

Cutthroat

Continued from B1

On the prior trip, we collectively caught and released four dozen or so cutthroat trout up to 15 inches long during a full day of fishing near mile marker 50. An equal number of smaller fish were landed upriver in a higher gradient section the following day, but we had to work harder for them. My largest cutthroat, an orange-belly 18-incher that showcased bold freckles along its broad back and tail, was caught downstream of Avery on the drive home.

Instead of planning the next day's route with a well-worn gazetteer, Ted scrolls up Google Earth on an iPad. The gas fireplace glows while Ken relaxes on a leather couch and surfs the internet on his iPhone. I gaze at million-dollar homes across the lake and hook up Pandora on my iPhone. Classic tunes by Buffalo Springfield, The Youngbloods, and Bob Dylan evoke a college memory, when a girlfriend (now wife) and I drove from Corvallis to Eugene for a Neil Young concert. Arriving a few minutes early, we banged on the front door of the concert hall and asked, "Where do we buy tickets?"

A shaggy-hair guy wearing silk pantaloons, tie-dye shirt, and love beads around his neck replied with a sleepy-eye smile, "Sorry, it's been

sold out for a week," leaving us confused like the naive Eastern Oregon natives we were. Sadly, the kaleidoscope glasses purchased especially for the event have long since disappeared.

Back to fishing. Because of the 100-mile drive and a long delay from road construction, our day on the St. Joe starts off slow. Ted manages to land two nice-sized cutts on an Elk Hair Caddis while Ken and I mostly switch flies. After a hasty roadside lunch, the sun comes out and we move to less accessible shorelines. The tradeoff is having to maneuver ankle-busting rocks, bathtub-size boulders, drop-offs, and obstacles hidden in reed canary grass. However, regular rises from feeding trout reinforces our intention and action picks up.

Once again, a No. 14 St. Joe Special (similar to a Gray Wulff) is the top dry fly of the day. What's different from the trip where we "roughed it" though, is less time spent on the water and fewer trout caught because of the lengthy commute back to a soft mattress, hot shower, galley kitchen, and Wifi. Only time will tell if the next road trip for Idaho's renowned cutthroat trout leads to a different approach.

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As harvest of cutthroat trout is not allowed in Idaho Panhandle streams, Ken Gano carefully releases a feisty 14-inch beauty.

Knives

Continued from B1

How do you carry your folder? I still love the old leather sheaths but now almost everyone offers a canvas sheath, I assume to cut cost. Pocket clips have become super popular. I have a love/hate relationship with them. I

must love them because that's all I carry but I hate them because they obstruct my hand when reaching into my pocket. But I've found the perfect solution. Some of my 5.11 pants have a 3/4-inches wide and 5/2-inches deep knife pocket. The perfect solution for carrying a folder utilizing a pocket clip.

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by Stella Wilder

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

YOUR BIRTHDAY by Stella Wilder

Born today, you are rarely one to step out of your comfort zone, but yours is so vast that this is not something to be overly concerned about -- for it's not likely to hold you back in any way. Yes, you are one of those who is more than willing to explore the kinds of things that others are not, if only to be able to say that you have done it. You are a firm believer in trying, and you will try almost anything.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) -- You may find it troubling at first that someone you admire is coloring outside the lines -- but you can actually learn much from such daring.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) -- You may finally come to the correct conclusion about something you've tried more than once. Is it time to move on? If so, today's the day.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) -- A friendly competition is likely to heat up today, but you know how to keep the mood light and fun. Your attitude can lead to victory.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) -- The plan you're following may have to be adjusted somewhat today in order to accommodate for some unexpected circumstances.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) -- Are you putting enough effort into your work? You'll have a chance to assess your overall productivity today without missing a beat.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) -- It may feel as though you are doing too much for someone else and not enough for yourself -- but the evidence doesn't support this notion.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) -- A chance encounter gives you a much-needed boost today. You're able to see more clearly during afternoon hours, when distractions are few.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) -- You may be

tempted to tell someone what they want to hear, but taking the easy route like that isn't the right choice for you today.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) -- While someone gets bogged down in the intricacies of some new rules, you should be able to move ahead and optimize productivity.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) -- You may be the only one who can solve a problem that is more systemic than anything else. You have a unique way of seeing the big picture.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) -- You're willing to pay for what you want, but you may not be spending your money wisely if you do this now. Can you wait a week or two?

