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BINGO BUGLE

North America's Bingo & Gaming Newspaper Phoenix Edition

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Americanisms

"The way I see it, if you want the rainbow, you gotta put up with the rain."

— Dolly Parton



Kelly showed us her winnings at American Legion Post 44.

BINGO HAPPENINGS

Local Bingo Events & Great Specials

We have a few games getting ready to reopen. We're glad to have them back.

Sunland Village East has only been closed for a couple months, but will reopen again on September 6th. Their ad is on page 9.

Velda Rose Gardens will reopen on October 2nd. Doors will open at 4:30 this year. Their ad is on page 5.

Las Palmas Grand will reopen on October 5th, with some new games. Their FREE cheeseburger and chips dinner will be on October 26th. Their ad is on page 5.

Palmas Del Sol will restart on October

8th, with FREE ice cream for all players. Their ad is on page 6.

Palmas Del Sol East will reopen on October 13th. Doors will open at 4 pm this year. Their ad is on page 5.

Edgewater Casino, in Laughlin, is running their ad again for their 3rd annual \$200,000 River Bash coming up on November 21st and 22nd. The entry fee is \$200. You'll get a six-on each day, food and beverages, a T Shirt and daubers. Tickets are on sale now. Their ad is on page 12

We-Ko-Pa has that FREE Pull-Tab promotion going on again in September just for buying into BINGO!! On special Pull-Tab Palooza days, receive \$10 in promotional pull-tabs, with your \$200 or more spend, at the bingo cashier. Winners get up to \$50 paid in cash, while anything above is paid in Bingo Cash! Then, it's their

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BINGO LAND

STORIES FROM THE REAL WORLD & CYBERSPACE

Bingo Boosted by Innovation

Bingo, casinos and iGaming developers are actively creating new forms of bingo to attract a younger generation of players and adapt to fast-paced mobile gaming environments. By blending traditional slot mechanics, video game elements and community features, they have turned online bingo into a dynamic sector of gaming development. Some highlights of Bingo innovation:

Hybrid Games

* The most successful modern variation is Slingo, which combines slot machine mechanics with a standard 5x5 bingo grid. Players spin a slot reel to mark numbers on their card, incorporating wilds, free spins, and bonus rounds.

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SEPTEMBER						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 BINGO HALL CLOSED	2 7 DAYS & NIGHTS LUCKY MACHINE	3 BOGO	4 BONUS PACKS	5 TRIPLE POINTS
6 2 ND CHANCE BINGO TRIPLE POINTS	7 BOGO	8 SENIOR DAY MONITOR BINGO	9 LUCKY MACHINE	10 BOGO	11 BONUS PACKS	12 LOYALTY LOOT TRIPLE POINTS
13 2 ND CHANCE BINGO TRIPLE POINTS	14 BOGO	15 SENIOR DAY MONITOR BINGO	16 LUCKY MACHINE	17 BOGO	18 BONUS PACKS	19 TRIPLE POINTS
20 2 ND CHANCE BINGO TRIPLE POINTS	21 BOGO	22 SENIOR DAY MONITOR BINGO	23 LUCKY MACHINE	24 BOGO	25 BONUS PACKS	26 LOYALTY LOOT TRIPLE POINTS
27 2 ND CHANCE BINGO TRIPLE POINTS	28 BOGO	29 SENIOR DAY MONITOR BINGO	30 LUCKY MACHINE			

7 DAYS & 7 NIGHTS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
Player's Club Members receive 1 drawing ticket per buy-in during Matinee and Evening sessions on Wednesday, September 2, 2026. The drawing will be held for both Matinee and Evening Sessions. There will be 3 winners for each session. Each winner will get one free Emerald Bingo Package for 7 Matinee and 7 Evening sessions in the month of September. Packages are non-transferable and valid only in the month of September 2026. All standard bingo rules apply.

2ND CHANCE BINGO
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
We will be playing 2nd Chance bingo during the matinee and evening sessions. On all main games we will be paying \$300 to the 2nd Chance winner. Multiple winners will split the \$300 prize. The 1st Chance winners are not eligible for the 2nd Chance on the same card number. All bingo rules apply.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY TRIPLE POINTS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
All Player's Club Members will accumulate 3x the points earned from their bingo purchase.

BOGO MONDAYS & THURSDAYS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
When guests purchase a Ruby Package or above, to receive a second package free. Must use your Player's Club Card at the time of purchase to qualify. This special offer is available while supplies last. All bingo rules apply. Don't miss your chance to double the fun!

MONITOR BINGO TUESDAYS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
On all main games, after the first winner is declared, we will call the next number for Monitor Bingo and a chance to win \$300! If your Monitor Bingo pattern is completed on the next number called, you win. If there is no winner, the game is over. Multiple winners will split the \$300 prize equally. Part 1 winners are not eligible to win Monitor Bingo on the same card number.

SENIOR DAY 50+
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
Every Tuesday use your Player's Card at the cashier and receive \$5 off your initial bingo purchase when you spend \$50 or more. Receive \$10 off your initial bingo purchase when you spend \$100 or more. One discount per session.

LUCKY MACHINE WEDNESDAYS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
Player's Club Card guests receive a drawing ticket with their bingo purchase and enter a drawing to receive 1 free gold package. 10 winners will be drawn before the session begins.

FRIDAY BONUS PACKS
MATINEE & EVENING SESSIONS
For each purchase of a Ruby Package or higher guests will receive 15 Free Level 1 Bonus Packs to their electronic package. Must use Player's Club Card at the time of purchase to qualify. Some limits apply. While supplies last. All bingo rules apply.



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\$500,000



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Guaranteed winners every game at all properties.

November 30 & December 1, 2026

\$345 ENTRY FEE

Includes one 9-on pack for November 30 & December 1 games, food vouchers, 1 dauber and souvenir. Reserve 2 consecutive Power Bingo events and get **1 FREE EXTRA ELECTRONIC PACK EACH DAY OF THE SECOND EVENT!** Minimum 2 pack purchase required.

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HOTEL & GAMBLING HALL, LAS VEGAS

702-450-8377

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ASTROLOGY



THIS MONTH

by Sheri

■ Sign of Virgo

Horoscope Highlights

Born Aug. 23rd-Sept. 1st:

Sweet blessings appear during short trips. Neighbors and kin are especially helpful and empathetic to your needs.

Ultimate Sept. days: 1, 5, 14, 19

Born Sept. 2nd-11th:

Loyalties will be tested, but you know how to keep your cool and avoid jumping to conclusions. Financial boon in Oct.

Ultimate Sept. days: 6, 10, 15, 20

Born Sept. 12th-22nd:

After a period of intense inner reflection, you make a course correction near the 15th—one that pays off down the road.

Ultimate Sept. days: 2, 15, 20, 30



YOUR LUCKY NUMBERS

BINGO

9	18	39	49	63
1	19	32	53	70
11	26	★	51	75
15	28	38	58	71
7	29	31	60	64

FLASHBOARD NUMBERS

B: 02 04 08 11 15

I: 17 19 20 24 28

N: 32 35 38 39 41

G: 49 50 55 56 59

O: 62 64 66 69 70

LUCKY LOTTO NUMBERS



53 - 49 - 22 - 34 - 11 *20*

SEPTEMBER SPECIAL EVENTS



1st

National Cherry Popover Day

4th

Last Quarter Moon ☾

6th

Read a Book Day

7th

Labor Day

11th

New Moon ○

13th

National Grandparents Day

16th

Mexican Independence Day

18th

First Quarter Moon ☾

21st

Yom Kippur

22nd

September Equinox

26th

Full Moon ☾

30th

Ask a Stupid Question Day

GUARANTEED

\$1000

Every Session

BINGO PACKS START AT \$20

INCLUDES EARLY BIRD, MAIN

PACK, DOUBLE ACTION. \$3.00 TO

ADD OUR NEW BETTY BOOP

GAME !!!!

