

Daily Delight

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Star Trek Day

Boldly go where no man has gone before on September 8th, Star Trek Day! On this day in 1966, a television series pilot known as Star Trek was introduced on television. Creator Gene Roddenberry's vision was to successfully deliver an intergalactic drama full of diversity, acceptance, and hope. Star Trek was different from other science-based movies and shows; it put actors in the forefront, making scientific as well as social arguments, while providing peaceful solutions to problems without using violence. There have been countless spinoffs from the original show, both on television and in the movie, and the original program has been an indelible influence to people of all ages and walks of life. Be sure to watch your favorite Star Trek episode on September 8th! And, of course, live long and prosper!



Today in History



In 1986, “The Oprah Winfrey Show” premiered nationally and ran until 2011. Before launching her show, Winfrey started her career in radio before becoming a news anchor. She received an Academy Award nomination for her role in “The Color Purple” and co-authored five books.

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DID YOU KNOW? Brando's Try at Directing

Marlon Brando took on a major role in the production of *One-Eyed Jacks* (1961), replacing original director Stanley Kubrick as both star and director. While this creative control suited him, Brando's tendency to allow extensive improvisation led to significant time and budget issues. Producer Frank P. Rosenberg criticized the resulting 4.5-hour cut as merely a collection of footage. The film was eventually cut to 141 minutes, discouraging Brando from directing again.

TRIVIA

Which of these common backyard birds is a member of the Corvidae family, making it a close relative of crows and ravens?

- A** American Robin
- B** Northern Cardinal
- C** Blue Jay
- D** House Finch

TODAY'S FUNNY

What do you call friends you like to eat with?

Taste buds!

TODAY'S WISDOM

*"Even in darkness, it is possible to create light."
- Elie Wiesel*

WORD SEARCH

FRUITS



Apple

Banana

Orange

Grape

Strawberry

Pineapple

Mango

Peach

Pear

Cherry

Blueberry

Watermelon

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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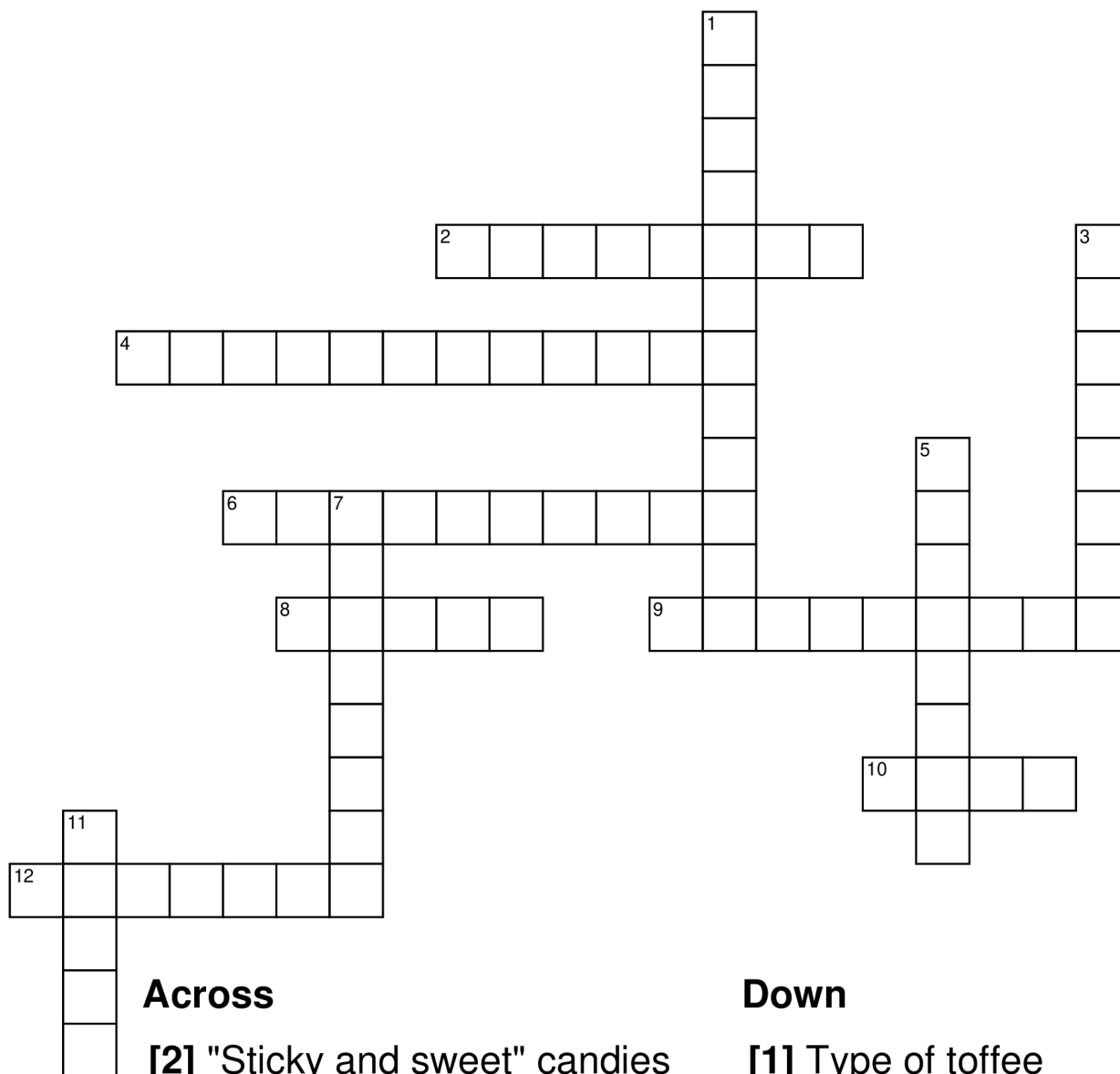
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Helpful Tip:

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.

