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Level: Advanced

SUDOKU

Fun by the Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test! **Here's How It Works:** Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

KITTY CAT WORD SEARCH

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

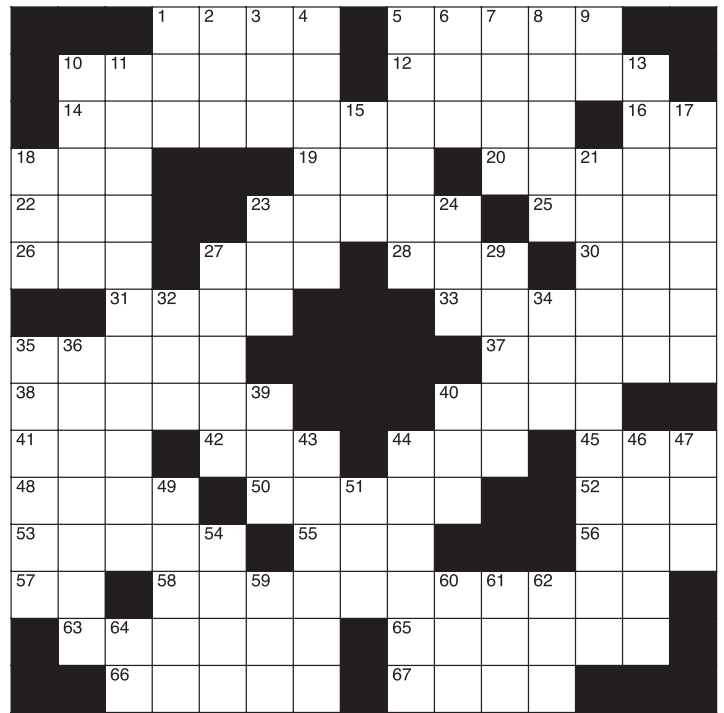
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- NIGHT
- NINE
- POST
- POUNCE
- PURR
- SCRATCH
- SLEEPING
- STEALTHY
- WHISKERS
- YARN

CLUES ACROSS

1. Flat tableland with steep edges
5. Where there's ___, there's fire
10. Talked incessantly
12. Skill
14. Without shame
16. Where teens spend their days (abbr.)
18. Boxing's GOAT
19. Used to anoint
20. Cluster cups
22. Footballer Newton
23. They make up a forest
25. Split pulses
26. Self
27. Post-office box
28. Test for high schoolers
30. Large, flightless bird
31. Expectorated
33. Falsehood
35. Prickly, scrambling shrub
37. French river
38. Told on
40. Hillside
41. Peyton's little brother
42. Soviet Socialist Republic
44. Cathedral city in Cambridgeshire
45. Witness
48. Brews
52. Arctic explorers, abbr.
53. Mexican agave
55. A type of "cast"
56. Encourage
57. Atomic #52
58. Relating to position north of south of equator
63. Gadget whose name you forget
65. Another recording
66. Small blisters
67. Dark brown or black

CLUES DOWN

1. Licensed for Wall Street
2. "___ and flow"



3. A very large body of water
4. Accumulate on the surface of
5. Central cores of the stem
6. Angry
7. Ceramic jar
8. Scraped a car
9. ___ route
10. Soviet labor camp system
11. Strong hostilities
13. Vitamin of the B complex
15. Go quickly
17. Toast
18. A team's best pitcher
21. A Philly culinary specialty
23. Unhappy
24. Small child
27. Trims away
29. Characterized by crying eyes
32. Soft touch
34. American spy organization
35. A person's chest
36. Came from behind to win
39. Fall back
40. Nellie ___, journalist
43. Great places to kayak
44. Suffer patiently
46. Majestic bird
47. Electroencephalograph
49. Organic compound used as an antiseptic
51. Objects connected to the web (abbr.)
54. Ship as cargo
59. The bill in a restaurant
60. Upper-class young woman (abbr.)
61. Judge in OJ Simpson trial
62. One's grandmother
64. Siberian river

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CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to cats.
 Each number corresponds to a letter.
 (Hint: 11 = E)

A. 18 11 6 22 14 11

Clue: Cat

B. 12 7 5 3

Clue: Spring off ground

C. 17 6 2 25 23

Clue: Sharp nails

D. 23 1 13 11 1 17 4

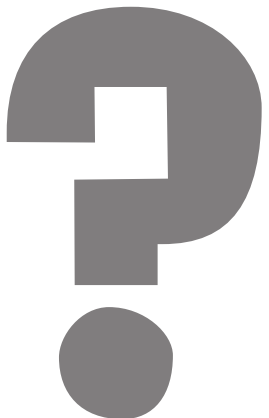
Clue: Extend limbs/body

Answers: A. feline B. jump C. claws D. stretch

Riddle me this...