BETTY BOOP GAME

\$3.00 A CARD !!!

ADDITIONAL PACKS AND

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AVAILABLE .

BINGO SESSIONS

MONDAY 11:30 AM

Doors open at 10 AM

WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 6:30 PM

Doors open at 5 PM

IDA TV

CHAPTER 20

8447 N 61st Ave

Glendale, AZ 85302

623-931-7320

HALL RENTALS AVAILABLE!





Bingo Happenings cont. from page 1

huge \$111,100 Birthday Bash coming up on Saturday, October 24th. 42 years of bingo....wow! This will be a great night of bingo. Their ad is on page 20.

How about some free pizza. Well, that's what you'll get, if you play at **Arizona American Italian Club**, on Wednesday, September 2nd. Their ad is on page 16.

Boyd Casinos has another \$500,000 Power Bingo in the works for November 30th and December 1st. The entry fee is only \$345 for which you'll get a 9-on each day, food, a dauber, souvenir and a chance to win a lot of money. Check out their ad on page 3.

Sunland Village has upped their Betty Boop payouts....they are now \$650, \$750 & \$850. Their ad is on page 9.

Casino Arizona's Sunday drawings will be on Sunday, September 20 & 27th, at their matinee sessions. Saturday drawings will be on September 12 and 19th, at their evening sessions. Friday drawings will be on the 11 & 18th. You can win a share of \$15,000. Their ad is on page 15.

Casino Del Sol, in Tucson, has a \$33,000 Super Session coming up on September 5th, when all regular games will pay \$1,999, with the last game paying \$10,000. Reserve early and get a nice discount. They also have some other nice specials going on in September, so check out their ad on page 8 for more information.

Santan Mountain has some kind of special every day. There's Lucky Machine Wednesdays when Player's Club Card guests receive a drawing ticket, with their bingo purchase, and enter a drawing to receive 1 free gold package. 10 winners will be drawn before the session begins. Fridays are all about bonus packs. For each purchase of a Ruby Package or higher,

guests will receive 15 Free Level 1 Bonus Packs with their electronic package. Must use Player's Club Cards, at the time of purchase, to qualify. Check out their every day specials in their ad on page 2.

Don't forget you can earn a spot in the \$10,000 Tournament of Champions, at **Vee Quiva**. You can qualify up until September 12 by earning 1 point for each Matinee and Evening session you play. Play both sessions in one day to earn 1 bonus point. The top 150 players will compete on Sunday, September 20, at 4PM. \$5 entry fee. Receive a \$5 coupon on Tournament Day. And, it's game time, at Vee Quiva, on September 9th, when the Arizona Cardinals game might get you some extra cash as well as a Cardinals sports item. Their ad is on page 10 for more details

They have something special going on almost every day at **Harrah's**. Wednesdays are buy-one get-one free, Thursdays are buy-one get-one free, plus a free slot play drawing. You can buy-one get-one Free on Tuesday Senior Days. Age 50 + will receive 25 level 1 cards added to your minimum electronic buy-in. And, you can also get a free dauber in your birthday month. Check out their ad on page 7 for the rest of their weekly specials.

It's their 27th Birthday at **Riverboat** this month. They have several specials throughout the month. Check out their ad, on page 11, for a list of those special days. You can also fill out a drawing ticket when you play for a chance to win bingo certificates.

The Bingo Bugle can be read online at www.bingobuglephoenix.com.

Hope to see you soon and here's to more great bingo.

Bob

Strange BUT TRUE

- * The “Escape from Alcatraz Marathon,” created in 1980, is an annual event designed to show that it is indeed possible to survive an escape from Alcatraz, and includes a 1.5-mile swim to San Francisco, an 18-mile bike ride and an 8-mile run.
- * In the seventh century B.C., the North African Berbers played a soccer-like game as a fertility rite.
- * Minority children make up 65% of all non-family abductions.
- * Some police forces purposely assign at least one woman to their SWAT teams so their male counterparts will have a “den mother” to counteract some of the men’s more violent tendencies.
- * The first arrest resulting from an emergency call occurred on July 8, 1937,

at 4:20 a.m., when the wife of John Stanley Beard dialed 999 to report a burglar, Thomas Duffy, outside her home in England.

- * It is illegal to ride an ugly horse in Wilbur, Washington.
- * Of the roughly 300 million tons of plastic produced each year, half consists of single-use items.
- * In France, citizens are automatically registered to vote when they turn 18 years old.
- * Over the course of several decades, African American blues musician Daryl Davis made a point of befriending KKK members and questioning them about their beliefs. As of 2017, 200 of those Klansmen had given up their robes as a result.
- * People who worked at soda fountains were called soda jerks due to the classic jerking motion they used to pump soda water.



Olivia won \$562. on the new Betty Boop game, at DAV 20.



**MONEY
BALL AT
\$500**



Palmas
Del Sol East



**TUESDAY
NIGHT
BINGO**

3400 S. Ironwood Dr. • Apache Junction • 480-983-4084

REOPENING OCTOBER 13TH

\$1000 Progressive Jackpot!
• Double Action • Super X • Betty Boop
MAIN PACK PRICE \$12

Doors Open at 4:00 pm
Card Sales Start at 5:30 pm
Main Bingo Session 6:30 pm



Hot Meals for \$7
Concession Stand
opens at 5:00 pm!!!



 **Las Palmas**
Grand

2550 S. Ellsworth Rd. 480-357-1148

BINGO RESUMES OCTOBER 5TH
LOOK FOR NEW GAMES!

OUR OCTOBER 26TH SESSION
HAS FREE CHEESEBURGERS
CHIPS & LEMONADE
FOR ALL PLAYERS

MONEY BALL, BETTY BOOP,
DOUBLE ACTION, \$1,000
PROGRESSIVE JACKPOT
FUN GAMES!!!

Concessions Open at 4:30pm With Various Items Available
Game Time 6:00pm

Velda Rose Gardens Bingo

5555 E. Aspen • Mesa
Off 56th Street between Main & Broadway

**ReOpening
October
2nd**

Friday Evening Bingo
Game begins at 6:30 p.m.
Doors Open at 4:30 pm

Door Prizes Every Week!

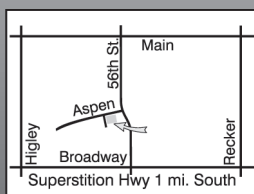
\$100 Regular Games
80% Payout on Specials
Prizes Based on Attendance

PROGRESSIVE COVERALL \$1000
Starting at 48 Numbers
Progressing 1 Number Per Week
Until Won

**Play All 18 Evening Session Games
for as little as \$12**

**Bingo Every
Friday
at 6:30 pm**

A logo for Velda Rose Gardens - Countryside BINGO. It features several bingo balls with numbers, a horseshoe, and the text "VELDA ROSE Gardens - Countryside BINGO".

A street map showing the location of Velda Rose Gardens. The map highlights the intersection of 56th St, Main, Aspen, Higley, and Broadway. An arrow points to the location on Aspen. A note at the bottom says "Superstition Hwy 1 mi. South".

