

Daily Delight

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White Cane Safety Day

Today is White Cane Safety Day, which celebrates and recognizes the achievements of the blind and visually impaired and their independence, represented by the white cane they use to travel from place to place. Passed by a Joint Resolution of Congress on October 15, 1964, and proclaimed by President Lyndon B. Johnson, White Cane Safety Day is not a day to help people with white canes across the street, but instead to help people who are blind live and function independently.

The best way to help is by keeping aisles and doorways clear of boxes and other debris. If you know someone who is blind or visually impaired, celebrate with them today and maybe have them take you for a walk.



Today in History



In 1860, 11-year-old Grace Bedell wrote to Abraham Lincoln, urging him to grow a beard to improve his appearance. He responded to the letter on October 19th but made no promises. He grew a full beard within a month. Lincoln was elected a few weeks later as the 16th U.S. President.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Burnsides' Sideburns

Sideburns, the strips of facial hair that grow down the side of the face, used to be known as side whiskers or side hair. One prominent side-whisker-wearer was Ambrose E. Burnside, a Civil War general whose distinctive facial hair connected in the middle via a mustache, with no beard beneath. This style of facial hair became known as the "Burnside." At some point, the fact that "side" was part of Burnside's name led to a mishmash of "Burnside" and "side whiskers" into "sideburns."

TRIVIA

In 1983, which country was the first to build a Disneyland outside of the US?

- A** Paris
- B** Tokyo
- C** Hong Kong
- D** Shanghai

TODAY'S FUNNY

Which days are the strongest?

*Saturday and Sunday.
The rest are weekdays.*

TODAY'S WISDOM

*"What makes you different or weird,
that's your strength."
- Meryl Streep*

WORD SEARCH

FAMOUS BLACK POETS

H R U N B B P V H N P O F U
H R G O T V I R O T M A U N
C O M Q R K O Y J A N E R N
L D D R L A N G S T O N H Z
H M L D D B R O O K S P A R
U Y W Y M O G I D R Q A Y G
G R O Y O W M R O N M D D I
H J N W H E A T L E Y A E O
E A W Y M B Y L O R D E N V
S Z Y Y N I A M C K A Y R A
W N C U A N G E L O U G G N
C N D D B A C Y A R T A Y N
O N E A H M G C W M A T N I
N T S Z D A W T Y R U R I A

HAYDEN

DUNBAR

WALCOTT

MCKAY

BROOKS

LORDE

GIOVANNI

WHEATLEY

LANGSTON

MAYA

ANGELOU

GORMAN

HUGHES

SUDOKU

How To Play:

Each 9x9 box is comprised of 9 smaller 3x3 boxes. Each of these smaller boxes must be filled in with numbers from 1-9. Each row and column of the larger 9x9 box should not have any numbers repeated.

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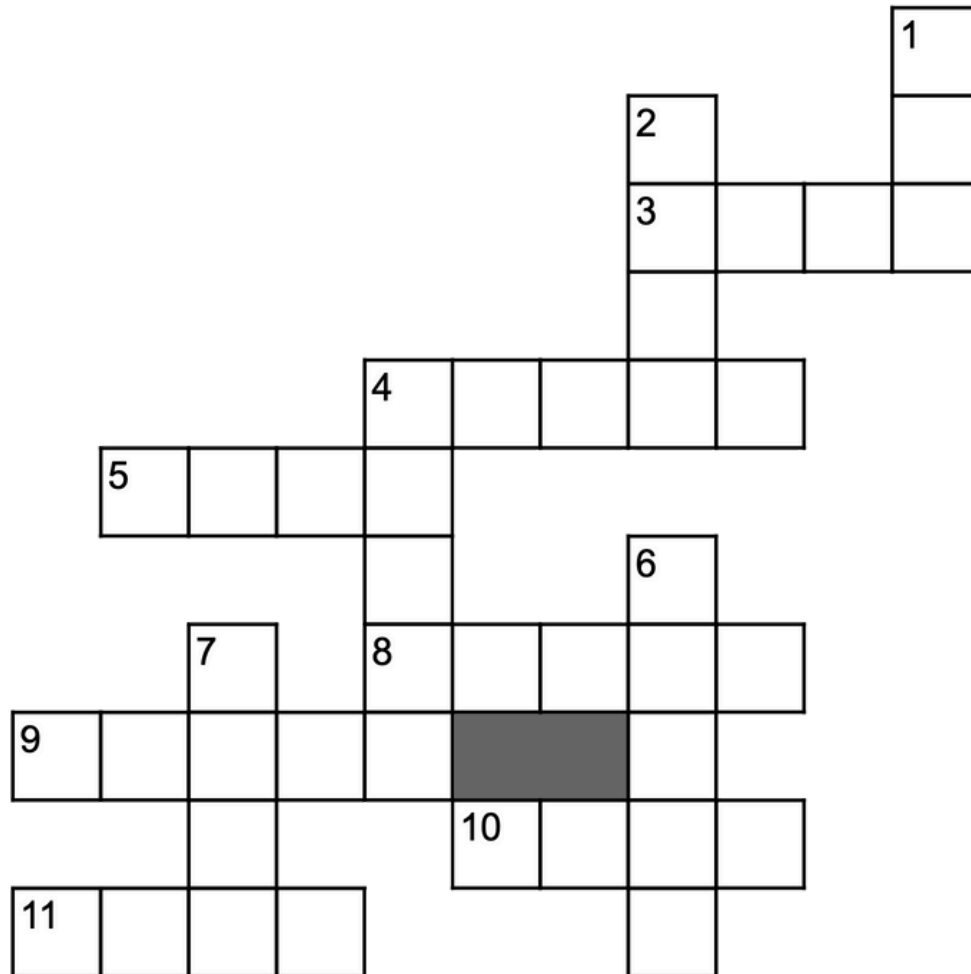
Helpful Tip:

If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.

WORD JUMBLE

Every answer uses only the letters in the word:

TELEVISION



Down

1. Particle (+/-)
2. No longer have
4. Sound
6. Young adult
7. Nowhere to be found

Across

3. "Bun in the _____"
4. Book
5. Rule against
8. 4+3
9. Rock
10. Duct
11. Cast a ballet

Spotlight Trivia

General Trivia

1. What American Indian tribe is associated with the 'Trail of Tears'? (Hint: This tribe was marched from their homes from western GA in 1838 to a reservation in OK)

- A. Navajo
- B. Sioux
- C. Cherokee
- D. Nez Pierce

2. After the Titanic sank, in what country were most recovered victims buried? (Hint: Many of the victims were buried in a cemetery in the city of Halifax)

- A. United States
- B. Canada
- C. Ireland
- D. Great Britain

3. What was the name of the computer that beat World Chess Champion Gary Kasparov in a chess match in 1997? (Hint: This was an IBM super computer.)

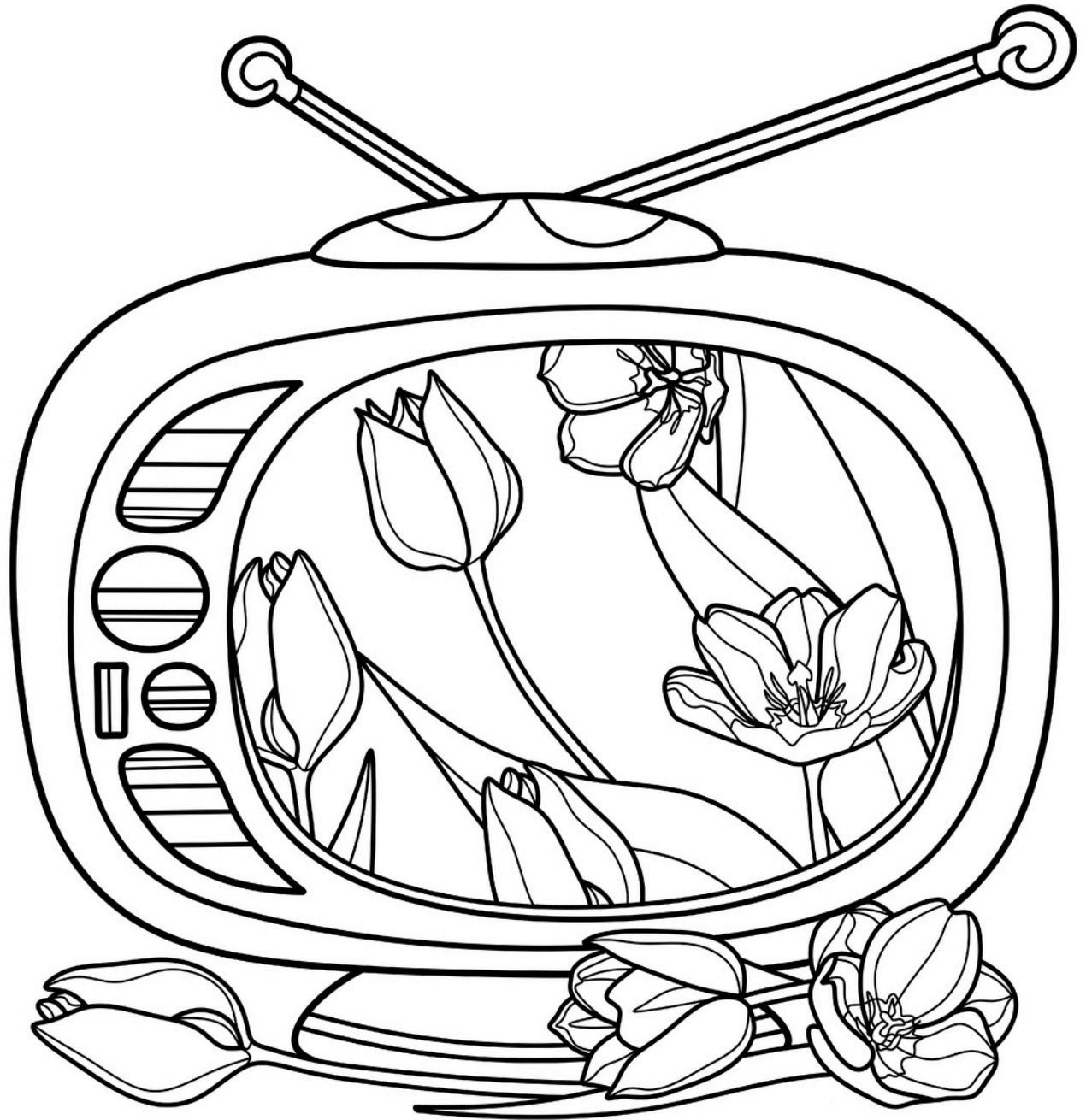
- A. Eniac
- B. Cray
- C. Deep Blue
- D. Gates II

