



Caladenia



Hello Everybody,

This activity packs this week is based on all things August, with some other random fun stuff added in!

It is the last month before spring arrives, so I'm sure you're all ready and excited for some beautiful warm weather and the buzzing bees!

We hope you enjoy this pack! If anyone has any themes, you'd like us to make an activity pack on, please let us know on 9727 2222!

Have a great week!

Take care,

The Caladenia Team

ON THIS DAY

- **1896** Gold is found in Alaska, sparking the Klondike goldrush.
- **1986** #1 Hit: Madonna - *Papa Don't Preach*
- **1954** The first issue of *Sports Illustrated* is published.
- **1962** Ringo Starr replaces Pete Best as Beatles' drummer.
- **1968** Singer/actor Frank Sinatra and 3rd wife actress Mia Farrow divorce after 2 years of marriage.
- **1977** Elvis Presley, king of rock 'n' roll, dies.
- **1985** TV adaptation of *Death of A Salesman*, starring Dustin Hoffman and John Malkovich premieres.
- **1996** At the Brookfield Zoo in Illinois, a 3 year-old boy falls into a Gorilla enclosure and loses consciousness. Binti Jua, a female Gorilla, guards the young boy from the other gorillas, cradles him in her arms and carries him 60 feet to an entrance where zookeepers can retrieve him.
- **2012** Wikileaks founder, Julian Assange is granted political asylum by Ecuador.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



T. E. Lawrence

Author, Soldier & Diplomat

BORN August 16th, 1888

DIED 1935 (aged 46)

NATIONALITY British

Thomas Edward Lawrence was a British archaeologist, army officer, diplomat, and writer, who became renowned for his role in the Arab Revolt (1916–1918) and the Sinai and Palestine Campaign (1915–1918) against the Ottoman Empire during the First World War.

His ability to vividly describe his activities including successful guerrilla raids in writing captured the popular imagination and set new tactical standards. Those battles, along with Lawrence's well-known and public disgust at what he felt was the betrayal of the Arabs, who had been promised their own homeland after the war, established him as a hero.

He became known as Lawrence of Arabia, a title used for the 1962 film based on his wartime activities.

He never married or had children. He died in a motorcycle accident aged 46.

I loved you, so I drew these tides of men
into my hands/and wrote my
will across the sky in stars.

— T.E. Lawrence



Golden Carers

ON THIS DAY

- **1807** Work commences on the *Bell Rock Lighthouse*, considered one of the "Seven Wonders of the Industrial World". It is the world's oldest surviving sea-washed lighthouse. It is located off the coast of Angus, Scotland.
- **1945** Korea is divided into North and South Korea along the 38th parallel.
- **1946** George Orwell publishes *Animal Farm* in the United Kingdom.
- **1959** *Kind of Blue* by Miles Davis, the best-selling jazz recording of all time, is released.
- **1968** #1 Hit: Young Rascals - *People Got to Be Free*
- **1979** Monty Python's *Life of Brian*, starring Graham Chapman & John Cleese premieres.
- **1998** President Clinton admits to having an "inappropriate" relationship with an intern, Monica Lewinsky.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Mae West

Actress & Singer

BORN August 17th, 1893

DIED 1980 (aged 87)

NATIONALITY American

Mae West was a film actress, playwright, singer and sex symbol whose career spanned over seven decades. She was known for her breezy sexual independence, and her lighthearted bawdy double entendres.

West was one of the most controversial movie stars of her day. In 1927 she was sentenced to 10 days jail for "corrupting the morals of youth" after being arrested for her starring role in her Broadway play entitled *Sex*.

She starred with Cary Grant in *She Done Him Wrong* (1933). The film was a box office hit and earned an Academy Award nomination for *Best Picture*. Her next release, *I'm No Angel* (1933), teamed her again with Grant. The film was also a box-office hit and was the most successful of her entire screen career.

She was married once but had no children.

You only live once, but if you do it right, once is enough.