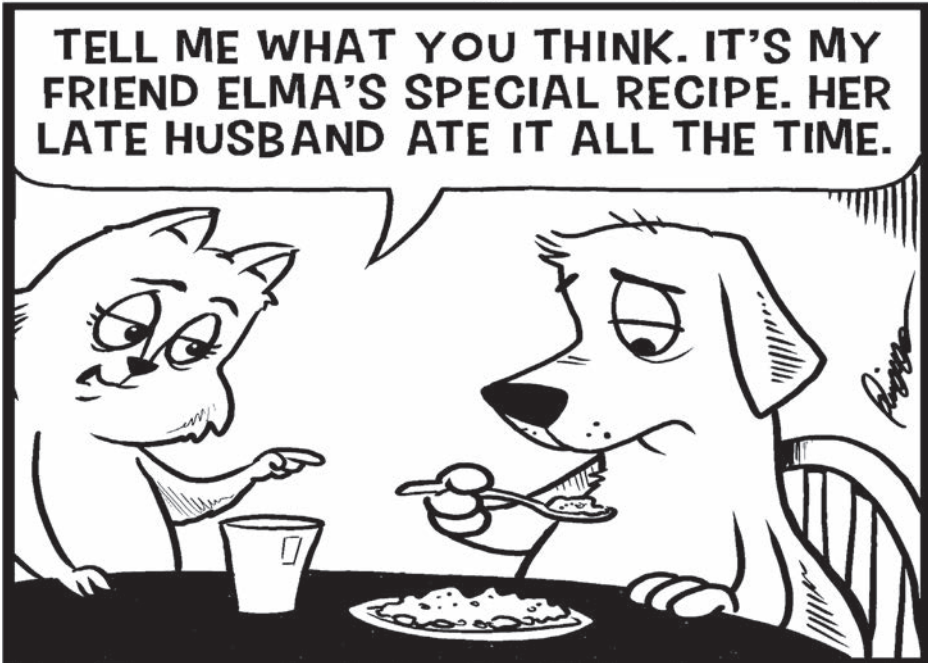


By Guy Williams
■ Coming Clean about Dirty Halls

Dear Guy,
We get that it can be tough to keep a public place clean, but two of the three Bingo halls my wife and I attend are borderline filthy. The tables often have sticky residue, there will be dried spots of who-knows-what on the chairs, dust bunnies the size of dust horses are under the tables, and bits of trash in the corners remain there week after week which tells you how long it has been since the floors were swept.
The workers are there many days each week. We can't believe they don't mind being surrounded by such filth. How do we point out this issue to the workers without them getting angry at us and thinking we are a couple of stuck up troublemakers?
—P&M, Colorado, via e-mail

Dear P&M,
You ARE a couple of stuck up troublemakers! (Just kidding.)
Nobody likes a messy Bingo hall. That's why you'll notice a lot of players bringing along their own sanitary wipes and other cleaning products to give their tables and chairs a good cleaning before taking a seat.
You do make a good point, however. There are plenty of halls out there that focus on getting in, holding Bingo, and getting out without taking time to examine the premises for cleanliness.
In defense of the Bingo operators who rely on volunteers to help with the smaller games, it has to be a pretty tough sell convincing someone to stay late or come early for cleaning duty. (I don't like cleaning my own house, let alone someplace else!) The best strategy is to approach the manager in private, not a floor worker, then be prepared to be asked if you'd like to volunteer yourself to do a weekly cleanup! LOL.
But, seriously, it is good advice to Bingo operators that they try and do a good job of cleaning their halls and making customers comfortable. It will make the hall nicer for the workers as well, and quite possibly boost attendance and revenue. —Guy
Hey guys! (And gals!) Write to Guy's Turn c/o The Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or e-mail Guy at tara@bingobugle.com.

Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



PHOENIX WEST
ELKS BINGO

\$1,000
COVERALL!

25¢ Bingo
beginning
at 9:30 a.m.

WITHIN THE 1ST 50 NUMBERS

SUNDAY'S ONLY

Tuesday at 6:45 pm

Sunday at 12:45 pm

Money Ball Game
Payable on all
Regular Games
Including Coverall

Double Action
Game

Two Smoke
Breaks

Games Prizes will change based
on the number in attendance

Come in the Week of your
Birthday for a FREE Bingo Dauber

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Missouri

Colter

Camelback

59th Ave.

55th Ave.

Hall available for Private
Parties and Functions

40
Palmas
Del Sol

THURSDAY
NIGHT
BINGO

6209 E. McKellips Rd. • Mesa • 480-641-3385

Card Sales Start at 4:45 pm

Main Bingo Session 6:00 pm

Bingo Starts October 8TH

Money Ball • Players Pool
• Betty Boop • Double Action
• 3-Game Special

• More Games • New Games
• More Chances to Win • Door Prizes

Snack Bar Opens at 4:45

FREE ICE CREAM TO PLAYERS OCTOBER 8TH!!!

PARADISE VALLEY
BINGO

17402 N 40TH STREET, PHOENIX

NOW PLAYING EVERY
TUESDAY & THURSDAY
COME JOIN US & WIN!!

FIRST 10 GAMES PAY \$200 EACH
ON THE 3RD THURSDAY EACH MONTH

PRIZE
MONEY
UP TO
\$1000

BINGO STARTS AT 1:00 PM
WE START SELLING
BINGO PACKETS AT
12:15 PM

MIN.
FEE TO
PLAY
\$11

602-495-3785

Bingo Land Continued from Page 1

* Table Game Mashups: Casinos blend bingo with classic table games like poker or roulette, using card suits or wheel numbers as the call triggers rather than standard numbered balls.

High-Speed & Gamified Formats

* Speed Bingo: Traditional games are shortened drastically to fit the preference for quick gaming bursts. Numbers are called rapidly using automated software, resulting in sessions that wrap up in a fraction of the traditional time.

* Video Game Progression: Formats like Bingo Blitz integrate video game progression, where players earn experience points, unlock new “virtual rooms” or cities, and complete narrative adventures as they play.

Modern Online Platforms

Modern bingo platforms now feature optimized mobile access, live chat, personal promotion systems, achievement models, and real-time game participation features. This is especially noticeable on platforms offering flexible mobile access during live sports viewing hours. Many sports audiences increasingly use second-screen entertainment while following football, basketball, cricket, rugby, or combat sports events. In these situations, fast-access gaming environments with live interaction features naturally fit broader digital entertainment routines.

Features commonly associated with modern platforms include progressive jackpots, themed rooms, scheduled tournaments and chat functions have helped make bingo part of the wider shift toward interactive entertainment built around continuous engagement rather than isolated gameplay sessions. Real-time notification services, interactive features, live participation mechanics and personalized recommendations systems have become an integral part of many digital entertainment experiences, and bingo is no exception.

Mary Jane won \$175 at Phoenix West Elks.



DAILY PROMOTIONS

TUESDAY • Buy 1 Get 1 Free

PLUS! Senior Day

Age 50+ will receive 25 Level 1 cards added to your Minimum Electronic Buy-In

WEDNESDAY • Buy 1 Get 2 Free

THURSDAY • Buy 1 Get 2 Free
& Free Slot Play Drawing Entry

FRIDAY • Half Off Electronic Packages

SATURDAY • Buy 1 Get 1 Half Off

PLUS! Veterans Day

Show your Veteran designated ID or Military ID, or Caesars Rewards® Veterans card and get 25 Level 1 cards added to your Electronic Buy-In

SUNDAY EXTRAVAGANZA

Featuring our Highest Main Game Payouts of the Week for the Matinee Session

Buy 1 Get 1 Half Off

Free Birthday Dauber
on your first visit during your birthday month!



Harrah's
AK-CHIN CASINO



**CAESARS
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VALID FOR MATINEE AND EVENING SESSIONS ONLY.
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**PAVE YOUR WAY
TO PLAY!**

BINGO

SEPTEMBER SPECIALS



33K BINGO SUPER SESSION

\$33,000 up for grabs! Join us **September 5th**. All regular session games paying \$1,999 with the last game paying \$10,000! Reserve your machine today and save. Paper only \$100; Electronic Pre-Sale \$135; Electronic Door Sales \$150. Sales start at 10:30am, session starts at 6pm.



SEPTEMBER 4

SUPERHERO COSMIC BINGO!
It's wild! It's exciting! It's Cosmic Bingo and it's only at Casino Del Sol. Hosted by the hilarious Lucinda Holliday!



