

Some Fun Stuff While We're All Stuck At Home

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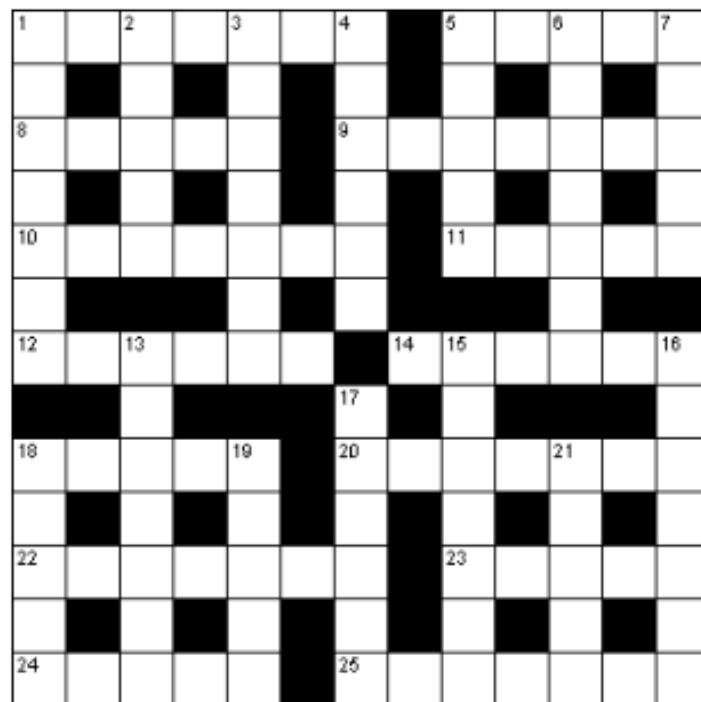
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Simple Crossword No 9

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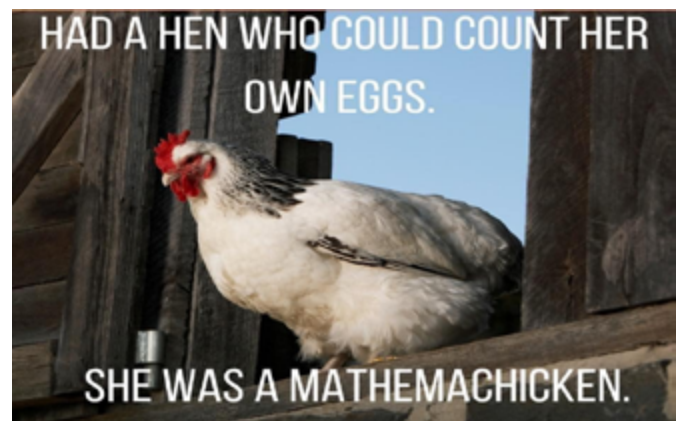
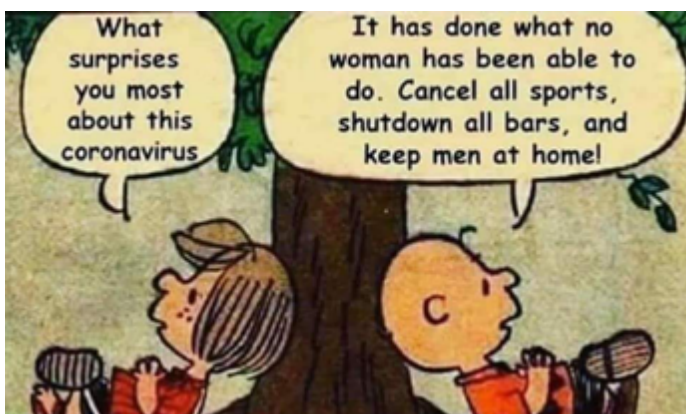


Across

- 1 Marked with streaks or blotches (7)
- 5 Public transport vehicles (5)
- 8 Desert haven (5)
- 9 One who shoes horses (7)
- 10 She-goat (anag) (7)
- 11 Vacant (5)
- 12 Drink of the gods (6)
- 14 Grief (6)
- 18 Fries (5)
- 20 Short-handled axe (7)
- 22 Conflagration (7)
- 23 Ground meat (5)
- 24 Head (slang) (5)
- 25 Male geese (7)