-- Mae West



ON THIS DAY

- **1786** The decision is made in England to colonise New South Wales, Australia with convicts from Britain's overcrowded gaols.
- **1926** The Toyota Motor Company is founded.
- **1937** The Toyota Motor Company is founded.
- **1956** #1 Hit: Elvis Presley - *Don't Be Cruel / Hound Dog*
- **1958** *Lolita* is first published in the US.
- **1958** #1 Hit: Domenico Modugno - *Volare (Nel Blu Dipinto Di Blu)*
- **1960** The Beatles give their 1st public performance at the Kaiserkeller in Hamburg.
- **1969** Mick Jagger is accidentally shot while filming *Ned Kelly*.
- **1974** #1 Hit: Paper Lace - *The Night Chicago Died*
- **1981** #1 Hit: Rick Springfield - *Jessie's Girl*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Shelley Winters

Actress

BORN August 18th, 1920

DIED 2006 (aged 85)

NATIONALITY American

Shelley Winters (born Shirley Schrift), was an actress whose career spanned seven decades.

She won Academy Awards for *The Diary of Anne Frank* (1959) and *A Patch of Blue* (1965), and received nominations for *A Place in the Sun* (1951) and *The Poseidon Adventure* (1972).

She also appeared in *A Double Life* (1947), *The Night of the Hunter* (1955), *Lolita* (1962), *Alfie* (1966), *Next Stop, Greenwich Village* (1976), and *Pete's Dragon* (1977).

In addition to film, Winters appeared in television, including a tenure on the sitcom *Roseanne*, and she also wrote three autobiographical books.

She was married 4 times and had 1 child.

All marriages are happy. It's trying to live together afterwards that causes all the problems.

-- Shelley Winters



ON THIS DAY

- **1900** Start of the one and only Olympic cricket match, in Paris.
- **1907** The rabbit-proof fence, the longest fence in the world, is completed in Australia.
- **1919** Afghanistan gains independence from the United Kingdom. The Central Asian country came under British control in 1859. It was considered to be a buffer for the British trade in opium and as a frontier to protect their interests in India.
- **1950** #1 Hit: Gordon Jenkins and The Weavers - *Goodnight Irene*
- **1960** Sputnik 5 is launched by USSR. The Soviet spacecraft carried two dogs, Strelka and Belka, who became the first living beings to survive in space.
- **1967** #1 Hit: The Beatles - *All You Need Is Love*
- **1970** The Chinese Community in South Africa is granted 'White' status.

WORDS IN WORDS

Read the clue and find the answer within the word given!

A length of thick strong cord

EUROPE = _____

Frozen Water

LICENSE = _____

What always runs but never walks? *Water*



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Bill Clinton

42nd US President

BORN August 19th, 1946

NATIONALITY American

Bill Clinton served as the 42nd president of the United States from 1993 to 2001.

He was elected president in 1992, defeating incumbent Republican President George H. W. Bush. At age 46, he became the third-youngest president in history. Clinton presided over the longest period of peacetime economic expansion in American history and in 1996 he was reelected in a landslide.

In 1998, Clinton was impeached by the House of Representatives, becoming the second U.S. president to be impeached. The impeachment was based on accusations that Clinton committed perjury and obstruction of justice for the purpose of concealing his affair with Monica Lewinsky, a 22-year-old White House intern. He was and completed his second term in office.

He is married to Hilary Clinton and they have 1 daughter.

We all do better when we work together. Our differences do matter, but our common humanity matters more. -- Bill Clinton



ON THIS DAY

- **1858** Charles Darwin first publishes his theory of evolution through natural selection.
- **1860** Australian explorers Burke and Wills commence their expedition to cross the continent from south to north.
- **1866** President Andrew Johnson formally declares the US Civil War over.
- **1882** Tchaikovsky's *1812 Overture* opens in Moscow.
- **1908** The 'Great White Fleet' arrives in Sydney, Australia.
- **1940** British PM Churchill says of Royal Air Force, "Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so few".
- **1956** #1 Hit: Morris Stoloff - *Moonglow And Theme From "Picnic"*
- **1977** The Voyager 2 spacecraft is launched, becoming the first probe to visit Uranus and Neptune.
- **1977** #1 Hit: The Emotions - *Best of My Love*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Jacqueline Susann

Novelist & Actress

BORN August 20th, 1918

DIED 1974 (aged 56)

NATIONALITY American

Jacqueline Susann's iconic novel, *Valley of the Dolls* (1966), is one of the best-selling books in publishing history.

With her two subsequent works, *The Love Machine* (1969) and *Once Is Not Enough* (1973), Susann became the first author to have three novels top The New York Times Best Seller List consecutively.

As a child, Susann was an inattentive but imaginative student. An only child, devoted to her father, Susann was determined to carry on the family name. She decided to be an actress, despite the advice of a teacher, who said, "Jackie should be a writer. She breaks all the rules, but it works."