LABOR DAY SEPTEMBER 7

50% off Electronic Packs with Buy 1, Get 1 Level B Free. Bingo Bucks and other comps invalid.



GRANDPARENTS DAY SEPTEMBER 13

50% off Electronic Packs with Buy 1, Get 1 Level B Free. Bingo Bucks and other comps invalid.



SEPTEMBER 6 - OCTOBER 31

SPOOKY SATURDAYS!

Beginning September 6th, earn Free Packs with every session buy-in to play in our Special Saturday Sessions. 5 games paying \$400 each. Session starts at 5:15 p.m.

LARGE JACKPOT WINNERS



Join Club Sol for premium perks: Freeplay, concerts, dining, and more.

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ENTERPRISE OF THE PASCUA YAQUI TRIBE





■ The Mysterious Case of the Barking Bag

Our friend, Janis, has this very cute little dog that she takes everywhere with her. She has a custom carrying case for him, and he goes with her to her job selling real estate as well as any other place she has to go, including Bingo. No one objects to her having a carryall along with her and I had only once heard the little dog make noise, but it was a bit of a scene.

It was at a Saturday night Bingo and Janis with Pappy in tote shared a table with us. Pappy is short for Papillon, a breed of dog known for its large wing-like ears—papillon means “butterfly” in French. Kate had been having a bout of allergies and sometime into the game, she began sneezing. And each time she sneezed, Pappy barked, a short sharp woof. The caller called another number, Kate sneezed, and Pappy barked, twice this time. Everyone stretched their necks looking for a dog.

I opened a soft drink for Kate as that frequently stops the sneezing and Janis spoke reassuringly to the puppy-case. Kate sneezed again and Pappy yapped his disapproval yet again. The caller frowned in our direction and I had visions of us all being asked to leave.

“Could we give him something to eat?” I asked Janis.

“No,” she replied. “Pappy eats and drinks on a very strict schedule. Obviously, because of potential accidents, I can’t afford to let him get off it—I am in real estate after all,” she said with pride. She was quiet for a bit, then undid the case and gave Pappy a few pats.

All was quiet for a few minutes while we finished the caller’s choice game and moved into the final blackout. I began to relax, thinking the crisis had passed. Then Kate sneezed again, and Pappy let out a bark, followed by Kate sneezing again and Pappy—well, you get the picture.

I thanked the stars it was the last game, as I wanted to be out of there, however, it only got worse. And this time it was my fault. When I get nervous, I frequently get hiccups, and this time was no exception. Kate sneezed, Pappy barked, I hiccupped, Pappy barked louder, and it became near impossible to concentrate not to mention hear the numbers clearly.

“Hush, all of you,” hissed Janis. Then Kate got the giggles between sneezes and I hiccupped and giggled right along with her. Pappy took this as an invitation to basically howl. Janis tossed her dauber onto the table and proclaimed, “I give up!”

“I’m sorry, you’ll have to take the dog out,” said the caller.

“I’m going,” sniffed Janis. She rose, picked up the case and strode out. I immediately started playing her cards for her, and Kate, of course, sneezed—and Pappy gave one last adorable “arf” on his way out.



Judy picked up a nice win at Sunland Village.



George won the \$400 Double Action game at Sunland Village East.



* Keep a pretty basket by your front door for anything you need to take along when you leave. This can be store returns, backpacks, exercise gear for the gym, your sunglasses, whatever. When you leave the house, check the basket!

* “Necklaces can be stored together without tangling if you thread each one through a straw. You can cut the straw to a shorter length for choker-length necklaces or bracelets. No knots!” — **I.A. in Arizona**

* If you have a little bit of touchup paint left in your gallon can, transfer it to a mason jar. Write the exact color and brand on the lid, and it will be much easier to store.

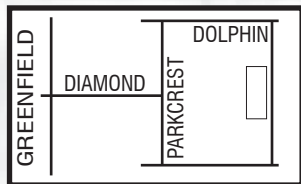
* “Our basement was dark and a little claustrophobic. My husband painted it a lovely sunny yellow and that helped, but it needed something else. I took a photo of the spectacular view at our son’s house in Montana, and had the photo blown up. We mounted it on the wall with some dummy curtains! It’s perfect, and it reminds me of him.” — **R.W. in New York**

* Need to chill a bottle of wine quickly? Wet a kitchen towel, then wrap it around the wine. Twist the ends to secure, and put the whole thing in the freezer for 30 minutes.

* Great ways to remove stuck labels: nail polish remover (NOT for use on plastics), WD-40 oil, soaking in hot water, rubbing alcohol.

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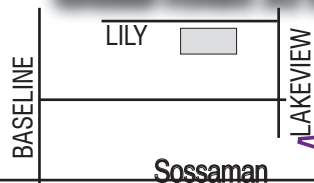
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Family Feud

Dear Aunt Bingo,

Recently, my two older sisters, Rachel and Corinne, had a falling out. I won't go into the details of the feud (because the reason is kind of silly), but it ended up with them not being on speaking terms.

We come from a very stubborn family and something like this can go on for years unless someone steps in and tries to mend the fences. As the third sister and not being involved in the feud, that job became mine. And it wouldn't be the first time, either. The hard part in these situations is getting the two family members who are upset

with each other in the same place at the same time. Rachel and Corinne are busy women with their own homes and families and their own lives, which makes it easy for them to disconnect.

Luckily, both of them play Bingo, and so do I, so I decided to make Bingo dates with each of them for the same day. The plan was to play dumb by saying I mixed up the days and didn't realize I had made plans with both of them, then get them to stay and possibly patch things up.

The plan worked pretty well. Rachel and I got there early (I drove both of us so that Rachel, the most stubborn one, couldn't bolt) and we had already bought our Bingo paper and were seated when I spotted Corinne coming through the door. I pretended to be flustered and ran to greet her.

I quickly explained to Corinne my "mistake" and that I hope she didn't mind. She shrugged it off and went to get her Bingo paper before coming over to sit with Rachel and me.

Before Corinne got to our table, Rachel started in on me, asking me how I could have been so stupid as to plan Bingo with

both of them and how this was typical of the "ditsy" things I was always doing. When Corinne sat down, she began saying mean things, too, about how I couldn't even get a simple Bingo date right and it was a wonder I could feed and dress myself without help.

The next thing I know, my sisters are talking away with each like the best of chums about what an idiot I am and had always been. I could feel my face getting hot as I got angrier and angrier over the fact that I was trying to help them—and they had both turned on me. I was inches away from giving each of them a big red dauber dot right between the eyes and then storming out! How ungrateful!

That's when I looked up from my Bingo paper to see them both looking at me with big grins. "What?" I barked at them, still angry. They both burst out laughing.

"We made up weeks ago," Rachel said. "We were going to tell you, but when you scheduled Bingo with each of us separately for the same day, we figured you were trying to set up some kind of 'intervention,' so we agreed to go along with it, then we decided to have some fun with you and

give you a hard time."

My darling sisters are lucky I didn't Bingo that night. Usually we share our winnings. That night I wouldn't have given either of them a dime.

—Lacey, Iowa, via email

Dear Lacey,

Your story is priceless!

I have sisters as well, and it took very little to imagine myself sitting in your seat and fuming at their bullying. Isn't it amazing how ten words from a sibling can instantly turn you from an adult into an angry 8-year-old?

My one disappointment with your story is that you didn't share with us what the "silly" feud was between your sisters that started this all. You missed out on some sweet revenge! —Aunt Bingo

Write to Aunt Bingo c/o the Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or e-mail her through her editor at tara@bingobugle.com.



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This was Skyla’s first time playing bingo when she won a game at Knights of Columbus 3121. I bet she’ll be back.