MINI CROSSWORD

CANDY



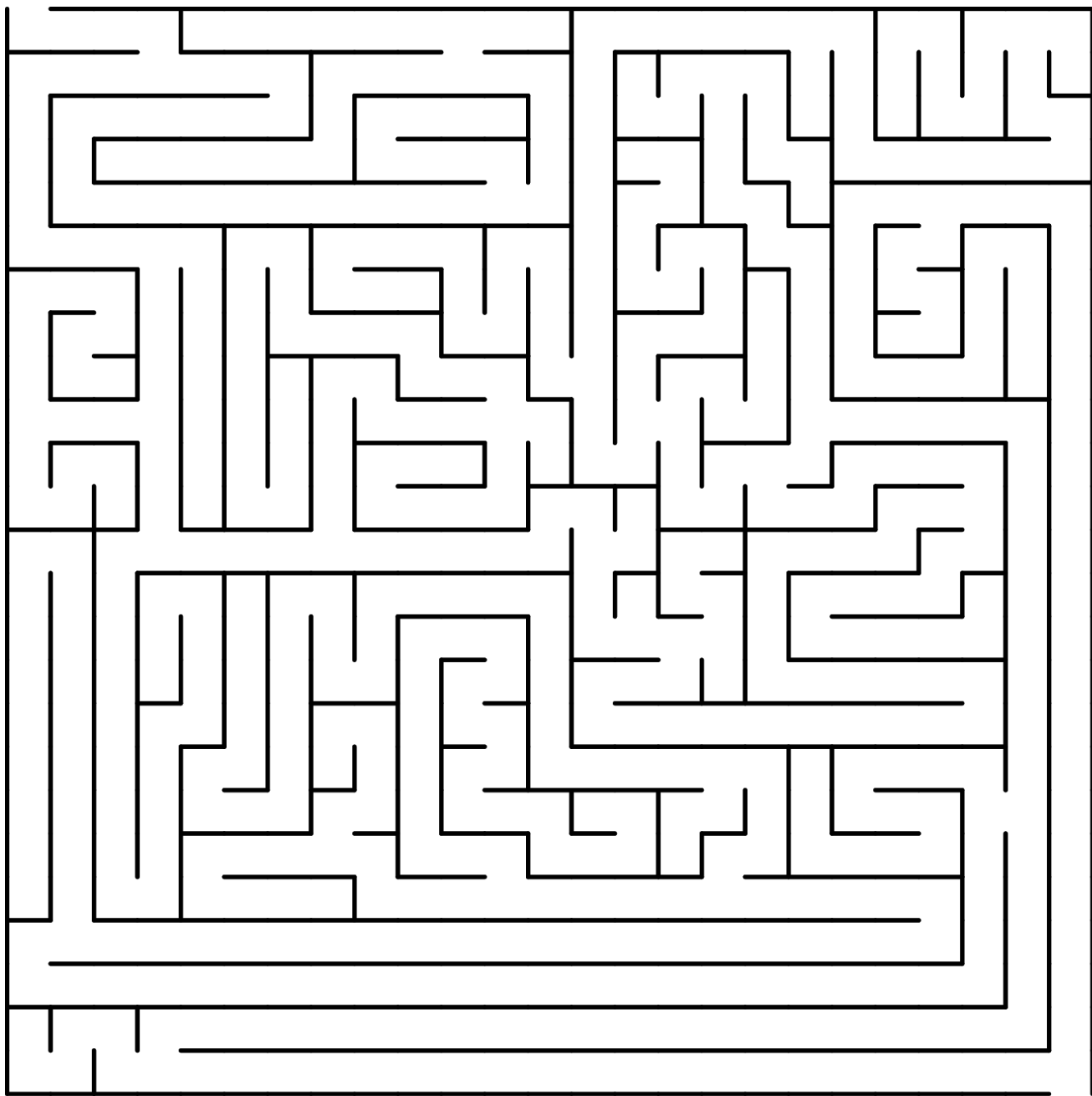
Across

- [2]** "Sticky and sweet" candies
- [4]** Campfire treat
- [6]** "Patty" of Peanuts
- [8]** Saltwater candy
- [9]** Popular Valentine gift
- [10]** Sugar crystals
- [12]** Bears and worms

Down

- [1]** Type of toffee
- [3]** What fennel tastes like
- [5]** Candy on a stick
- [7]** Pecan treats
- [11]** "Fiddlesticks!"

MAZE





SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: C

Birds in the Corvidae family are renowned for their remarkable intelligence and complex social systems.

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