She began her acting career on Broadway in 1937 and moved onto television in 1948, before beginning her writing career in the mid-1950s.

She was married with 1 child.

Never judge anyone by another's opinions. We all have different sides that we show to different people.
-- Jacqueline Susann



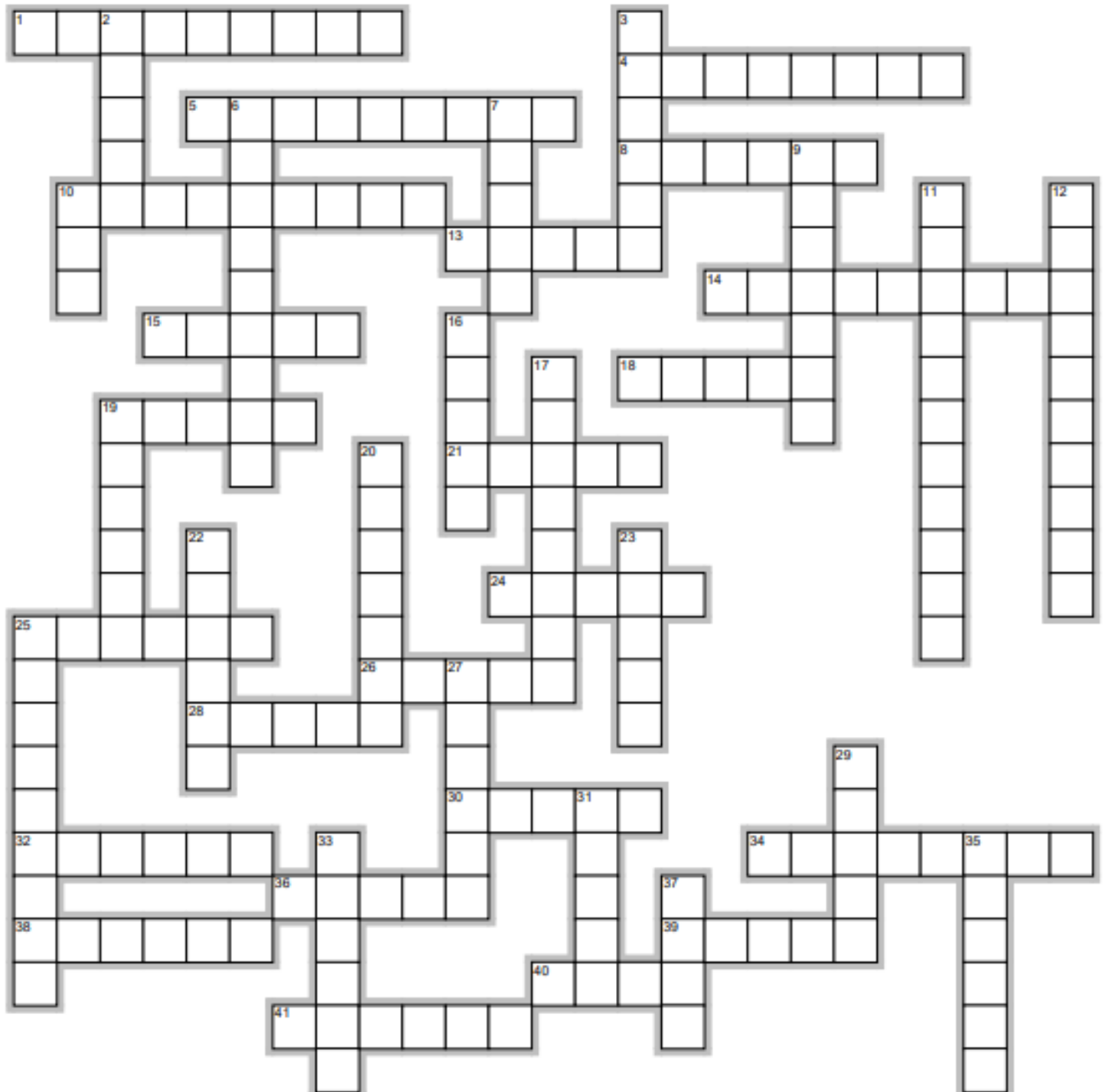
Famous Duos

Here's a fun crossword online, or printable! Simply supply the other half of each well-known team. Duos include musicians, TV characters, cartoon characters, historical figures and foods.

