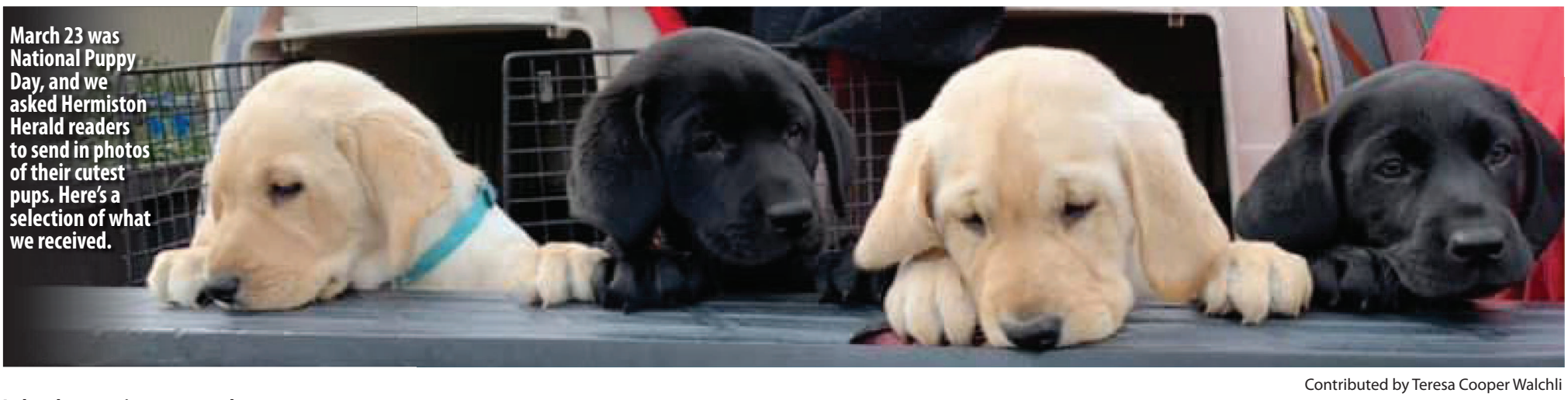
Puppies on parade



March 23 was National Puppy Day, and we asked Hermiston Herald readers to send in photos of their cutest pups. Here's a selection of what we received.

Contributed by Teresa Cooper Walchli

Labradour retrievers, 7 weeks.

Contributed by Tracie Brittner

A crate of young pups.

Photo contributed by Becky Janssen

Blu

Photo contributed by Jamie Christopher

Frodo

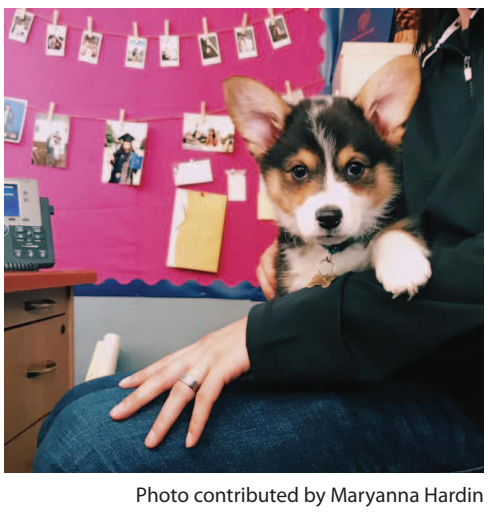
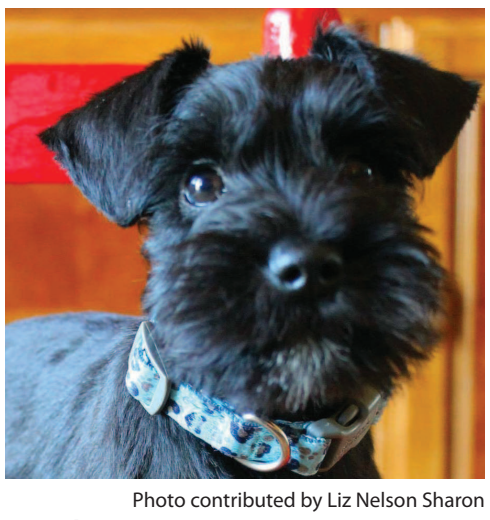


