

# Daily Delight

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## National Watch Day

Quick! take a look at your wrist. Are you wearing a watch? If so, you're not alone. More than markers of time, watches are fashionable and professional, and with the introduction of smartwatches, these timepieces can make calls and send messages! Since June 19th is National Watch Day, it's only fitting that we examine some famous watches from the movies. In "Dr. No," the first of many James Bond films, Sean Connery sports a Rolex Submariner 6538, a fitting watch for an international spy.

If you like the newer James Bond actor, Daniel Craig, you'll note he wears Omega watches, like the Seamaster Planet Ocean 600M he wears in the movie "Skyfall". Which watch is your favorite?



## Today in History

In 1865, Union General Gordon Granger declared slaves were free in Texas. The end of slavery is celebrated in the US as Juneteenth. In 1979, Texas became the first state to make Juneteenth an official holiday. In June 2021, Congress passed a resolution making it a federal holiday.

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## DID YOU KNOW?

### Hawaiian Sugar Monopoly

During the American Civil War, the North desperately sought sugar, turning to Hawaii as the South ceased supply. In 1875, the "Reciprocity Treaty" was established, allowing the US to import Hawaiian sugar tariff-free. In return, Hawaii gained duty-free access to a range of American goods like meats, metals, and textiles. This agreement effectively granted the US a monopoly over Hawaiian sugar, reshaping the islands' economy and their relationship with the mainland.

## TRIVIA

Where is it believed that chopsticks were first developed?

**A** Thailand

**B** China

**C** Japan

**D** Greece

## TODAY'S FUNNY

My wife is really mad at the fact that I have no sense of direction.

*So, I packed up my stuff and right!*

## TODAY'S WISDOM

*"The art of living is more like wrestling than dancing."  
- Marcus Aurelius*

# WORD SEARCH

## ROSES

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

RED  
BEAUTIFUL  
ROMANTIC  
PRICKLY  
COLORFUL

FLOWER  
PETALS  
BOLD  
FRAGRANT  
LOVELY

SPECIAL  
LOVE  
BOUQUET  
ANNIVERSARY

# 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.

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

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

## Helpful Tip:

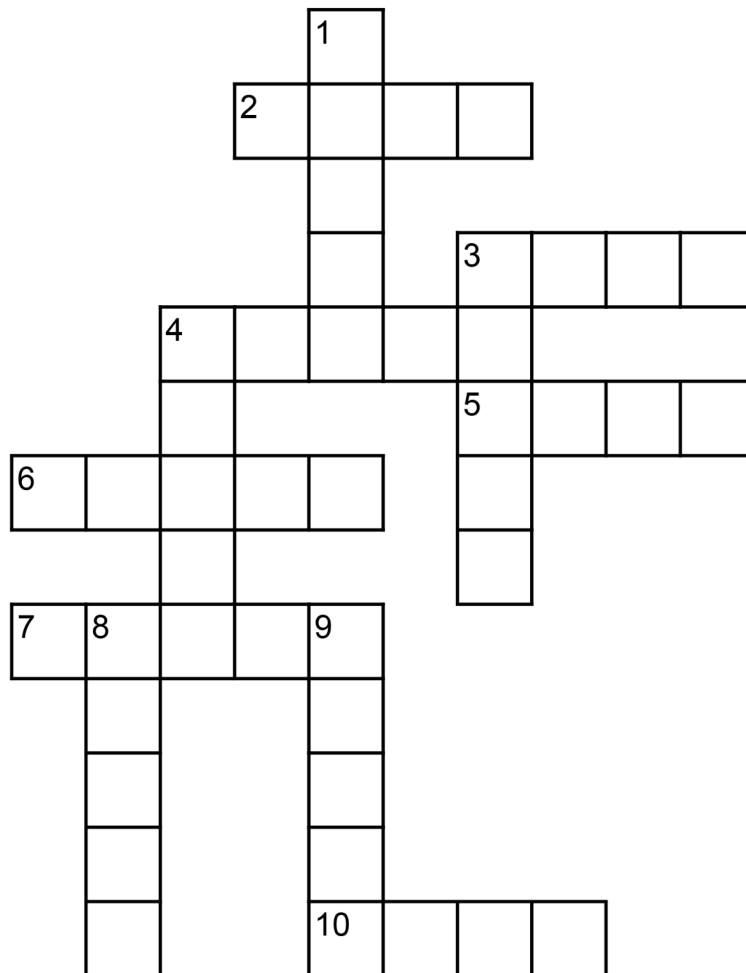
If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.