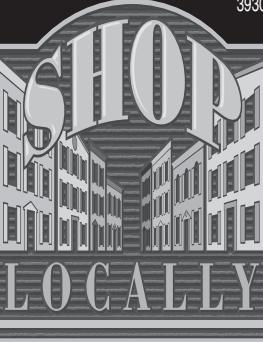
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Answer: A zebra.



Puzzle answers on page 5!

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May 12

Brittany Jones, 24, 7:38 p.m., Orion St., Loves Park, charged with Aggravated Assault - Offense Based on Use of Firearm, Device, or Motor Vehicle

Shanequa Garrett, 31, 8:03 a.m., N. Second St./ Windsor Road, Loves Park, charged with Operating a Motor Vehicle With No Valid License,

Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle, License plate violation, Operation of Motor Vehicle When Registration Suspended for Noninsurance

Lawrence Young, 23, 6:23 p.m., Crosby St / Summit St

Rockford, charged with Registration/Title violation, Driving While Driver's License, is Suspended or Revoked, Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle, Possession of Cannabis - more than 30g but less than 100g

Terry Simmons, 36, 7 p.m., Forest Hills Road/ Northridge Dr., Loves Park, charged with Operation of Motor Vehicle When Registration Suspended for Noninsurance, Driving While Driver's License, Permit, or Privilege to Operate Motor Vehicle is Suspended or Revoked, Other equipment viola-

tions (non-specific), Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle

Joseph Thompson, 26, 6:56 p.m., Summit Street/Revell Street, Rockford, charged with Improper Use of Evidence of Registration or Certificate of Title, Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle, Driving While Driver's License, is Suspended or Revoked

Brittany Evans, 29, 8:29, p.m., King Street/N. Main Street, Rockford, charged with Failing to signal/Improper signal, Driving While Driver's License, is Suspended or Revoked Quintavious Howard, 24, 9:05 p.m., N. Second Street,

Loves Park, charged with Aggravated Unlawful Use of Weapon, Illegal Transportation or Possession of Alcoholic Liquor by Passenger in Motor Vehicle

Teven Spencer, 26, 11:38 p.m., Harrison Avenue/Ohio Pkwy., Rockford, Warrant Service, Registration/Title violation

May 11

Kayla Helsler, 35, 2:07 a.m., Forest Hills Road/West Lane Road, Loves Park, charged with DUI - Under the Influence of Alcohol, Improper Lane Usage, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, DUI - Alcohol Concentration in Blood or Breath 0.08 or More

Natalee Parochka, 48, 7:42 p.m., Briar Patch Lane, Loves Park, charged with Resisting or Obstructing Peace Officer, Disorderly Conduct, Criminal Damage to Property

Nicole Johnson, 53, 8:30 p.m., N. Alpine Road, Loves Park, charged with Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle

Devon Rutledge-Strohfus, 21, 1:22 a.m., Riverside Blvd./Argyle, Loves Park, charged with Driving While Driver's License, is Suspended or Revoked, Operation of Uninsured Motor Vehicle, Operation of Motor Vehicle When Registration Suspended for Noninsurance, Possession Adult Use Cannabis In Passenger Area of Motor Vehicle - Driver, Retail Theft, Possession of Controlled Substance

Page 2 puzzle answers

PUZZLE 1

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

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The Village of Winnebago is accepting applications for a Public Works Director/Certified Water Operator Responsible Charge

Preference will be given to any candidate that holds a current State of Illinois "Class C" Water Operator License.

The Public Works Department is responsible for the maintenance of the Village of Winnebago's infrastructure. The Department ensures the operation and maintenance of streets, fleets and facilities, and the water supply and storm water system.

The Public Works Director will supervise the full-time and part-time staff of the department. This position plans, organizes, directs, evaluates, and executes the public works functions of the village, including street maintenance, vehicle fleet, water system, and public works projects.

A successful candidate will possess strong interpersonal relationships and the ability to cooperate with others, and should be skilled in project management, organized and independent, and able to creatively solve complex problems. The position requires scheduled on-call, emergency call-out and weekend coverage.

The successful candidate shall have a minimum of ten years in the management and administration of roads, fleets, facilities, storm and or sanitary sewers, potable water systems ruled by the state, mechanical systems, and construction of the same with at least five years in a supervisory role.

A bachelor's degree in public or business administration, finance, or related field may be substituted for qualifying work experience.

