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Sun. 30th, 12pm-3pm

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#### Meat Raffle

Friday at 5pm and Saturday at 3pm Video Horse Races After Meat Raffle

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Tuesday @ 7 pm MEGA - SOTA **Statewide Progressive Bingo** 



**First Monday of** the month, 7pm





## P Tower Days!

We are hosting Family Bingo under the Tent at Lakeside Lions Park at 1PM, Handbag Bingo in the Park at 4:30PM, & Meat Raffle at 6PM. June 9th.



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Sundays 2:30pm & Tuesdays 6:30pm Bar Bingo Wednesday 6:30pm & Saturday 3pm Texas Hold'em Friday 7:15pm Get A Clu Trivia • 6pm Meat Raffle Saturday 8:30pm Karaoke • 2:30pm Meat Raffle Pot Luck July 4th, Starting at 3pm

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June 15 - 2-4pm & 5-7pm @ Washington County Fairgrounds

Stillwater Chamber of Commerce Food Truck Extravaganza

June 22nd - 2-4pm @ Stillwater Middle School The Relay For Life Fundraiser

June 23rd - 2pm @ Legion Post 491 Purse Bingo supporting

Stillwater High School Theater





June 29th,

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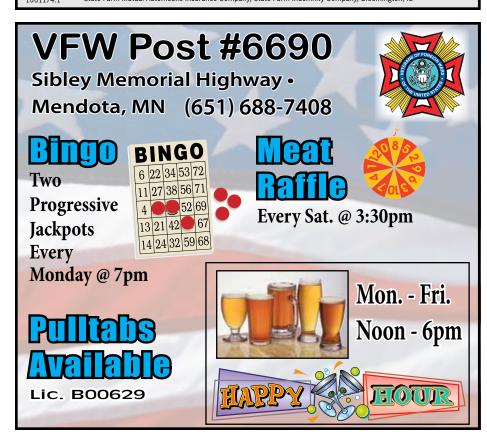
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- Saturday: 1, 3, 7, 9, & 11pm Sunday: 1, 3, 7, 9, & 11pm •

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Hours

Fri



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Sat 7am to 2am

10am to 2am

**Tues - Thurs** 11am to 2am

10am - 1am

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#### Monday

2-4-1 Drinks until 10pm! Hot Beef Sandwich

#### Tuesday

2-4-1 Burgers: 5pm-8pm 2-4-1 Drinks: 8-10pm

#### Wednesday

\$3.50 U-Call-Its: 9pm-11pm

#### Thursday

\$3.50 U-Call-Its: 9pm-11pm Hot Turkey Sandwich

Friday & Saturday Drink Specials: 9pm-1am

Sunday

2-4-1s 7pm-9pm

## Pull Tabs Every Day Bingo



& Sat. @ 2pm Meat Raffles

Fri. @ 5:30pm & Sat. @ approx. 4:30pm





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Monday - Thursday: 11am - 11pm Friday - Saturday: 9:30am - Mid. Sunday: 9:30am´ - 11pm

#### **Happy Hour**

2pm – 6pm • Mon - Fri 4-6pm Saturdays 2 for 1 on all Domestic Beer and Rail Drinks

#### Bar Bingo

Wed. @ 6:30pm, Sat. @ 2pm \$1000 Winner, Every Saturday!

**Meat Raffles** 

Sat. @ 4:30pm

## SMILWYIL S SPECIALS

\$3.25 Domestic Taps \$4 Homerun Drop Shots

**CR's 7th Inning Stretch** 2 for 1's on Domestic Taps **Bottles, and Call Drinks** 

## **Upcoming Events**

#### June 8th, 9:30am, Bus Leaves 11am

## Turtle Lake Casino Run \$40/Person. Includes:

Breakfast at CR's, Bus Ride, Beer on Bus, Pizza Buffet Dinner at CR's Upon Return, and Games for Cash Prizes on Bus.

40 Seats Available! First Come, First Serve!

## June 21st, Bus Leaves at 6pm RACE DAY BUS TRIP To Princeton Raceway

\$40 Per Person

Includes: Bus Ride, Beer on Bus, Ticket to the Races, and DW Clothing T-Shirt. Sign-up with Jerry Today! ◆

First 70 Paid are IN!

July 20th, 9am Sign-up, 11am Start MPA MID-SUMMER 8-BALL **SHOOTOUT!** 



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#### Meat Raffle

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Mingo W/DEAL OR NO DEAL Tue. & Thurs. 6:30pm

Progressive Mingo Sat. at 2pm

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SAT. JUN. 1<sup>ST</sup>

FRI. JUN. 7<sup>TH</sup>
THE EXPRESS BAND

SAT. JUN. 8TH

FRI. JUN. 14TH LOW VOLTAGE

SAT. JUN. 15TH ATOMIC PLAYBOYS

FRI. JUN. 21<sup>ST</sup> ANTHEM

SAT. JUN. 22<sup>ND</sup>
HEROES END BAND

FRI. JUN. 28<sup>TH</sup> NIGHT SHIFT

SAT. JUN 29TH SEVEN/SEVEN

FRI. JUL. 5<sup>TH</sup> RADIO ACTIVE

SAT. JUL. 6TH R-FACTOR

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\$2 Domestic Bottle \$3 Rail Liquor



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2 for 1's

**Every Day 3-6 pm** 

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5 for \$15

14

Taps!

**Bucket Special** 

Designer Purse Bingo June 19th @ 6:30pm Come in Early.

**Open on July 4th** 





Bingo Tuesday 6pm Win up to a \$1,000

**Meat Raffles** Every Tuesday & Friday @ 5pm

Flash Bingo

**Minnesota Linked Bingo** Win up to \$100,000

E - Tabs Now Available Win up to \$1,499



85% payback Monday - Thursday:

3pm - 10:30pm Friday: 3pm - 11pm Saturday: 12 - 11pm

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Dan Reeves Friday, June 7th &

21st, Saturday, June 15th

Friday, June 14th & 28th

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Sunday - Thursday 11am - 1pm 9 - 11pm O Every Monday
Drink Tickets 7 - 9pm Beer of the Month Miller Lite & MGD \$2.50 Every Saturday
Bloody Mary's \$2.50, 10am - 12pm

Every Friday, 5pm-8pm: Pork Chop or Fish Dinne \$9, comes W/coleslaw, Baked Potato, Sour Cream or French Fries

Every Saturday & Sunday, 1pm: Burger Baskets

\$6.75, comes with Homemade Potato Salad, Baked Beans, or French Fries

June 1st, 4:30pm-7pm:
Pork Tenderloin Dinner
\$7, comes w/Baked Potato, Sour cream,
Coleslaw, Sandwich only for \$5 June 8th, 8pm-Midnight: Live Music **Sheet Rockers Band** June 19th, 5pm: Steak Dinner \$11, comes w/ Baked Potato, Sour Cream, & Coleslaw June 22nd 8pm-Midnight: Live Music

**Just Us Band** June 23rd, 2pm-5pm: Live Music

Tailspin Band June 23rd, 2pm till gone: Hot Beef Brisket Sandwich \$6, w/Chips

## **Bingo:** Mon. @ 1pm

**Meat Raffle:** 

Fri. @ 6pm, 20 Pkgs. Sat. Jun. 1st @ 3:30pm

## **Pull-Tabs** & E-Tabs:

Sun. - Thurs. @ 12-10pm, Friday @12pm-12am &

Sat. @ 11am-12am



\$1000!

2:30pm

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8100 Pleasant View Drive NE. Spring Lake Park, MN 55432 763-780-1900



Tuesday

Sundays **Bar Bingo** 2 coveralls up to

**Bar Bingo** 2 coveralls, up to \$1000! 6:30pm

Taco Tuesdays

2nd and 4th Tuesday every month

Wednesday Texas Hold'em

6:30pm



**Friday** TRAIA **Get A Clu Trivia** 7:15pm

> **Meat Raffle** Every Friday @6pm

Saturday Texas Hold'em 3pm

Karaoke 8:30 pm

**Meat Raffle** Every Saturday @2:30pm



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Monday, June 24

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Pull-Tabs & 1- Tabs Daily

Progressive Cash Bingo Thurs 6:30 pm 16 30 40

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on Jun. 10, 5-8pm

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## Live Music June

Sat. Jun. 1 - Way Back Whens

Sat. Jun. 8 - Top 3

Fri. Jun. 14 - Hi Hats

Sat. Jun. 22 - Top 3

Sat. Jun. 29 - TBD



Karaoke Tuesdays & Thursdays 7:30 -11:30pm You've tried all the rest, now come to the best.

Father's Day Special Buffett Sunday, June 16th

**BINGO** Sundays @ 2pm

Bar BINGO Wednesdays @ 5pm

## **Meat Raffle & Texas Holdem**

Fridays @ 6:30 & 8:30pm

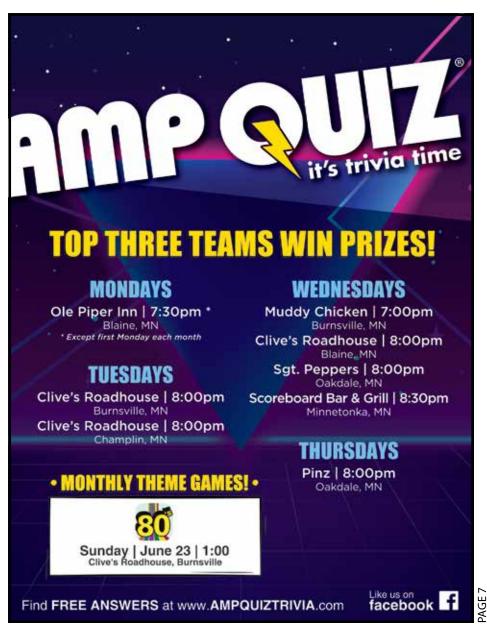
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#### BINGO

Mon. and Wed.: 6:30pm, Sat.: 2pm.

#### *MEAT RAFFLE* Fri.: 5:30pm - Gone

Mon - Sat: 11am-12:30am Sun.: Noon-10:30am

Meat Raffle tickets sold until all prizes are won.

#### RIDERS BACON RAFFLE

Every 2nd & 4th Tue. of the month, 5:30pm

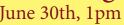
#### Fri.: 5:30pm-12am Sat.:5pm-12am (or right after bingo) Hours ubject to

#### Omelet Breakfast Fundraiser

Every 2nd Sunday of the month, 8:30am to Noon, \$9

BUILD YOUR OWN: Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Green Peppers, Tomatoes, Onions, Black Olives, Jalapeños, Mushrooms, Cheese. Includes: Hash Browns, Toast, Coffee, Milk, Orange Juice 

## Bean Bag Tournament





<u>Happy Hour</u> Mon. - Thurs. 11am - 1pm, 3pm - 6pm, 10pm - Midnight Fri.

