Daily Delight

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National VFW Day

On September 29th, National Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Day honors the men and women devoted to this valuable organization and those members who have served our nation. The VFW was established on September 29, 1899, by a group of veterans from the Spanish-American War and the Philippine Insurrection. It has since grown to be the nation's largest group of combat veterans. VFW membership since its inception has been instrumental in the establishment of the Veterans Administration, the creation of the national cemetery system, and the passage of the GI Bill. Members of VFW continue to serve their fellow veterans, families, and communities by sponsoring scholarships, career fairs, mental wellness campaigns, and so many more beneficial services. Take a moment to recognize all the VFW does in your community.

Today in History

In 1967, Gladys Knight & the Pips were the first to release "I Heard It Through The Grapevine" by Norman Whitfield and Barrett Strong. The group was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1996. Knight has won 7 Grammy Awards, and made her Broadway debut in in 1988.

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TRIVIA

Saluki is a breed of which animal?

A Horse

B Cow

C Cat

D Dog

DID YOU KNOW?
Traffic James

The world's longest traffic jam, recorded in China in 2010, stretched for over 60 miles and lasted an astonishing 12 days. On a smaller scale, phantom traffic jams are often caused by a single driver braking unnecessarily, creating a ripple effect that slows cars miles behind. This phenomenon, known as a "traffic snake" or shockwave, can occur without any accident or obstruction, proving that the most significant cause of traffic is often just traffic itself.

TODAY'S FUNNY

I have a photographic memory,

but I forgot to buy film.

TODAY'S WISDOM

"How bravely Autumn paints upon the sky the gorgeous fame of Summer, which is fled!"
- Thomas Hood

WORD SEARCH

PUPPY LOVE

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P Y I B C Y Y K G O I P J F K U N C
G R C P B U X A N I M A L S L M M F
V J U D E O U F Z G D M W N K C I G
J Y J B U T P I U L Y U Z B H R C F
K I T T E N S U K R Q A A M C E T B
C W J P E E Z F M B R E E D S T J W
J E D H V T O M M P V Y V T Y S W O
N L Z O G C A S J M H F A P A M H E
Q P L I G J K W F G Q C P L M A Q S
Q R H T Z S S X Y Z Y U X M W H X E
O R H B F Q Y X Q P P R L K E X C O
K C O M P A N I O N H H X H J T F V
D L C M L P E P S Q I W G B N N F A
V E W O K K D I C Z H J O T O F D E
K F E R R E T Y L H E T T J N V Z F
X L E L D W N R N Y B W X K I T D
I Y R H W L O Z W Q R H X I F U L A
R J D A N Y F J Y R H L W S Y D A V
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Animals	Breeds	Cats
Companion	Dogs	Ferret
Furry	Kittens	Love
Pets	Puppy	Hamster

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.