Down

- 1 Common aquatic bird (7)
- 2 International cricket matches (5)
- 3 Milan opera house (2,5)
- 4 Incompetent person (6)
- 5 Canal boat (5)
- 6 Captain (7)
- 7 Contrite (5)
- 13 Sheer fabric of silk or rayon (7)
- 15 Low stuffed seat (7)
- 16 Ridge between the shoulder blades of a horse (7)
- 17 Crowd (6)
- 18 Ascend (5)
- 19 Be of use (5)
- 21 From this place (5)



Find The Words In The Grid

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Sudoku No 9

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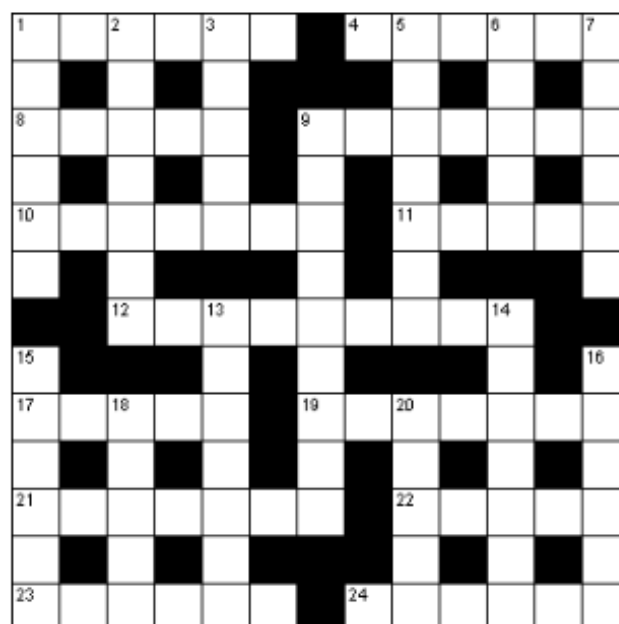
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Trivial Pursuits Quiz No 5 Part 1

1. Hypermetropic people are what?
2. Which leader lives in the Potola?
3. What wood was the cross supposed to be made of?
4. Joseph Levitch became famous as who?
5. If you planted a bandarilla what are you doing?
6. What was the first Pink Floyd album?
7. in which city was the first public opera house opened?
8. In what Elvis film did he play a double role?
9. The Aphrodite of Melos has a more famous name – what?
10. Which country invented the concentration camp?
11. John Huston scored a hit with his first film - what?
12. Stan laurel, Mickey Rooney, Lana Turner what in common?
13. What real person has been played most often in films?
14. Scotopic people can do what?
15. What is the most critical thing keeping bananas fresh transport?
16. What is the name of the Paris stock exchange?
17. Whose music featured in The Clockwork Orange?
18. What was the Troggs most famous hit?
19. In Japan what colour car is reserved for the royal family only?
20. What city has Kogoshima as its airport?
21. What was gangsters George Nelsons nickname?
22. Whose first wife was actress Jayne Wyman?
23. In MASH what is Radars favourite drink?
24. What do you give on the third wedding anniversary?
25. What is a baby whale called?
26. In which film did the Rolls Royce have the number plate AU1?
27. Vladamere Ashkenazy plays what musical instrument?
28. With which organ does a snake hear?
29. On what is the Mona Lisa painted?
30. What is the second most common international crime?
31. Count de Grisly was the first to perform what trick in 1799?
32. Who wrote Les Miserable?
33. Which bird turns it head upside down to eat?
34. The colossus of Rhodes was a statue of who?
35. Who rode a horse called Bucephalus?
36. To which London club did Mycroft Holmes belong?
37. What did William Addis invent in prison?
38. What is the only duty of police Gracthenvissers in Amsterdam?
39. Kleenex tissues were originally intended as what in 1915?
40. Who invented popcorn?
41. What is the colour of mourning in Turkey?
42. For what is spirits of salt another name
43. Which game is played on an oval with 18 player per team?
44. In the Winnie the Pooh stories what is Kanga's baby called?
45. Which actor is common to Magnificent 7 and Dirty Dozen?
46. Who saved Andromeda from the sea monster?
47. What flower is the symbol of secrecy?
48. What item were originally called Hanways?
49. What is Brussels best known statue?
50. in which language does God Jul mean happy Xmas?