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11am - 1pm, 3pm - 6pm Sat. 9am - Noon Sun.

10am - Noon

June 7 - City Lights

June 21 - Blutopians

June 14 - Mr. Winky

263 N. 3rd St.

June 28 - Inside

June 15 - Sheetrockers

Straight

## **Bayport American Legion Post 491**





**Kelly Green** 651-491-8972 Lic. # 00467

Sun. - 2pm @ Mallards Bayport 101 5th Ave S, Bayport • 651-324-0903

Mon. - 7pm @ Bloody Mary's 96 Mahtomedi Ave, Mahtomedi • 651-429-8640

Mon. - 7pm @ Stillwater Bowl 5862 Omaha Ave N, Stillwater • 651-439-2444 BINGO 6 22 34 53 72 11 27 38 56 71 52 69 13 21 42 67 14 24 32 59 68

## Wed. - 6:30pm @ Maple Island Brewery

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Fri. - 7:15pm @ Legion Post 491 263 N. 3rd St, Bayport • 651-439-5463

"Stillwater Chamber of Commerce Food Truck
Extravaganza!"
Washington County Fairgrounds June 15th. Bingo from 2-4pm & 5-7pm.

Sat. - 2pm @ The Bungalow

1151 Rivercrest Rd, Lakeland • 651-436-5005 (Meat Raffle Before Bingo)

June 22nd - 2-4pm @ Stillwater Middle School The Relay For Life Fundraiser



June 23rd - 2pm @ Legion Post 491 Purse Bingo supporting Stillwater High School Theater ROSETOWN

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**Serving Appetizers during bingo** 

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- \$37 for 9 holes of golf, dinner at the post, and prizes.
- Registration @ 10 am and 10:30am Tee time @ Gem Lake. 15th

• Sign up at the post.





Saturday 8th Spaghetti Dinner

Served from 5-8pm \$8. Comes w/salad and a breadstick

Back to the sat. 50's Party

Food starting at 5pm & Happy Hour Live music with The Zingrays starting @ 7pm

Sunday 30th,12pm-3pm

Sign up at the post to enter your salad and bring it to the post by 11:45am.



The customers are the judges and there are 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place cash prizes

If you would fust like to come sample it is \$4, All You Can Tay!

**Every Sunday • Noon-2pm** \$3 Bloody Mary Bar \$2 Screwdrivers



MEAT **RAFFLE** @3pm

Sign up for \$1 DRINK Fan of the Week!

10 Varieties, NEW! MONDAYS: .50¢ Wings! Plus Appetizers! 5 - 8pm

EVERY TUESDAY, TURKEY DINNER NEW TIME! 12 - 2PM, 5-8PM \$800 comes w/mashed potatoes & gravy, cranberries, stuffing, veggie, dinner roll



**Every Wednesday Night** 

\$1.50 Burger \$3 Fish Sandwhich







**Every Thursday** \$2 TACOS 5-8pm Texas Hold Em 7pm



**Every Friday** 

**NEW** Dinner Menu 5-8pm

\$12 All You Can Eat Fish Fry! **Comes with French fries and coleslaw** 



**@5pm** 

Karaoke: 7-llpm

**Every Saturday: Free Darts after 9PM!** 

Adagio's Pizza Factory (Straight Flush Poker) 2052 Silver Lake Road, New Brighton 651-631-9441 • 7pm

**American Legion Post 620** 5383 140th St N, Hugo 651-255-1432 • 5:30pm

**Biffs Sports Bar** (Straight Flush Poker) 7777 Hwy 65 NE, Spring Lake Park 763-784-9446 • 2pm

**Blainbrook Bowl** 12000 Central Ave, Blaine 763-755-8686 • 5pm & 8pm

Stoney's Bar 158 Broadway St.E, Rockville 320-253-2330 • 7pm

White Bear Bar (Straight Flush Poker) 2135 4th St, White Bear Lake 651-426-411 • 7pm

#### **MONDAYS**

**Am Legion Post 1776** 14521 Granada Drive, Apple Valley 952-431-1776 • 7pm

**Barn Board Grill** (Straight Flush Poker) 517 Cherry Ln, Roberts, WI 715-760-3663 • 7:30pm

Casper's Cherokee (Straight Flush Poker) 4625 Nicols Rd. Fagan 651-454-6744 • 7pm

**Chanhassen Legion Post 580** (Straight Flush Poker) 290 Lake Dr E, Chanhassen

**Jumping Jacks** 1715 Badger Blvd West, Isanti 763-444-8311 • 7pm

952-934-6677 • 7:30pm

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319 • 7:30pm

Palmer Lake VFW (Straight Flush Poker) 2817 Brookdale Dr, Brooklyn Park 763-560-3720 • 7pm

Willies Restaurant (Straight Flush Poker) 388 9th Ave., St. Paul Park 651-400-0121 • 7pm

#### **TUESDAYS**

**Dawn's Corner Bar** 305 West Avenue, Dundas 507-663-0593 • 7pm

**Elks Lodge** 720 Hwy 7 East, Hutchinson 320-587-3116 • 7pm

**Finish Line** 31924 125th St, Princeton 763-631-2233 • 7pm & 9pm

Flicek's Bar & Grill 114 Main St. S., Lonsdale 507-744-5164 • 7pm

Jersey's Bar (Straight Flush Poker) 6449 Concord Blvd, Inver Grove Hgts 651-455-4561 • 7pm

Scoops Pub 482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 7pm & 9:30pm

Schuggy's American **Grill & Taphouse** (Straight Flush Poker)

1055 Davis St, Hammond, WI 715-796-2319 • 7:30pm

**VFW White Bear Lake** 4496 Lake Ave S, White Bear Lake 651-426-4944 • 7pm

**White Bear Bar** (Straight Flush Poker) 2135 4th St. White Bear Lake 651-426-4111 • 7 & 10pm

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

**Biffs Sports Bar** (Straight Flush Poker) 7777 Hwy 65 NE, Spring Lake Park 763-784-9446 • 7pm

**Brookside Pub** (Straight Flush Poker) 21050 Ozark Ave, Scandia 651-433-0147 • 7pm.

**Buffalo Bar** 904 Commercial Dr., Buffalo 763-682-5806 • 7pm

**Kraus-Hartig VFW** Post 6587 8100 Pleasant Drive NE. Spring Lake

Park. 763-780-1900 • 6:30pm **Park Place Sports Bar** 

(Straight Flush Poker) 200 Broadway, St Paul Park 651-459-9018 • 7pm

Rich's Bar 34 Oak Ave N, Annandale 320-274-9992 • 7pm

Stoney's Bar 158 Broadway St.E, Rockville 320-253-2330 • 7pm

**The Pour House** (Straight Flush Poker) 325 Elm St W, Norwood Young Am. 952-467-2112 • 7pm

**THURSDAYS** 

**Cedarvale Lanes/** Fitz's Bar & Grill (Straight Flush Poker)

3883 Cedar Grove Parkway, Eagan 651-452-7520 • 7pm

Flicek's Bar & Grill 114 Main St. S., Lonsdale 507-744-5164 • 7pm

**Kaposia Club** (Straight Flush Poker) 456 Concord Exchange, South St. Paul 651-350-7743 • 7pm.

**Rosetown American** Legion 700 W Cty Rd C, Roseville

651-483-3535 • 7pm

**Scoops Pub** 482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 7pm & 9:30pm

**FRIDAYS** 

**American Legion Post 255** 355 W. Broadway, Forest Lake 651-464-2600 • 7pm

**Biffs Sports Bar** (Straight Flush Poker) 7777 Hwy 65 NE, Spring Lake Park 763-784-9446 • 7pm

**Blainbrook Bowl** 12000 Central Ave, Blaine 763-755-8686 • 7pm & 10pm

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319 • 7:30pm

**Park Place Sports Bar** (Straight Flush Poker) 200 Broadway, St Paul Park 651-459-9018 • 7pm

VFW Richfield Post 5555 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555 • 6:30pm & 8:30pm