Way Out There

(Last month, Bingo John was about to be roasted alive, after meeting a lady who wanted to mount his head on the wall alongside prior Bingo Kings. He decided it was best to take off.)

Well folks, that was a close call. I was within inches of being cooked alive. My soul would have gone to Heaven looking down at my stuffed head. It was high time for me to cut out. I took off for the woods, and I didn’t stop running for three days. The woods passed me by like a speeding train. By the end of it, I didn’t know up from down. I was a small bird in a huge storm that mixed it all into a scattered pile of green leaves.

After the crazy lady with the bee up her skirt, Sarah Mae was not that bad in comparison. In fact, I sat down by a tree and started recollecting about old times. Before I knew it, I passed out with visions of Sarah Mae’s sweet feet warming my belly. It felt good and all squishy. But as I woke from my deep slumbers, something was on my chest. I opened my eyes and there was a raccoon unbuttoning my shirt.

“HOLY, HOLY,” I yelled, shoving the critter away. It scurried away then stopped and turned around, eyeing me like it knew something I didn’t know. Starin’ like it was thinking real hard, all the while rubbing it’s hands together like a greedy banker. I threw a pinecone at it, and it scurried off.

After I settled down a bit, I noticed I was sitting at the edge of the forest. On the other side, verdant trees broke away, and a grassy field opened up as far as I could see. On the far horizon, all lit up with twinkling lights, was another Bingo hall. Out in front of the building was a giant arrow blinking with millions of lights. The lights beckoned to me like those mythical sirens that lured sailors into the rocks.

I pulled myself up and stumbled forth. It took me a while, as the distance was deceiving. It kept getting farther and farther away. The grassy hills between me and the Bingo hall were like desert sand dunes, undulating under the summer sun. But my

feet persevered, and I made it to the hall.

I’d lost track of time with all my travels, and it now felt like midsummer. The rhythmic beat of the cicada’s song drew me on. But when I saw the hall, it was decked out like Christmas time. Out front there was a Nativity manger, and baby Jesus had the bluest eyes I’d ever seen. Whoever painted them forgot to put whites in his eyeballs. They were solid blue orbs. Sort of like an out-of-this-world Jesus, which I guess he is considering he is son of God and all that. Something felt off about this place.

Once in the hall, I heard a game of coverall being played. I rounded the corner, and there they were, everyone I ever knew, family, friends, everyone sitting around the tables playing away. I tried to say hello, but it was like I was invisible. I guess they were too involved in the game to take any notice.

“Hey,” I said. “It’s me. It’s Bingo John.”

“They can’t hear you,” said a voice. It was the caller. “They are all your friends and family from your past. The ones you abandoned to take out across the country.”

The voice sounded familiar, but I couldn’t place it until she spoke again. It was Sarah-Mae.

“I searched and searched. I’ve finally found you,” she said. She was sitting on a big pile of furs, up on the caller’s stand, with her curvy body squirming in the soft folds. “Come to me,” she said, with outstretched arms.

I was drawn to her. I stepped across the floor as if mesmerized. She looked quite nice settled among the furs. Her body seemed to gleam with oil. Behind me, the Bingo game continued. I felt the tension rising in the air as the coverall got closer and closer.

“Come to me,” she whispered, her face covered with a black shawl. It came down below her nose. I was close enough to smell the scent of rose water rising from the furs. Her fingernails were painted red, but both thumbs were too short. They were like small hooves.

“Sit next to me,” she said, swirling a spot in the fur. As I reached down to take a seat next to her, the black shawl lifted from her eyes. The orbs were solid blue. I slipped on the furs trying to back away. Behind me the Bingo game ended with a cheer, and I looked over my shoulder to see all the players standing up. Their eyes were solid blue. I was in a room of Bingo aliens.

I tried to get away, but I felt the hand of Sarah-Mae, or whoever she was, clasp my ankle in a bone crushing grasp. The pain shot up through my leg, and I saw stars. The room became hazy. It swirled around and around. I was in a tornado with thousands of blue eyes staring at me. The last thing I remembered was my friends and family looking down at me with solid blue eyes, and a faint voice shouting BINGO!

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Surprises and Stink Eyes

Just when you think you have everything under control, you get a high-five slap to the face by reality. Life has a way of doing that when you least expect it. –Yours Truly

Looking back at the past three months, it was not the summer my husband and I planned as that summer involved driving a thousand miles to Biloxi, followed by flying jaunts to Las Vegas and Reno. Our itinerary changed in early May when Robert fell, shattering his shoulder, necessitating a total shoulder replacement. Then came Plantar Fasciitis in his heel causing severe heel pain. Followed by another surgery in July. We have spent our summer in and out of hospitals with physical therapy, pain killers, and doctor visits.

He’s doing OK now, but I’m sharing this family trauma not to garner sympathy although it’s appreciated, but because it made us both stop and ponder how fast our daily lives and plans had changed. That led to the realization that we’re old, ancient even, and we needed to appreciate our everyday lives more; even the small stuff like tying your shoes which Robert couldn’t do for a while. So, we resolved to do as much as we’re able, whenever we can, savoring the big and small moments that come our way. And when life slaps us in the face again, in Robert’s case a

sidewalk did the dirty deed, maybe not laugh in the face of adversity, but perhaps raise a third finger salute before one or both of us two old pooper-heads bite the dust.

A few months ago, I suggested making a New Routine Bingo card with a task to accomplish in each square, e.g. declutter your closet, or bake a cake from scratch. In the free space, specify a reward for yourself after you complete five items in a row. Another slant to this idea is to make a bingo card—but leave the squares blank. Next, write bingo numbers B1 through O75 on small squares of paper and put them in a closed container. As you make stupid blunders, draw a bingo number out of the container, then jot the blunder on that blank square on the bingo card. For example, left the house but car keys were still on the coffee table; drained three cups of coffee but forgot Baileys in the last one, wondered why it didn’t taste as good; typed the exact same password five times while cursing laptop, then realized caps lock was on. You get the drift. Complete five items in a row, then reward yourself for being a dumbass.

Bingo is a game where it is acceptable to scream in joy or howl in frustration because of a number on a plastic ball. The phrase Not on My Bingo Card is the internet’s favorite phrase for unexpected chaos. And how about getting the death stare from another player? That’s when a nearby player gives you the stink eye for noisily chomping chips or repeatedly asking aloud for a certain number to be called. Years ago, when plastic chips were used to mark bingo numbers, woe be the player who yelled bingo by mistake. Those who had cleared their cards had to reset their chips while everyone else waited; sending myriad stink eyes toward the unlucky player. Such fun, then and now. Until next month may Lady Luck blow you kisses as you dance out the door with dollars. Win big. Contact: nlpvzw6172@gmail.com



Denise and Elaine have been playing bingo at American Legion Post 26 for a number of years. They both had wins recently.



Sharon was a VERY lucky winner at Brentwood Southern. She won the Betty Boop & then won the Moneyball!

