

COMICS

COD IN A FISHBOWL

JASON RETUTA



BABY BUSH

ANDREW PALIOS



LEFT FIELD

DOUG WALKER



RELAX

MIKE PARGAS



GAMES

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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Weekly SUDOKU
Answer

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

Answer to last week's puzzle

Wishing Well®

8	7	4	8	3	5	8	6	4	3	6	5	8
N	A	F	E	A	L	W	A	U	R	T	O	M
2	3	7	8	3	5	3	8	7	5	8	6	5
E	E	M	E	W	V	A	T	A	I	H	T	N
3	5	4	3	5	4	7	5	8	3	2	7	6
R	G	T	D	J	U	R	O	O	I	A	R	A
5	2	3	4	7	2	6	2	4	7	8	4	3
Y	S	N	R	I	E	I	Y	E	A	D	U	G
2	7	4	8	6	7	4	7	2	4	3	6	2
O	G	N	S	N	E	C	O	U	L	C	H	R
4	6	3	4	2	4	3	7	6	4	2	7	4
O	U	A	U	M	D	R	F	M	E	I	L	D
3	2	6	3	6	7	3	7	2	6	7	6	6
E	N	I	E	L	O	R	V	D	I	E	T	Y

HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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

Answer to last week's puzzle

Salome's Stars

For the Week of February 23, 2007



Aries (March 21 to April 19)

Lots of mixed signals can create an unreliable situation in which to make decisions. Best advice: Hold off on making any commitments until you're sure you know what's going on.



Taurus (April 20 to May 20)

An apparently friendly offer comes with some strings attached. Be careful not to get tied into something you don't really want. Thoroughly examine all your options before making a choice.



Gemini (May 21 to June 20)

If you're not careful, distractions can interrupt your best efforts. Continue to focus on what you need to do. You'll soon have lots of time to enjoy the rewards of your dedication.



Cancer (June 21 to July 22)

Knowledge replaces suspicion as you begin to learn more about that "act of betrayal." On a lighter note, someone close to you might be planning a pleasant surprise.



Leo (July 23 to August 22)

Control your sometimes-overactive jealousy gene before you find yourself saying or doing something that you could later regret. Best advice: Stop obsessing and move on.



Virgo (August 23 to September 22)

It's a good time to loosen up and do something wonderful and exciting before your more reserved nature resurfaces. A message brings news of imminent change.



Libra (September 23 to October 22)

Cheer up. Things begin to improve significantly by mid-February. However, you might still need help to get through the rest of this sometimes-difficult period.



Scorpio (October 23 to November 21)

Something you learned last week takes on new meaning as you begin to relate it to another situation in your life. It's best to keep this matter to yourself for now.



Sagittarius (November 22 to December 21)

Your energy level is climbing, and so is your self-confidence. Good for you, because you'll need a good dollop of both to tackle an exciting challenge on the way.



Capricorn (December 22 to January 19)

A family issue might interrupt a career-linked project. Try to give the matter the attention it needs, but be careful not to jeopardize your workplace situation.



Aquarius (January 20 to February 18)

Some self-doubt shows up this week, causing you to question your ability to handle a new challenge. But you know you can do it, and this is your chance to prove it.



Pisces (February 19 to March 20)

A personal matter requires you to be as clear and forthcoming as possible in order to avoid misunderstandings. A career move is eased with the emergence of new facts.

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King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 "Planet of the -"
- 5 Urban transport
- 8 Analgesic target
- 12 Emotionlessness
- 14 Discourteous
- 15 Aussie critter
- 16 Earthenware pot
- 17 Third-party abbr.
- 18 "Cabaret" composer John
- 20 Poolroom necessities
- 23 Fourth canonical hour
- 24 Summertime desserts
- 25 Frog-dissection class
- 28 Bikini half
- 29 Musical transition
- 30 "- the ramparts ..."
- 32 Bewitch
- 34 Old coot
- 35 Ostentatious display
- 36 Tiny fly
- 37 Dorothy's home
- 40 Author Fleming
- 41 Send forth

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
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			17			18	19				
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24				25				26	27		
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	32	33					34				
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41					42	43			44	45	46
47					48						
49					50				51		

- 42 Illinois city
- 47 Admonition to Nanette
- 48 Overbearing
- 49 Despot
- 50 Writer Hentoff
- 51 Shoulder band
- 8 Now
- 9 "- Lang Syne"
- 10 "Spamalot" creator Eric
- 11 Approach
- 13 Supermarket stack
- 19 Wheel-base terminus
- 20 Chest protector
- 21 Land measure
- 22 Slender
- 23 Autographs
- 25 Rug traditionally seen in baby pictures
- 26 Acceptable
- 27 Safecracker
- 29 Actor LaBeouf
- 31 "Catcher in the -"
- 33 Pollux's twin
- 34 Exams
- 36 Kind of shark
- 37 Superman's alter ego
- 38 Biblical prophet
- 39 Pinta partner
- 40 "Meet Me - Louis"
- 43 Literary collection
- 44 One of Hawaii's Maunans
- 45 Type units
- 46 Ordinal suffix

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