# WORD JUMBLE

Every answer uses only the letters in the word:

**AMERICAN**



## **Down**

- 1. Chop small
- 3. "Just Another \_\_\_\_\_ Monday"
- 4. Japanese film style
- 8. College food staple
- 9. Gold prospector

## **Across**

- 2. Sushi base
- 3. 3 blind rodents
- 4. Stadium
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ miss (close call)
- 6. Illegal doing
- 7. Coffee addition
- 10. Indy 500, for ex.

# CRYPTOGRAM

Each number stands for a letter. The correlating number for 3 of the letters has been provided as a starting point. Find the numbers in the puzzle and write the assigned letter. Single letters and word length are all hints. Be sure to keep track of what numbers are used for each letter to decode the message!

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
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16

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
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15 2

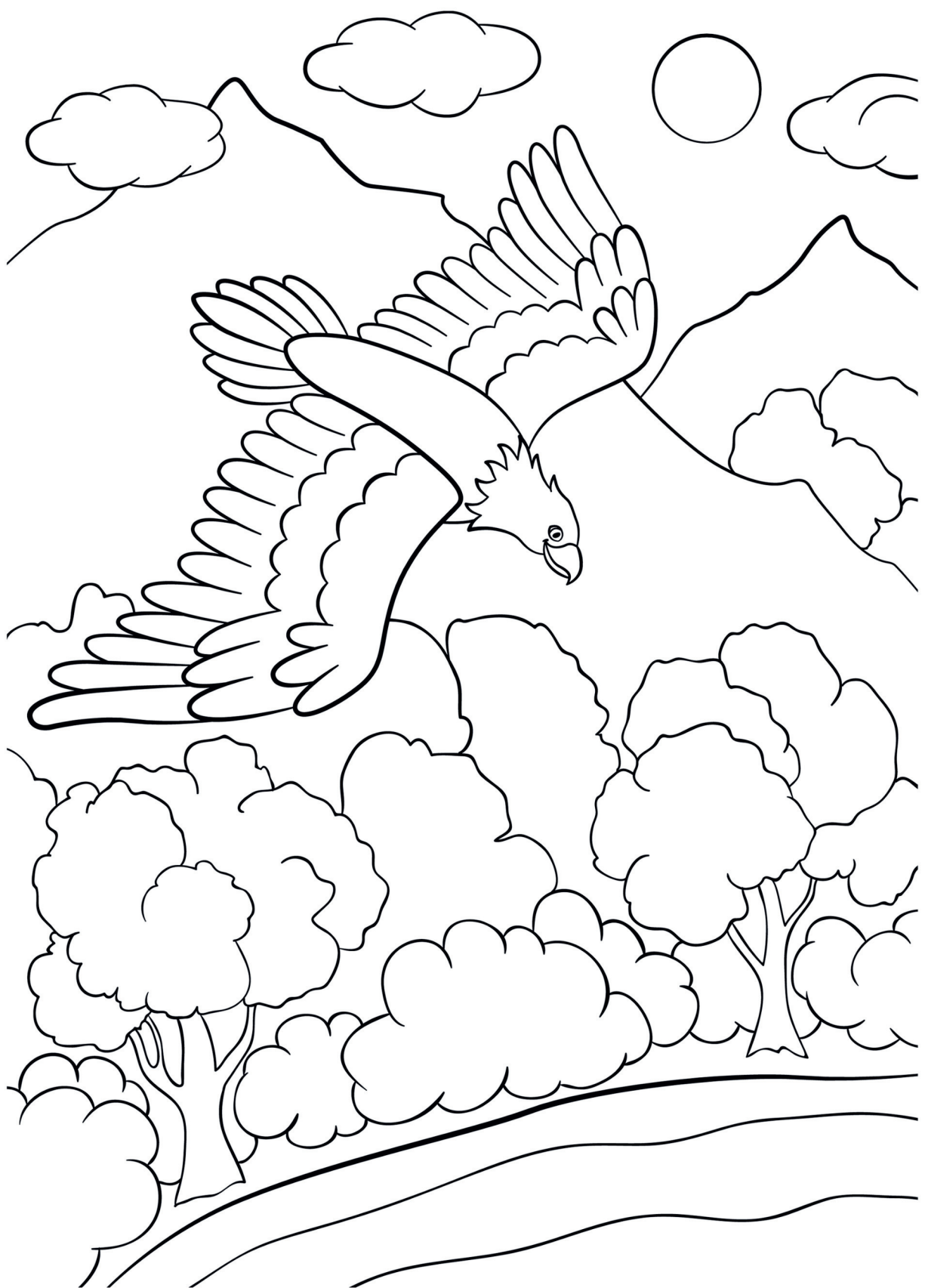
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16      24 17 20 19 11      20 17      5 25

