

Daily Delight

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Ride the Wind Day

This late summer holiday is a blend of adventure and peace. Ride the Wind Day is a carefree day to soar above the earth or sail the day away. We have proven time and time again that we can achieve anything we set our minds to with limitless achievements. There's no denying that flying is one of the most euphoric feelings to have. We envy the birds every day for effortlessly having that advantage, and human-powered aircraft allowed us to experience that feeling.

The concept of human-powered flight began in 1904 with the invention of a bicycle plane. However, it wasn't until November 9, 1961, that the first successful take-off and landing of a man-powered aircraft occurred. In 1977, the Gossamer Condor 2 won the Kremer Prize for flying a figure-of-eight course around two markers. This achievement led to the establishment of the National Ride The Wind Day.



Today in History



In 1938, “You Can’t Take It With You” premiered, winning Best Picture in 1939. The film starred Jimmy Stewart, his 1st big role. He went on to be nominated for five Oscars, winning for “The Philadelphia Story” in 1940. AFI ranked Stewart third on its list of the greatest American male actors.

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DID YOU KNOW? Tiny Town Vendors

If we traveled back 100 years and visited a typical city, some things would seem strange. Most notable would be child vendors. In 1920, about a million children aged 10 to 15 worked in America. They were flower sellers, shoe shiners, and couriers, some as young as 5, who sold newspapers in the street. But thankfully, by the end of the decade, a growing preference for home delivery and tougher child labor laws led to the decline of the “newsie” in urban America.

TRIVIA

Who is the only US president to have been awarded a Pulitzer Prize?

A John F. Kennedy

B Barack Obama

C Ulysses S. Grant

D George W. Bush

TODAY'S FUNNY

Did you hear about the donkey who won the Kentucky Derby?

He was a real burrobread

TODAY'S WISDOM

“Seize the moment. Remember all those women on the 'Titanic,' who waved off the dessert cart.”
- Erma Bombeck

WORD SEARCH

Punctuation



Colon

Comma

Dash

Bracket

Hyphen

Parenthesis

Asterisk

Ampersand

Quotation

Semicolon

Question Mark

Exclamation

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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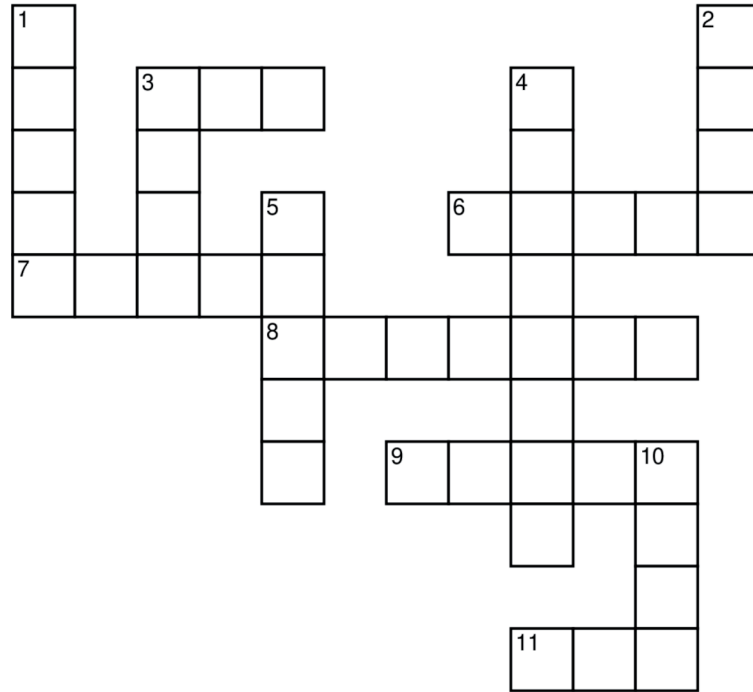
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Helpful Tip:

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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Slippery Things



