

**6/13 STRUT** By Rob Lee

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**Universal Crossword**

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**ACROSS**

1 Computer code for characters

6 Component of E=mc<sup>2</sup>

10 Handle roughly

14 Farmers' market unit

15 One way to run

16 Church nook

17 Slow, on a score

18 Opening time, for many

19 Got bigger

20 Why Mick Jagger shouldn't retire? (with 55-Across)

23 Maiden name precursor

24 \_\_\_ Tome

25 Jewelry fasteners

28 Word seen before "special"

31 Ship's designation

32 "Do the Right Thing" pizzeria owner

33 '50s Kenyan rebel

36 Fashion label

37 Lyrics from 20-Across

41 Tennyson's "Geraint and \_\_\_"

42 Cup supporter

43 Be decisive

44 Was on the bottom?

46 Present from birth

50 Some mammals of Africa, briefly

52 Twinings product

54 Factor in the makeup business

55 See 20-Across

59 Fly with the eagles

61 Snooker sticks

62 Seven in Spain

63 Robinson of "Weakest Link"

64 Neck of the woods

65 Color of honey

66 Kitchen vessels

67 Inclined to listen in

68 Brewer's need

**DOWN**

1 Cockeyed

2 Dorm room staple

3 Boated without a motor

4 Like JFK

5 Baal, e.g.

6 Food from heaven

7 Bud

8 Princes, but not princesses

9 Draw

10 \_\_\_ cum laude

11 Evening activity at Aspen

12 Take unfair advantage of

13 Kareem, as a kid

21 Any Time?

22 Bullfight cheer

26 Breathe hard

27 Furtive

29 At the hub of

30 Chatter incessantly

31 "Star Trek" role

34 Waterfall byproduct

35 One-time connection

36 Bruce or Laura of Hollywood

37 Ruler unit

38 One in a suit

39 Suffix for "beaut"

40 Mattel doll

41 Listening device

44 Booze-hound

45 Depth charge, slangily

47 Itsy-bitsy creature

48 Preferences

49 Thrust out

51 Holes in the head

52 Feller's targets?

53 Test format, sometimes

56 Italian dough?

57 Start of a national anthem

58 Gesture without words

59 Tree juice

60 A Beagle's spouse

**DEAR ABBY**  
**Teen mom shouldn't count on drug-addicted boyfriend**



JEANNE PHILLIPS  
Advice

**Dear Abby:** I'm 16 and a single mom of an almost 4-month-old girl. Her father is a drug addict. He manipulated me into having sex, which I had told him I didn't want to do until I was married. Also, I told him from the beginning of our relationship that if we ever got married and started a family, I never wanted drugs around my children.

The day I found out I was pregnant, he was there. However, later that night when I went out to the garage, I caught him snorting. Is it wrong of me to not involve him in her life? I've given him multiple chances to prove himself of being worthy. — **Teen Mom**

**Dear Teen Mom:** You're not wrong. As long as your boyfriend is involved with drugs, they will come first, and you and your child won't be able to count on him — for anything. This is why it is crucial that you now make your education a priority and earn your high school diploma. You are going to need one — and possibly further education — in order to support the both of you. In the meantime, a counselor at your high school can guide you regarding financial aid if you need it.

**Dear Abby:** I am a 24-year-old Muslim woman who has fallen in love with an agnostic 35-year-old man, "William." The next step in our relationship is marriage, and my problem is our future kids.

My family expects me to marry a Muslim man and have Muslim children. William says that the kids may grow up not wanting to be Muslim, as I would like to raise them, and says he would support whatever they want to be. I want my children to be Muslim, but I really

love this man. My family and religion would not approve such a marriage. Do I walk away knowing I may never love a Muslim man the same way I love William, or marry William, risk the possibility of losing my family, and accept whatever else comes along on this difficult road? — **Torn On The West Coast**

**Dear Torn:** You appear to be a traditional, family-oriented young woman. I assume you are also involved in the Muslim community. If you marry William, the chances of losing all of that are great, and your likelihood of raising devout Muslim children in a household where both parents don't practice the religion will be less.

While you may not love someone else the way you love William, the chances that you will find someone else to love again are good. Because you had to ask me this question, I'm advising you to let William go. If you plan to go ahead with this, you need to have your eyes wide open about what the price will be — because it will be high.

**Dear Abby:** My next-door neighbor keeps asking to use my lawn mower. When he uses it, he runs over stumps and garbage in his yard. I feel he's abusing my generosity. I have hinted that he should pick up things in the yard before he mows, but he never listens. How should I handle this? — **Dull Blades In West Virginia**

**Dear Dull Blades:** Stop beating around the bush instead of being direct. When your neighbor asks to borrow the mower again, tell him that in the past when he has returned it to you, the blades were dull and it created problems for you. Then say no.

**DAYS GONE BY**

**100 Years Ago**  
From the East Oregonian  
June 13-14, 1915

Two indictments charging Lee Dale with the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ogilvy on the evening of June 3 were returned this morning by the grand jury when it made its final report for the special session. The penalty for first degree murder having been abolished by the people at the last election, the indictments charged him with second degree murder, the penalty for which is life imprisonment.