Hint: If you get stuck, ask for help from someone of a different generation. 😊



Allan Hale as Skipper



Clues

Across

1. Thunder &
4. Abbot &
5. Lennon &
8. Thelma &
10. Tweety &
13. Mork &
14. Simon &
15. Lady & the
18. Bonnie &
19. Tom &
21. Fish &
24. Batman &
25. Holmes &
26. Lucy &
28. Hall &
30. Beauty & the
32. Penn &
34. Skipper &
36. Serena &
38. Macaroni &
39. Laurel &
40. Chip &
41. Mickey &

Down

2. Mashed potatoes &
3. Mulder &
6. Antony &
7. Bert &
9. Laverne &
10. Sanford &
11. Butch Cassidy & the
12. Rocky &
16. Starsky &
17. Popeye &
19. Romeo &
20. Milk &
22. Yogi &
23. Fred &
25. Snoopy &
27. Calvin &
29. Peanut butter &
31. Chips &
33. Miss Piggy &
35. Wallace &
37. Sonny &

There are more kangaroos than humans in Australia.



Australian Animals

DIRECTIONS: Find and circle the animal names in the grid. Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.

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

BILBY

CASSOWARY

COCKATOO

CROCODILE

DINGO

DUGONG

ECHIDNA

EMU

FRILLED NECK LIZARD

GIANT CLAM

KANGAROO

KOALA

LITTLE PENGUIN

NUMBAT

PLATYPUS

POSSUM

QUOKKA

QUOLL

TASMANIAN DEVIL

THORNY DEVIL

WALLABY

WALLAROO

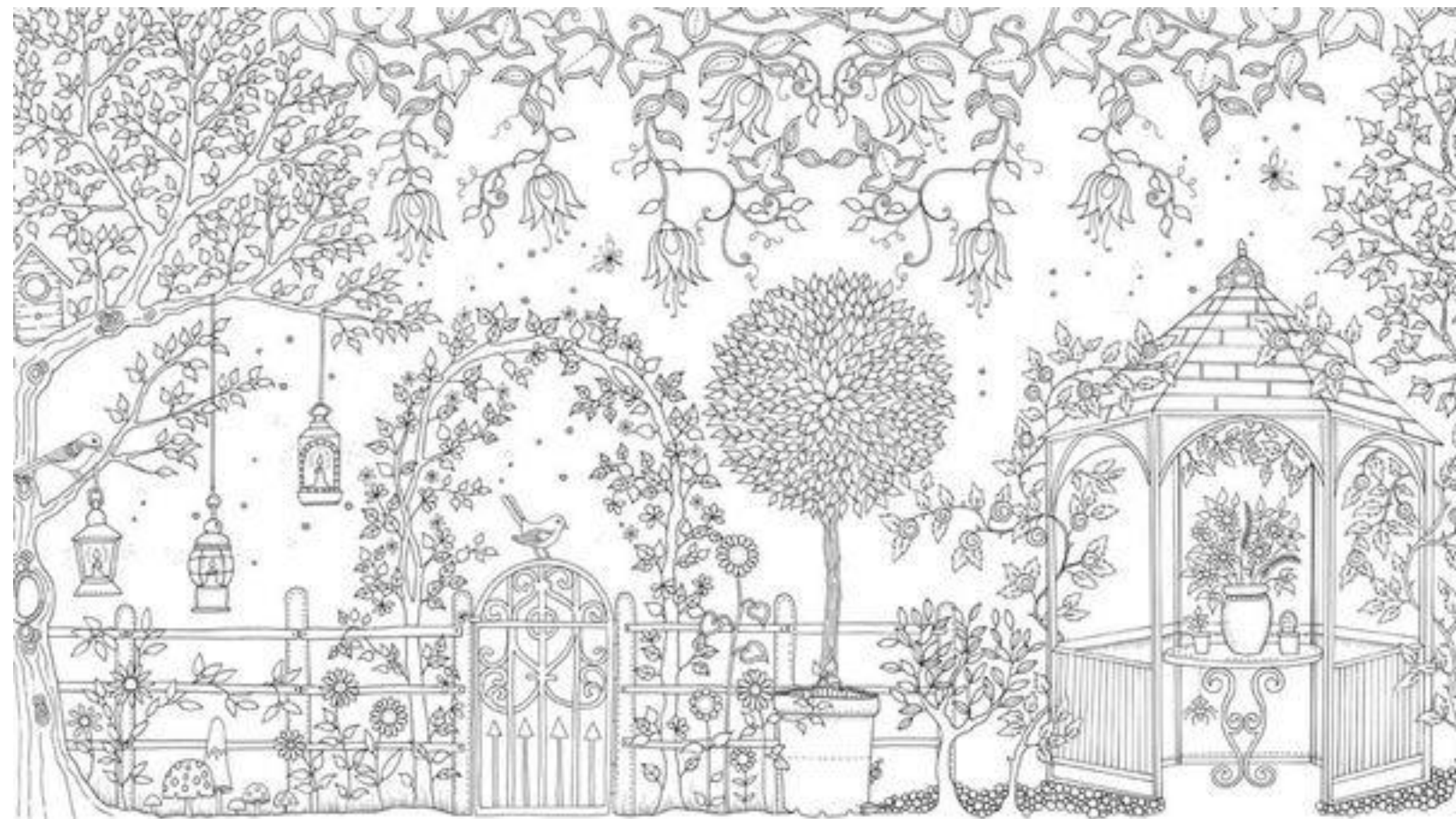
WOMBAT

YABBY



Numbats eat up to 20,000 termites each day.

Art for Relaxation



Left-Handed Facts

Left-handed people make up 5% to 10% of the population, men being twice as likely to be left handed than women.

Left-handers are more likely to pursue creative careers.

One in four Apollo astronauts was left-handed!

The official Boy Scout handshake uses the left hand, not the right. The founder of the Scouts was ambidextrous (able to use the right and left hand equally well), but he chose the left hand because it is closer to the heart.

Most left-handers draw figures facing the right side.

Michelangelo was a lefty; it seems that his 'David' is also a lefty by the way he holds his sling.

Left-handers have been traced back to caveman days. Archaeologists believe some cave paintings were created by lefties.