Photo contributed by Maryanna Hardin

Leo



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Memphis

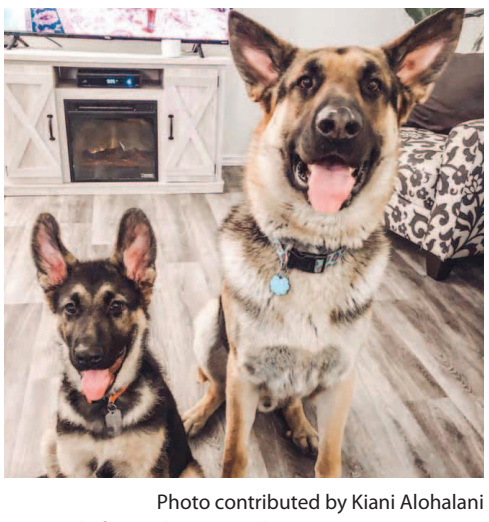

Photo contributed by Kiani Alohalani

Draco (left) and Rico (right)

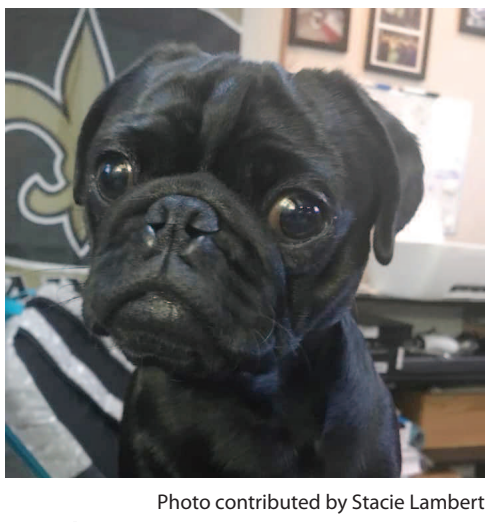

Photo contributed by Stacie Lambert

Leonidas

Photo contributed by Judy Hartley-Crosby

Thor

Photo contributed by Daniel Mullay

Sophie and Lucy.

Contributed by Brisa Anaya Estrada

Rocky

Photo contributed by Alejandra Meza

Lexi

CRYPTOQUIP

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: **H** equals **Y**

BQ HMP ALL JLCCBAD QPZLA LZRKRUBKS QJMZ AMZLUDBKS, WMPFC HMP WRFF UDLZ JMAL-WMFMJLC SRALA?

could you call them rose-colored gases?

SUPER CROSSWORD: ANIMAL ADAPTATIONS

ACROSS
1 Cut, as film
5 "— I lie?"
10 Grows dim
15 Opera parts
19 Major- — (butler)
20 Region of old Greece
21 Fictional belle Scarlett
22 Tales of old
23 One stealing a serpent?
25 Houses, to Hernando
26 Came to rest
27 Aid in antiquing
28 Escort a wild canine?
31 Slender, like stags tend to be?
35 Suit jacket
36 35mm camera inits.
37 Wimple wearers
38 King Kong and others
39 Caucus state
42 "Capeesh?"
44 Golf prop
45 Glass rims
46 Grizzly who's a country music star?
48 Battery part
49 Vital artery
50 Norse deity
51 Of the eyes
54 Verdi opera
56 Vim
58 Terminate
62 Choice between an impish practical joke and an aquarium fish?
66 Boomer's son, say
68 Sequoia, e.g.
69 Gobbling fowl
70 Show open disdain for
72 Neighbor of Kenya
75 Butyl ender
76 Feline sign
78 Young sheep from an ancient Palestinian region?
80 Varnish stuff
83 Antelope of Africa
85 Went lower
86 French novelist Jules
87 Octa- plus two
89 Belie
92 $5 bills, informally
94 Pinniped pedestrian?
98 Certain Fed
99 K-12 org.
102 Mrs. monster
103 Make at work
104 Singer Andy
105 Outward appearance
106 — hunch
107 Tiny, to tots
109 Steed native to the Garden State?
112 The absolute best burrowing rodent?
116 "I smell —!" ("This is fishy!")
117 Thus
118 Gymnast Comaneci
119 Gratitude expressed by a chatty bird?
124 Retail (for)
125 Wicked things
126 Innately
127 — Tzu (dog)
128 Sequoia, e.g.
129 Chief belief
130 Trample
131 Totally fill