6 21 15 2 11      12 21 2 10      20 17

1 16 2 11      23 11      16 15 11

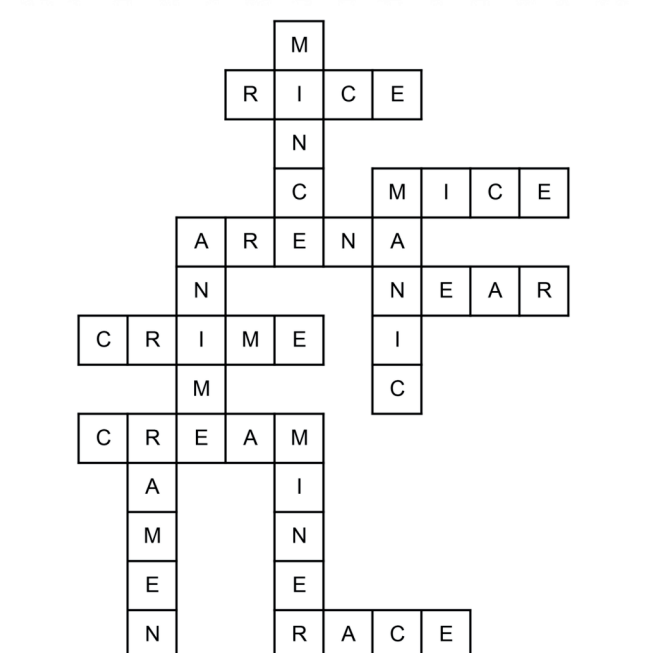
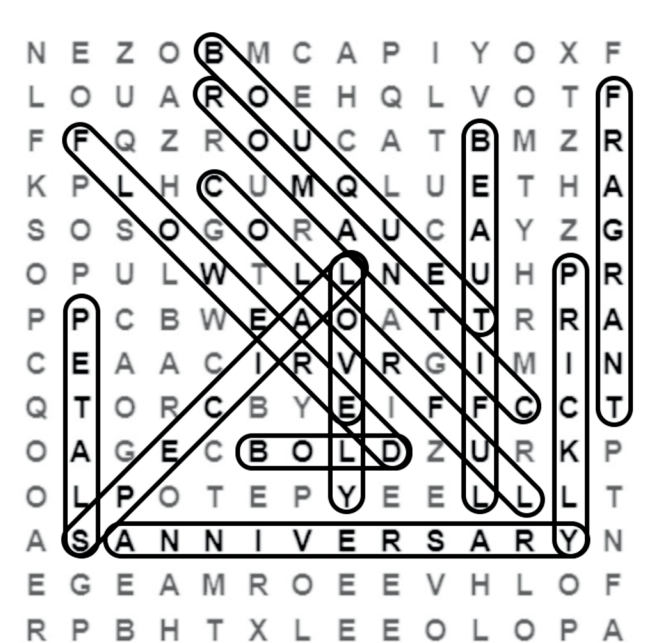
18 16 3 20 17 22      1 16 24 11 !



## SOLUTIONS

**Trivia Answer: B.**

According to the California Academy of Sciences, chopsticks were developed about 5,000 years ago in China.



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

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
17	8	6	26	15	2	10	21	3	23	13	25	7

$$\frac{A}{16} \quad \frac{K}{24} \frac{N}{17} \frac{I}{20} \frac{F}{19} \frac{E}{11} \quad \frac{I}{20} \frac{N}{17} \quad \frac{M}{5} \frac{Y}{25}$$

<u>C</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>E</u>		<u>W</u>	<u>E</u>		<u>A</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>E</u>
1	16	2	11		23	11		16	15	11

$\frac{H}{18}$	$\frac{A}{16}$	$\frac{V}{3}$	$\frac{I}{20}$	$\frac{N}{17}$	$\frac{G}{22}$	$\frac{C}{1}$	$\frac{A}{16}$	$\frac{K}{24}$	$\frac{E}{11}$
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