Of the five people who created the Macintosh computer, four were left-handed.

In ancient times, the Aztecs from Mexico administered medicine for kidney problems with the left hand, and medicine for liver problems with the right hand. Go figure!

The Incas from Peru believed that being left-handed was a sign of good luck.

In Scotland, if a person is unlucky, it is said that he or she "was baptized by a left-handed priest".

Mothers who give birth over the age of 40 are 128% more likely to have Lefty babies.

British slang for left-handed are: lefty, scrammy, and wacky.

Lefties in the US are called: southpaws, wrong-way drivers, and portsiders.

Champion fencers are mostly left-handers.

Quiz with answers beginning with AU

1 Celebrity signature:

2 Done without thought:

3 Theatre's seating area:

4 Natural light phenomenon in the Earth's sky:

5 Professional writer:

6 One married to an uncle:

7 Post-mortem examination:

8 People watching a performance:

9 Reddish-brown hair colour:

10 Leaf falling time:



1. This movie directed by Howard Hawks and starring Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall premiered in August 1946
2. Charlotte Bronte sent the manuscript for this book to a publisher in London in August 1847.
3. This popular soft drink first arrived in the UK in August 1900
4. Which famous explorer set sail from Spain with three ships seeking a westerly route to the Far East in August 1492?
5. Which famous Jazz Trumpeter was born on August 4, 1901?
6. This award-winning film starring Gene Kelly and Leslie Caron premiered in August 1951
7. Which Beatles song was released in August 1968 becoming one of the biggest billboard songs of all time?
8. This Scottish physician-scientist who was recognised for discovering penicillin was born on the 6th of August 1881.
9. The highest mountain in Western Europe was climbed for the first time in August 1786 - what is it called?
10. This famous breakfast cereal was invented by William Kellogg in August 1898.