#### **SATURDAYS**

**Blainbrook Bowl** 12000 Central Ave, Blaine 763-755-8686 • 7pm & 10pm

**Kraus-Hartig VFW** Post 6587

8100 Pleasant Drive NE. Spring Lake Park. 763-780-1900 • 3pm

**Sidewinders Bar** 2573 7th Ave E, North St Paul 651-773-8867 • 8pm

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319 · 2pm

**Scoops Pub** 482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 7pm & 9:30pm

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#### **SUNDAYS**

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319

Neisen's Sports Bar & Grill 4851 W. 123rd St, Savage 952-846-4513

#### **MONDAYS**

**Bay Street Grill** 731 Randolph Ave. St Paul 651-294-3240

#### **TUESDAYS**

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319

**Tin Cups** 1220 Rice St., St. Paul 651-487-7967 • 7pm

**VFW Richfield Post 5555** 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

**American Legion Post 435** 6501 Portland Ave S, Richfield 612-866-3647

Friar's

1500 South Lake St , Forest Lake 651-464-5040

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319

Neisen's Sports Bar & Grill 4851 W. 123rd St, Savage 952-846-4513

**THURSDAYS** 

**Ham Lake Lanes** 16465 HWY 65 NE, Ham Lake 763-434-6010

Tin Cups 1220 Rice St., St. Paul 651-487-7967 • 7pm

VFW Coon Rapids Post 9625

1919 Coon Rapids Blvd, Coon Rapids 763-755-4760 • 7pm

**VFW Richfield Post 5555** 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555

**FRIDAYS** 

Am. Leg. Rosetown 700 W Cty Rd C, Roseville 651 - 483 - 3535

**American Legion Post 98** 328 Broadway Ave, St Paul Park 651-459-8016

**American Legion Post 566** 7731 Lake Drive, Lino Lakes 651-783-0055

**American Legion Post 620** 5383 140th St N, Hugo 651-255-1432

**American Legion Post 622** 3073 Bridge St., St. Francis 763-753-4234

**American Legion** White Bear Lake 2210 Third St., White Bear Lake

651-429-5770 **Celts Inver Grove Heights** 6559 Concord Blvd, Inver Grove Hgts

651-455-5210 Coopers

4185 Robert Trail, Eagan 651-452-3061

Friar's

1500 South Lake St , Forest Lake 651-464-5040

**Guldens Restaurant & Bar** 2999 Maplewood Dr., Maplewood 651-482-0384

**Park Place Sports Bar** 200 Broadway, St Paul Park 651-459-9018

**Stillwater Bowl** 5862 Omaha Ave. N, Oak Park Heights Cam's Bar & Eatery 651-439-2444

Sgt John Rice VFW Post 6316 1374 109th Ave NE, Blaine

763-757-4540 **VFW Bloomington** 

Post 1296

311 West 84th St., Bloomington 952-854-1296

**VFW Columbia Heights** Post 230 4446 Central Ave. NE, Columbia

Heights. 763-788-8187

**VFW Richfield Post 5555** 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555

**VFW Roseville Post 7555** 1145 Woodland Drive, Rosevile

651-483-5313 • 8:30 - 12:30am

**SATURDAYS** 

Adagio's Pizza Factory 2052 Silver Lake Road, New Brighton 651-631-9441 • 8pm

**American Legion** Post 1776

14521 Granada Drive, Apple Valley 952-431-1776 • 8pm

American Legion **White Bear Lake** 2210 Third St., White Bear Lake

651-429-5770 • 1pm **American Legion Post 577** 1129 Arcade St, St. Paul

651-771-8778

8517 63rd Ave N., Brooklyn Park 763-533-4159

**Celts Inver Grove Heights** 6559 Concord Blvd, Inver Gr. Heights 651-455-5210

Coopers 4185 Robert Trail, Eagan 651-452-3061

**Ham Lake Lanes** 16465 HWY 65 NE, Ham Lake 763-434-6010

Kelly's Korner Bar 7098 Centerville Road, Centerville 651-493-6626

**Neighbors Eatery &** Saloon

5772 Main Avenue NE, Albertville 763-515-6300

Sgt John Rice VFW Post 6316 1374 109th Ave NE, Blaine

763-757-4540 **Palmer Lake VFW** 2817 Brookdale Dr, Brooklyn Park

763-560-3720 **Kraus-Hartig VFW** 

Post 6587 8100 Pleasant Drive NE. Spring Lake Park . 763-780-1900 • 8:30pm

**VFW Columbia Heights Post 230** 

4446 Central Ave. NE. Columbia Heights. 763-788-8187 • Jun. 15



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The code to reveal the answer

Solve the code to discover words related to safety Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 3 = t) 15 24 20 7 3 13 Α.

23 24 11 3 8 5 18 В.

2 17 5 3 7 23 3 8 5 18

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nine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to rose Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 23 = r)

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**ROSE GARDEN WORD SEARCH** 

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

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#### **WORDS**

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#### WORD SCRAMBLE

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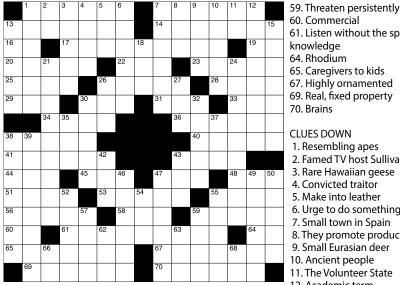
Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to plants.

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to oceans

WORD SCRAMBLE







60. Commercial 61. Listen without the speaker's

knowledge

64. Rhodium 65. Caregivers to kids

67. Highly ornamented

69. Real, fixed property

70. Brains

**CLUES DOWN** 

1. Resembling apes

2. Famed TV host Sullivan

3. Rare Hawaiian geese 4. Convicted traitor

5. Make into leather

6. Urge to do something

7. Small town in Spain

8. They promote products
9. Small Eurasian deer

10. Ancient people

11. The Volunteer State

12. Academic term

13. Natives of Alberta, Canada

15. Cause to become insane

18. Feed

21. Crime organization

24. Acrobatic feats

54. Your car needs it

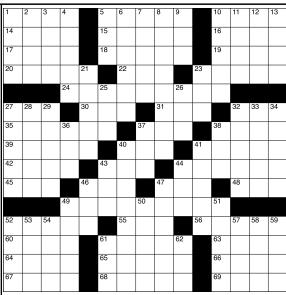
57. Go after

59. Cold wind

62. Examines animals

63. Popular island alcohol

66. Northeast



61. Cyprinid fishes 63. Italian seaport 64. Fruit tree

55. Never sleeps 56. Cavalry sword

60. Scottish island

65. Old World lizard 66. U. of Miami mascot

67. Gentlemen

68. Cover with drops, as with dew

69. Don't stick it out

**CLUES DOWN** 

1. Broken branch

2. A distinctive quality surrounding some-

3. Commoner

4. It can be poisonous

5. Recipe measurement

6. Eager

7. City in Finland

8. Acting appropriately9. Pitching stat

10. Cops wear one

11. Evergreen genus

12. Lacking hair

13. Witnesses

21. Supplies to excess

23. This street produces nightmares

25. Cool!

26. Basics 27. Type of jazz

28. Remove

29. Seaport in Finland

32. Large formation of aircraft

33. You should eat three every day 34. Dips feet into

36. Patti Hearst's captors

37. Swiss river 38. Talk

40. Humorous conversation

41. Gurus

43. Actress Gretchen 44. Hitters need one

46. Offer

47. Flower cluster

49. The Navy has them

50. Palmlike plant

51. Vaccine developer

52. Guys (slang)

53. Jai \_\_\_, sport 54. Assert

57. Beloved movie pig 58. \_\_ Clapton, musician

59. Gamble

61. Hit liahtly 62. Carpenter's tool

26. Car mechanics group 27. Mustachioed actor Elliott 30. Inquired 32. S. Korean industrial city 35. Member of the cuckoo family 37. Test for high schoolers 38. Some nights are these 39. Helps you stay organized 42. Cool! 43. Genus containing pigs 46. An opinion at odds 47. Types of bears 49. Smartphones give them 50. Nobel physicist Hans 52. Where rock stars work

55. Dutch name for Ypres

68. Indicates position



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5. Cleveland baseball team

10. Leans in for apples

14. Language spoken in India

18. Prague

19. Tottenham footballer Alli

20. Cakes 22. A way to save for retirement

23. Good gosh! 24. HBO Dust Bowl series 27. ELO drummer Bevan

30. Kids' game 31. Computer giant

32. Luxury automaker

35. Made disappear 37. Mandela's party 38. Greek personification of Earth

39. Semitic lords 40. Where to put groceries

41. Healthy lunch

42. Greek mountain 43. Disfigure

44. Ramble on 45. Partner to carrot

46. Figure 47. Mock 48. Former CIA

49. Salts

52. Bleated

56. Chemically inactive 58. Moved quickly on foot

55. Engines do it

45. Dash

**CLUES ACROSS** 

13. Not the leader

17. The Garden State

19. \_\_\_, myself and I 20. Gets up

22. Type of meal

25. Proclaims

23. Cavalry sword

26. Historic places

28. They go into space 29. Hostelry

31. Necessary for syrup

34. Take upon oneself 36. A bog

38. Small cavities in a gland

40. Grand Theft Auto vehicle

47. You sometimes pardon it

48. Catch doing something wrong

53. Famed French painter of dancers

51. A constellation's second star

30. Peter's last name

33. Kids' channel

41. More vigorous

43. Supply to excess 44. Pie \_ \_ mode

14. Decorated

16. Morning

1. Ancient Rome had one

7. Engagement rings tend to have them

## **HOW TO BRING BENEFICIAL BEES BACK**

Bees, birds and butterflies play integral roles in pollinating many of the crops humans rely on for sustenance. The National Pollinator Garden Network, through the National Wildlife Federation, recently launched the Million Pollinator Garden Challenge, an effort to increase the amount of nectar and pollen food sources as the organization aims to reverse the alarming decline of pollinators such as honey bees, native bees and monarch butterflies. Many people are afraid of bees because of their propensity to sting. Unlike their wasp and yellow-jacket cousins, honeybees and bumblebees are much more docile and content to hop from bloom to bloom without paying humans any mind. The only time such bees may resort to stinging is if someone inadvertently steps on them. Bees are beneficial for yards. Gardener's Supply Company says one out of every three bites of food humans take depends on a pollinator. That's because about 150 crops grown in the United States depend on pollinators. Even though there are 4,000 species of native or wild bees in the continental United States, many populations are in decline. According to the Pollinator Partnership, various areas of North America have lost more than 50 percent of their managed honeybee colonies in the past 10 years.

Bringing these important pollinators back will take a little work, but it is possible.

- Plants that offer cover can be attractive to bees that desire a respite from the sun and heat. Coleus and other ground cover offerings can be handy.
- Offer water in shallow dishes, as even bees need a cool drink to stay hydrated.
- Bees like various plants, so plant more than one species. Some plants that bees tend to like include alyssum, aster, geranium, bee balm, poppies, and clover.
- When planting, include some native species.
- Brush piles, dry grasses and dead woods offer nesting areas for bees.
- The Gardener's Supply Company also says that bees find blue, purple and yellow flowers most appealing. Opt for more of these hues when planning gardens.
- Above all, avoid using pesticides in the yard. Even organic ones can be toxic to bees and other pollinators, and they may contribute to colony collapse disorder.

  With these techniques in mind, homeowners can attract more bees to their yards and gardens, which can benefit bees and humans alike



#### **SUNDAYS**

**American Legion Fridley** 7365 Central Ave NE, Fridley

763-784-9824 • Jun. 23, 2pm Mega-Bingo

**Lakeside Lions Park** 

7840 Pleasant View Dr., Spring Lake Park • June 9th. SLP Tower Days! Family Bingo under Tent @ 1pm, Purse Bingo in Park @ 4:30pm, Meat Raffle in Park @ 6pm

Mallards (Bayport) 101 5th Ave S, Bayport

651-324-0903 • 2pm. **Kraus-Hartig VFW** 

8100 Pleasant Drive NE. Spring Lake Park. 763-780-1900 • 2:30pm

**Roseville Bingo Hall** 

2525 N. Snelling Ave, Roseville 651-697-1090 • Jun. 16 @ 1,3,7,9, & 11pm. \$40 Off each Mega Max (when buying 2 sessions) in honor of all the Amazing Dads!