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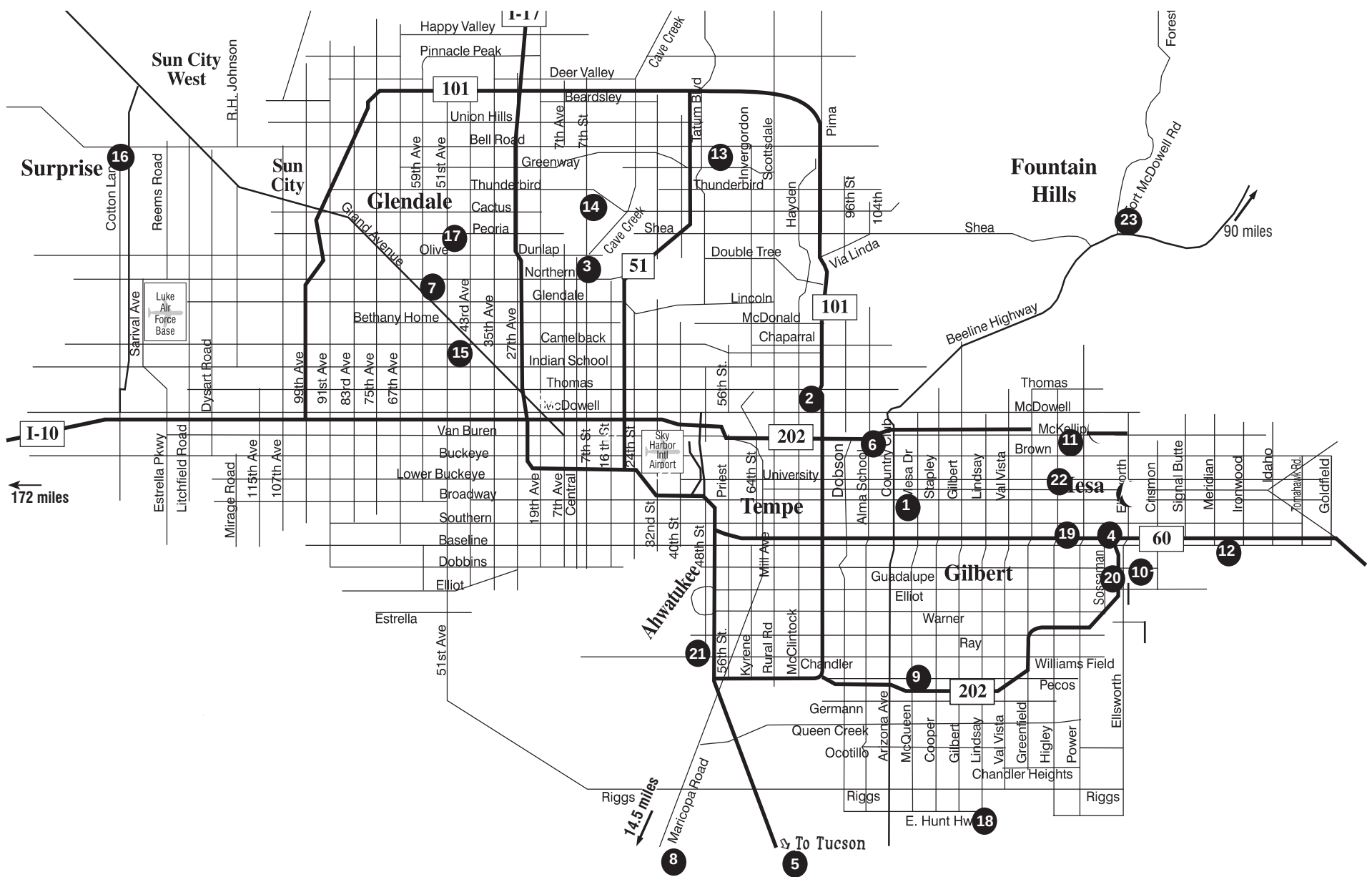
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2 AMERICAN LEGION POST 44 7145 E. 2nd St. Old Town Scottsdale	(480) 941-9053	3:00 pm			Bar Bingo 6:00 pm			Bar Bingo 2:00 pm
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6 CASINO ARIZONA 101 @ McKellips	(480) 850-7777	12:30 pm 6:30 pm	12:30 pm 6:30 pm	12:30 pm 6:30 pm	12:30 pm 6:30 pm	12:30 pm 6:30 pm 12 Midnight	12:30 pm 6:30 pm 12 Midnight	12:30 pm 6:30 pm
7 D.A.V. CHAPTER 20 8447 N. 61st Ave., Glendale	(623) 931-7320	11:30 am		6:30 pm		6:30 pm		
8 HARRAH'S AK-CHIN CASINO 15406 Maricopa Rd., Maricopa	(480) 802-3303		EB11:30 am 2:30pm,,4:00pm 6:30 pm	EB11:30 am 2:30pm,4:00pm 6:30 pm	EB11:30 am 2:30pm,4:00pm 6:30 pm	EB11:30 am 2:30pm,4:00pm 6:30 pm	EB11:30 am 2:30pm,4:00pm 6:30 pm	EB 11:30 am 2:45pm
9 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 3121 644 E. Chandler Blvd., Chandler	(480) 963-4372				6:45 pm			
10 LAS PALMAS GRAND 2550 S. Ellsworth Rd., Mesa	(480) 357-1148	6:00 pm		REOPENING OCTOBER 5 TH				
11 PALMAS DEL SOL 6209 E McKellips RD , Mesa	(480)646-3385	REOPENING OCTOBER 8 TH			6:00 pm			
12 PALMAS DEL SOL EAST 3400 S Ironwood, Apache Junction	(480)983-4084		6:30 pm	REOPENING OCTOBER 13 TH				
13 PARADISE VALLEY SENIOR CENTER 17402 N 40th, Phoenix	(602)495-3785		1:00 pm		1:00 pm			
14 PHOENIX ELKS 335 14424 N 32nd St.			6:30 pm					
15 PHOENIX WEST ELKS 5525 W. Colter St. Glendale			6:45 pm					25¢ Bingo 9:30 am, 12:45 pm
16 RIVERBOAT BINGO 18300 W. Bell Rd., Surprise		6:30 pm	11:00 am 6:30 pm		11:00 am 6:30 pm	6:30 pm	1:00 pm 6:30 pm	1:00 pm 6:30 pm
17 ST. HELEN'S BINGO 5510 W. Cholla Rd., Glendale	(623) 556-3029					6:45 pm		
18 SANTAN MOUNTAIN CASINO 7101 S Gilbert Rd.@ Hunt Hwy Chandler	(800) 946-4452	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm,6:30 pm 11:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm
19 SUNLAND VILLAGE Greenfield Rd. between Southern & Broadway	(480)832-9003				6:30 pm			
20 SUNLAND VILLAGE EAST Baseline Rd. E. of Sossaman, Mesa	(909) 816-8983			REOPENING SEPTEMBER 6 TH				5:00 pm
21 VEE QUIVA 15091 Komatke Ln, Laveen	(800)WIN-GILA	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30pm 11:30pm	12 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm
22 VELDA ROSE 5555 E. Aspen, Mesa			REOPENING OCTOBER 2 ND			6:30 pm		
23 WE-KO-PA CASINO North of Shea, off Beeline Hwy	(602) 843-3678	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 LB	3:30 pm DLB 6:30 pm	3:30 pm DLB 6:30 pm	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 LB	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 LB	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 LB	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 10:30 LB



Just in time for a.....

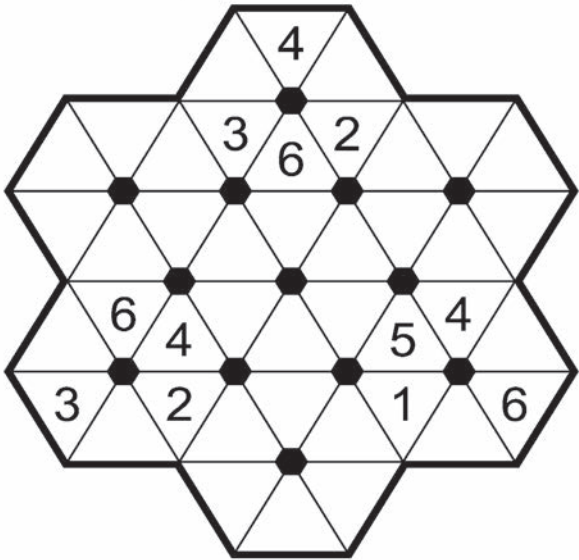
Coffee Break



SNOW FLAKES

Answers on Page 16

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆◆◆
◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

