

kids' corner

SN Siuslaw News

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New word

PEAT

brown, soil-like material

THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

- 1861: THE CIVIL WAR BEGINS WHEN FORT SUMTER IS ATTACKED.
- 1955: THE POLIO VACCINE OF DR. JONAS SALK IS CALLED, "SAFE, EFFECTIVE, AND POTENT."
- 1981: THE FIRST LAUNCH OF A SPACE SHUTTLE TAKES PLACE.

How they SAY that in...

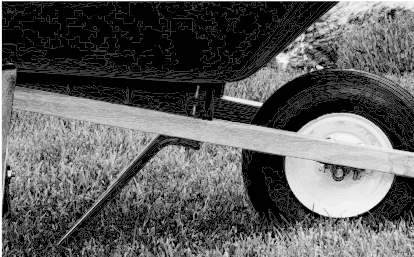
- ENGLISH: Soil
- SPANISH: Tierra
- ITALIAN: Terra
- FRENCH: Sol
- GERMAN: Erde

Did you know?

HOMEOWNERS SHOULD KEEP THEIR LAWNMOWER BLADES SHARP FOR THE BEST RESULTS.



GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: WHEELBARROW

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

WORD FUN

Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

WHAT KIND OF BEANS DO NOT GROW IN GARDENS?

|        |     |       |     |        |     |       |
|--------|-----|-------|-----|--------|-----|-------|
| JOSTLE | ___ | STOLE | ___ | EBBING | ___ | BINGE |
| ESTEEM | ___ | MEETS | ___ | ECHOER | ___ | CHORE |
| BLAZER | ___ | ZEBRA | ___ | SEATER | ___ | STEER |
| LITERS | ___ | TRIES | ___ | FINDER | ___ | FRIED |
| PASTRY | ___ | PARTS | ___ | HASSLE | ___ | SHALE |

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Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

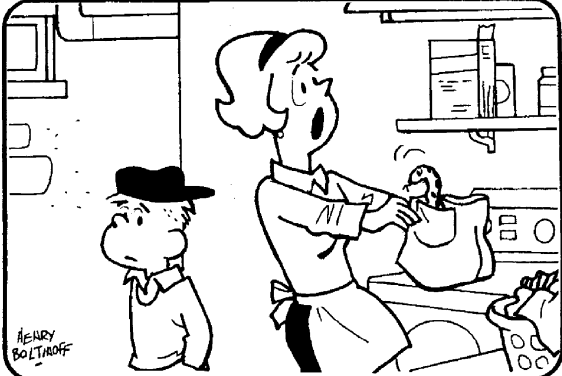
Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

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|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|
| 1. Food closet       | ___ N ___ | Cream puff or éclair | ___ S ___ |
| 2. Tom Sawyer author | ___ W ___ | Amtrak vehicle       | ___ R ___ |
| 3. Of the sun        | ___ L ___ | Underwater radar     | ___ N ___ |
| 4. With more speed   | F ___     | Spring holiday       | E ___     |
| 5. Peace prize giver | ___ B ___ | Work of fiction      | ___ V ___ |
| 6. Teakettle vapor   | ___ M ___ | Swipe                | ___ L ___ |
| 7. Clothes cupboard  | ___ T ___ | No longer opened     | ___ D ___ |
| 8. Timber board      | ___ L ___ | Jokester's trick     | ___ R ___ |
| 9. King's stand-in   | ___ G ___ | Up to date           | ___ C ___ |
| 10. Betty or Vanna   | ___ H ___ | Take pen to hand     | ___ R ___ |

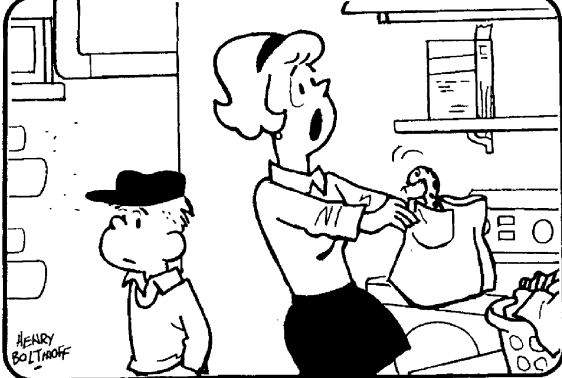
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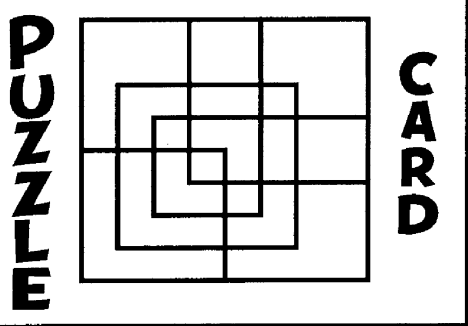
BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Apron is missing. 2. Boy's cap is turned forward. 3. Shorts are longer. 4. Items are missing from shelf. 5. There are more wall bricks. 6. Pipe is lower on wall.