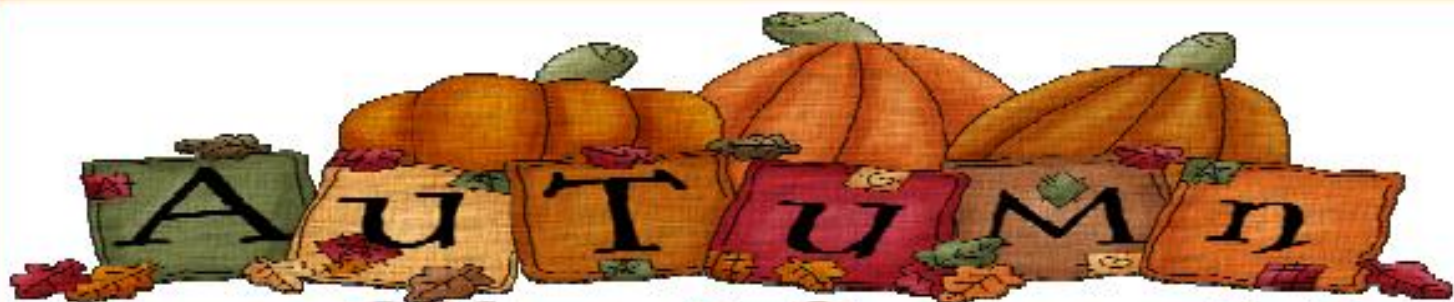
Word Ladder

Word Ladder: Town - City

Instructions: In word ladders, you change one word into another. At each step along the way, change just one letter to make a new word. Clues are given at each step!

QUESTIONS	HINT
LEET	
_____	British elevator
_____	The 'vie' in "c'est la vie"
_____	Fishing wire
_____	Parking penalty
_____	Locate
_____	Look after and provide for oneself
_____	Fix holey socks
_____	Intellect
_____	The back of an animals' body

HAND



Word Scramble

ANIRY_____

SOSEAN_____

GANREO_____

EAKDR_____

SEEBMTRPE_____

SLQEIURR_____

OCREBOT_____

AHNNICGG_____

RLLCOUOF_____

QSUASH_____

RCAON_____

OWLELY_____

UTNMAU_____

CRNO_____

KTYAACSH_____

PAELP_____

OEBREVMN_____

ELALHONW_____

AEFL_____

UNPIPMK_____

STHAERV_____

INGINHVSATKG_____

PERAS_____

UCENSHTST_____

Birthstones

DIRECTIONS: Find and circle the months and birthstones in the grid. Look for the words in all directions including backwards and diagonally.



January		Garnet	July		Ruby
February		Amethyst	August		Peridot
March		Aquamarine	September		Sapphire
April		Diamond	October		Opal
May		Emerald	November		Topaz
June		Pearl	December		Turquoise

Art for Relaxation



Sudoku

1

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

2

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

**Why do we
tell actors to
“break a leg?”**

**Because every play
has a cast.**

**What did one
traffic light say to
the other?**

**Stop looking!
I’m changing!**

**Why is it
annoying to eat
next to basketball
players?**

They dribble all the time.

**Yesterday I saw a guy spill
all his Scrabble letters on
the road.**

**I asked him,
“What’s the word
on the street?”**

**Knock, knock.
Who’s there?
Scold.
Scold who?
Scold outside,
let me in!**

**Why wouldn’t
the shrimp share
his treasure?**

**Because he was
a little shellfish!**

**Knock, knock.
Who’s there?
Kanga.
*Kanga who?***



Actually, it’s kangaroo!



Quiz Answers

1 The Big Sleep 2 Jane Eyre 3 Coca Cola 4 Christopher Columbus 5 Louis Armstrong 6 An American in Paris 7 Hey Jude 8 Alexander Fleming 9 Mont Blanc 10 Corn Flakes