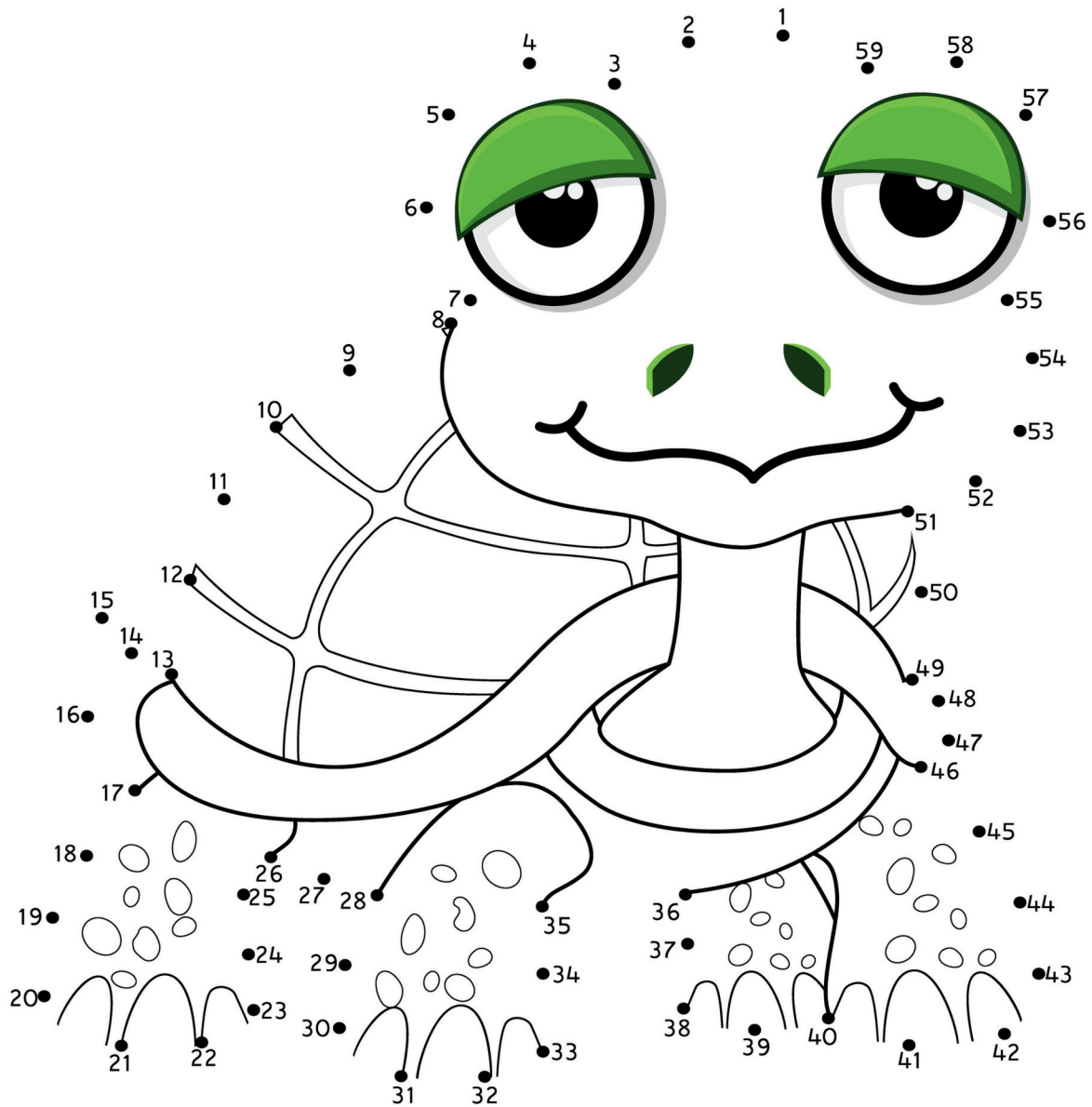
Across

- [3] In cars and kitchens
- [6] Tap a tree
- [7] Slug
- [8] Pearl producers
- [9] Wall cover
- [11] Fills the cooler

Down

- [1] Snail trail
- [2] Hotel freebie
- [3] Gumbo ingredient
- [4] #1 cosmetic ingredient
- [5] Red Cross supply
- [10] Bathroom floor covering

CONNECT THE DOTS





SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: A

Kennedy's thesis, later published as *Why England Slept*, was a study of the failure of British political leaders in the 1930s to oppose popular resistance to rearming, leaving the country ill-prepared for World War II.

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