**VFW Richfield Post 5555** 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555 • 2pm

#### **MONDAYS**

Bloody Mary's

96 Mahtomedi Ave, Mahtomedi 651-429-8640 • 7pm.

**Grumpy's Bar and Grill** 2801 N. Snelling Ave, Roseville 651-379-1180 • 6pm

Jimmy's Food & Drink 1132 Co Rd E East, Vadnais Heights

651-482-1100 • 9am Mc Carron's

1986 Rice St., Maplewood 651-788-7362 • 6pm

SAK'S

1460 - E County Rd E Vadnais Heights, 651-484-6119 · 6pm

**Scoops Pub** 

482 Northdale Blvd, Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 6:30pm

Stillwater Bowl

5862 Omaha Ave N Stillwater 651-439-2444 • 7pm (Lic# 00467) **Trappers** 

6810 Lake Drive, Lino Lakes 651-784-7474 • 6:30p

**VFW Columbia Heights** 4446 Central Ave. NE, Columbia Hgts 763-788-8187 • 1pm

VFW Mendota Post 6690 Sibley Memorial Hwy, Mendota 651-688-7408 • 7pm

#### **TUESDAYS**

Adagio's Pizza Factory 2052 Silver Lake Road, New Brighton, Neisen's Sports Bar & Grill 651-631-9441 • 6:30pm

Carbone's Pizzeria & Pub 1350 Highway 96E, White Bear Lake 651 429-7609 • 6pm

**Dugout Bar & Grill** 158 Main St. NW, Bethel 763-434-0119 • 6:30pm

Jimmy's Food & Drink 1132 Co Rd E East, Vadnais Heights 651-482-1100 • 6pm

Kelly's Korner Bar 7098 Centerville Road, Centerville, 651-493-6626 • 6:30pm

Mad Jacks Brooklyn Park 8078 Brooklyn Blvd. Brooklyn Park 763-432-6263 • 6:30pm

**Mainstreet Bar and Grill** 814 Mainstreet, Hopkins

952-938-2400 • 6:30pm Kraus-Hartig VFW

8100 Pleasant Drive NE. Spring Lake Park. 763-780-1900 • 2:30pm

Sgt. John Rice VFW 1374 109th Ave NE, Blaine 763-757-4540 • 7pm MEGA-SOTA

The Sunset Grill 8466 Hwy. 65, Spring Lake Park 763-204-8648 • 1pm

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

**American Legion Fridley** 7365 Central Ave NE, Fridley 763-784-9824 • 6:30pm

**CR'S Sports Bar** 8525 Cottonwood St NW 763-780-1585 • 6:30pm

Drkula's

6710 Cahill Ave, Inver Grove Heights 651-451-1717 • 6:30pm

**Maple Island Brewery** 225 Main St N, Stillwater 651-430-0044 •6:30pm

**Montes Sports Bar & Grill** 8299 University Ave NE, Spring Lake Park. 763-784-2230 • 5pm

**Mounds Park Sports Bar** 1067 Hudson Rd, St. Paul 651-340-0319 • 7:30pm

4851 W. 123rd St, Savage 952-846-4513 • 6:30pm

**Palmer Lake VFW** 2817 Brookdale Dr, Brooklyn Park 763-560-3720 • 6:30pm

**Scoops Pub** 482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids

**Splitrocks Entertainment** Center

5063-273rd St, Wyoming 651-462-6000 • 6:30pm

763-757-7600 • 6:30pm

Tin Cups

1220 Rice St., St. Paul 651-487-7967 • 6:30pm

**Titans Sports Saloon** 1267 Geneva Ave N, Oakdale 651-444-8488 • 6pm

**Trappers** 6810 Lake Drive, Lino Lakes

651-784-7474 • 6:30pm The Village Inn & **Stadium Bar** 

3600 Hoffman Rd, White Bear Lake 651-770-8670 • 6pm

**VFW Richfield Post 5555** 6715 Lakeshore Drive, Richfield 612-869-5555 • 5pm

#### **THURSDAYS**

**Brookside Pub** 21050 Ozark Ct. N., Scandia (651) 433-0147 • 6:30pm

Jimmy's Food & Drink 1132 Co Rd E East, Vadnais Heights 651-482-1100 · 6pm

**Mainstreet Bar and Grill** 

814 Mainstreet, Hopkins 952-938-2400 • 6:30pm

**Park Place Sports Bar** 200 Broadway, St Paul Park 651-459-9018 • 6:30pm

**Scoops Pub** 

482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 1pm. Matinee Bingo

VFW Roseville Post 7555 1145 Woodland Drive 55113 651-483-5313 · 6:30pm

**White Bear Bar** 2135 4th Street, White Bear Lake 651-426-4111 • 7pm

**FRIDAYS** 

**Am. Legion Bayport** 263 N. 3rd St. Bayport 651-439-5463 • 7:15pm (Lic# 00467)

**Palmer Lake VFW** 2817 Brookdale Dr, Brooklyn Park 763-560-3720 • 7:30pm

The Village Inn & **Stadium Bar** 

3600 Hoffman Rd, White Bear Lake. 651-770-8670 • 9:30pm (Disco Bingo)

**Trappers** 

6810 Lake Drive, Lino Lakes 651-784-7474 • 8pm

**SATURDAYS** 

**American Legion Fridley** 7365 Central Ave NE, Fridley 763-784-9824 • 2pm

**Am. Legion Rosetown** 700 W Cty Rd C, Roseville 651-483-3535 • Jun. 8 & 22, 3pm

**Biffs Sports Bar & Grill** 7777 Hwy 65 NE, Spring Lake Park 763-784-9446 • 3pm

Bungalo

1151 Rivercrest Rd, Lakeland 651-436-5005 • 2pm (Lic # 00467)

**CR'S Sports Bar** 8525 Cottonwood St NW 763-780-1585 • 2pm

Drkula's

6710 Cahill Ave, Inver Grove Hgts 651-451-1717 • Noon

**Dugout Bar & Grill** 158 Main St. NW, Bethel 763-434-0119 • 3pm

Kelly's Korner Bar

7098 Centerville Road, Centerville 651-493-6626 • 2pm

**Mad Jacks Brooklyn Park** 8078 Brooklyn Blvd. Brooklyn Park 763-432-6263 • 1:30pm

**Mainstreet Bar and Grill** 

814 Mainstreet, Hopkins 952-938-2400 • 2pm, Raffle After

Mc Carron's

1986 Rice St., Maplewood 651-788-7362 • Noon

SAK'S

1460-E County Rd E Vadnais Heights 651-484-6119 • 2pm

**Scoops Pub** 

482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 2pm

**Splitrocks Entertainment** Center

5063-273rd St, Wyoming 651-462-6000 • 1pm

**Stillwater Middle School** 523 Marsh St W, Stillwater (651) 351-6905 • Jun. 22, 2-4pm

**Trappers** 

6810 Lake Drive, Lino Lakes 651-784-7474 • 2pm

**VFW Columbia Heights Post 230** 

4446 Central Ave. NE, Columbia Heights. 763-788-8187 • 1pm

**Washington County Fairgrounds** 

12300 40th St N, Stillwater 651-436-6009 • 2-4pm , 5-7pm **Stillwater Chamber of Commerce** food Truck Extravaganza!

#### **SUNDAY**

**Am. Legion Bayport** 263 N. 3rd St. Bayport 651-439-5463 • June 23 @ 2pm **Supporting Stillwater High** School Theater

#### **Lakeside Lions Park**

7840 Pleasant View Dr., Spring Lake Park • June 9th. SLP Tower Days! Family Bingo under Tent @ 1pn Purse Bingo in Park @ 4:30pm, Family Bingo under Tent @ 1pm, → Meat Raffle in Park @ 6pm

#### The Sunset Grill

8466 Hwy. 65, Spring Lake Park 763-204-8648 • Jun. 2 @ 2pm

#### **MONDAY**

Sqt. John Rice VFW 1374 109th Ave NE, Blaine 763-757-4540 • 1st Monday @ 7pm

#### **WEDNESDAY**

Carbone's Pizzeria & Pub 1350 Highway 96E, White Bear Lake 651-429-7609 • June 19 @ 6:30pm Come in Early.

#### **THURDAY**

**Banquets of Minnesota** 1009 109th Ave NE, Blaine 612-803-6468 • June 20 @ 6:30pm

#### **SATURDAY**

**Cornerstone Pub & Prime** 26753 Forest Blvd, Wyoming 651-462-1211 • Jun. 22 @ 1:30pm

**Maxx Bar** 

17646 Central Ave NE, Ham Lake 763-434-4970 • Jun. 1 @ 1pm



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220 Lake St. N. Forest Lake, MN 55025 (651) 272-5152

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**Cornerstone Pub & Prime** 26753 Forest Blvd, Wyoming 651-462-1211 • 4:30pm

Jimmy's Food & Drink 1132 Co Rd E East, Vadnais Heights 651-482-1100 • 5pm

## **Mainstreet Bar and Grill**

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## **Montes Sports Bar & Grill**

8299 University Ave NE, Spring Lake Park. 763-784-2230 • 4pm

#### **White Bear Bar**

2135 4th Street, White Bear Lake 651-426-4111 · 6pm

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#### **Scoops Pub**

482 Northdale Blvd , Coon Rapids 763-757-7600 • 5:30pm

#### **Southern Rail**

7082 Centerville Road, Centerville 651-528-8230 • 5:30pm

#### **Splitrocks Entertainment** Center

5063-273rd St, Wyoming, MN 55092 651-462-6000 • 6pm

#### Sgt. John Rice VFW Post 6316

1374 109th Ave NE, Blaine 763-757-4540 • 5pm

#### **Titans Sports Saloon** 1267 Geneva Ave N. Oakdale 651-444-8488 • 5:30pm

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#### **VFW Columbia Heights** Post 230

4446 Central Ave. NE, Columbia Hgts 763-788-8187 • 6pm

#### **VFW Richfield Post 5555**

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#### **VFW White Bear Lake**

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#### 55 Lake St. S. Forest Lake 651-395-2400 • 5:30pm

The Village Inn & Stadium Bar 3600 Hoffman Rd, White Bear Lake,

#### 651-770-8670 • 5pm

**White Bear Bar** 2135 4th Street, White Bear Lake 651-426-4111 • 5pm

#### **SATURDAYS**

#### **CR'S Sports Bar**

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#### **Mad Jacks Brooklyn Park** 8078 Brooklyn Blvd. Brooklyn Park 763-432-6263 • 1:30pm

#### **Mainstreet Bar and Grill**

814 Mainstreet, Hopkins 952-938-2400 • After Bingo @ 2pm

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#### 8299 University Ave NE, Spring Lake Park. 763-784-2230 • 4pm

**Palmer Lake VFW** 2817 Brookdale Dr, Brooklyn Park 763-560-3720 • 3:30pm

**Montes Sports Bar & Grill** 

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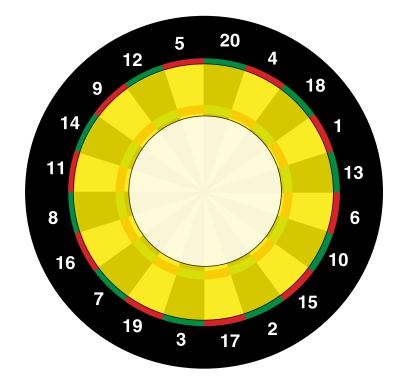
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## COMPOST IS PART OF THE CIRCLE OF LIFE IN GARDENS

The season for fresh fruits and vegetables grown right in the backyard is upon us. Warm weather breathes life into fresh berries, tomatoes, eggplant, cucumbers, and many other delectable fruits and vegetables.