**50 Years Ago**  
From the East Oregonian  
June 13-14, 1965

What caused the series of three blasts west of Hermiston Friday, May 21, about 8:45 a.m. may not be known, but several officials have definite ideas about what did not cause them. At the time the three blasts occurred, two jet planes were observed overhead in the Boardman-Ordinance area. There were theories that the blasts were sonic booms. However, Boardman residents noticed a slight earth tremor at the same time, according to Mayor Dewey West. West and John Basic, assistant manager of the Boeing operation near Boardman, both theorized that blasting for highway and rail relocation on the north shore must have occurred at the same time as the sonic booms. Officials of the

respective operations deny the blasts originated at Umatilla Army Depot, the Boeing operation, the county rock-crushing operation on Umatilla Butte and the north shore relocation work being supervised by the Army Corps of Engineers.

**25 Years Ago**  
From the East Oregonian  
June 13-14, 1990

Famed saddle maker Duff Severe, Wrangler's newest "Legend in Jeans," was photographed last week for the western clothing company's magazine advertisements and for a feature article being written about him for National Geographic magazine. Severe took photographers to Adams and across Thornhollow Grade for pictures among the wildflowers on the foothills of the Blue Mountains. Both photographers, he said, wanted the Blues in the background of their shots. National Geographic, focusing on Severe's saddlery and leather works, photographed the 74-year-old Pendleton icon sitting on the rail of a fence next to a saddle while nephew Randy Severe rode back and forth on a horse in the background. Severe said the National Geographic article, which will feature several artists whose works are on display at the Smithsonian Institute, is planned for January of 1991. Severe has had his saddles and rawhide work displayed at the Smithsonian six times.

**UNIVERSAL Sudoku Puzzle**

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

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DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★☆☆☆☆

**KENKEN**  
THE LOGIC PUZZLE THAT MAKES YOU SMARTER.

6+		48x		3
7+	1	1-		30x
	10x		360x	5-
2				5+
20x		3-	5-	3
2÷				20x

**RULES**

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 6 without repeating.
- The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

**THIS DAY IN HISTORY**

Today is the 164th day of 2015. There are 201 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

**On June 13, 1865,** Nobel Prize-winning poet-playwright William Butler Yeats was born in Dublin, Ireland.

**On this date:**

**In 1525,** German theologian Martin Luther married former nun Katharina von Bora.

**In 1842,** Queen Victoria became the first British monarch to ride on a train, traveling from Slough Railway Station to Paddington in 25 minutes.

**In 1886,** King Ludwig II of Bavaria drowned in Lake Starnberg.

**In 1927,** aviation hero Charles Lindbergh was honored with a ticker-tape parade in New York City.

**In 1935,** James Braddock claimed the title of world heavyweight boxing champion from Max Baer in a 15-round fight in Queens, New York. "Becky Sharp," the first movie photographed in "three-strip" Technicolor, opened in New York.

**In 1942,** the first of two four-man Nazi sabotage teams arrived in the United States during World War II. (The eight were arrested after one of them went to U.S. authorities; six of the saboteurs were executed.)

**In 1957,** the Mayflower II, a replica of the ship that

brought the Pilgrims to America in 1620, arrived at Plymouth, Massachusetts, after a nearly two-month journey from England.

**In 1966,** the Supreme Court ruled in *Miranda v. Arizona* that criminal suspects had to be informed of their constitutional right to consult with an attorney and to remain silent.

**In 1983,** the U.S. space probe Pioneer 10, launched in 1972, became the first spacecraft to leave the solar system as it crossed the orbit of Neptune.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actor Bob McGrath is 83. Artist Christo is 80. Magician Siegfried (Siegfried & Roy) is 76. Singer Bobby Freeman is 75. Actor Malcolm McDowell is 72. U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon is 71. Singer Dennis Locorriere is 66. Actor Richard Thomas is 64. Actor Jonathan Hogan is 64. Comedian Tim Allen is 62. Actress Ally Sheedy is 53. TV anchor Hannah Storm is 53. Rock musician Paul deLisle (Smash Mouth) is 52. Actress Lisa Vidal is 50. Singer David Gray is 47. Rhythm-and-blues singer Deniece Pearson (Five Star) is 47. Rock musician Soren Rasted (Aqua) is 46. Actor Jamie Walters is 46. Singer-musician Rivers Cuomo (Weezer) is 45. Country singer Susan Haynes is 43. Actor Steve-O is 41. Country singer Jason Michael Carroll is 37. Actor Ethan Embry is 37. Actor Chris Evans is 34. Actress Kat Dennings is 29. Actress Mary-Kate Olsen is 29. Actress Ashley Olsen is 29.

**Thought for Today:** "There are no strangers here, only friends you have not yet met." — *William Butler Yeats (1865-1939).*

**7 Little Words®**

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

<b>CLUES</b>	<b>SOLUTIONS</b>
1 owner of Socks the cat (7)	_____
2 knocked the socks off (6)	_____
3 preppy socks (7)	_____
4 home of the White Sox (7)	_____
5 "Silk Stockings" dancer (7)	_____
6 sock (5)	_____
7 nylon inventor (6)	_____

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**WORD★Roundup™**  
by David L. Hoyt & Jeff Knurek

**Find and Circle...**

Eight sports

Four six-letter birds

Bride or groom, just after the ceremony

Luke and Owen Wilson, for example

Large mollusk with an ear-shaped shell

Answers to Saturday's puzzle: BASEBALL FOOTBALL LACROSSE SOCCER HOCKEY RUGBY GOLF POLO / THRUISH ORIOLE FALCON PURFIN / NEWLY WED / BROTHERS / ABALONE

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