Must be proficient in the following: modern office equipment, computer platforms/applications including Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition, and Microsoft Outlook, Excel and Word. Must be able to communicate effectively orally and in writing. Must demonstrate the ability to deal courteously with the public.

Possession of a valid "Class B" Illinois CDL drivers license that is in good standing is also required.

The nature of municipal work requires the employee to be capable of working outdoors year-round in harsh conditions, be capable of physically demanding work including lifting, climbing, operator construction tools, and machinery and equipment and reporting to duty when needed during emergencies after regular hours, on weekends and on holidays.

Competitive benefits and salary for this position are: \$75,000 to \$90,000 (depending upon experience and qualifications), village sponsored health insurance and participation in the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund and paid time off (accrued sick time and vacation, and holidays).

Send resumes to: Village of Winnebago, 108 W. Main Street, Winnebago, IL 61088 or email to ksymonds@villageofwinnebago.com. Following the application process, interviews will be scheduled with prospective candidates, and criminal background checks will be scheduled for final candidates. The Village of Winnebago is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Part-Time Advertising Sales Representative

We are currently seeking a Part-Time Advertising Sales Representative to serve new and current clients in our Belvidere market. If you like a fast-paced environment and enjoy a challenge, this is the opportunity for you!

For immediate consideration send resume/job history to:

Vicki Vanderwerff, Director of Advertising
Email: vicki@southernlakesnewspapers.com
Fax: (262) 725-6844

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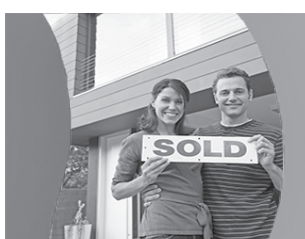
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1973 25' CHRIS CRAFT CABIN CRUISER V8, old tandem trailer. \$800 OBO 847-497-3692

Motorcycles

2002 Honda VTX1800R 1 owner, well maintained, Candy Apple red, \$5k. 815-369-4295

Other Automotive

2014 CANAM SPIDER LT Automatic, mint condition, 26,897 miles. \$15,500. 815-541-0176.

2014 SUZUKI BURGMAN SCOOTER Exc. cond., 1640 mi., 200cc, optional carrying box w/ back rest. \$2,265. 815-678-4378.

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RARE 1956 PLYMOUTH FURY Show car. Asking \$29,000. Lena, IL. Call 815-369-4334.

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for sale garage sales

Announcements

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Burial Needs

7 CEMETERY PLOTS Willing to sell as a group or individually. Located at Roselawn Memory Gardens 3045 WI-67, Lake Geneva, WI 53147. This is a private sale. Contact Randy, the seller at randy@slpublishers.com.

Machesney Park

7309 N.2ND ST. June 8, 9, 10 & 11th, 8-5. Hunting gear, tools & household goods.

Winn-Pec

3677 WESTLAKE VILLAGE DR. Winnebago, IL 61088. June 8th, 4pm-8pm, June 9th, 8am-4pm & June 10th, 8am-3pm. Westlake Village Annual garage sales. 75+ sales throughout the community. Food Trucks and Porta John's available.

IT'S GARAGE SALE TIME AGAIN!

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Delavan, WI 53115

Write your ad below, One Word Per Box, be sure to include your price

Ads will not be accepted without the following information. Only one free ad per month.

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The Wheel Deal

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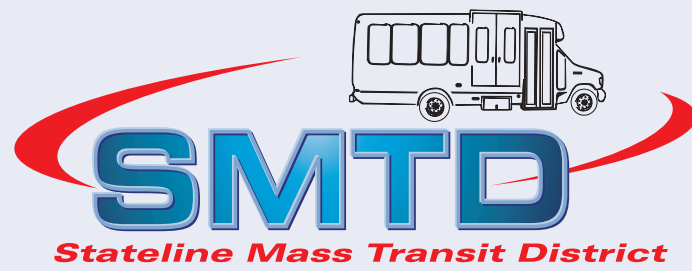
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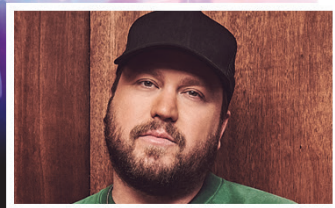
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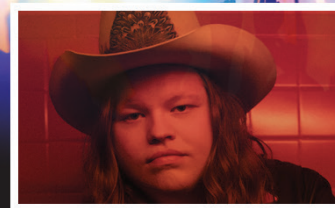
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JUNE 17:
Jackson Dean



JUNE 18:
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General Admission Passes: \$6* in advance / \$10 at the gate

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*Main stage admission requires a concert ticket for all ages.