Home gardens can be supplemented with delicious finds from the supermarket or farmer's market, including melons, corn and more. The bounty of the garden can be made more abundant and fruitful with the addition of the right soil amendments. Compost is a key element of rich, nutritious soil. Scraps from items that have been grown in the garden can then be reused in the production of the compost that feeds that same garden. It's a continuous circle of garden life.

Getting started with compost is relatively easy. Homeowners should choose an outdoor space near the garden but far away from the home so that it won't be disturbed by kids or animals. Some people opt for an open compost pile, while others choose closed bins to contain the possible smell and to camouflage the compost. A sunny spot will help the compost to develop faster, according to Good Housekeeping.

The next step is to start gathering the scraps and materials that will go into the compost. Better Homes and Gardens suggests keeping a bucket or bin in the kitchen to accumulate kitchen scraps. Here are some kitchen-related items that can go into the compost material:

- Eggshells
- Fruit peels
- Vegetable peels and scraps
- Coffee grounds
- Shredded newspaper

In addition to these materials, grass and plant clippings, dry leaves, bark chips, straw, and sawdust from untreated wood can go into the pile. Avoid diseased plants, anything with animal fats, dairy products, and pet feces.

A low-maintenance pile has an equal amount of brown and green plant matter in the compost plus moisture to keep the bacteria growing and eating at the right rate. Aerating the compost occasionally, or turning the bin when possible, will allow the compost to blend and work together. Compost will take a few months to form completely, says the

Planet Natural Research Center. The finished product will resemble a dark, crumbly soil that smells like fresh earth.

Compost will not only add nutrients to garden soil, but also it can help insulate plants and may prevent some weed growth. It is a good idea to start a compost pile as a free source of nutrition for plants and a method to reduce food waste in an environmentally sound way.



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## **Handbag Bingo**

June 1st @1PM

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Wed. @6PM, Sun. @2PM

#### **Pull Tabs Daily** Opening at Noon

## AFETY FIRST WHEN HANDLING FIREWOR

Days at the beach. Family trips to the ice cream parlor. Vacations. These are just a few of the things that evoke the spirit of summer, a time of year when school is out and everyone seems to exhale a little and enjoy the warm weather. Awe-inspiring fireworks displays also come to mind when imagining summer. Whether it's the Fourth of July or town gatherings along a local waterfront, fireworks displays are a big of year when school is out and everyone seems to exhale a little and enjoy the warm weather. Awe-inspiring fireworks displays also come part of many people's summers. Unfortunately, the potential for accidents and injuries is high when fireworks are involved, particularly when displays aren't left to the professionals. The Consumer Product Safety Commission notes that, on average, 280 people per day visit emergency rooms with fireworks-related injuries in the month around the July 4th holiday. More than 53 percent of fireworks-related injuries in 2017 were burns. Fireworks are always best left to the professionals, and many communities have criminalized the use of fireworks by amateurs. But many people still light fireworks, and those that do should follow these safety precautions.

- Never let kids handle fireworks. Fireworks, even sparklers, should never be given to children. The National SAFE KIDS campaign notes that sparklers burn at 2,000 F, which is hot enough to cause third-degree burns. So while they might seem like harmless symbols of summer, sparklers pose a significant threat to youngsters.
- Follow directions. Fireworks come with detailed directions for a reason, and that's to keep users safe. Strictly adhere to these directions and go over them with anyone who intends to light fireworks.
- Never use fireworks indoors. Fireworks are for outdoor use only. If it rains, do not try to light fireworks indoors and then throw them outside before they go off.
- Make sure spectators keep a safe distance. Do not light fireworks until all spectators are out of range should something go awry.
- Recognize that fireworks are not toys. They might be a marvel, but fireworks are not toys. As a result, they should never be aimed or thrown at another person, nor should they be lit or launched from a body part.
- Do not attempt to reignite malfunctioning fireworks. Attempting to reignite malfunctioning fireworks can lead to serious injury.
- Light fireworks on smooth, flat surfaces. When lighting fireworks, do so only on smooth, flat surfaces, making sure to direct them away from people, homes, dry leaves, and flammable materials.

Fireworks are best left to the professionals. Consumers who insist on lighting their own should only do so with the utmost caution.



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## UNIQUE WAYS TO HONOR DAD THIS FATHER'S DAY

Father's Day is a day many families look forward to. Though its history might not go back as far as many religious or governmentdesignated holidays, Father's Day is rife with tradition in many households.

Father's Day is celebrated on the third Sunday in June in both the United States and Canada and also in the United Kingdom. While Father's Day might trace its origins to the United States, the holiday is celebrated across the globe, including in Argentina, Greece, India, Singapore, and New Zealand.

Fathers often receive gifts from their spouses and children on Father's Day. What to give the dad who seemingly has it all leaves many people scratching their heads in the weeks preceding Father's Day. People who find themselves in such situations can think outside the box and look for ways to honor their fathers this year. The following are some unique ways to honor Dad this Father's Day.

Dad may be pleasantly surprised by a stroll down Memory Lane. Plan a day trip or weekend excursion to Dad's hometown, visiting all his old haunts, including the house he grew up in, and allow him to serve as tour guide. This can be a great way for Dad to share stories and for his family to learn a little more about the old man. Other great places to visit include Dad's college campus or his ancestral homeland.

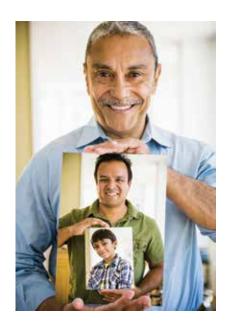
#### **Highlight reel**

In the months preceding Father's Day, do some covert digging through family photo albums to create a "This Is Your Life" highlight reel for Dad. Go back as far as possible, even looking through Dad's baby photos if you can find them. This might require a collaborative effort, requiring the whole family to work together, but that can make for an enjoyable way for families to spend time together and see how Dad became the man he is today. Present the finished product at a family dinner on Father's Day.

#### Make a list

Another unique way to honor Dad is to compile a list of the many ways you are and will always be grateful for having him as a father. Adults honoring their fathers can cite specific examples they recall from childhood and young adulthood when Dad went above and beyond or served as a sounding board or shoulder to cry on. This is a great way to honor Dad and let him know all those sacrifices and special moments are still appreciated and will never be forgotten.

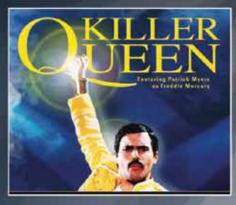
Father's Day is a chance to honor Dad, and the way you choose to do so can be as unique as the man himself.











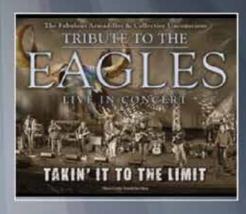
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## EXPLORE THESE RELAXING HOBBIES

Stress is a part of many people's daily lives. A recent survey from the American Psychological Association found that 44 percent of Americans feel their stress levels have increased over the past five years. Children also are struggling, with almost a one-third reporting that they have experienced a health symptom associated with stress, such as stomach aches, trouble sleeping and headaches.

Calming activities that can tone down the body's stress responses are great ways to alleviate stress. Summertime is an ideal time of the year to embrace relaxing activities because the hustle and bustle of everyday life tends to slow down during the summer, when kids are out of school and vacations are on the docket.

These hobbies and other interests can help tame stress by promoting

- Listen to and/or play music. Music can be energizing or calming, depending on which music you choose. Researchers at Stanford University found that rhythmic music may have therapeutic effects for treating a range of neurological conditions, as it stimulates the brain and can perhaps change how it functions. Familiar melodies and gentle music can reduce the level of the stress hormone cortisol.
- **Gardening.** Gardening lets a person tend to living things while getting some fresh air. Both the sunlight and the activity itself can be soothing and have a positive effect on mood. A study from the Journal of Health Psychology found that gardening, like listening to music, lowers cortisol levels.
- **Grab a good book.** Taking the time to unwind and read can help ease tension in the muscles, lower one's heart rate and induce calm. Research from the consultancy Mindlab International at the University of Sussex found reading reduced stress levels by 68 percent.
- **Start painting or crafting.** Engaging in a creative hobby sharpens the mind and improves focus. You may also want to try focusing emotions onto the canvas to help release tension. A 2014 study published in the British Journal of Occupational Therapy found that 81.5 percent of respondents with depression reported feeling happy after knitting.
- Take a dance class. A form of art and music, dancing can promote well-being through exercise and expansion of creative ability. It also can be good for the mind. A study from Swedish researchers that was published in the Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine found that a dancing intervention program, twice weekly for eight months, helped teenage girls struggling with stress, anxiety, depression, and other problems.

Many relaxing activities can tame stress, and these activities can be perfect for lazy summer days.





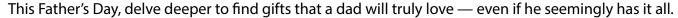
## FATHER'S DAY GIFTS FOR THE MODERN DAD

Father's Day is a chance for people to show the special men in their lives just how much they're loved. Though it was first celebrated on June 19, 1910, it was not until decades later that President Richard Nixon made honoring fathers a nationwide holiday in the United States.

₩hile there are many different ways to honor dads, it has become customary to offer gifts and other tokens of affection. According to History. com, Americans now spend more than \$1 billion each year on Father's Day gifts.

Many modern fathers are more involved in their children's lives and around the house than their own fathers were. Gifts that cater to today's well-rounded dads are sure to be appreciated.

