

# Daily Delight

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## National Frog Jumping Day

Get ready to jump for joy on National Frog Jumping Day on May 13th! Started in the late 1800s in Calaveras County, California, the day was created to celebrate a frog-jumping contest that was held as part of the county's annual fair. There was always a lot of excitement about which frog would jump the farthest or highest! While frog jumping may not be as exciting as it once was, the activity actually serves a very important purpose.

Monitoring populations of frogs through frog jumping can help with conservation efforts. Counting frog population numbers is an important part of managing various species in order to make sure that sustainable practices are being followed. So, in a way, frog-jumping is contributing to the well-being of our planet! Hop! Hop! Hooray!



## Today in History



In 1958, San Francisco Giants teammates Willie Mays and Darryl Spencer each hit 2 homeruns and a triple. They combined for 10 RBI in a 16-9 victory over the Dodgers. Mays was a center-outfielder who won two MVP awards and played in 24 All-Star Games.

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## **DID YOU KNOW?** **Ball was a Trekkie**

Lucille Ball was the first female head of a major Hollywood studio and helped produce some of the most influential television shows. She was particularly instrumental in getting Star Trek on the air. There was some trepidation by board members concerning the budget of the series. So, Ball personally financed two pilots of the science fiction show. According to one studio accountant, "If it were not for Lucy, there would be no Star Trek today."

## **TRIVIA**

What year was the doorbell invented?

**A** 1801

**B** 1831

**C** 1851

**D** 1881

## **TODAY'S FUNNY**

Why did the invisible man turn down the job offer?

*He couldn't see himself doing it.*

## **TODAY'S WISDOM**

*"Never let your memories be greater than your dreams."  
- Douglas Ivester*

# WORD SEARCH

## A Good Night's Sleep



Pillow

Mattress

Sleep Mask

Sheets

Comforter

Dreams

Rest

Pajamas

Slippers

Slumber

Snore

Cozy

# 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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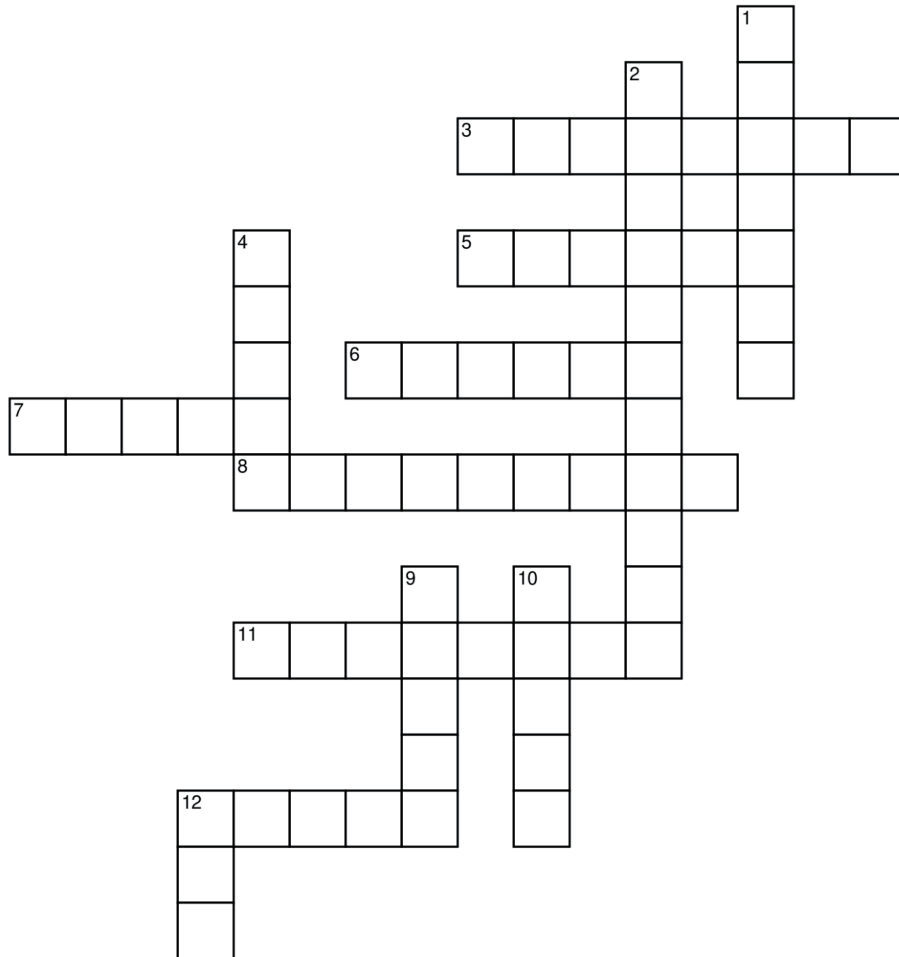
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## Helpful Tip:

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

## Michael Jackson



### Across

- [3] Michael's Move
- [5] To holler loudly
- [6] "Scat!"
- [7] Melody of sound
- [8] Quirky
- [11] Movie genre
- [12] "City of Light"

### Down

- [1] Rihanna and Clapton e.g.
- [2] Performer
- [4] Wedding activity
- [9] Fair attractions
- [10] Finger protector
- [12] King of \_\_\_\_\_

# Spotlight Trivia

## TV Moms

1. Best known for her sky-high blue hair, pears, and strapless green dress.

A. Marge Simpson

B. Wilma Flintstone

C. Jane Jetson

D. Linda Belcher

2. Mom to a full house, 3 daughters, 3 step-sons and someone was always singing!

A. Harriett Nelson

B. Carol Brady

C. June Cleaver

D. Donna Stone

3. This mom was named after a state and known for her spirit and iron will while raising their three children, JJ, Thelma, and Michael.

A. Virginia

B. Georgia

C. Charlotte

D. Florida

4. The mother of three children in the beginning, but then one son was written off as if he never existed. Her husband, Howard, was the owner of a hardware store. Who was she?

A. Donna Stone

B. Marion Cunningham

C. Carol Foster

D. Carol Brady

5. This woman was a lawyer in New York City, and her husband was an obstetrician. She had five children: four girls and a boy. Who was this mother?

A. Clairice

B. Clara

C. Clair

D. Clarissa



# SOLUTIONS

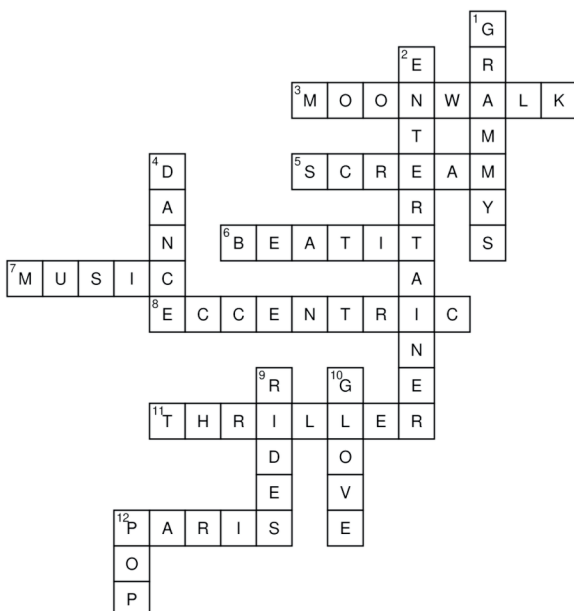
## Trivia Answer: B.

In 1831, early doorbells were considered a novelty, not a necessity, and few people bought them.

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## Spotlight Trivia:

1. A
2. B
3. D
4. B
5. C