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) -- Once you realize that you've misinterpreted someone's behavior, you can get back on track. Today your methods prove more effective.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLER

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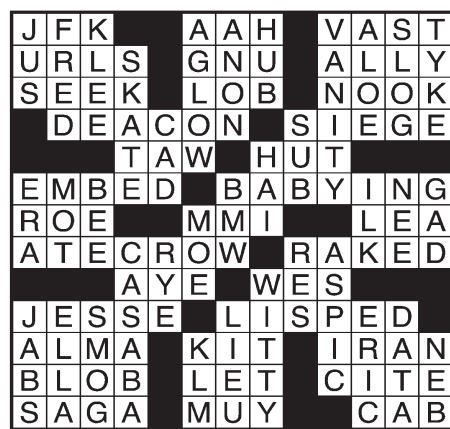
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- 9 Mandible
- 12 Run — of the law
- 13 Excessively
- 14 Make do with
- 15 Wedding bands
- 16 Environment
- 18 Box-office sign
- 19 Blue-penciled
- 21 Man of the haus
- 23 Freud, to himself
- 24 Great Wall locale
- 28 Charged particles
- 30 Meyers of "Kate & Allie"
- 31 Cleaning tools
- 34 More heroic
- 37 Winter Games grp.
- 38 Enjoy the hammock

- 39 Carry
- 41 — a ride (hitchhike)
- 42 "Waterboy" Sandler
- 46 Genetically doubled
- 49 Like some hours
- 50 Continuing
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- 59 Gridiron stats
- 60 Bristol buddies

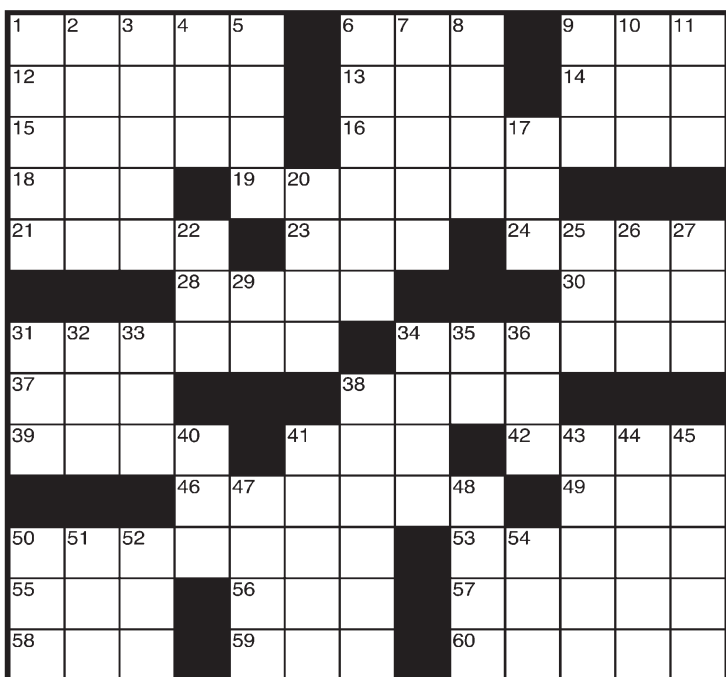
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- 1 Cattail site
- 2 Really excited
- 3 Generous one
- 4 Carpet
- 5 Threat ender
- 6 Moral codes
- 7 Very reluctant

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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- 8 Earring site
- 9 747 or DC-10
- 10 FBI acronym
- 11 Squishy
- 17 Mountain near Troy
- 20 Uproads
- 22 "Road to —"
- 25 — ammoniac
- 26 Intense anger
- 27 Tire filler
- 29 Lama's chant
- 31 Morsel
- 32 Tigger's friend
- 33 Libra's mo.
- 34 Appointment
- 35 Lb. fraction
- 36 Ms. Arthur
- 38 Boxers' jabs
- 40 Environmental prefix
- 41 Filleted
- 43 Lived
- 44 Nest on a crag
- 45 Supermarket buys
- 47 Pick up
- 48 Student's quarters
- 50 Planet, in verse
- 51 Blackhawks org.
- 52 Landed
- 54 Princess perturber