Quiz AU

1 Autograph 2 Automatic 3 Auditorium 4 Aurora 5 Author 6 Aunt 7 Autopsy 8 Audience 9 Auburn 10 Autumn

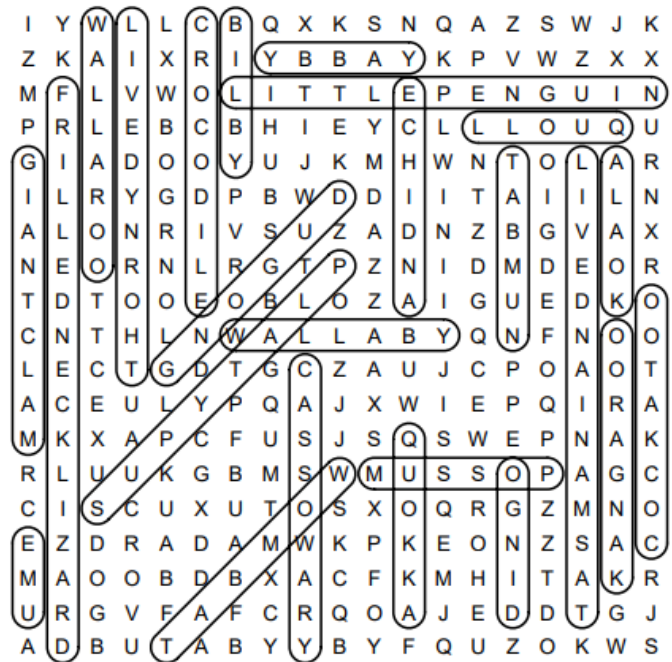


ANIRY RAINY	SOSEAN SEASON
GANREO ORANGE	EAKR RAKE
SEEBMTRPE SEPTEMBER	SLQEIURR SQUIRREL
OCREBOT OCTOBER	AHNNICGG CHANGING
RLLCOUOF COLORFUL	QSUASH SQUASH
RCAON ACORN	OWLELY YELLOW
UTNMAU AUTUMN	CRNO CORN
KTYAACSH HAYSTACK	PAELP APPLE
OEBREVM NOVEMBER	ELALHONW HALLOWEEN
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PERAS PEARS	UCENSHTST CHESTNUTS

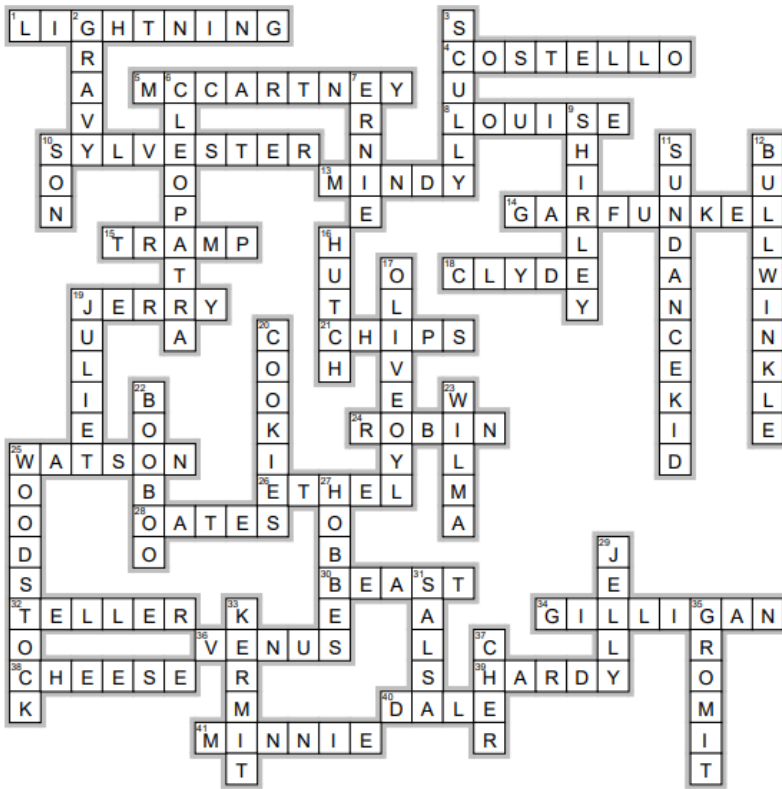
Australian Animals

Word Search

SOLUTION



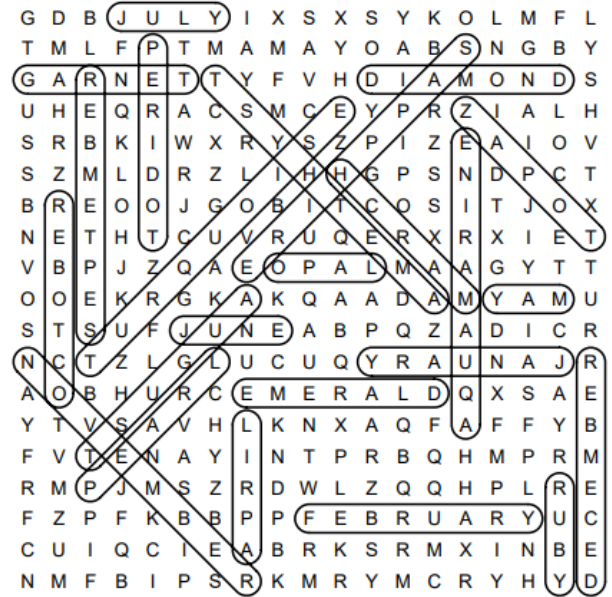
Answers



Birthstones

Word Search

SOLUTION



Word Ladder

Left, Lift, Life, Line, Fine, Find, Fend, Mend, Mind, Hind, Hand

2.

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

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