DOWN
1 Mag staffers
2 Phil who had a talk show
3 Conceive of
4 Coin substitutes
5 Jokester
6 "Nice one!"
7 Octa- minus seven
8 Feudal superiors
9 "Platoon" actor Willem
10 Points where rays meet
11 At the drop of —
12 Windshield-attached recorder
13 Muse of hymns
14 Glided down the runway
15 "There oughta be —!"
16 Huge statues
17 Singer doing a vocal quaver
18 Emancipate
24 Time period of interest
29 More twisted, as humor
30 Running shoe brand
31 Blasting material
32 Go by sea
33 Materialize
34 — Moines, Iowa
40 Granola bar bit
41 End a shoot
43 — Reader (magazine)
45 "Willard" actress Sondra
46 Moored ship used as lodging
47 Get by
48 Opt for
49 Yemen port
51 Ferret cousin
52 Pare down
53 Car's four
55 "Let's do this thing!"
57 Praise highly
59 Seven-Emmy Ed
60 Neighbor of Ethiopia
61 Get by
63 Popeye's Olive
64 Stephen of "Still Crazy"
65 Amount that can be carried
67 Hairpiece, slangily
71 Help in a bad deed
73 Accepted fact
74 Toby brews
77 The same, to Henri
79 Served in blazing brandy
81 Notion, to Henri
82 Reporter, colloquially
84 — Major
88 Musical clicker
90 Always, in sonnets
91 Bluegrass instrument
93 Wee toddler
94 Most quickly
95 Cold-shoulder giver
96 Make dirty by trailing through mud
97 Entered, as data
98 Mil. enlistees
99 Nasty fish
100 Diagnostic package
101 Hex- follower
104 Less cheery, to a Brit
105 Boggy tract
108 Barrel slat
110 "Nightmare" film setting: Abbr.
111 "So there!"
113 Part in a play
114 Really peeve
115 Gigantic
120 Rome-to-Vienna dir.
121 Slow — snail
122 Politico Cruz
123 That vessel

SUDOKU

6				2		7		
		5	3		1		2	
	8		5					4
1				3			5	8
		9	6			2		
	5				7			9
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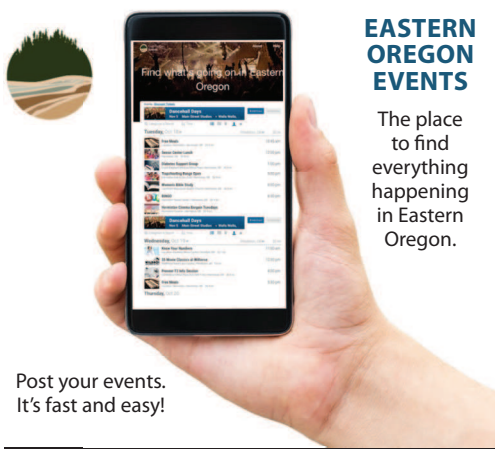
DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★



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Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

6	9	8	3	4	7	1	2	5
8	3	4	1	9	5	6	7	2
7	9	1	8	6	2	5	4	3
2	5	8	4	1	7	3	6	9
3	4	9	6	5	8	2	1	7
1	6	7	2	3	9	4	5	8
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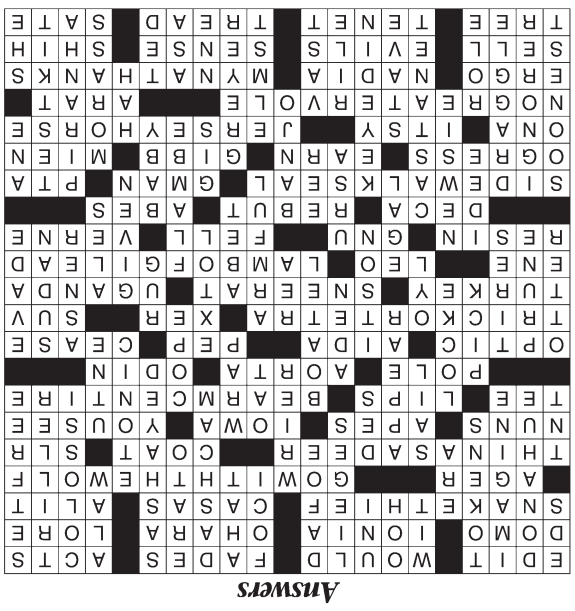
Super Crossword Answers



CryptoQuip answer

If you see reddish fumes emanating from something, call the fire department.

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