# Daily Delight WEDNESDAY · DECEMBER 18 · 2024

## **National Twin Day**

Have you ever wished there was another one of you to help you get more done or be in two places at once? If you're one of the few people who has a twin, your wish came true, whether it was a wish of yours or not! National Twin Day was inspired by a pair of twins named Moses and Aaron Wilcox. In 1819, they donated six acres of land to a town called Millville, and in exchange, the town changed its name to Twinsburg, which is the epicenter of National Twin Day.

If you're one half of a twin, celebrate your unique sibling bond today. If not, think about what it would be like to have a twin yourself.



# **Today in History**



In 1961, the Associate Press named Wilma Rudolph female athlete of the year for the 2nd consecutive year. She became the 1st American woman to win 3 gold medals in a single Olympic Games and she broke at least 3 world records. Later, Rudolph became a civil rights advocate. senior living activity assistant

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## DID YOU KNOW? Fairy Castles to Giant Creatures

The city of Hiroshima hosts the World Igloo Building Championships each year, inviting teams to participate in either a "speed-building section" or "artistic-building section" to see who can create the most architecturally impressive igloo. Teams build everything from fairy castles to birthday cakes to giant creatures for the latter competition.

# TRIVIA

The word "bittersweet" is an example of what?



# **TODAY'S FUNNY**

Did you hear about the maple syrup company that went out of business?

Poor Saps

### **TODAY'S WISDOM**

"There is only one thing that makes a dream impossible to achieve: the fear of failure." – Paulo Coelho

## WORD SEARCH

## LOVELY STRINGS



LADY BLUNT	LUTHIER	TUNE
BOW	MUSICIAN	VIOLA
CRIOTH	STRADIVARIUS	VIOLIN
FIDDLE	STRINGS	VIOLINETTE

# 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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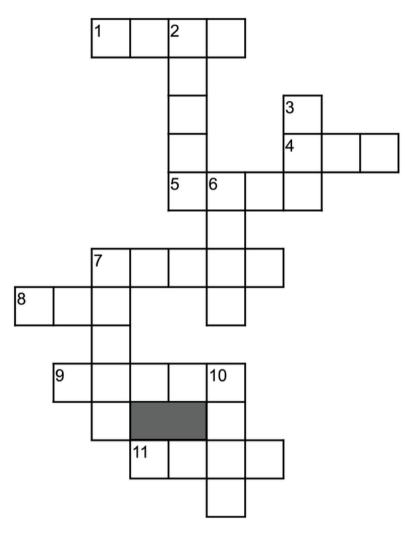
#### **Helpful Tip:**

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:

#### **NEWHART**



#### Down

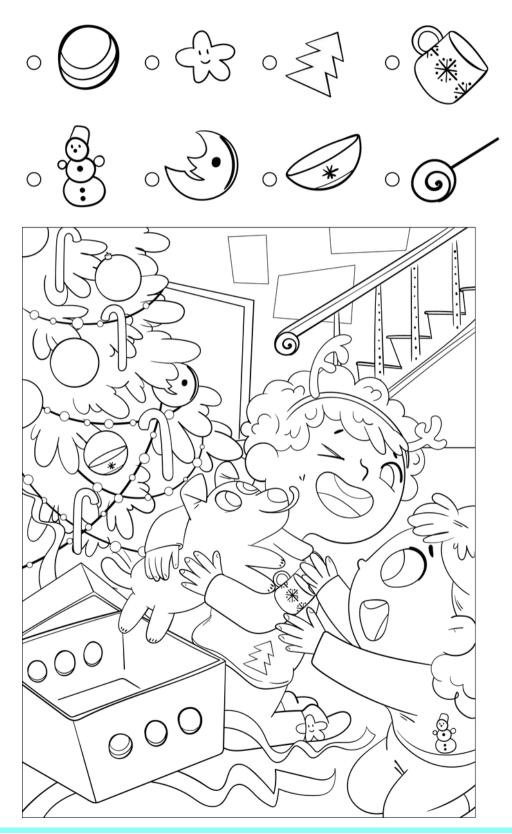
- 2. The Globe
- 3. Human expression
- 6. Acquire money
- 7. Negative critic
- 10. Listen

#### Across

- 1. Start over from the beginning
- 4. Past tense of run
- 5. Warmth/hot
- 7. Most vital organ
- 8. Leaf water
- 9. Under\_\_\_\_\_
- 11. Defrost

# **SEEK AND FIND**

#### Find the hidden objects in the picture.

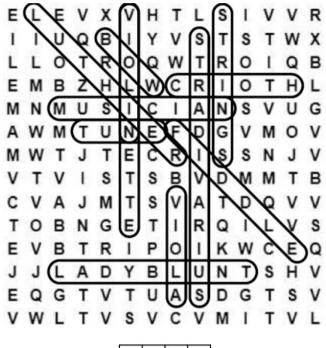


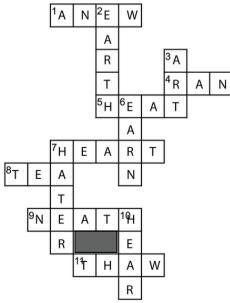


# SOLUTIONS

#### Trivia Answer: B

The word "bittersweet" is an oxymoron. An oxymoron can seem absurd yet make perfect sense at the same time.





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1	4	6	5	2	3	8	7	9
7	2	3	8	9	1	4	5	6
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