- **Cool duds:** Modern dads are fashion-forward and might enjoy a piece of clothing or a gift card to their favorite retailer. If you know a store where Dad loves to shop, stop in for some inspiration.
- Pampering products: Mom is not the only one who likes to indulge in some pampering from time to time. Put together a carefully curated basket of men's grooming products, or purchase a set from a bath and body store like Lush.
- Fitness finds: If you haven't already gifted the special man in your life with a fitness tracker watch, now is the time to do so. Such a watch will tap into his love of gadgets and provide some utility as he tries to be as healthy as possible.
- **Cookbooks:** The stereotype that dads are hopeless in the kitchen has long since been refuted. Many men are top-notch home chefs and will appreciate some new recipes to try. Combine the cookbook with a new culinary tool, like a cast-iron skillet or a mandoline slicer, so he can try out his skills right away.
- **Support the team:** If Dad is a sports fan, find a baseball cap or a jersey of his favorite team/player. Many sports stores only carry inventory for local teams. If Dad supports a team in a different state or country, do your shopping online at a site like Fanatics.com.
- **Craft beers:** The craft beer movement has expanded exponentially in recent years. Visit with a local brewer and purchase bottles or growlers of a favorite brew. If you know the flavor profile that Dad favors, find a beer that suits that preference while also giving some new varieties so he can put together his own flight.









## DO A DIGITAL DETOX

"Cleanse" diets are designed to help people clear their bodies of foods that might have an adverse effect on their health. Many people find such diets effective, prompting others to wonder if a digital cleanse, particularly while on vacation, might produce equally beneficial results.

Advances in technology make it possible for people to essentially be on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Free Wi-Fi is available at restaurants, rest stops and hotels and beckoning people to stay connected. In fact, according to information from Hotels.com, free hotel Wi-Fi has become the most sought after amenity at resorts and places to stay. But is there a price to pay by remaining so available to work and other outside influences while traveling for recreation?

Studies have shown that unplugging while on vacation — or at other times — can boost meaningful conversations and more. The study, "Can you connect with me now? How the presence of mobile communication technology influences face-to-face conversation quality," indicates devices can negatively impact closeness, connection and conversation quality, essentially interfering with human relationships.



Phones and other digital devices also force people to multitask. Evidence suggests that multitasking isn't all it's cracked up to be, leading to preventable errors and actually delaying the completion of tasks. A 2010 study from researchers in France found that the human brain can handle two complicated tasks relatively easily because it has two lobes that can divide responsibility equally between the two. Add a third task, however, and it can overwhelm the frontal cortex and increase mistakes. Trying to multitask on vacation can lead to stressful feelings and not being fully immersed in the experience.

Being connected while on vacation may leave a person dealing with stresses they normally would avoid until returning home. A study published in the journal Applied Research in Quality of Life indicates that stress accrued on vacation can cause people to feel like they had lower energy at work after returning from a relaxing vacation.

Taking a step back from their phones, tablets and laptops while vacationing can help people make the most of their getaways. Such a break can promote mindfulness, encourage people to try new things and lead to more meaningful conversations with travel companions.





## POPULAR SPORTS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER

Sports are a favorite pastime for many children and adults. The benefits of participating in sports are too numerous to mention, but include learning to be part of a team, improving physical fitness and developing sportsmanship.

The fitness building resource PHITAmerica notes that participation in sports helps build character and social skills. Sports help children develop discipline and encourages them set goals. These are skills that can be utilized later in life, especially when pursuing a career.

As the weather warms, there are many different spring and summer sports that children and adults can explore. Here are just some of the sports that make spring and summer that much more fun.

- **Baseball:** Baseball has long been America's pastime, but its fan base stretches around the world. According to an annual report by the Sports & Fitness Industry Association, a leader in sports participation research, baseball and softball combined ranked as the most participated in team sport in 2016. Many youngsters start out on youth baseball or softball teams and move up the ranks as their love of the game grows.
- Lacrosse: This is a team game originally played by North American native peoples. The ball is thrown, caught and carried with a long-handled stick having a curved L-shape or a triangular frame.
- **Soccer:** Soccer's popularity continues to grow exponentially. It is often one of the first sports a child will try. In a 2017 Nielsen survey that spanned 18 global markets, 43 percent of people said they were "interested" or "very interested" in the sport. It has grown to become the world's sport, with teams in most major countries.
- **Softball:** A close cousin to baseball, softball is played on a smaller diamond with a ball that's larger than a baseball. Even though both sexes can play softball, it is primarily a female-driven sport among elementary, high school and college players.
- **Swimming:** Swimming is a sport that works the entire body. People are drawn to swimming because it can be a low-impact exercise. Whether enjoyed competitively or for recreation, swimming is a great way to have fun while exercising.
- **Tennis:** Tennis is a physical sport that provides cardiovascular exercise. Tennis offers friendly competition and can be played in singles or pairs. While matches primarily take place outdoors, the weather doesn't have to impact access when an indoor court is available.
- **Volleyball:** Beach volleyball is popular in coastal and non-coastal communities alike. It is an intense, competitive sport that requires excellent focus and teamwork.







## TIPS TO TRAVEL WITHOUT BUSTING THE BUDGET

If people waited to get rich to see the world, they may never travel to destinations near and far. Even though many people view travel as a luxury, there are plenty of ways to take trips even when money is tight.

In a 2018 survey of 1,000 people ages 18 and older, Bankrate found that nearly half of respondents planned to skip travel that year. Among the 49 percent of respondents who weren't planning a vacation, 50 percent said they just couldn't

afford it. By prioritizing travel as a goal, cuts can be made elsewhere so there's money in the budget for vacations.

Proper planning, research and a go-with-the-flow attitude can make budget-friendly traveling a realistic possibility. Here's how to get started.

#### • Maximize your card rewards.

If you're excellent about paying for credit card bills in full each month, shop around for cards that offer the most travel bang for your buck. Hefty sign-on bonus points enable you to rack up travel dollars after a set amount of spending. Those "miles" or "points" can be turned into hotel rooms, airline tickets, rental cars, and more.

#### Be flexible on travel dates.

Set up alerts for when fares drop and be able to leave when rates are the lowest. Various apps, such as Yapta or Hopper, will send price notifications on flights being tracked. Keep your bags packed and be ready to go when you find your budgeted price.



#### Cut lodging costs when possible.

Travel to destinations where you know someone and you can enjoy a few nights of free accommodations. Even two or three nights in someone's guest room or on their sofa can save a few hundred dollars in overall costs. Airbnb and Vacation Rentals By Owner are some additional services that can pair travelers with price-savvy spots to stay. Hostels are dorm-style rooms that also make for cheap accommodations if you don't need much space or luxury.

#### • Travel a little to travel a lot.

The nearest airport may not offer the best deals for your budget. Consider increasing your travel radius several miles and fly out of a different airport and even a smaller one. Also, when booking hotels, look beyond city centers or tourist areas. Rates decrease the further out you go.

#### Travel together to split the costs.

Get a group together and maximize the savings, advises Credit Karma. You may be able to score group rates to events, or you can split the cost of a larger condo or home among all travelers.

Budgeting for travel and learning how to vacation for less can help anyone get away when they desire.

## FOODS THAT PROMOTE HEALTHY HAIR AND SKIN

Millions of people across the globe deal with conditions that affect the skin and hair. Acne is a skin and hair ailment that, according to the American Academy of Dermatology, is the most common skin condition in the United States.

But what if the foods people eat could affect the health of their hair and skin? There is evidence that they can. Foods that contain certain nutrients, phytochemicals and enzymes may help people develop healthier hair and skin.

- **Blueberries:** The U.S. Department of Agriculture gave blueberries its top ranking for antioxidant activity. The antioxidants in blueberries neutralize free radicals and protect people from premature aging, which can help the skin look younger and more vibrant.
- **Eggs:** Eggs are great sources of protein and biotin, which are two nutrients that may help promote hair growth. The health and wellness information site Healthline says biotin is essential for the production of a hair protein called keratin.
- Fatty fish: Fatty fish, such as salmon, are high in omega-3 fatty acids. Ciara Foy, a Toronto-based holistic nutritionist, says about 3 percent of the hair shaft is made up of omega-3 fatty acids. They're also found in cell membranes and in the natural oils that keep the scalp and other areas of the skin hydrated.
- **Red bell peppers:** These peppers contain more vitamin C than oranges. According to dermatologist Dr. Julia Carroll with Compass Dermatology, vitamin C is an antioxidant precursor to collagen production, so consuming more vitamin C through foods can neutralize free radicals that could damage skin.
- **Spinach:** Trade lettuce for spinach, which is rich in calcium, iron, magnesium, omega-3 fatty acids, and much more. These nutrients can be the building blocks of healthy skin and hair.
- **Oysters:** Nutritionist and author Lisa Drayer says oysters are good sources of zinc, which aids in skin cell renewal and repair.
- **Coconut:** Coconut water is great for hydration and contains potassium, an electrolyte that moves nutrients into the cells. Coconut oil also can be used to boost hair health as a pre-wash conditioning treatment.

The secret to beautiful skin and hair may be hiding in plain sight at your local supermarket.





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## **HOW TO START EXERCISING AT HOME**

A healthy diet and an active lifestyle are great ways to achieve a healthy weight and good overall health. Many people no doubt associate exercise with fitness centers and gym memberships. While gyms certainly are effective places to break a sweat, exercising at home can be an effective way to get fit as well.

Working out at home may require some creativity, as even homeowners with gyms in their basements may not have as much equipment at their disposal as they would at a local fitness center.]

#### **Body weight exercises**

Body weight exercises include push-ups, planks, squats, and lunges. Alternating incline and positioning of the body when performing some of these exercises is a great way to work various muscle groups. Body weight exercises do not necessarily require equipment, and that may disappoint some people. That's because, with no added weight — and only one's own body weight to provide resistance — it's difficult for a person to challenge himself or herself effectively and gradually build up progress.

#### Get outdoors for cardio

A mix of cardiovascular activity, which puts a strain on the heart and lungs to build up stamina, can help shave off the pounds when paired with strength training exercises. Take to the great outdoors near home to get in a good cardio workout.

Rally Health, a digital, data-based health advisory company, says that walking can constitute a cardio workout if one goes at a brisk pace of around three miles per hour. Walking on an incline also can constitute vigorous exercise that's on par with running or biking, particularly when it's a steep hill. Home-based cardio workouts also can include cycling, swimming in a backyard pool or playing a pickup sports game with the kids.

#### Set up a home gym

With a few barbells, dumbells and a weight bench, it's easy to create a home gym in a basement or garage. Extra equipment, such as TRX resistance training equipment or an elliptical machine, can be added to make the gym more complete.

A home gym also can be a place to do strength and stretching exercises like yoga or pilates. Many people find that they can effectively workout at home with little to no equipment necessary.

With such convenience, individuals may find they make more time for exercise, which is an important component of a healthy lifestyle.







## Weekly Horoscopes for June

#### Aries

March 21-April 20

#### Week 1:

Aries, you may want to cut back on physical activity for a little while, especially if you have been nursing an injury. Don't worry, you'll get back in the saddle again soon.

Start sorting through things, Aries. You have many irons in the fire and not much time to get things done. You might have to call in a backup team to help out.

