

Daily Delight

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National I Love Horses Day

Don't hold your horses; it's National I Love Horses Day! From transportation and agriculture to entertainment and even therapeutic instances, horses are one of the world's most versatile and intelligent animals. Horses as we know them today have been around for over 50 million years and are believed to have originated in North America, with traveling and globalization taking horses to faraway places like Ukraine and Kazakhstan. Even though they were domesticated by nomads around 4000 BCE, wild horses continue to exist around the globe. Throughout their history, they have proven to be extremely socially adept, often seen roaming with members of their own species as well as other animals. And if you didn't know, a hippophile is a person who loves horses. Now quit horsing around, you hippophiles!



Today in History



In 1912, American athlete Jim Thorpe placed in the top 4 in all 10 events in the Stockholm Olympics, setting an Olympic record of 8,413 points. He won gold medals in the Pentathlon and Decathlon. He went on to play professional baseball, as well as football and basketball.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Cornhuskers Football

The Nebraska Cornhuskers football team is part of the NCAA Division in the West Division of the Big Ten. Memorial Stadium, known as The Sea of Red, has been home of the Cornhuskers since 1923 and is the location of an ongoing NCAA-record 396-game sellout streak. The streak dates back to 1962. The stadium becomes the "third-largest city in Nebraska" on game days, as its capacity exceeds that of every town except for Omaha and Lincoln.

TRIVIA

What was the name of the plane that made the first nonstop, non-refueled flight around the world?

A The Spirit of St. Louis

B Concorde

C Voyager

D Spruce Goose

TODAY'S FUNNY

What do dentist call their X-rays?

Tooth pics!

TODAY'S WISDOM

"The more I see, the less I know for sure."

- John Lennon

WORD SEARCH

Hunka Hunka



Elvis

Famous

Gospel

Graceland

Guitar

Viva

Singing

Memphis

Legendary

Pelvis

Presley

Musician

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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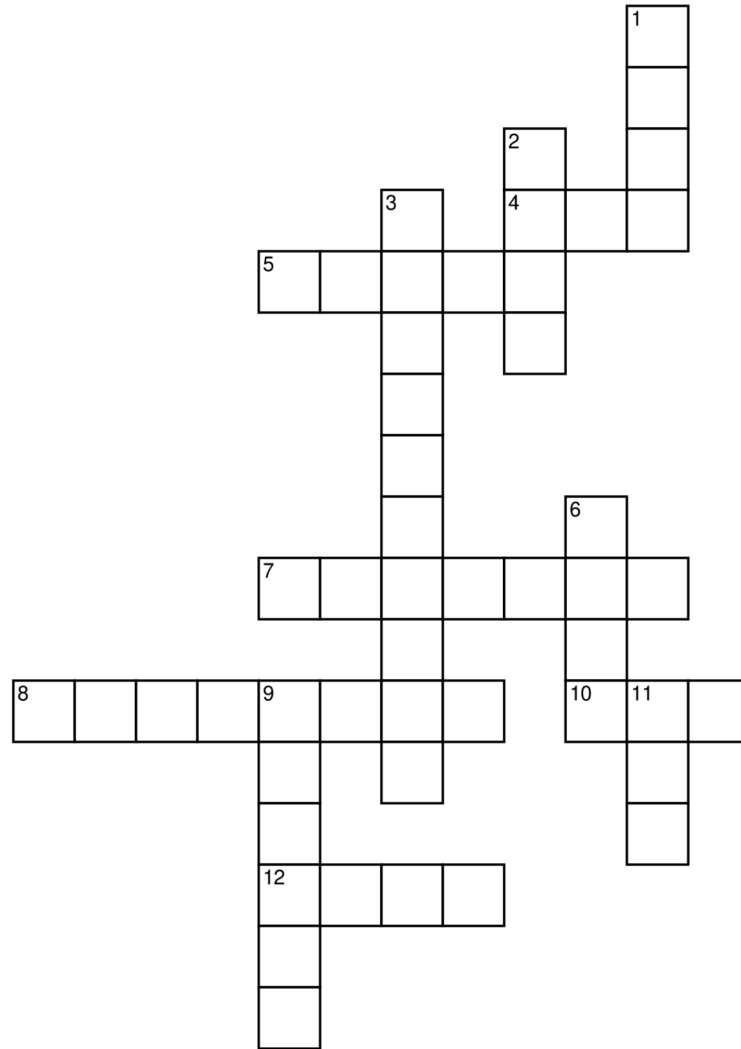
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Helpful Tip:

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.

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Forest Animals



Across

- [4] Lodge member
- [5] Largest of deer family
- [7] Masked critter
- [8] Bushy-tailed rodent
- [10] Sly one
- [12] Smokey is one

Down

- [1] Sharp-eyed bird
- [2] Fawn's mother
- [3] Woody, e.g.
- [6] Fairy tale villain
- [9] Long-eared hopper
- [11] Wise one

SPOTLIGHT TRIVIA

Summer Fun

1. What does SPF stand for?

- A. Sunscreen Properties Formula
- B. Sun Protection Factor
- C. Sun Particles Force
- D. Sun Protection Force

2. What three Zodiac signs occur during the Summer?

- A. Cancer, Libra, and Scorpio
- B. Cancer, Leo, and Virgo
- C. Aries, Taurus, and Leo
- D. Cancer, Leo and Sagittarius

3. How many calories are in a cup of watermelon?

- A. 40
- B. 17
- C. 60
- D. 120

4. What is the word for the scientific study of berries, such as blackberries and raspberries?

- A. Batology
- B. Olericulture
- C. Petrology
- D. Cosmology

5. In what state was the beach ball invented?

- A. California
 - B. Florida
 - C. North Carolina
 - D. Virginia
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SOLUTIONS

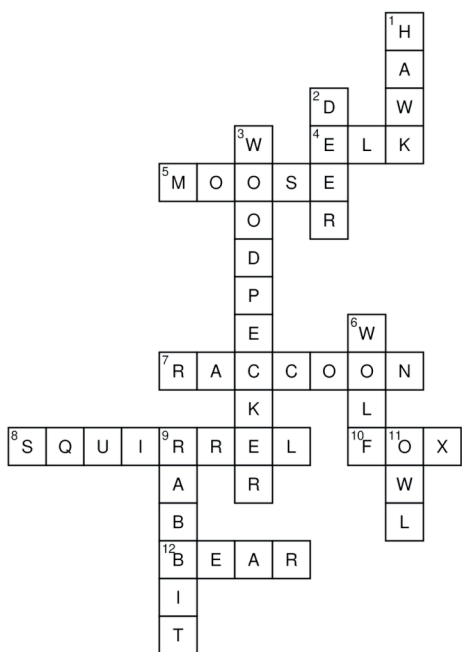
Trivia Answer: C

In 1986, the Voyager aircraft, constructed of lightweight graphite-honeycomb composite materials and laden with fuel, left Edwards AFB; it returned 9 days later.



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Spotlight Trivia:

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