

Daily Delight

SUNDAY • JUNE 14 • 2026

National Flag Day

“You’re a grand ol’ flag, you’re a high-flying flag, and forever in peace may you wave...” June 14th is the day we honor the Stars and Stripes, the American flag. The U.S. flag represents independence, freedom, and unity and is a strong symbol of American patriotism. Our flag represents the fifty states by featuring 50 white stars on a field of blue in the left upper corner and 13 alternating red and white stripes to correspond to our original Thirteen Colonies.

The field of blue represents perseverance, vigilance, and justice; the red represents valor and bravery; and the white represents purity and innocence. Today, show your patriotism for the United States by honoring our flag.



Today in History



In 2000, Actor Samuel L. Jackson was honored with a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. He is the highest-grossing actor of all time, with his movies collectively grossing more than \$27 billion worldwide. He received the Academy Honorary Award in 2022 for his various works.

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DID YOU KNOW?

How Maine was Named

Did you know that the state of Maine almost had an entirely different name, such as New Somerset, Yorkshire, Columbus, or Lygonia? However, King Charles hated the names. The name "Mayne" first appeared in 1622, but it is still unclear how it came to be the Maine we know today. The most common belief is that it was named after the nautical term "mainland" to distinguish it from the many islands around the coast of Maine.

TRIVIA

How many films did Sean Connery play James Bond in?

A 5

B 6

C 7

D 8

TODAY'S FUNNY

A Spanish magician was doing a magic trick. He said, "Uno, dos..."

and he disappeared without a trace.

TODAY'S WISDOM

*"Not everything that is faced can be changed,
but nothing can be changed until it is faced."*

- James A. Baldwin

WORD SEARCH

Elephant

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

Trunk

Tusk

Africa

Asia

Mammal

Wrinkles

Bull

Calf

Gigantic

Herbivore

Herd

India

Intelligent

Matriarchal

Poaching

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.

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

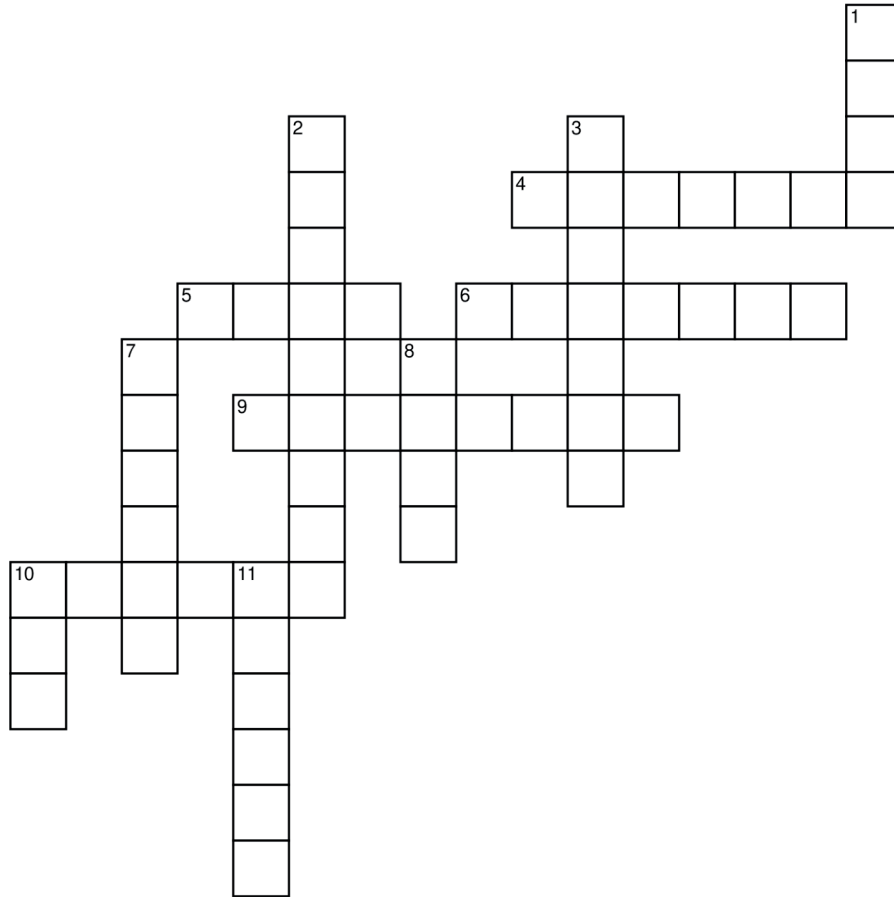
1			4					
			6	2			7	
8		5		1			2	6
			9	5				
5		2				8	6	
	1	8						5
	5					7		9
	3			6	1			
2	8	7			3			1

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

Jerboa



Across

- [4] What jerboas build to live in
- [5] A part of a jerboa's body that is twice as long as its body
- [6] The way a jerboa walks
- [9] How jerboas are described as a social animal
- [10] A predator of jerboas

Down

- [1] The word for a jerboa's feet
- [2] The diet of a jerboa
- [3] Jerboas are called for their ability to leap
- [7] How jerboas move when threatened
- [8] What a Jerboa can do if scared
- [10] Their lifespan in years
- [11] A continent where jerboas are found

Test Your Knowledge

Solve the questions below to test your knowledge and give your brain a workout!

Schoolteacher John Scopes was arrested in 1925 for teaching the theory of evolution in which southern state?

- A. Texas
- B. Tennessee
- C. New York

The legendary Route 66 was created in 1926. Which major U.S. city is NOT part of the famous highway?

- A. Phoenix
- B. Los Angeles
- C. Tulsa

Solve the math problems:

$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ \times 14 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ + 185 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ - 15 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 186 \\ \div 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

What movie earned Tatum O'Neal an Oscar for Best Supporting Actress at the age of 11?



SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: C.

Appearing in seven Bond films across a tenure spanning 21 years, Connery utilized his smooth manner and effortless charisma to make Bond a surprisingly endearing action hero.



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

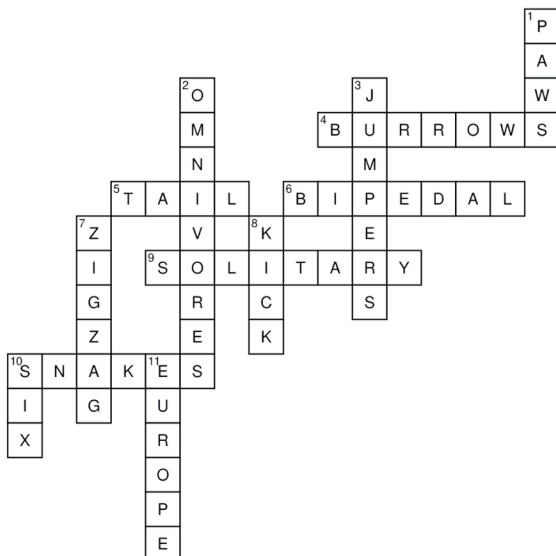
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3	4	9	6	2	5	1	7	8
8	7	5	3	1	9	4	2	6
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5	9	2	1	3	4	8	6	7
4	1	8	2	7	6	3	9	5
6	5	1	8	4	2	7	3	9
9	3	4	7	6	1	5	8	2
2	8	7	5	9	3	6	4	1

Answer:

B. Tennessee

Answer:

A. Phoenix



$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ \times 14 \\ \hline 84 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ + 185 \\ \hline 288 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ - 15 \\ \hline 74 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 186 \\ \div 3 \\ \hline 62 \end{array}$$

Answer:

“Paper Moon,” which teamed Tatum with her father, Ryan O’Neal.