

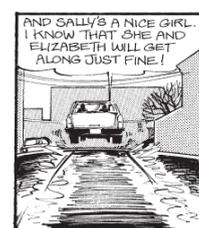
# CLASSIC COMICS

PEANUTS

Charles Schulz

FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE

Lynn Johnston



PICKLES

Brian Crane

GARFIELD

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# NEW YORK TIMES DAILY CROSSWORD

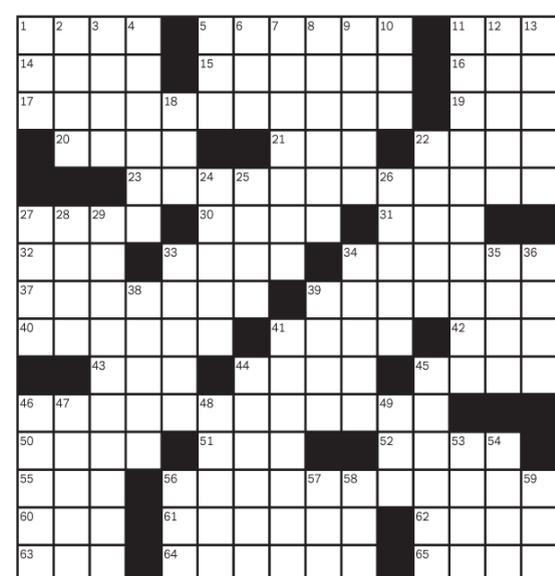
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- ACROSS**
- Brazilian berry
  - Monster whose gaze remained lethal after her death
  - Genre for many a mixtape
  - It's not hard!
  - Came down, in a way
  - Like some angsty teens
  - Article of furniture on which a plate of oats might be set?
  - Justice's domain
  - Deserving a D, say
  - 1,000 G's
  - Difficult weather condition for driving
  - Thick, spiked outer covering?
  - Pay attention to, as warnings
  - Casting rod?

- Lady (translation of "Notre Dame")
- Number indicating position: Abbr.
- Uttered
- Teenager's response to a dad joke, perhaps
- Relatives in a sty?
- "Throne" for a lion king?
- Arctic fishing shelter
- Dirk Nowitzki's longtime team, to fans
- Tyrannical ruler
- Keep \_\_\_ on

- DOWN**
- It goes down in flames
  - Member-owned business
  - Hairstyle popular among the Black Panther Party
  - "How strange ..."
  - "\_\_\_ Robinson" (Simon & Garfunkel hit)
  - Score points in Pac-Man, say
  - Baseball venue
  - Remove the ropes from, perhaps
  - "Sex \_\_\_" (adage)
  - Ending with lemon or lime
  - Competitions with anchors
  - Wow
  - Outlet store?
  - Muff
  - Massive amounts of winnings, so to speak



- PUZZLE BY KEVIN CURRY
- Anticipate
  - Laundry detergent brand
  - Plunders
  - Southwest people whose name means "peaceful"
  - Children's author Carle
  - Toeholds in solving jigsaw puzzles
  - Sneak around
  - Word after space or screen
  - Repellent spray
  - Son of Seth
  - Humble home
  - Mobile food vendor's station
  - Stumble
  - Wolfs (down)
  - What it all comes down to
  - Assortment to view on YouTube
  - Painter Matisse
  - Avoid, as capture
  - Org. authorized by the 16th Amendment
  - Designer Wang
  - Commoner, informally
  - Skosh
  - Many an August birth
  - Winter setting in N.Y.C.
  - Día de \_\_\_ Muertos
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## ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE



ARLO & JANIS

Jimmy Johnson



# KENKEN

THE LOGIC PUZZLE THAT MAKES YOU SMARTER.

**EASY**

12X		2÷	
1-		3-	
3-	1	7+	12X

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**CHALLENGING**

1-	6X	3+	20X	11+
10+	3÷			
5-	5		1-	
14+	1-	108X		2÷
2				

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**RULES**

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
- The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

**PREVIOUS ANSWERS**

4X	2÷	3
1	2	4
4	1	3
3	4	2
2	3	1

1-	11+	3÷	4
2	6X	11+	6X
3	2	4	6
4	5	1	2
5	4	3	1
6	1	2	5

## JUMBLE

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME  
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

SAUEM

FHRES

CIHTEC

TFEALR



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

“ ”

(Answers tomorrow)

## WONDERWORD

By DAVID OUELLET

**HOW TO PLAY:** All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the WONDERWORD.

CATHERINE O'HARA (1954-2026) Solution: 9 letters

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

Yesterday's Jumbles: CYCLE GUESS ASPECT BUSHEL  
Answer: The witch bought a book of charms and incantations hoping it would finally — SPELL SUCCESS

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