4. Which of these men was NOT a pro baseball manager? (Hint: He is sometimes referred to as "Papa Bear.")

- A. Connie Mack
- B. Casey Stengel
- C. George Halas
- D. Tommy Lasorda

5. What famous U.S. memorial did Maya Lin design? (Hint: At first, her design generated much controversy and opposition, but now it is widely acclaimed.)

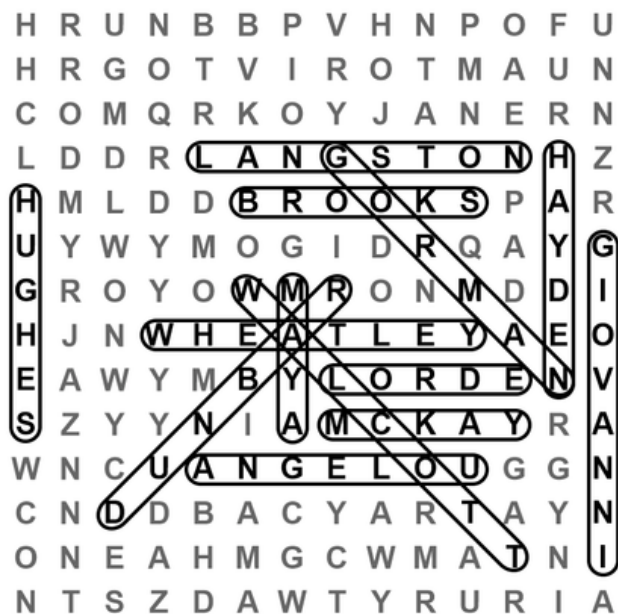
- A. Vietnam War Memorial
 - B. USS Arizona Memorial
 - C. Korean War Memorial
 - D. Oklahoma City Bombing Memorial
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SOLUTIONS

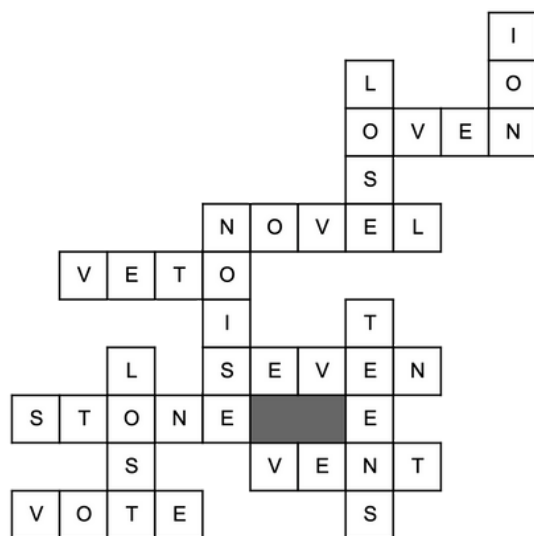
Trivia Answer: B

Tokyo Disneyland is a 115-acre theme park at the Tokyo Disney Resort. It was the first Disney park to be built outside the United States and it opened on April 15, 1983.



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Spotlight Trivia:

1. C - Cherokee
2. B - Canada
3. C - Deep Blue
4. C - George Halas
5. A - Vietnam War Memorial