103 Announcements



PULL TABS ACCEPTED
AT THE FOLLOWING BAKER CITY LOCATIONS

- Baker City Herald
- Dollar Tree
- Black's Distributing
- Ryder Bros
- VFW
- Baker Elk's Lodge
- Main Event
- Baker City Fire Dept.
- Haines Sell-Rite
- Idle Hour
- Salvation Army

104 Community Calendar

VFW POST 460
Every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 7pm.
Corner of Main at Birch in Union

LA GRANDE LIONS CLUB
Meets 2nd & 4th Monday of each month @ 12 PM
Union County Senior Center
1504 N. Albany St., La Grande

PINOCHLE
Fridays at 6:30 p.m.
Senior Center
2810 Cedar St., Baker City
Public is welcome

Baker County United "freedom rallies"
3rd Thursday each month 6 p.m. at the Sunridge 1 Sunridge Lane.
The public is invited

ROTARY CLUB of Baker City
Meets every Monday
Noon - 1 PM
Baker Towers Meeting Room

POWDER RIVER SPORTSMAN'S CLUB
Meets 1st Tuesday of every month
8th & Broadway, Baker City
6 PM - Pistoletto
7 PM - Regular Membership

114 Group Meetings

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
541-805-2229
neo-na.org

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
Monday, Thursday, & Friday at 8pm. Episcopal Church
2177 First St., Baker City

Call
541-963-3161
or
541-523-3673
to place your ad.

114 Group Meetings

AA MEETINGS - La Grande
Wednesday Nights, 7-8:15pm.
Fort Union Grange Hall, corner of McAlister & Gekeler Lanes. For more info, call 541-786-1222

AL-ANON
Keep Coming Back Family Group
Mondays, 7 pm
at NKWest, 1208 Adams, La Grande, OR

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CELEBRATE RECOVERY
Calvary Baptist Church
Third & Broadway
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EVERY THURSDAY
6:15 - 8:00 PM

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DO YOU HAVE...HURTS, HABITS and/or HANG UPS?
12 Step Biblical Support
Harvest Church
3720 Birch St. Baker City
Thurs., 6:30 - 8:30 PM

LA GRANDE GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
Every Friday Night @ 5pm, 2107 Gekeler Ln, LG, Church of Christ basement. For more info please call 971-219-8411

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BAKER COUNTY AA MEETINGS BAKER CITY

MONDAYS Survivor's Group
12 -1:00 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

WEDNESDAYS Survivor's Group
12:05 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

THURSDAYS Survivor's Group
12:00 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

SATURDAYS As Bill Sees It Group
10:00 am 2970 Walnut (Corner of "D" & Grove St.) Grove Apts. Community Rm

SUNDAYS Been There Done That
5:30 pm
Grove Apartments Community Room
2970 Walnut Street

Questions call AA Hotline:
541-624-5117
www.oregonaadistrict29.org

114 Group Meetings

Someone's drinking a problem? AL-ANON Meetings are available by phone Info for **Baker City Meetings** Call: 541-239-7323

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
Goin' Straight Group
Meetings:
Mon., Tues. Thurs. & Fri.
Start at 8 PM
Episcopal Church Basement
2177 1st Street, Baker City

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS
Would you like to stop compulsive eating?
For Information Call 541-523-5128
Leave a Message
Email: ecapoa@live.com

PEOPLE with PARKINSON'S
Caregivers, Family, Friends SUPPORT GROUP
Contact: 541-963-1486
Now meeting at GR Hospital first Thursdays at 4:30 p.m.
education@grh.org

WALLOWA COUNTY AA MEETINGS

Enterprise MONDAYS Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
Closed Meeting
113.5 E Main St.

TUESDAYS Enterprise Group
7 - 8:00 pm
(Big Bk Study)
113.5 E Main St.

WEDNESDAYS Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
Closed Meeting
113.5 E Main St.

THURSDAYS Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

FRIDAYS Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
Closed Meeting
113.5 E Main St.

SATURDAYS Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

City of Joseph WEDNESDAYS Buck Stops Here
Joseph United Methodist Church, 12 pm
301 S. Lake St., Joseph (Church Basement)

THURSDAYS Grace and Dignity *(WM)
Joseph United Methodist Church, 12 pm
301 S. Lake St., Joseph (Church Basement)

SATURDAYS Buck Stops Here
Joseph United Methodist Church, 12 pm
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