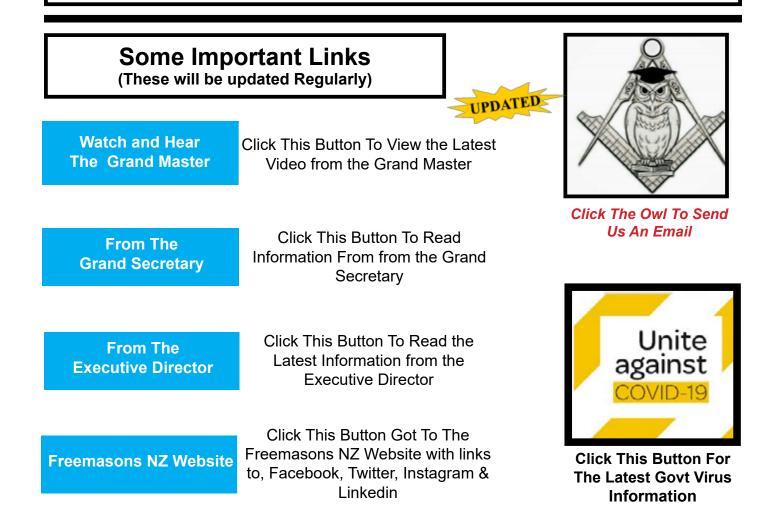


Keep 2 Metres Apart - Stay Safe.



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Across

- 1 Grain store (4)
- 3 Sheath for a sword (8)
- 9 Legendary female warriors (7)
- 10 Elevate (5)
- 11 Precipitous (5)
- 12 Shrewd (6)
- 14 Male goose (6)
- 16 Extortionate money-lender (6) 19 Exactly right (4,2)
- 21 Roman meeting-place (5)
- 24 Steed (5)
- 25 Capable of being dissolved (7)
- 26 Bravo! (4,4)
- 27 Adhesive (4)

Down

- 1 Virgo, for example (4,4)
- 2 Rental agreement (5)
- 4 Free-and-easy (6)
- 5 Soft flat hat (5)
- 6 Airman (7) 7 Slimming course (4)
- 8 Pair (6)
- 13 First showing of a film (8)
- 15 Non-aligned (7)
- 17 Without risk (6)
- 18 Venom (6)
- 20 Rated (anag) (5)
- 22 Insurgent (5)
- 23 Caesar and Cleopatra playwright (4)

The drop in petrol price during the lockdown is like a bald man winning a hairbrush

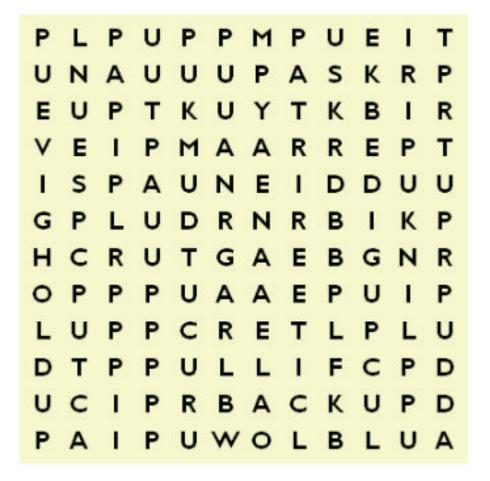


BENEFITS OF A GOOD VOCABULARY!

I recently called an old Engineering buddy of mine and asked what he was working on these days.

He replied that he was working on "Aqua-thermal treatment of ceramics, aluminum and steel under a constrained environment."

I was impressed until, upon further inquiry, I learned that he was washing dishes with hot water under his wife's supervision. Find The Words In The Grid 13



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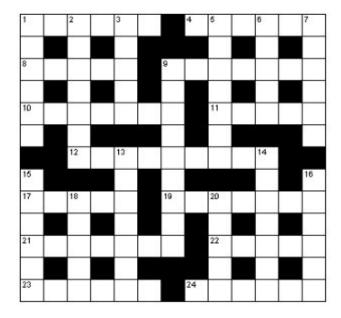
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Trivial Pursuits Quiz No 7 Part 1