YOU HAVE TWO MINUTES to count all of the squares in the above drawing

Answer: 17 squares

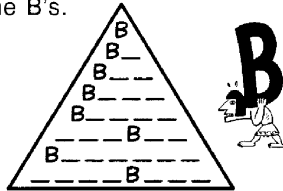
SEE IF YOU CAN make this math expression correct by inserting three plus signs and one minus sign between the numbers:

9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 = 100

Answer: 98 - 76 + 54 + 3 + 21 = 100

THE 'B' PYRAMID! As you move down the word pyramid shown here, each word contains the same letters as the word above it, plus a new letter. We give you all the B's. Here are some hints from the top down:

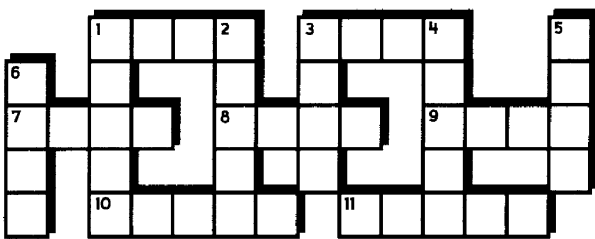
1. Blood type (given).
2. To exist.
3. A wager.
4. To defeat.
5. A whining complaint.
6. Home to animals.
7. Shattered apart.
8. Type of trucks.



Answers: The words are b, be, bet, beat, bleat, stable, blasted, flatbeds.

Junior Whirl

by Charles Barry Townsend



A PET PARADE PUZZLE!

Pictured above is a crossword puzzle grid. Below are words pertaining to cats and dogs that you will need to complete the puzzle, using the trial-and-error method. Try to finish before chow time!

| 4-letter words | 5-letter words |
|----------------|----------------|
| BRED           | FLEAS          |
| BULL           | LEASH          |
| HEEL           | LITHE          |
| OBEY           | SMELL          |
|                | WOOFs          |

Answers: (Across) 1. Show. 3. Bull. 7. Heel. 8. Obeys. 9. Tail. 10. Leash. 11. Fleas. (Down) 1. Smell. 2. Woofs. 3. Bred. 4. Lithe. 5. Yelp. 6. Shed.

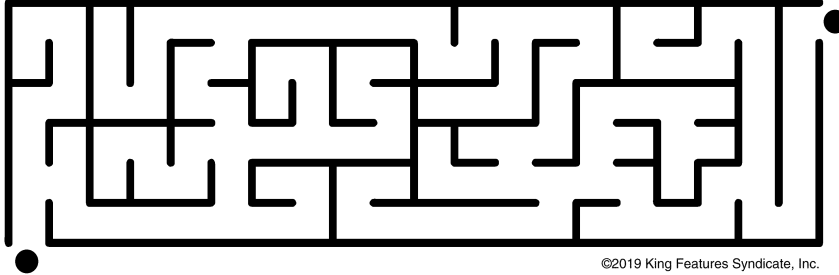


Kids' Maze Solution

| Even Exchange answers |
|-----------------------|
| 1. Panty, Pastry      |
| 2. TwaIn, TraIn       |
| 3. SolAr, SonAr       |
| 4. FastEr, EastEr     |
| 5. NobEl, NovEl       |
| 6. Steam, Steal       |
| 7. Closest, Closed    |
| 8. Plank, Prank       |
| 9. Regent, Recent     |
| 10. White, Write      |

| Puzzles4Kids Answer |
|---------------------|
| JOSTLE              |
| ESTEEM              |
| BLAZER              |
| LITERS              |
| PASTRY              |
| BINGE               |
| CHORE               |
| STEER               |
| FRIED               |
| SHALE               |

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