#### Week 3:

Pull out all the emotional stops this week, Aries. Things seemingly tug at your heartstrings more so than in the past. and it's okay to have a few tears develop during a sad movie.

Aries, are you up to stepping outside of your comfort zone? Embrace the challenge and try something completely different from your normal routine. You just may like it.

#### Taurus

April 21-May 21

#### Week 1:

Taurus, someone you thought was a friend may be looking for something more. If you are in a relationship, you'll have to set this person straight.

#### Week 2:

Relationships take work, Taurus. You have to put in the effort if you want to see yours blossom to its full potential. Schedule some time to spend with your sweetheart.

Taurus, kick communication up a notch if you want to get things done. Write things out if you need a cheat sheet, then pull together all of the key players.

#### Week 4:

Let problems flow over you like water off of a duck's back, Taurus. Worrying will only make things worse, and it's completely unproductive anyway.

#### **Gemini**

May 22-June 21

#### Week 1:

Focus your attention on something creative instead of analytical this week, Gemini. You can probably use a break from spreadsheets and bar graphs.

#### Week 2:

Gemini, everyone at work needs to pitch in to get a job done. If you feel like you are putting in more of the effort than others, you may need to speak up.

Money is a priority this week, and you have to put your focus on finances, Gemini. Have you reconciled your checking account lately? See where you are spending and saving.

#### Week 4:

Work on nurturing a relationship that has been pushed to the side for some time, Gemini. Rekindling communication is a great way to start things off anew.

#### Cancer

June 22-July 22

#### Week 1:

Cancer, too many projects and people vying for your attention make it tough for you to see anything through to completion. There will be time to get it done in the future.

#### Week 2:

Put a strong face on if upsetting news comes your way, Cancer. You're tough enough to get through it, and you may need to take a leadership role.

Don't overthink things too much, Cancer. Try to go with the flow as much as possible. Situations with coworkers could take an unexpected turn. Be on the lookout.

Keep an open mind when someone presents an idea to you, Cancer. It's easy to blow it off without a thought, but you should be more amenable to listening and advising.

#### Leo

July 23-August 23

#### Week 1:

There is a lesson to be learned this week, Leo. But you will not know what it is until you're in the thick of things. You will come out ahead either way, so don't fret.

Leo, don't throw in the towel when things do not go your way. Simply find another work-around or tactic that may prove a path to success. Keep trying.

#### Week 3:

You are in need of a break this week, Leo. However, there are many demands on your time and focus. Devote this weekend to self-care and R&R.

Now may be the time to share responsibilities with others, Leo. This is especially true if you are facing deadlines and simply cannot meet them in time.

#### Virgo

August 24-September 22

#### Week 1:

Virgo, you have the future on your mind, specifically where you will be in a few months or years. If you are not content, start mapping out a plan to follow.

You are more than willing to take on extra work that needs to be done to get a project completed, Virgo. Your teamfirst attitude is not going unnoticed or unappreciated.

The first half of the week lights up your friendships and long-term aspirations, Virgo. Try putting the two together so you can have more balance in your life.

Accept help when it is offered, Virgo. This makes helpful people feel good that they can do you a service. You will have an opportunity to reciprocate in time.

#### Libra

September 23-October 23

#### Week 1:

This is a week to bring order and organization to your home. Doing so will allow you to focus your attention on important matters, Libra.

#### Week 2:

You are doling out tons of advice lately, and it suits you, Libra. Others want to know your opinion on many different things, and you are ready and willing to offer it to them.

Libra, career stars are shining brightly for you and all eyes are on you. Use this opportunity to really showcase your talents. People with power may be watching.

Not everyone is on board with your new plan, Libra. You may have to present it a few times before you get a few takers. Be persistent to win others over.

#### **Scorpio**

October 24-November 22

#### Week 1:

Scorpio, attention naturally comes your way, and you won't to do anything out of the ordinary to direct more of it to you. In fact, spend some time out of the limelight if you can.

#### Week 2:

"When life gives you lemons, make lemonade." Why not turn it into lemon meringue pie instead, Scorpio? Really put a positive spin on the situation, and you'll feel better.

Scorpio, inspiration is in big supply this week, but be sure to watch out for those who might try to dissuade you. Keep plans on the down low if you have a great idea.

Scorpio, even though it seems like there are many obstacles in your path, you will be able to get through relatively unscathed if you have the right people on your side.

#### Sagittarius

November 23-December 20

#### Week 1:

Give yourself a few days to lounge around and enjoy some rest and relaxation, Sagittarius. You can probably use it right now if the pace has been hectic.

Investigate some travel options that can get you away for a little bit, Sagittarius. A change of scenery can do you good, and you will feel reinvigorated after your trip.

#### Week 3:

Sagittarius, you might get a little off course in the next few days. But all it will take is a little correction to have your plans and goals line up once again.

Sagittarius, relaxation is essential right now, as you have had many things on your plate. Do not feel like you are slacking off if you take some time to give yourself a break.

#### Capricorn

December 21-January 20

#### Week 1:

Avoid making any binding promises this week, Capricorn. Your mind just isn't fully into things, and you need extreme focus to follow through.

#### Week 2:

After a bumpy start, the week will smooth out quite nicely and can prove very enjoyable for you, Capricorn. Invite some friends over or go out for happy hour.

#### Week 3:

Relationships take center stage this week, Capricorn. You are getting pulled in many different directions, but you may love being busy and the energy that requires.

#### Week 4:

Let others in your family know how you are feeling. You don't have to put on a show or mask your emotions, Capricorn. They'll love and support your decisions.

#### **Aquarius**

January 21-February 18

#### Week 1:

Aquarius, focus on bringing some more romance to your relationship this week. Send cute texts or leave love notes around the house. These little actions will add up.

#### Week 2:

It is time to put yourself first, Aquarius, even though that's not always your style. Find some interests and let work slide for a little while so you can recharge.

#### you running yourself ragged or not feeling 100 percent? It might be time to really focus on schedule adjustments.

Have faith in your decisions even if they don't entirely make sense on paper, Aquarius. You will have a line of supporters waiting in your corner in no time at all.

Work and health take the helm this week, Aguarius. Are

#### **Disces**

February 19-March 20

#### Week 1:

Your charm is off the charts lately, Pisces. You can get just about anything you want. Just make sure your powers are put to good use.

#### Week 2:

Be sure to periodically check your on your finances, Pisces. If much has been flowing out, you may have to curb spending for a little bit.

Good old fashioned fun is on the horizon, Pisces. Use the warm weather as an opportunity to go to a drive-in movie or attend a local carnival.

Pisces, things are changing rapidly in your life and you may feel like you have to play catch up. Target some areas to focus your attention.

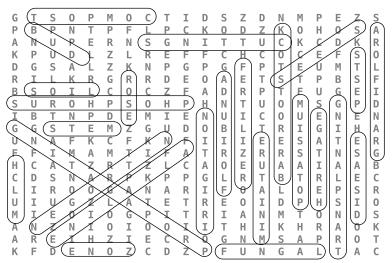
## **PUZZLE ANSWERS**

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A. rose B. thorn C. stem D. cultivar

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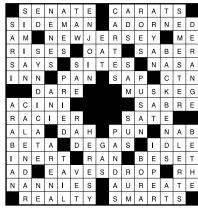
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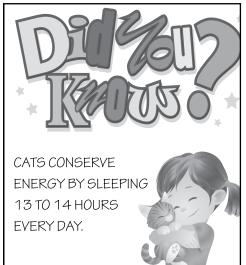
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#### **Puzzle 1 Answers**



Puzzle 2 Answers

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**ENGLISH:** Sweet

**SPANISH:** Dulce

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GERMAN: Süß

## **SPORTS SCHEDULES**

## **Twins Schedule**

Wed, Jun 5 @ Cleveland 6:10 PM Thu, Jun 6 @ Cleveland 6:00 PM Fri. Jun 7 @ Detroit 6:10 PM Sat, Jun 8 @ Detroit 3:10 PM Sun, Jun 9 @ Detroit 12:10 PM Tue, Jun 11 vs Seattle 7:10 PM Wed, Jun 12 vs Seattle 7:10 PM Thu, Jun 13 vs Seattle 12:10 PM Fri, Jun 14 vs Kansas City 7:10 PM Sat, Jun 15 vs Kansas City 6:10 PM Sun, Jun 16 vs Kansas City 1:10 PM Mon, Jun 17 vs Boston 7:10 PM Tue, Jun 18 vs Boston 7:10 PM Wed, Jun 19 vs Boston 7:10 PM Thu, Jun 20 @ Kansas City 7:15 PM Fri, Jun 21@ Kansas City 7:15 PM Sat, Jun 22 @ Kansas City 1:15 PM Sun, Jun 23 @ Kansas City 1:15 PM Tue, Jun 25 vs Tampa Bay 7:10 PM
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Thu, Jun 27 vs Tampa Bay 12:10 PM
Fri, Jun 28@ Chicago 7:10 PM
Sat, Jun 29 @ Chicago 3:12 PM
Sun, Jun 30 @ Chicago 1:00 PM
Tue, Jul 2 @ Oakland 9:07 PM
Wed, Jul 3 @ Oakland 8:07 PM

## **Minnesota United FC Schedule**

Sat, Jun 8 vs Colorado 8:00 PM Wed, Jun 12 vs Kansas City 7:00 PM Tue, Jun 25 vs Madison 7:00 PM Sat, Jun 29 vs Cincinnati 3:00 PM Wed, Jul 3 vs San Jose 7:00 PM



## **Explaining the Summer Solstice**

Each year, people in the Northern Hemisphere eagerly await the arrival of the summer solstice.

The solstice was a key cultural event in many ancient communities, but in modern times, it marks an opportunity to celebrate the arrival of summer as well as the longest day of daylight and the shortest hours of night.

The summer solstice occurs as a result of the tilt of Earth's rotational axis. According to Time and Date, as Earth orbits the sun over the course of each year, its axis always points in the same direction in space. The Northern Hemisphere angles toward the sun for half the year and away for the other half.

When the North Pole is nearest to the sun, this is known as the summer solstice in the Northern Hemisphere. In the Southern Hemisphere, the solstices are reversed.

The exact day that the solstices occur can vary by a day or two depending on the Earth's rotation. For 2019, the summer solstice occurs on Friday, June 21 at 11:54 am EST. Along the border of the United States and Canada, daylight will last approximately 15 hours.