- 1. Boob Day in Spain is what day in Britain (practical jokes played)?
- 2. What crime did Theresa Vaughn commit 62 times in 5 years?
- 3. Who sailed in a ship called Queen Ann's Revenge?
- 4. Saponification is the process that makes what common product?
- 5. Blue red green yellow four Olympic rings colour what's missing?
- 6. Detective Philip Marlow smokes what brand?
- 7. Who landed on Timor Island after being cast adrift?
- 8. What is the more common name of the Chaparral Cock?
- 9. In what language did St Paul write his epistles?
- 10. Ian Fleming's house was called Goldeneye which country?
- 11. Alfred Schneider became famous as who?
- 12. A C-Curity was the original name of what common object?
- 13. Fidelity Bravery Integrity is which organisations motto?
- 14. Who was the first black entertainer to win an Emmy award?
- 15. Anthony Daniels played who in a series of films?
- 16. Of what material was the hairspring made in early watches?
- 17. In 1860 Napoleon III banquet serving dishes dearer gold what?
- 18. Which author created Dick Tracy?
- 19. What is the world's most widely used vegetable?
- 20. What are lentigines?
- 21. What type of animal is a vmi-vmi?
- 22. What did Mege-Mouries invent in 1870 winning a Napoleon prize?
- 23. What was Walt Disney's middle name?
- 24. Who would you expect to find in Castle Gondolofo?
- 25. What two items make up the dish devils on horseback?
- 26. What does ludo mean (literally)?
- 27. The Detours changed to The High Numbers then what name?
- 28. What animal was believed to be a cross camel leopard?
- 29. An elephant has 400000 what in its trunk?
- 30. What colour is cerulean?
- 31. Who composed the Air for the G string (init and name)?
- 32. What were Twinkletoes Lucky Jim (stuffed cats) first to do?
- 33. What are kreplach?
- 34. The pica pica is what common bird?
- 35. What male human feature was taxed in Elizabethan times?
- 36. Which record company rejected the Beatles as being past it?
- 37. From which country does spinach originate?
- 38. British policemen have truncheons what is USA equivalent?
- 39. In DC comics Linda Lee Danvers is whose alter ego?
- 40. In what country does the cow tree grow sap looks tastes milk?
- 41. The penny black worlds first stamp what was second?
- 42. Which country produces Tokay?
- 43. Where could you legally flash your dong then spend it?
- 44. The Bald Eagle is Americas bird What is Britain's?
- 45. Australian Clement Wragge instituted what?
- 46. What does Zip stand for in the American Zip Code?
- 47. What wood is plywood mostly made from?
- 48. What is a Hummum?
- 49. In which sport are left-handed people banned from playing?
- 50. What food was invented in a sanatorium in 1890?

Cryptic Crossword No 13



Across

1 Roman consul in company accepting cooked rice (6)

4 Her Majesty comes back with something boring or something infuriating (3,3)

8 Where to put flowers when you have retired? (2,3)

9 One drip, oddly, may be involved (5,2)

10 Vessel carrying a Royal Navy hooter (4,3)

11 Poem found after graduate goes back home (5)

12 Sun hats do disguise many (9)

17 Spurious marsh seen by American (5)

19 Coin found by soldier retreating from base (7)

21 I caught bird going round lettuce (7)

22 Kind of store providing binder? (5)

23 Smelly person not starting to mess about (6)

24 German composer half-drunk? (6)

Down

- 1 Uphill struggles for a hundred members? (6)
- 2 Entertainment provided by bare act? (7)
- 3 Back in Hanoi, daring to send a message (5)
- 5 Clear up former flat (7)
- 6 Travelled on back of bronco here? (5)
- 7 Seeing need for change, they grant wishes (6)
- 9 Really enjoying abandoned Irish glen (9)
- 13 Disgusting old boy with part in play (7)
- 14 Sailor in southern city having rest day (7)

15 Member of the orchestra who's a bit too boisterous? (6)

- 16 Economist following poet in town (6)
- 18 Colour one may be putting on (5)
- 20 More pleasant resort on river (5)

Lost Earlier Issues? Never Mind. Click a Date To Read.

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More Funnies For Monday!



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Oxymorons In Our Everyday Speech

An Oxymoron is a figure of speech in which two opposite ideas are joined to create an effect. The common oxymoron phrase is a combination of an adjective proceeded by a noun with contrasting meanings, such as "cruel kindness," or "living death". The word oxymoron is derived from the Greek for pointedly foolish (oxys = sharp/keen and moros = foolish).

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CLASSIC OXYMORONS



paper towel peaceful conquest plastic glasses plastic silverware poor health pretty ugly properly ridiculous random order recorded live resident alien sad smile same difference scalding coolness seriously funny shrewd dumbness silent scream small crowd soft rock "The Sound of Silence" static flow steel wool student teacher "sweet sorrow" terribly good theoretical experience transparent night true fiction unbiased opinion unconscious awareness upward fall wise fool working vacation

Some Sarcastic Ones?

Microsoft Works Crash Landing Military intelligence Government organisation Legal ethics Temporary tax increase Express Mail Marital bliss Airline Food Peace Keeper Missile

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Sudoku 13 Solution

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Trivial Pursuits Solution 7 Part 1

1. April Fools Day 1st April, 2. Bigamy - Tried 1922, 3. Blackbeard, 4. Soap, 5. Black, 6. Camels, 7. Captain Bligh, 8. The Road Runner, 9. Greek, 10. Jamaica, 11. Lenny Bruce, 12. Zip Fastener, 13. FBI, 14. Harry Bellefonte, 15. C-P3O, 16. Pigs Hair, 17. Aluminium, 18. Chester Gould, 19. Onion, 20. Freckles, 21. Very small pig, 22. Margarine, 23. Elias, 24. The Pope, 25. Bacon Prunes, 26. I Play, 27. The Who, 28. Giraffe, 29. Muscles, 30. Deep Blue, 31. JS Bach, 32. Fly across Atlantic, Alcock & Brown 33. Jewish ravioli, 34. Magpie, 35. Beards, 36. Decca, 37. Iran, 38. Nightstick, 39. Supergirl, 40. Venezuela, 41. Two penny Blue, 42. Hungary, 43. Vietnam currency, 44. Robin, 45. Naming Hurricanes, 46. Zone Improvement Plan, 47. Birch, 48. Turkish bath, 49. Polo, 50. Kelloggs corn flakes,



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