

SUDOKU

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

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

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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

HOW TO PLAY:
Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

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

NOTICE

The audit report of the Purchase Line School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025 has been filed and is available for public inspection at the office of the Superintendent of the School District.

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The audit report of the Indiana Area School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025 has been filed and is available for public inspection at the office of the Superintendent of the School District.

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MICHAEL J. SUPINKA, ESQUIRE

SUPINKA & SUPINKA, PC Letters Testamentary of the Estate of CONSTANCE EVELYN ZACK, late of the Township of Center, Indiana County, having been granted the undersigned, those having claims against said estate are required to present them duly authenticated for settlement, and those knowing themselves to be indebted are required to make prompt payment.

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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.

" E P Y P G G P V H W E B X M H G W E R Z L I F
U L S X P M L 3 6 5 U L S X R P P F . V G H E X L
S P P A P I X . " — W H I S X G R G L A U L H W Z X T

Previous Solution: "For somebody to paint an entire landscape of visual imagery with just sheets of words — that's magical." — Mos Def

TODAY'S CLUE: *W* sienber

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" R W O T L K O E R T A B Z O Y D O B I H P Z T R
R W B R Y O P W T S C X W B U O B Z O Y D O B I ,
L S R I B R W O I R W B R Y O P W T S C X W B U O B
Z O Y P T S C . " — M . F . E W O P R O I R T Z

Previous Solution: "Tomorrow is the first blank page of a 365 page book. Write a good one." — Singer Brad Paisley

TODAY'S CLUE: *r* quanels

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Sunshine Notices

NOTICE

The Tri-County Workforce Development Board (TCWDB) hereby advises all interested parties of the following public meetings for the 2026 Calendar Year. The Executive Committee meetings will be virtual and the TCWDB meetings will be hybrid at the Belmont Complex, 450 Butler Street, Kittanning, PA 156201. TCWDB hereby advises all parties wishing to participate, call (724) 282-9341, X-104 no later than 4:00 pm the day preceding the meeting in order to receive information.

Tri-County Workforce Development Board Meetings Executive Committee/WDB

Date	Meeting	Executive Meeting Time	Board Meeting Time
1/16/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
2/20/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
3/20/26	Executive Committee/TCWDB	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
4/17/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
5/15/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
6/19/26	Executive Committee/TCWDB	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
8/21/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
9/18/26	Executive Committee/TCWDB	8:00 AM	9:30 AM
11/20/26	Executive Committee	8:00 AM	N/A
12/11/26	Executive Committee/TCWDB	8:00 AM	9:30 AM

Public Notices

NOTICE

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
OF INDIANA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CIVIL DIVISION

No.: 1618-CD-2025-1

ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS, LLC
Plaintiff

v.

KENNETH R. LAWSON, KNOWN HEIR OF PAUL W. LAWSON A/K/A PAUL WESLEY LAWSON, DECEASED; PHILLIP K. LAWSON, KNOWN HEIR OF PAUL W. LAWSON A/K/A PAUL WESLEY LAWSON, DECEASED; WILLIAM M. LAWSON, KNOWN HEIR OF PAUL W. LAWSON A/K/A PAUL WESLEY LAWSON, DECEASED; UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS, ASSIGNS, AND ALL PERSONS, FIRMS OR ASSOCIATIONS CLAIMING RIGHT, TITLE, OR INTEREST FROM OR UNDER PAUL W. LAWSON A/K/A PAUL WESLEY LAWSON, DECEASED

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You are hereby notified on that on September 12, 2025, Plaintiff, ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS, LLC filed a Complaint against you in the Court of Common Pleas of INDIANA County, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 1618-CD-2025-1, wherein Plaintiff seeks to enforce its rights under its loan documents.

If you wish to defend, you must enter a written appearance personally or by attorney and file your defenses or objections in writing with the Court. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you without further notice for the relief requested by the Plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS NOTICE TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE.

INDIANA COUNTY COURT ADMINISTRATOR'S OFFICE
COURTHOUSE, 2ND FLOOR

INDIANA, PA 15701 • TELEPHONE: (724) 465-3955

BROCK & SCOTT, PLLC
Attorney for Plaintiff
(844) 856-6646

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

40	Apple	remnant	41	Nuisance	34	Perceive
42	Lake on the	California-	43	Saloon	36	Simple
4	Daddy	Nevada	44	Maker	wind	
7	Diplomacy	border	45	of fine	instrument	
11	Not at all	strict	46	violins	38	
strict	47	—	47	Made	amends	
44	Injury	mark	48	Waterway	41	
48	Propelled	49	10	Subse-	Assoc.	
50	Accusation	50	quently	43	Paved	
53	Restless	51	12	Lab	way	
54	Raja's	52	20	vessel	(Abbr.)	
54	wife	53	21	Wood	44	
54	Father or	54	22	type	Dishonor	
56	son	55	23	22	45	
56	Contend	56	24	Judged	Woody	
57	Word of	57	25	Food	stems	
57	agreement	58	26	fish	47	
58	Like a	59	27	Commotion	Held	
58	sticky	60	28	Rotating	sway	
58	bun	61	29	part	48	
59	Oklahoma	62	30	That girl	Stuff	
59	town	62	31	32	49	
60	Tableland	62	32	Dramatic	Arab	
61	Blushing	62	33	disruption	VIP	
62	—	62	34	33	51	
62	Miserables	62	Low	Some	Facet	

DOWN

1 "Sound of

Music" setting

2 Pro —

3 Inspected

4 Flat

surface

5 — of this

world

33 Low

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A	R	E	P	O	P	T	A	C	T
L	A	X	B	L	U	E	A	M	A
P	T	A	E	A	T	S	P	A	N
S	A	M	P	A	N	T	A	R	T
A	R	I	K	E	D	S	O	I	L
C	A	N	O	E	E	C	H	O	O
O	D	E	R	H	E	A	M	U	M
D	O	D	O	E	M	M	A	P	O
S	C	A	R	D	O	R	V	E	
C	H	A	R	E	U	N	E	A	S
R	A	N	I	M	A	L	E	V	I
A	M	E	N	I	C	E	D	A	D
M	E	S	A	R	E	D	L	E	S

41	Swamp	43	Race an	44	Fortune-teller's	31	Guitar
43	engine</						