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NOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary in the Estate of the above named Decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment and those having claims against the same will make them known without delay to:

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 Johnstown, PA 15905  
 4/8, 4/15, 4/22

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**NOTICE**

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Devon C. Duffy, Executrix  
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 3/25, 4/1, 4/8

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**1630 Philadelphia Street**  
**Suite 1**  
**Indiana, PA 15701**  
**NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX**

Letters of Testamentary for the Estate of Christine A. Swanson, a/k/a Christine Ann Swanson, late of Indiana Borough, Indiana County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, those having claims against the estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement and those knowing themselves to be indebted are requested to make prompt payment.

Brandly L. Swanson  
 11 Gunther Street  
 Mendham, NJ 07945  
 4/8,4/15,4/22

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**Indiana, PA 15701**  
**EXECUTRIX'S**  
**NOTICE**

Letters of Testamentary on the Estate of Thomas Charles Cronk, late of the Township of Armstrong, Indiana County, Pennsylvania having been granted to the undersigned, those having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement and those knowing themselves to be indebted are requested to make prompt payment.

Judith Sipes  
 241 Saddlebrook Drive  
 Indiana, PA 15701  
 4/1,4/8,4/15

**ASTROGRAPH**

**Your Birthday**  
**THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2026**  
*By Eugenia Last*

Opportunity knocks, so learn to recognize what's good for you and what will be a problem. Take the time to price out any project you want to pursue before you commit to moving forward. Place your focus and intent on health and being the best that you can be. Look inward, challenge yourself and redistribute your energy to ensure you reach your destination.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** — Put more pressure on what matters most, and resolve issues of concern before it's too late. Procrastinating will lead to regret; do your due diligence and forgo setbacks.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** — Tidy up any loose ends before starting something new. Show your appreciation and gratitude. How you present yourself, your image and your concerns will captivate someone in a position to help you.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** — Check into how you can make a difference, and start the ball rolling. It's up to you to bring about change. Stop procrastinating and start doing. Put your energy into research, detail and presentation.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** — Expand your interests, and you'll connect with people who can enrich your life. Opportunities are apparent, but so is exaggeration. Question any offer that's not realistic.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** — Stretch your legs, participate in events that address your concerns and make a difference. Your discipline and original ideas will help position you for leadership.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — You're in the zone and ready to make a change. Refuse to let what others do or say stand in your way. Avoid those offering the impossible and eager to take advantage of you.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** — You can dream all you want, but when reality sets in, realism is what counts. Monitor your cash, reactions and relationships carefully. Put your emotions aside, and keep your mind on delivering what you promise.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** — An open mind and a willingness to compromise will help. If you take an offensive position, you'll meet with similar opposition. Embrace meaningful relationships, and sparks will fly.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** — Put yourself first. Invest more time and effort in yourself, your surroundings and your future. Overspending on expensive procedures or entertainment unnecessarily will have a negative impact on your life.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — Letting emotions dictate conversations will lead to misunderstandings. Be very concise regarding what you want and expect in return. Pay attention to how you look, live and love.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** — Monitor how you earn or delegate your money carefully. A wrong decision can leave you in debt. A lifestyle change will require plenty of planning, energy and ingenuity.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** — Stretch your mind, your body and your soul by being true to yourself. Look for activities that encourage strength, good health and a chance to make new friends with people who share your goals.

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**BRIDGE**

**North 04-08-26**  
 ♠ 9 7 6 4 3 2  
 ♥ 8 5 4  
 ♦ Q 8  
 ♣ 5 2

**West**  
 ♠ A J 10  
 ♥ K Q J  
 ♦ J 7 4 3  
 ♣ 10 9 4

**East**  
 ♠ K Q  
 ♥ 10 9 6 2  
 ♦ 10 6 5 2  
 ♣ A J 8

**South**  
 ♠ 8 5  
 ♥ A 7 3  
 ♦ A K 9  
 ♣ K Q 7 6 3

**Dealer: South**  
**Vulnerable: East-West**

<b>South</b>	<b>West</b>	<b>North</b>	<b>East</b>
1 NT	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

**Opening lead: ♥ K**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2026**

*By Phillip Alder*  
**RUN FROM NO-TRUMP**  
**WITH A LONG SUIT**

Marcus Tullius Cicero, a Roman statesman and orator who died in 43 B.C., said, "Orators are most vehement when their cause is weak."

I often feel that way about playwrights who include lots of shouting -- they could not think of anything worthwhile to write.

This week we are looking at bidding with weak hands — for example, the gorgeous two-count held by North. After partner opens one no-trump, he must not pass, but must convert the contract to two spades, here via a transfer bid. His hand might be useless in no-trump, but will be worth three or four trump tricks in spades.

After West leads the heart king, how should South plan the play?

Note that North's having to use a transfer, rather than a

natural, drop-dead two-spade response, has the disadvantage of giving the opponents two chances to enter the auction; but it does allow the strong hand to become the declarer.

If East-West do enter the auction and reach three diamonds, a club lead is fatal. The defenders can take one heart, three diamonds, one club and a club ruff by North.