## PROTECT PETS IN CASE OF FIRE

A fire at home can cause fear and anxiety. When a fire breaks out at home, one's initial reaction is to get oneself and one's loved ones out of the house as quickly as possible. In such instances, the rush to get out of the house can sometimes cause families to forget their pets. According to the home security firm Protect America, about 40,000 pets die in home fires every year. Many of those deaths are preventable. One of the best ways to prevent the death of pets in home fires is to devise a pet fire safety plan. Many parents devise fire safety and evacuation plans for their families, and it's important to consider pets when devising such plans. In fact, the American Red Cross notes that the best way to protect pets from the effects of a fire is to include them in fire safety plans.

Prevention is an essential part of protecting pets from home fires. And many preventive measures are designed to keep pets from starting the fires in the first place, as the National Fire Protection Association notes that nearly 1,000 home fires are accidentally started by pets every year.

The American Red Cross recommends the following preventive measures to keep pets from starting home fires.

• Extinguish open flames. Pets tend to be curious, and that curiosity may draw them open flames burning in candles, cooking appliances and fireplaces. Make sure pets are never left

unattended within the vicinity of open flames, and make sure all flames are thoroughly extinguished before leaving your home or going to bed at night.

- Install knob covers on your stove. The Red Cross notes that stoves or cook tops are the most common piece of equipment involved in home fires started by pets. Knob covers on stove knobs can prevent pets from accidentally turning burners on.
- Use flameless candles. Flameless candles can create a similar ambience as traditional candles but won't pose a fire risk. When pets knock over flameless candles, the result is a minor inconvenience, not a home fire.
- Confine pets to secure areas when away from home. Use baby gates or crates when away from home to ensure pets don't gain access to areas that may be vulnerable to home fires.

In addition to taking steps to prevent their pets from starting fires, pet owners can take steps to make it easier for firefighters to find and successfully remove pets from homes that have caught fire.

- Set up sleeping and lounging areas near entryways. A sleeping and lounging area near an entryway, whether it's the front door to a home or a door that allows access to the backyard, increases the chances that firefighters can quickly find and remove pets in the case of fire.
- Make sure pets wear collars at all times. Pet owners can quickly attach leashes to pets who wear collars at all times. This can help pet owners gain quick control of their pets if a fire is scaring them or causing them to feel anxiety.
- Affix a pet alert window cling. The Red Cross notes that pet alert window cling on the front of your home alerts firefighters to how many pets are in the home and saves them time in regard to locating pets.

Pets are as vulnerable to home fires as humans. Including pets in fire safety plans can save their lives.

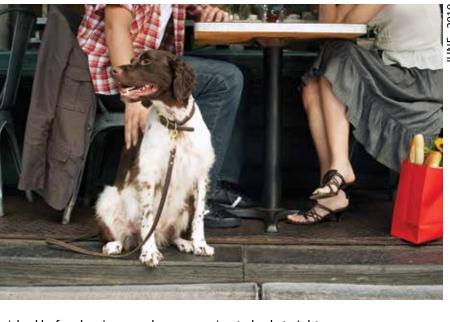


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## HOW EXERCISE BENEFITS YOUR HEART

Improved health is a primary motivator among people who routinely exercise. Exercise can help people feel better about themselves and their appearance, and it has considerable effects on various parts of the body, including the heart.

Cardiovascular disease is the leading killer of both men and women in the United States,. Exercise can be one of the most effective ways to reduce the risk for cardiovascular issues like heart attack, high cholesterol and more. In fact, cardiologists at the New England Baptist Hospital say exercise is not only a risk preventative, but also a healing balm of sorts for heart health.

Exercise can help the heart become more efficient and more capable of pumping blood throughout the body, says the health experts behind Kaiser Permanente health plans. Even light to moderate exercise can be highly effective at improving heart health. Harvard Medical School says exercise also promotes positive physiological changes, such as encouraging the heart's arteries to dilate more readily. Exercise also can help with the body's sympathetic nervous system (which controls heart rate and blood pressure) to be less reactive.

Ischemic preconditioning is another way that exercise can potentially benefit the heart. According to a 2017 article in JAMA Cardiology, heart disease patients who exercised found that exercise could trigger short periods of ischemia, or reduced blood flow to the heart. After resting for a few minutes, these people saw improved performance when they renewed exercise and got their heart rates up. It is believed that small doses of IPC can help the heart adapt more readily with ischemia and avoid a major response issue down the road. Those at the Cardiovascular Performance Program at Harvard-affiliated Massachusetts General Hospital found that IPC could reduce damage from heart attack by as much as 50 percent.

Physical activity also allows better blood flow in the small blood vessels around the heart, potentially preventing clogs that can lead to heart attacks. Furthermore, there is some evidence that exercise can help the body grow more blood vessel branches so there are additional routes blood can take if a usual path is blocked by fatty deposits or narrow arteries.

Johns Hopkins Medical Center says exercise also works like a beta-blocker medication that can slow the heart rate naturally to alleviate hypertension. It also can raise levels of HDL, the good cholesterol in the body, helping to improve overall cholesterol levels.

There are several reasons why exercise is important to heart health. It's never too late to get with a fitness regimen to prevent or reverse cardiac episodes.





Who doesn't look forward to sitting around a crackling campfire in the evening with family or friends? Such an experience attracts people to try camping, ultimately converting many of them into lifelong camping enthusiasts.

Campfires serve various purposes, from heating up simple foods to keeping wildlife at bay. Campfires also light up camps where people dine and sleep while providing much-needed warmth.

Campers must always exercise caution with their campfires. The University of Vermont Medical Center says 80 percent of pediatric campfire burns resulted from day-old campfires. The National Interagency Fire Center advises that, in 2017, 88 percent of wildfires were caused by humans.

When building campfires, the following precautionary measures can ensure a safe time is had by all.

#### Learn if it's safe.

Campground and other areas will post if the conditions are safe for a fire. Heed all signs and do not ignite a campfire if posted warnings say it is too dry and unsafe to do so.

#### Choose the right location.

Look around and up to make sure that the fire will be in a safe location away from low-hanging branches or brush. Keep a radius of at least eight to 10 feet around the fire clear of tents, food, chairs, and other items, states the health and fitness resource Active.

#### Prepare your site.

Dig a small pit in which the fire can be housed, offers Smokey Bear. Place a ring of stones around the pit.

#### Add fuel only as needed.

Keep the fire at a manageable size and height. Do not let it grow just to impress fellow campers, as it can spread and become a problem.

#### • Beware of the "duff."

The rangers at Modoc National Forest in California say duff is a layer of decomposing wood material that lies between pine needles and dirt on the forest floor. It is highly flammable, and some mistake it for dirt. Be aware of duff near the campsite and extinguish any embers promptly.

#### Maintain a close watch.

Make sure at least one person is always tending to the campfire.

#### Keep kids and pets away.

Set a proper distance for pets and young children who may not understand the dangers of fire.

#### • Extinguish the fire properly.

Keep a shovel and water nearby to drown the fire and embers. Mix the ashes and water again to catch anything that may be smoldering. Continue adding water, dirt or sand and stirring with a shovel until all material is cool. Never leave a former campfire hot. Check a decent perimeter around the campfire to ensure that no stray embers escaped.

Campfires are an enjoyable part of the overall camping or outdoor wilderness experience. Safety is essential to help prevent forest fires and/or injuries.



HOW TO KEEP BACK PAIN AT BAY Back pain is a part of life for many people. The American Chiropractic Association says 31 million Americans experience low back pain

Back pain is a part of life for many people. The American Chiropractic Association says 31 million Americans experience low back pain at any given time, and experts estimate that up to 80 percent of the population will experience back pain at some point in their lives. WebMD says back pain is the second most common reason people visit the doctor.

Back pain can take on various forms, ranging from a dull ache to a sharp pain. Some may experience intermittent back pain, while others may have chronic back pain. The causes can be considerable, from injury to underlying medical conditions. Alleviating back pain — or preventing it in the first place — involves understanding the common causes and taking appropriate actions.

- **Try exercise.** Routine exercise is not guaranteed to eliminate back pain, but it can make it less frequent, advises doctors at Harvard Medical School. Low back pain due to muscle strain or muscle spasm can be tamed by exercise. Yoga, or a similar stretch-based exercise, can be very effective at alleviating back pain. Yoga relaxes muscle tension and expands range of motion in the joints. It also can build muscle strength.
- **Maintain proper posture.** Slouching over computers or looking down at phones while texting may be doing damage to the back. Work ergonomically and take breaks to stretch. Sit up straight in chairs and try to keep a straight back while walking as well.
- **Shed some pounds.** Extra pounds at the midsection can shift the center of gravity and put strain on the lower back, advises WebMD. Try to stay within a range of 5-10 pounds of your ideal weight.
- **Don't smoke.** The Arthritis Foundation says research shows a high prevalence of spinal stenosis and back pain among smokers. It is believed that smoking can damage blood vessels that supply blood to the back. Smoking is also bad for the bones and is a risk factor for osteoporosis.
- Try a different sleeping position. Talk with a doctor about the best position for sleeping to ease up back pain. It may include being on your side with knees pulled up, or placing a pillow under your knees if you're a back-sleeper.
- Lift cautiously. Always bend at the knees and use the legs to lift items. This can help you avoid straining your back.

Back pain can be overwhelming, but with some strategies a person can reduce his or her propensity for pain.





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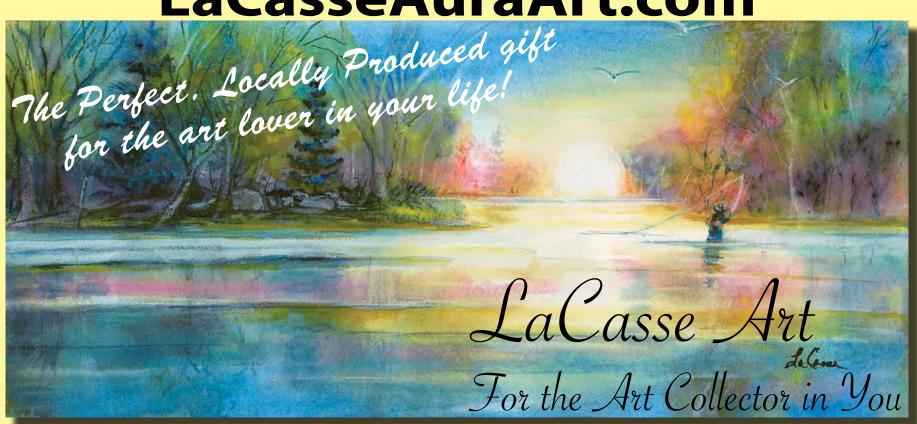
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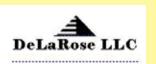








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