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

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

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.
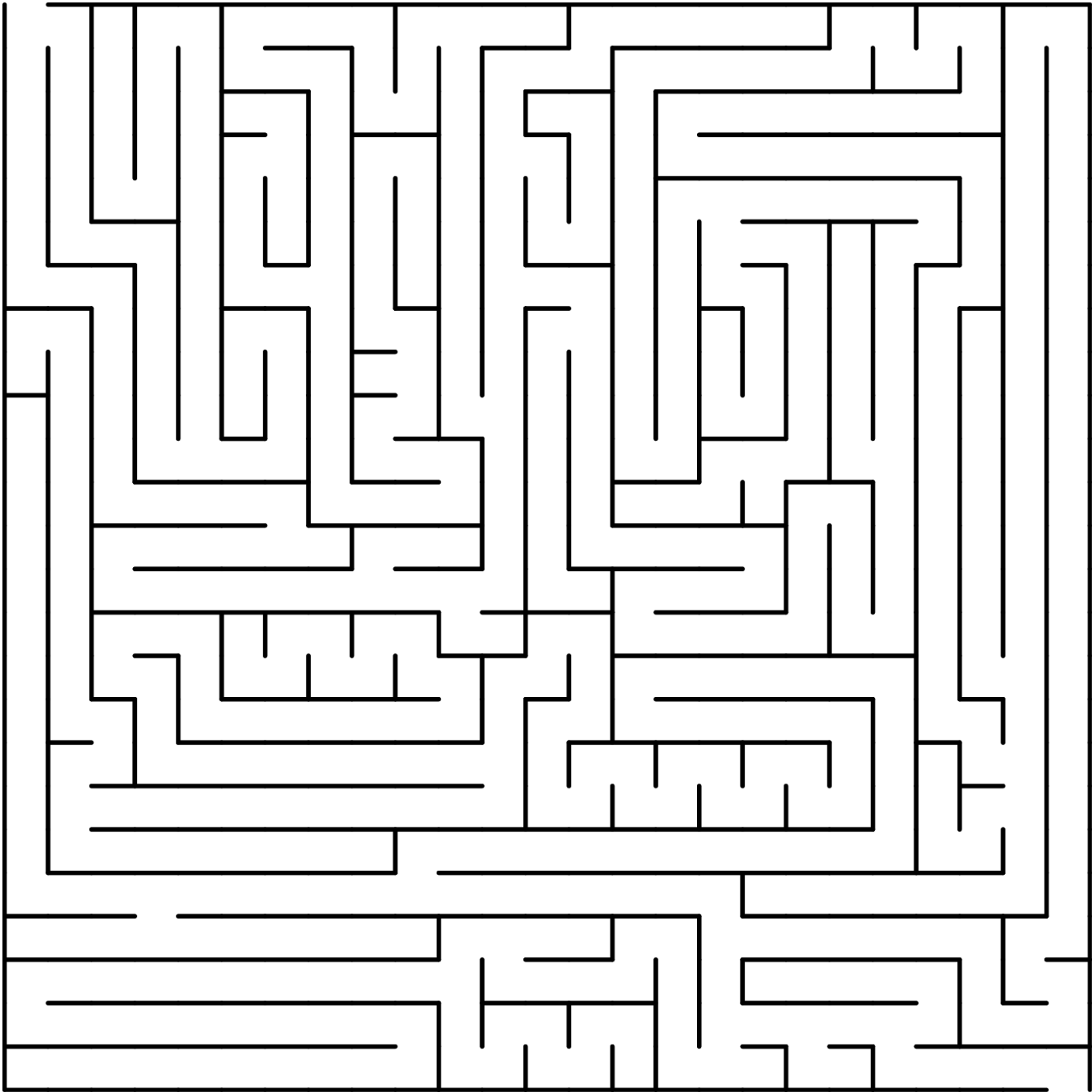
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Types of Rugs
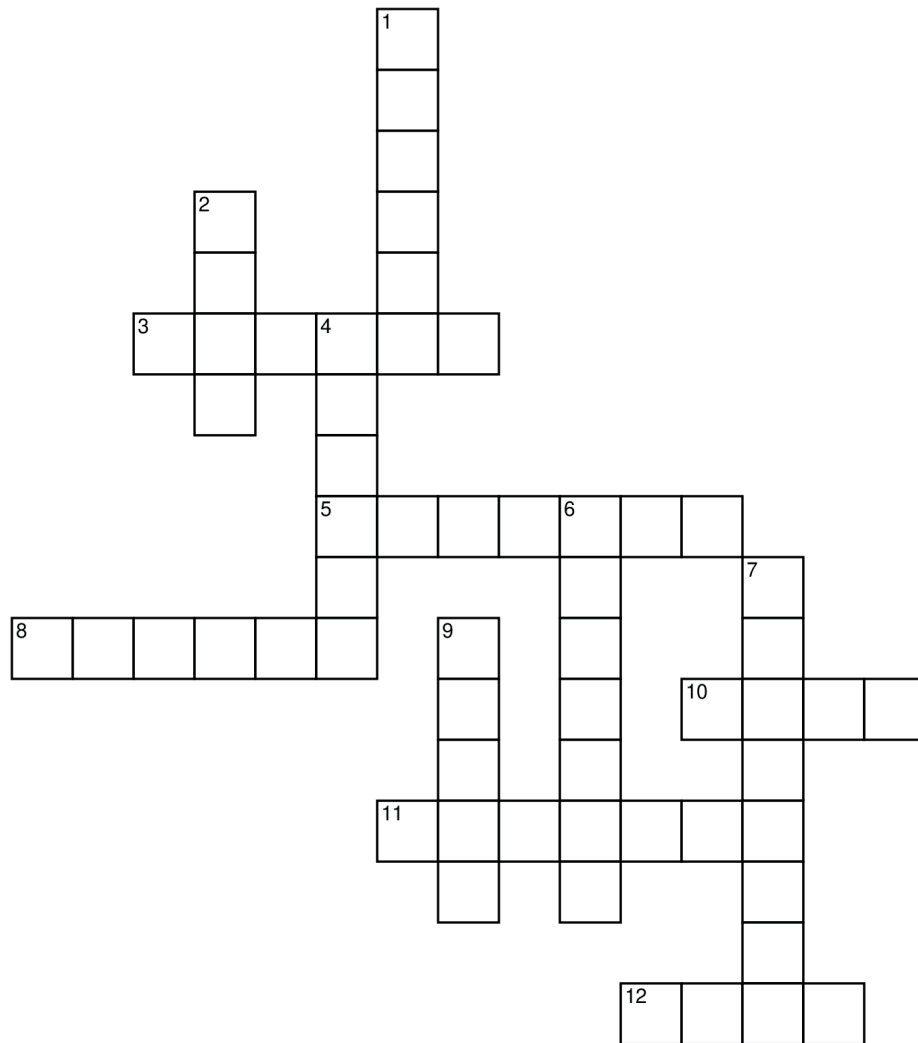
Across

[3] T-shirt material
[5] Like the Dalai Lama
[8] Like a fish
[10] Pelt
[11] Long-haired cat
[12] Parachute material

Down

[1] Panda chow
[2] Sheep's coat
[4] Kind of titmouse
[6] Type of coffee or bath
[7] Monopoly avenue
[9] Made on a loom

MAZE

Coffee time

SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: D

Saluki is a breed of hound whose ancestors may date to 7000 to 6000 BCE.

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

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

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

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1 B A M B O O
2 W
3 C O T T O N
  O   U
  L   F
5 T I B E T A N
  E   U   7 O
8 H O O K E D   R R
  E     9 W R K I   10 H I D E
        O V K I     E
     11 P E R S I A N   T
        N N H         A
        12 S I L K
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