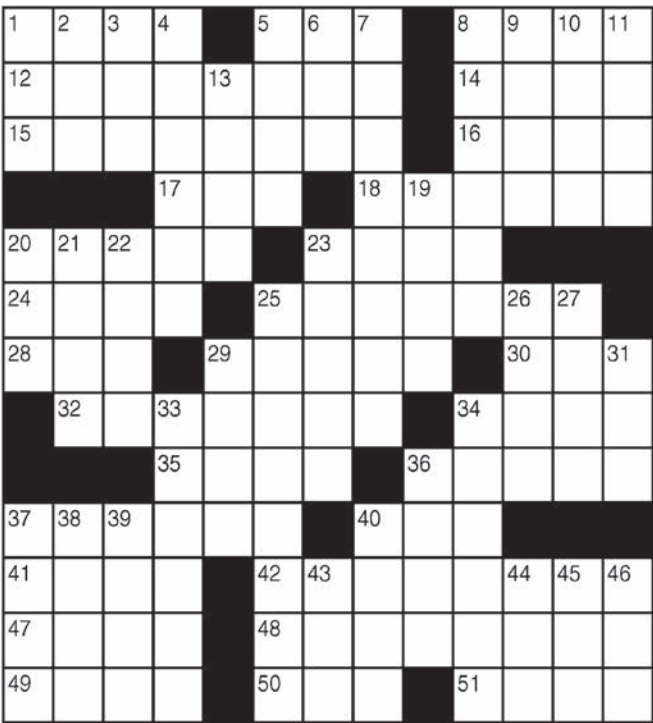


KING CROSSWORD

Answers on Page 16

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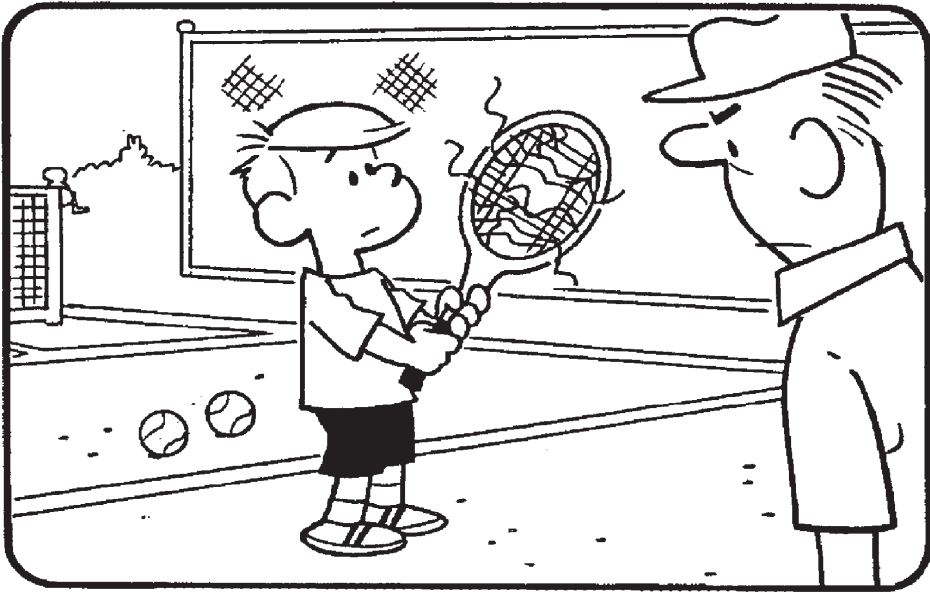
- 1 Mattress option
- 5 NASCAR advertiser
- 8 Wild guess
- 12 Supervisor
- 14 "Yes —?"
- 15 Accidentally
- 16 Late July babies
- 17 Since Jan. 1
- 18 12-year-olds, e.g.
- 20 Bjorn Borg, for one
- 23 Salon request
- 24 Actress Elisabeth
- 25 Act of contrition
- 28 Knight's address
- 29 Persnickety
- 30 Fez, e.g.
- 32 Woo
- 34 City district
- 35 BMW rival
- 36 Follows
- 37 Mississippi city
- 40 Venus, to Serena
- 41 Mine, in Montreal
- 42 Astaire specialty
- 47 Scepters
- 48 Valuable volume



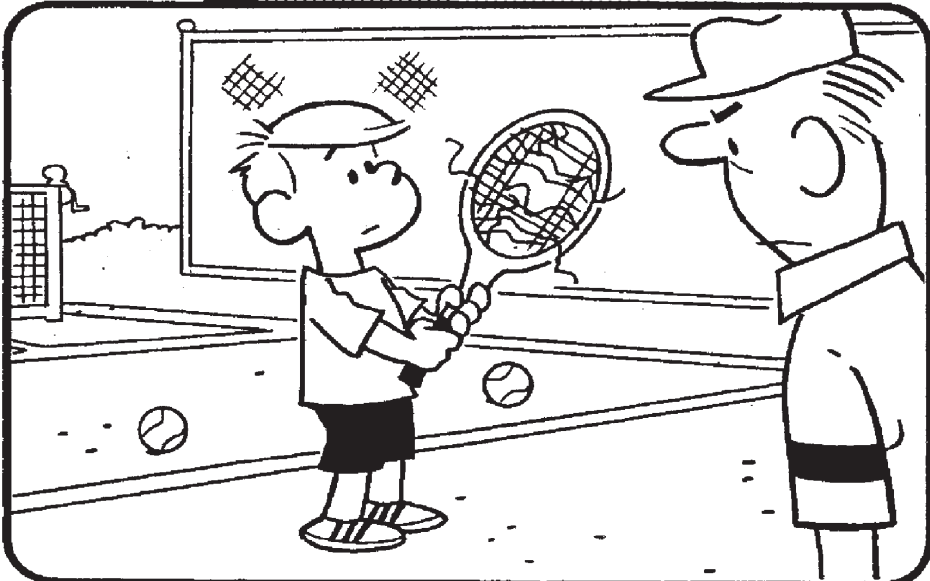
- 49 Make a sweater
- 50 "Rah!"
- 51 Not busy
- 10 Soon, poetically
- 11 Employer
- 13 Fill fully
- 19 Fay of "King Kong"
- 20 Snake's warning
- 21 Spinning sound
- 22 Modern money
- 23 Joe of "GoodFellas"
- 25 Talking heads' opinions
- 26 Spiced tea
- 27 British noble
- 29 Ersatz
- 31 Pro Bowl stats
- 33 Zedong follower
- 34 Sushi condiment
- 36 Ocean motion
- 37 Fir coat
- 38 "— a roll!"
- 39 California city
- 40 Agile
- 43 Motorist's org.
- 44 Silent assent
- 45 Army rank (Abbr.)
- 46 Scrape (out)

DOWN

HOCUS - FOCUS



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. String is missing. 2. Ball is missing. 3. Sneakers are different. 4. Hedge is smaller. 5. Socks are missing. 6. Sleeve is different.



