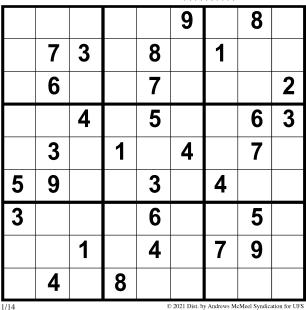
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1 5 6 9 2 **HOW TO PLAY:** 5 8 4 3 1 Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 box-2 5 7 3 6 es must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition. 9 3 7 1 8 5 1 8 6

By DAVID

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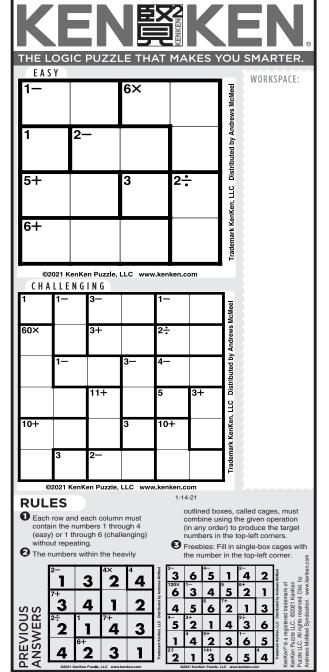
**OUELLET** HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the

WONDERWORD A SALUTE TO PUBLIC TRANSPORT WORKERS Solution: 6 letters

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Aircraft, Cable, Care, Cargo, Cars, Check, City, Clean, Coach, Commute, Crew, Customer, Dispatch, Drive, Engineer, Essential, Fireman, Flight, Heroes, Lifts, Manifest, Motorman, Operate, Para, Personal, Pilot, Radio, Rail, Ramps, Respect, Rides, Route, Safety, Schedule, School, Suburbs, Supervisor, Thank, Tickets, Tourist, Train, Tram, Trolleybus, Work Yesterday's Answer: Tutoring

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3 6

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WORDY GURDY®
BY TRICKY RICKY KANE Every answer is a rhyming pair of words (like FAT CAT and DOUBLE TROUBLE), and search one's residence (1) they will fit in the letter squares. The number after the definition tells you how many syllables in each word. Actress Aniston's camera part (1) 3. Precipitously angled pile (1) s F's for A-plusses (1) 6. Intelligent aviator Orville or Wilbur (1) ' Millan's tight huggers (2) P. TRADES GRADES 6. BRIGHT WRIGHT 7. CESARS SQUEEZERS ANSWERS MBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words. RUYRH We're going to need new shingles and flashing up here. That the budge

**GRFOO** LOSIPH COSTS OF INSTALLING THEIR FANCY NEW FIREPLACE FLATAO WERE GOING ---Now arrange the circled letters ©2021 Tribune Content Agency, LLC to form the surprise answer, as

> THE (Answers tomorrow)

suggested by the above cartoon.

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Jumbles: CIGAR

**FAITH** WISELY OUTWI Answer: The new downtown cardiology center was built in the - HEART OF THE CITY

> SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): An opportunity to change direction will entice you, but before you jump from one thing to another, consider the worst-case scenario and the consequences. If uncertainty prevails, rethink your strategy. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): An

unexpected change will result if you have trouble making up your mind or you let your emotions take over. Consider what you can do to ease stress and keep someone you love happy AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Keep

busy and do something constructive, and you'll avoid getting into a spat over something stupid. Someone is likely to overreact or start something that leads to a situation that will be difficult to reverse. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Someone will give you the wrong impres-

### YOUR HOROSCOPE

2 1 4 3

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021

Be creative, and you'll develop an interesting way to make your home conducive to your lifestyle. Designate areas to work and play that will keep you and anyone you share space with content. ARIES (March 21-April 19): Use

your knowledge and insight to overcome

adversity. Listen, but don't make changes based on what others pontificate. Use discretion, and be clear in your response. TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Not everyone will share your concerns or your beliefs. Be open to suggestions, and use

thoughts and plans. GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Refuse to get involved in a scheme that sounds too good to be true. Use the experience you have gained to encourage you to recognize and say no to manipulative individuals.

By Jim Unger

the information offered to assemble your

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Stick to creative projects and people you can trust to be honest with you. A change can be favorable if it doesn't entail joint endeavors or shared expenses. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Don't be

confused by the changes someone makes.

Adjust and keep heading in a direction that

will benefit you. Use your charm and physical attributes to get what you want. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Invest more time and energy into your home. Set up schedules and projects that will help bring you closer to the ones you love.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Less talk and more action will avert opposition. Take a disciplined approach to the way you deal with friends and family, and you will persuade everyone to pitch in and help. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A

change you didn't anticipate will leave you

in a vulnerable position. A friend, relative

or colleague will let you down. Take a

moment to collect your thoughts.

sion. Don't believe everything you hear. Check facts, and you'll discover the best way to handle a change of plans.

By Eugenia Last

# **CLASSIC COMICS**

DESIGNED FOR

LAPTOPS!

I'VE COME TO THE

OFUS JUST ARE NOT

REALIZATION THAT SOME

ZIGGY

By Tom Wilson HERMAN

witer



manager I found his sport jacket.'

By Mort Walker







HOW'S THE

GOING?

REMOTE LEARNING

IF I

EVER

DAD





By Thaves



\*SIGH

By Mastroianni & Hart



## NEW YORK TIMES DAILY CROSSWORD

**Edited by** Will Shortz

Orthodontic challenges

Doctor's order Grp. that might hold a raffle

"Please, enough 13 already!" Like some residents on the Gulf of Aden

What's anything but neutral? 16 Siding?

Sarcastic sentence 18 ender

19 Traveling figure, briefly 20 It shares a 1,650+

game!' 22

Sound track? Heep, David 25 Copperfield rival

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concern 33 Q2 and Q3 maker 34 \_-green

Juice brand 35 36 Female? What "Lucy in the 39 Sky With Diamonds" supposedly isn't

about Factor for determining one's grade in school

Podcast host Maron Hill with no peak Aground?

Discuss work out-

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42 43 48 Foil, e.g.

side of work, say Rock's Joan the Blackhearts

mile border with the U.S.: Abbr. "I'm game if you're

Main squeeze, in

modern lingo 55 Réunion buddy 56 Were present? 57 Cold? 62 \_ Fields Fried snack dusted 63

with cinnamon sugar Millions 65 It hits close to home 66

"On again, off again" love stories, say Hope beyond hope

DOWN

"Check it out for

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:** 

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PUZZLE BY JACK MURTAGH

short

When repeated,

'You get the idea"

Frequent filers, for

10 World Series

championships

Discussed over

Slack, say, in brief

Like shark attacks

Magic 8 Ball, e.g.

Sight at a winery

Herculean efforts

Southwest

A constant

celebration?

Clicking sound?

Stretched (out)

Grassy plain of the

Curmudgeonly sort

Resistance figure

You may find a range of these:

Abbr.

Superficial

inspection

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yourself" Dog breed named after a region in 30 Japan Player with a record Frigid 31

One on a slippery slope Novelist/essayist

3

Susan World's largest theater chain

Informal word of agreement Hometown hero of

Louisville, Ky. Swingin'

Longtime Life 10 Savers flavor 11 Lacking bite

12 Colonial workers, maybe

Little fella Wheedle 21 It may be glossed

Infirmary sight

Top round steak, e.g.

24-Down is

28

Pompeii, for one

Lock (PC key)

Grp. that determines what a

A window may go 53 in it 57 Injection units, for short

59 Persian, e.g. Cup holder

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