

BY GREG WALKER, BRIAN WALKER AND NEAL WALKER

I CAN'T FIND ANYONE TO PLAY GOLF WITH TODAY

WHY DON'T YOU ASK LIEUTENANT FUZZ?

BUT I'VE NEVER PLAYED GOLF BEFORE!

STILL BETTER

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SIRIE MAORT WALKER

DUMPLINGS

BY VICTOR VAN ACKER

I CAN'T DO MANUAL LABOR - I'M A DOG...

I DO DOGUAL LABOR - HA! GET IT?

FINE - GO PULL A SLED.

I DO LITTLE-LAP-DOGUAL LABOR.

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ZITS

BY JERRY SCOTT AND JIM BORGMAN

HAS ANYBODY SEEN MY SHOES?

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ROYAL STARS

YOUR DAILY HOROSCOPE FROM GEORGIA NICOLS

The day ahead: ★★★★★ = Dynamic; ★★★★★ = Positive; ★★★ = Average; ★★ = So-so; ★ = Difficult

Moon Alert: Avoid shopping (except for food and gas) and important decisions from 2:30 p.m. to 4:15 a.m. EDT today (11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. PDT). After that, the Moon moves from **LEO** into **VIRGO**.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ This is a solid day for you because you're motivated to work and accomplish something. This is half the battle. Motivation is everything. Roll up your sleeves and dig in. Talk to co-workers and friends. Be of service if you can. Tonight: Get organized.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ Today the Moon will move into your fellow Earth sign, which will encourage a more light-hearted approach to life. Enjoy socializing with others. Explore romance. Your involvement with sports and the company of children will be rewarding. Tonight: Socialize!

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ You have lots of mental energy today, which is why you want to share your ideas and information with someone. As the day wears on, home and family discussions will become more important. Tonight: Relax at home.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ For a large part of this day, the Moon is in your Money House. During the **Moon Alert**, be smart and restrict your spending to food and gas. If you want to buy something, fill your databank first. Do your research, then act once the **Moon Alert** is over. Tonight: Stimulating discussions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Today holds the promise of fun socializing and romantic escapades. Keep things light and enjoy talking to someone. After the **Moon Alert** is over, cash flow, shopping and money will be on your mind. Tonight: Check your money.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ Today has a vague, lighthearted, dreamy quality until the **Moon Alert** is over. However, once the Moon moves into your sign to join the Sun and Mercury, it's all systems go! Go do that voodoo that you do so well. Tonight: You win!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★ You're a social person, which is why you need others in your life. This day begins with a strong desire to talk to others or be involved in groups. However, after the **Moon Alert**, you need some peace and quiet. Treat yourself to solitude in beautiful surroundings. Tonight: Enjoy peace and quiet.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★★ For the first part of this day, you're high-viz. People notice you more than usual. You might have to do some damage control. Keep this in mind. After the **Moon Alert**, make an effort to talk to a friend or be involved with a group. This will be rewarding. Tonight: Be friendly.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ Initially, you might feel a strong sense of escape today. You might want to run away and join the circus. You want to do something different! Take it easy, especially because this feeling will simmer during the **Moon Alert**, which makes you feel a bit rudderless. Later in the day you're high-viz! Tonight: You're admired.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ Postpone important financial negotiations or banking decisions until the **Moon Alert** is over today. Initially, you can do your research and get your facts. But wait until you're on solid ground. Welcome any opportunity to travel, learn and explore your world. Tonight: Explore!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ This morning you have to cooperate with others, which means you might have to go more than halfway. (It's not a big deal.) However, after the **Moon Alert**, you might make progress tying up loose ends and dealing with red tape matters related to shared property and banking. Tonight: Check your finances.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★★ Go along to get along today, especially at work. Do what you can. After the **Moon Alert** today, the Moon will be opposite your sign, which means you have to be cooperative. Just take baby steps. Make no demands on yourself or on others. Easy does it. Tonight: Cooperate.

BY DEAN YOUNG AND JOHN MARSHALL

HERE'S A GRIDIRON GIFT FOR WHEN YOUR SORRY TEAM THROWS IN THE TOWEL

I HAVE A PRESENT, TOO!

A WHITE FLAG??

I FIGURED I'D SERVE IT WITH YOUR SANDWICH, SO YOU'LL BE READY WHEN YOUR TEAM SURRENDERS!

WELL... FOOTBALL SEASON IS OFFICIALLY UNDERWAY!

YEP! CHEERS. I THINK!

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BY TOMMY DEVOID

WANNA LEAVE EARLY TODAY?

HECK YEAH!

JUST FINISH ALL YOUR WORK.

HMMM...

THE JUICE IS NOT WORTH THE SQUEEZE.

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HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

BY CHRIS BROWNE

IT FEELS LIKE THE WORLD IS ON THE BRINK OF COLLAPSE!

YOU SHOULD SPEND LESS TIME AT THE WINDOW!

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INSANITY STREAK

BY TONY LOPES

NOW WE EXCHANGE LICENSE AND REGISTRATION?

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SUDOKU

Difficulty: ★★★

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ACROSS

43 Single

44 "Diamonds" singer

46 Mends, as socks

50 Florida seaport

55 Dig in

56 Downwind

57 Cad

58 "Fresh Air" ailer

59 Auction signals

60 Cooperstown stats

61 Eastern path

DOWN

1 Slightly

2 Demolish

3 Dreaded dino

4 Painted body part

5 Oft-tattooed extremity

6 Submachine gun

7 Bridge fee

8 Donut purchase quantities

9 Previously

10 Under the weather

11 Briny expanse

17 Comics cry

19 Moreover

22 Gumbo or bisque, e.g.

23 Like some pond growth

25 "It can't be!"

26 Prosperity

27 Long story

28 Openings

29 Traditional tales

30 Oodles

31 Plane-related

35 Beach footwear

38 Fidgets

40 "Golden Girl" Arthur

42 Entertainer Zadora

45 Sore spot

47 Monthly payment

48 Valley in California

49 Houston base-baller, briefly

50 Skillet

51 "Strange Magic" gp.

52 Homer's neighbor

53 Not 'neath

54 Grazing land

Solution time: 23 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 9-9

TODAY'S ANSWER

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DENNIS THE MENACE

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

"If you're gonna clean my room... just put everything back where you found it."

"Grandma, are you going to eat all of these lollipops in your drawer?"

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