Teams. Volunteers

dedicate over 2,255 hours per year.

In addition, volunteers donate use of their personal vehicles and equipment when needed. The site also lists the following tips if you find yourself lost.

First, stop walking! Second, draw attention to yourself in any safe way possible. Finally, keep calm. Build a fire if needed. Wait. Let someone know where you are and when you'll return.

If alerted that someone is lost or missing, "the Baker County Sheriff Search and Rescue team will do our best to find you, that's why we train so much!"

Individuals interested in joining the Search and Rescue team can pick up an application at the Sheriff's Office.

Other ways to support Search and Rescue efforts include making a donation, sponsoring or donating equipment, or sponsoring ongoing training.

Individuals or organizations interested in providing this type of support can contact the Baker County Sheriff's Office (523-6415) or any Search and Rescue member.

Bebe's word search

Types of Music 1

Find and circle all of the different types of music that are hidden in the grid. The remaining 14 letters spell an additional type of music.

R J S A M T S I R H C L A R O H C
 H A K L O P D N A B G I B H C A Y
 T Z C T H N E W W A V E M I I B W
 E Z O A V A N T G A R D E P T M A
 R A R M E R E N G U E A N H S A L
 A C C I L E D E H C Y S P O U S T
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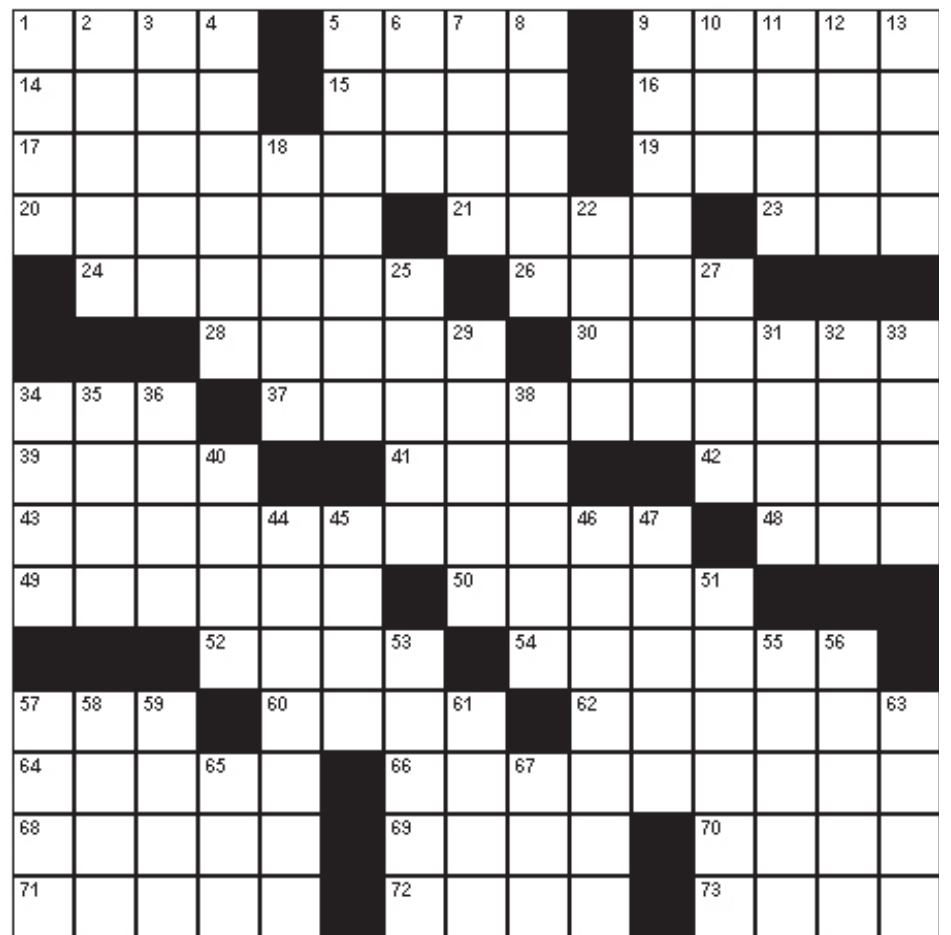
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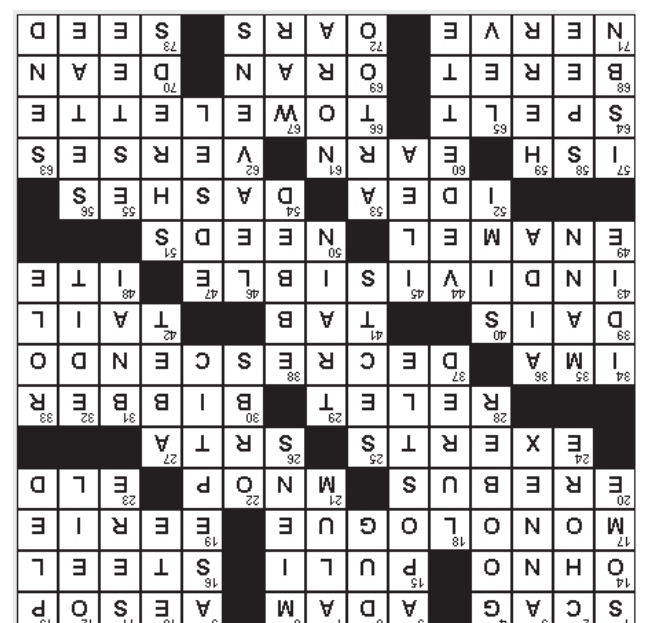
HIP HOP
 INDIAN
 INDIE
 JAZZ
 LATIN MUSIC
 LOUNGE
 MERENGUE
 MEXICAN
 NEW WAVE
 POLKA