South has six losers: three spades, two hearts and one club. However, he can eliminate one loser by winning with the heart ace and cashing his three diamond tricks, starting with dummy's queen (the honor from the shorter side first). On the third diamond, declarer discards a heart from the board. Then, with his loser count down to five, he leads a trump and keeps playing trumps every time he is back on lead.

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## CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" S C S Z E F B X E J U D S G U F O U M I R A S D S  
B J R U R S Z M B T U L L S Z V Q U L L Q S E ' C S  
V Z A L L S M B Z R U A M L S X B Z D B T R B G S X  
F S J B Z S . " — G L S R Q S M G B M X Q S A T

Previous Solution: "We live by each other and for each other. Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much." — Helen Keller

TODAY'S CLUE: *a sjanbe X*

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# CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

1 Joan of —  
4 File folder projection  
7 Havana's island  
11 "Humbug!"  
12 Desert in Asia  
13 — — even keel  
14 Candle count  
15 Actor — Gosling  
16 Knitter's need  
17 — Haute, Indiana  
19 Bellyache  
21 Fish eggs  
22 Stop a fast  
23 Blade on a gun  
27 Pester in fun  
31 Lie in wait  
32 Duration  
34 Green — Packers  
35 Wrath  
36 Stop sleeping  
37 Cry from a duffer  
38 San Diego player

**40 Null and void**  
42 LummoX  
44 "Exodus" hero  
45 "A Street-car Named —"  
48 Trouble-some  
51 Jump in figure skating  
52 Note  
55 Make haste  
56 Woman of rank  
57 Consumer  
58 Right angle  
59 Surrounded by  
60 "Oedipus —"  
61 Costa del —

**DOWN**

1 Like — — out of hell  
2 Fury  
3 Lipstick shade (2 wds.)  
4 Plaything  
5 Org. for lawyers  
6 Spree

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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7 Wild canine  
8 Two-toed sloth  
9 Taverns  
10 English queen  
12 Immature  
18 Chess piece  
20 Give a grade to  
23 Radar screen image  
24 Emanation  
25 Greek letter  
26 Polynesian carving  
28 Eliminates  
29 Rani's garment

30 Looked at  
33 Human beings  
36 — and tear  
37 Get along  
39 Made turbid  
41 Steam  
43 Longest human bone  
45 Far-out art movement  
46 School event  
47 Big rig  
49 Metric unit  
50 Holler  
53 Language suffix  
54 Neighbor of USA

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The Estate of Edna D. Golden a/k/a Edna Catherine Golden a/k/a Edna Dickins Golden a/k/a Edna C. Golden, late, of the Township of White, Indiana County, PA, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to the undersigned or their attorney.

Catherine G. Hildebrand  
1500 Diehl Road  
Clymer, PA 15728

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**NOTICE**  
**ON THE PROPOSED FINANCING BY**  
**Brush Valley Township Volunteer Fire Company**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the Brush Valley Township Volunteer Fire Company located in Brush Valley, Pennsylvania (the Issuer), will allow for public comment on Wednesday, April 15, 2026, at 7:00 pm, via the following local phone number 724-479-2096, for the purpose of holding a public hearing pursuant to the requirements of Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, on a proposal the Issuer enter into an agreement to finance certain equipment. The equipment to be financed consists of One (1) New Fouts 4 Mini Pumper Truck and will be maintained at the fire station in Brush Valley, Pennsylvania.

To finance the costs of such equipment and to pay costs and expenses incidental to the financing, the Issuer proposes to enter into a loan agreement with a maximum aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$378,848.00. The Issuer will be required to pay all taxes on the equipment. The rental payments due pursuant to the loan agreement will be secured by a security interest in the equipment.

All persons interested may phone in and be heard at said time and place or may file written comments with the Brush Valley Township Volunteer Fire Company prior to the date of hearing set forth heretofore.

Date Published: April 8, 2026

## Public Notices

**NOTICE**  
**Public Notice**

Pursuant to the Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act, the Coal Refuse Disposal Control Act, Bituminous Mine Subsidence and Land Conservation Act, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Rules and Regulations and Clean Streams Law, notice is hereby given that Robindale Energy Services, Inc., 224 Grange Hall Road, Armagh, PA 15920 has made application to the Department of Environmental Protection for renewing its existing coal refuse disposal permit and related NPDES permit (PA0214671). The current coal refuse disposal permit No. 11743703 was issued on May 22, 2021 and will expire on May 21, 2026. This renewal does not contain revisions to the existing operation. The receiving stream for this permit area is the West Branch of the Susquehanna River. The operation is located in Barr and West Carroll Township, Cambria County and is known as the Lancashire No. 25 Refuse Site. The 69.3-acre permit area is situated directly across from the intersection of SR 4009 and TR-520. The Colver and Carrolltown PA 7.5-minute quadrangle maps contain the area described.

A copy of the permit renewal is available for public inspection at the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, California District Mining Office, California Technology Park, 25 Technology Drive, Coal Center, PA 15423. Written comments, objections, or request for a public hearing or informal conference may be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection, California District Mining Office, California Technology Park, 25 Technology Drive, Coal Center, PA 15423 by May 22, 2026 and must include the persons name, address, telephone number, and brief statement as to the nature of the objection(s).

4/1, 4/8, 4/15, 4/22

## SUDOKU

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**HOW TO PLAY:**  
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