Cryptic Crossword No 9



Across

- 1 Where Marco Polo went abroad in a yacht (6)
 4 Shock-absorber containing more moisture (6)
 8 Don't touch and go (5)
 9 Rotters breaking glass vessels in the lab (7)
 10 King captured in revolutionary month is shown to be innocent (7)
 11 Synthetic material - or any material? (5)
 12 Paul McCartney song that was a big hit not long ago (9)
 17 Quite near a pub (5)
 19 Eastern ruler's wife coming in to consult an attorney (7)
 21 Frightened by man carrying weapon? (7)
 22 Steal a small amount (5)
 23 The author of "Tristram Shandy" enters with a flourish (6)
 24 Editorial chief (6)

Down

- 1 Material I found in 17 parts (6)
 2 Attempt to take in old drama? (7)
 3 Sounding like a simple Moslem leader (5)
 5 Ted and Rita go out to get dressed (7)
 6 Be nosy about the queen providing drink (5)
 7 Uphill revolt? (6)
 9 Compensated - with new clothes? (9)
 13 Biblical king on his own one day? (7)
 14 Longed for time to end badly? (7)
 15 Conceals 150 trees (6)
 16 Laundress used to be a woman (6)
 18 A bird that's used for lifting? (5)
 20 Scandinavians heard in the fall? (5)

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A Bit O' Kulture This Week.

I'm Not Really 60 Ms M J Hill

That's not my age; it's just not true.
My heart is young; the time just flew.
I'm staring at this strange old face,
And someone else is in my place!

My body's not in disrepair.
I've not much grey in my brown hair.
I sometimes feel a little tired
But go for jogs when I'm inspired.

This old age thing is not for me.
Concessions given, prescriptions free.
I'll just pretend I'm in my prime.
To age too fast would be a crime.

I'm just not 60 in my head.
It's still so long till I am dead,
So please don't see me in that way.
I'm staying young, if that's OK!

Mother Doesn't Want a Dog by Judith Viorst

Mother doesn't want a dog.
Mother says they smell,
And never sit when you say sit,
Or even when you yell.

When you come home late at night
And there is ice and snow,
You have to go back out because
The dumb dog has to go.

Mother doesn't want a dog.
Mother says they shed,
And always let the strangers in
And bark at friends instead

They do disgraceful things on rugs,
And track mud on the floor,
And flop upon your bed at night
And snore their doggy snore.

Mother doesn't want a dog.
She's making a mistake.
Because, more than a dog, I think
She will not want this snake.

A Warning on Spontaneous Combustion by Stuart McLean

O whisky is the king of drinks,
Renowned the world o'er,
But here's a word o' caution,
Tae think of when ye pour.

There's a certain combination,
That tastes so very good,
But when it hits your tummy,
And mixes with your food.

That's when the trouble starts,
For yer pleasure hits overload,
And half an hour later,
Ye'll suddenly explode.

So there ye are in the pub,
Completely engulfed in flames,
And yer good wife's dashing home,
Tae lodge insurance claims.

Well now that I have told ye,
Don't say ye've no' been warned,
So don't try it oot yersel',
Or ye'll soon be bein' mourned.



Answers Page

Sudoku 9 Solution

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Trivial Pursuits Solution 5 Part 1

- Long Sighted, 2. Dalai Lama, 3. Mistletoe, 4. Jerry Lewis, 5. Bullfighting, 6. Piper at the gates of dawn,
- Venice, 8. Kissing Cousins, 9. Venus de Milo, 10. Britain - Boer war, 11. Maltese falcon, 12. 8 marriages,
- Napoleon Bonaparte, 14. See in the dark, 15. Temperature not below 13 C 55F, 16. Bourse,
- Beethoven, 18. Wild Thing, 19. Maroon, 20. Tokyo, 21. Baby Face, 22. Ronald Regan,
- Grape Knee High, 24. Leather, 25. Calf, 26. Goldfinger, 27. Piano, 28. Tongue, 29. Wood, 30. Art theft,
- Saw woman in half, 32. Victor Hugo, 33. Flamingo, 34. Apollo, 35. Alexander the Great, 36. Diogones,
- Toothbrush, 38. Motorists in canals, 39. WW1 Gas mask filters, 40. American Indians, 41. Violet,
- Hydrochloric acid, 43. Australian football, 44. Roo, 45. Charles Bronson, 46. Perseus, 47. Rose,
- Umbrellas, 49. The Mannequin Pis, 50. Swedish.

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