PSYCHEDELIC
 PUNK
 ROCKABILLY
 SAMBA
 SOUL
 TANGO
 WALTZ
 WORLD

This week's crossword puzzle



- Across**
- 1- Broadway opener;
 - 5- Portion out;
 - 10- Snack;
 - 14- Arrest;
 - 15- Connect with;
 - 16- Court org.;
 - 17- Narrate;
 - 18- Plant anew;
 - 19- Thicken;
 - 20- Concerns;
 - 22- Slant;
 - 23- Astronaut Grissom;
 - 24- Minute;
 - 25- Spicy;
 - 29- Russian metal urn;
 - 33- Old hat;
 - 34- Concordes, e.g.;
 - 36- Cape Canaveral org.;
 - 37- DDE's predecessor;
 - 38- Camera setting;
 - 39- High hit;
 - 40- Spy Aldrich;
 - 42- Houston hockey player;
 - 43- Small yeast-raised pancake;
 - 45- Shoot-'em-up;
 - 47- Out-of-date;
 - 49- Wolfed down;
 - 50- Calendar abbr.;
 - 51- Judicial rulings;
 - 54- Luggage;
 - 60- Calvary letters;
 - 61- Relish;
 - 62- Second letter of the Greek alphabet;
 - 63- Actor Stoltz;
 - 64- Coeur d' _____, ID;
 - 65- Slat;
 - 66- Ball belles;
 - 67- Put an end to;
- Down**
- 1- Dissenter;
 - 2- Capital of Calvados;
 - 3- Slant;
 - 4- Forbidden by law;
 - 5- Still;
 - 6- Untruths, tells falsehoods;
 - 7- In case;
 - 8- Western Indians;
 - 9- Pull;
 - 10- Proton or neutron;
 - 11- Christiania, today;
 - 12- Cease;
 - 13- Abhor;
 - 21- Mysterious character;
 - 22- Religious sch.;
 - 24- Stinging insect;
 - 25- Balderdash!;
 - 26- "Who's there?" response;
 - 27- Actress Phoebe;
 - 28- German industrial city;
 - 29- Tolerated;
 - 30- Bona fide;
 - 31- All together;
 - 32- Violently intense;
 - 35- Orch. section;
 - 38- Payment for travel; at rest;
 - 43- Univ. hotshot;
 - 44- Lovesome;
 - 46- Athenian vowel;
 - 48- Main dish;
 - 51- Conked out;
 - 52- As to;
 - 53- Child's bed;
 - 54- Shopaholic's delight;
 - 55- Optic layer;
 - 56- Charged particles;
 - 57- Authenticating mark;
 - 58- James of jazz;
 - 59- Comedian Mort;
 - 61- Cul-de-_____



— RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS —

Each week *The Baker County Press* will include a list—all anonymous, of course—of the good deeds and random acts of kindness people from around the area have witnessed. To include something you've seen or experienced, email News@TheBakerCountyPress.com with "Random Acts of Kindness" in the subject line. We'll be sure to include your story.

- We were standing in our front yard and a vehicle stopped and said they were with "We Love our Community,"

a multi-church group, and would we let them haul away a trailer and pick-up load of limbs and branches.

My husband said the would be great and asked if he could make a donation of which they politely said no thanks.

So Saturday morning here came all ages of people working together for the greater good of our little town.

This amazing group of people have huge hearts. Thank you so very much!

- Tonight while having dinner with my son at

the truck stop, we had the most amazing thing happen.

We were enjoying dinner. I was still in uniform after coming back from gunnery, and the waitress came over and asked for our ticket. She said the gentleman sitting next to us bought our dinner.

I asked her where he was and she said that he wanted her to do it after he left.

I wish I could of said thank you to this gentleman.

But he goes to show there are some really kind people out there.

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