■ Horoscopes for September 2026

 **ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20):** The only way to win now requires that you minimize diversions.
Lucky Days: 5 - 6
Lucky Numbers: 20 - 26

 **TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21):** Energy you expend towards self-betterment and self-care will show results quickly now.
Lucky Days: 8 - 23
Lucky Numbers: 19 - 46

 **GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21):** Be specific with what you want to accomplish. Results can occur quickly this month.
Lucky Days: 4 - 27
Lucky Numbers: 49 - 55

 **CANCER (JUN 22-JUL 22):** Mars in your sign pushes you into untried terrains and social scenes.
Lucky Days: 3 - 10
Lucky Numbers: 22 - 33

 **LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23):** Your natural positivity is upped a few degrees this month. You're on a winning streak.
Lucky Days: 9 - 24

Lucky Numbers: 28 - 39

 **VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23):** You prosper when you play life like a game that requires mental strategy. Take a chance now.
Lucky Days: 17 - 30
Lucky Numbers: 5 - 19

 **LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23):** Fact or fiction? You need a second opinion to gain objectivity this month.
Lucky Days: 2 - 14
Lucky Numbers: 9 - 29

 **SCORPIO (OCT 24-NOV 22):** Venus is moving through your sign now, flicking on your charm light and lovability.
Lucky Days: 16 - 22
Lucky Numbers: 7 - 44

 **SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23-DEC 21):** September is a wonderful month to develop your spiritual inclinations.
Lucky Days: 17 - 26
Lucky Numbers: 51 - 54

 **CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 20):** Remember, the best way to land a good idea is to get plenty of ideas in front of you.
Lucky Days: 1 - 13
Lucky Numbers: 34 - 39

 **AQUARIUS (JAN 21-FEB 19):** Don't forget, if you don't ask, it's harder to be on the receiving end.
Lucky Days: 8 - 18
Lucky Numbers: 4 - 22

 **PISCES (FEB 20-MAR 20):** The full moon on the 26th brings an old, forgotten memory back to life.
Lucky Days: 6 - 17
Lucky Numbers: 49 - 59



■ Making Life More Fun

How Playing A Quick Puzzle Can Improve Your Workday

You probably know the feeling: you've been staring at your screen for hours, your inbox keeps growing, and your next meeting starts in five minutes.

Sometimes, the best way to reset is to take a quick moment to focus on something completely different.

Daily puzzle games have become a popular way to take those quick mental breaks, and platforms like LinkedIn are leaning into that trend. LinkedIn's newest game, Wend, blends word finding with logic-based problem solving.

"Wend is a word-finding game where players connect letters in a grid to uncover hidden words, using every letter exactly once," says Helen Smith, Group Product Manager at LinkedIn. "While it may seem like a traditional word game, it adds a logic twist, as players also have to figure out how the entire board fits together."

In addition to Wend, the LinkedIn games lineup includes word-based puzzles like Pinpoint and Crossclimb, alongside logic challenges like Queens, Tango, Mini Sudoku, Zip, and Patches, each offering a different way to exercise your brain throughout the day.

Stepping away from a task for even a minute or two can sometimes be exactly

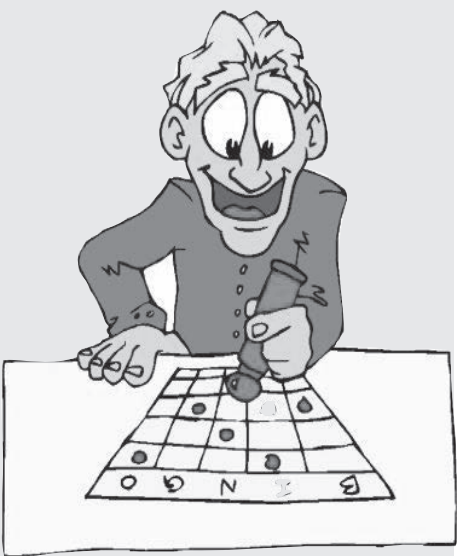
what's needed to return with fresh eyes.

Unlike checking email again or scrolling through your phone, a quick puzzle gives your attention something entirely different to focus on. The result is a short reset with a clear beginning and end, making it easy to fit between meetings, projects, and other responsibilities.

"That's part of the appeal of LinkedIn's games, which can often be completed in just a few minutes," says Thomas Snyder, LinkedIn's Principal Puzzlemaster and 3-time World Sudoku Champion. "It's a quick mental break that feels especially satisfying when everything clicks into place."

Completing a puzzle may not clear your inbox or finish your project plan, but it can provide a small sense of accomplishment early in the day. For many players, solving a puzzle becomes part of a daily routine—a quick challenge that helps them ease into work mode before tackling larger tasks.

In a workday filled with constant notifications and multitasking, a quick puzzle may be one of the simplest ways to pause, refresh, and reconnect. To try Wend and LinkedIn's other games, visit [linkedin.com/games](https://www.linkedin.com/games).



We-Ko-PA Casino Bingo Jackpots in the Last 30 Days

7/18/26 Hotball \$23,262 & Jumping Jackpot \$6,000

7/19/26 Hotball- \$1,338

7/20/26 Red planet- \$2,290
Yellow planet- \$1,026

7/24/26
Stellar 7- \$2,000

7/25/26
Yellow planet- \$1,030
Triple Middle- \$2,100

7/26/26
Triple Top- \$1,050

7/27/26
Double Action- \$5,774

7/28/26
Fortune 8- \$6,200

7/30/26
Hotball- \$8,258
Axe the Tax- \$3,700

8/1/26
Hotball- \$1,684

8/2/26
Birthday Cake- \$1,785
Jumping Jackpot- \$7,500

8/5/26
Stellar 7- \$4,400

8/6/26
Yellow Planet- \$2,360

8/7/26
Hotball- \$4,458
Red Planet- \$5,260

8/9/26
Hotball- \$2,776

8/10/26
Fortune 8- \$7,100
Fortune Club/Progressive Pot- \$2,750

8/13/26
Red Planet- \$2,560
Jumping Jackpot- \$12,500

8/14/26
Hotball- \$1,778

8/15/26
Yellow Planet- \$1,680
Stellar 7- \$4,000

8/16/26
Stellar 7- \$2,600
Stellar 7- \$4,000

SEPTEMBER 2026

BINGO CALENDAR



CELEBRATING 42 YEARS

50 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24

Jackpots of:

\$10,006, \$7,006

\$5,006, \$3,606

\$3,006, \$2,006

\$36,000

Pyramid of Cash Game

PLUS 6 New Door Prize

Drawings – Win Up To

\$600

Birthday

BASH

Over

\$111,100

Cash & Prizes

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Wekopa CASINO RESORT

All-New Fort McDowell Casino

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
Got the PULL-TAB ITCH? How about some FREE PULL-TABS, just for buying into BINGO! On special Pull-Tab Palooza days, receive \$10 in promotional pull-tabs with your \$200 or more spend at the bingo cashiers. Winnings up to \$50 paid in cash, anything above is paid in Bingo Cash! See promotional flier or Bingo Hall for more details.		1   3 of a Kind  Fortune Club Special	2   3 of a Kind  Triple Points	3   5 of a Kind  Completion Game 35 Level 1 Packs *	4   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Fireball Bingo	5   5 of a Kind  Bonus Punch	
	6   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Salute Service Day  Triple Points	7   5 of a Kind  Lucky 7  Morning Bingo   BONUS	8   3 of a Kind 	9   3 of a Kind  Fortune Club Special	10   4 of a Kind  S.O.L. Bingo	11   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Completion Game 45 Level 1 Packs *	12   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Second Chance  Pull-Tab Palooza
	13   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Completion Game 45 Level 1 Packs *	14   5 of a Kind  Fireball Bingo	15   3 of a Kind  Fortune Club Special	16   3 of a Kind	17   7th Heaven  5 of a Kind  BONUS	18   5 of a Kind  BONUS  Second Chance  Pull-Tab Palooza	19   5 of a Kind  Completion Game 40 Level 1 Packs *
	20   5 of a Kind  Pull-Tab Palooza	21   5 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks	22   3 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks	23   3 of a Kind  Fortune Club Special  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks	24   4 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks	25   5 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks  BONUS  Completion Game 50 Level 1 Packs *	26   5 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks  Salute Service Day  Fireball Bingo
	27   7th Heaven  5 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks  BONUS	28   4 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks  Pull-Tab Palooza	29   3 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks X2  Fortune Club Special	30   3 of a Kind  Bingo Beneficiary Bucks  S.O.L. Bingo			

Morning (8AM)

Military Appreciation

Buy any package deal & get a second of the same package deal for \$0.01

* Per completion game after EVE session

