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## Doughnuts, Best Friends and Bingo

by N.L. Preston

Summer officially arrives this month on Thursday, June 21. It is the longest day of this year and after its passage, fall and winter loom on the horizon. It's time for barbecues, picnics, family reunions, hot sunshine, and nights gazing upward at the starry skies. A reminder: every time Old Mr. Sun beckons you outside, don't forget your sunscreen and hat. That's because more people are diagnosed with skin cancer each year in the U.S. than all other cancers combined. In fact, one in five Americans will develop skin cancer by the age of 70. That would be me as I've had several bouts with this condition even though I am definitely not a sun bunny. Bright sunlight makes me squint and the glare gives me a headache. On the other hand, I abhor the air conditioning in restaurants. I always keep a sweater in my car for that reason. I can't enjoy eating when it's so cold I can see globs of ice in my soup. My husband, Robert, calls me picky, but after forty years he should be used to my quirks by now.

The month of June has a plethora of holidays. I love that word plethora. It means an



abundance of something. Anyway, the first Friday of June is National Doughnut Day. It started in 1938 as a fundraiser for Chicago's Salvation Army to help those in need due to the Great Depression. It also honored Salvation Army women who served doughnuts to the soldiers of World War I. Whatever its origin, I love this holiday because it gives me an excuse to indulge in my favorite treat, not that I need an excuse. Once in Vegas we visited a place where the doughnuts resembled cheeseburgers. Our eyes deceived us as we bit into them with our brains thinking meat and cheese,

but our taste buds confirming yeasty sweetness. One of the casino bingos I attend offers free doughnuts at the early sessions. With a doughnut in one hand and a coffee with Baileys and whipped cream in the other, I'm a happy camper. Some of you might say yuck, but quirky Nancy likes what she likes.

That brings me to June 8th, which is Best Friends Day. At my age, the old axiom that our best friends are our oldest friends is true in more ways than one. Some of my besties started teaching when I did back in the 60s; others I met later. The glue that holds us together is our shared memories of good times and bad. These are the ties that bind us one to the other as the years pass and we cling closer to those we love. Lastly, you might not know that June 23rd is National Columnist Day and I am one, thanks to the Bingo Bugle. Plus, June 29th is designated as Hug Holiday. Since I can't get real ones from most of my loyal readers, how about sending me cyber hugs by emailing me at [homemailbox@roadrunner.com](mailto:homemailbox@roadrunner.com)? Not as good as the real thing, but I'll feel your warmth just the same.

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# Bingo News

## Bingo De Mayo

The Sugar Grove, Illinois, Chamber of Commerce celebrated Cinco De Mayo this year by hosting its first Bingo De Mayo at Bliss Creek Golf Course. One hundred guests paid \$50 per person to play different types of Bingo during a Bingo Bash that featured themed versions of Bingo as well as classic Bingo games and Cinco Bingo, where attendees created their own Bingo cards and games. A Bingo Ball 50/50 raffle was also part of the event. Winners receive prizes donated by sponsors in addition to door prizes. Dinner featured a fajita buffet, and sangria and beer were served from a cash bar. Funds raised benefit charitable and community activities supported by the Sugar Grove Chamber of Commerce, such as new business ribbon-cuttings and such events as Holiday in the Grove, Holiday Spirit, Sugar Grove Library events, and Halloween “No Tricks Just Treats” event. Funds also go toward scholarships awarded to graduating high school seniors during the opening ceremony of the Sugar Grove Corn Boil—an annual summer festival.

## Bingo Benefits Patient Care

The Mon Health Medical Center in Morgantown, W. Virginia, held its first of two Bingo sessions at the Knights of Columbus building in Star City. The event was a fundraiser for Mon Health Medical Center Auxiliary, which directly benefits patient care and provides funds for medical supplies. Nearly 200 participants donated \$20 each to play 21 rounds of Bingo for a chance at winning a Coach brand purse or wallet as well as various door prizes. A 50/50 drawing and raffles for more prizes took place as well. Proceeds from the Bingo fundraiser benefited patient care at Mon Health Medical Center. Mon Health has a strong commitment to providing care and service to North Central West Virginia, southwestern Pennsylvania and the surrounding region and offers a wide range of specialties.

## Bingo & Burgers in Minnesota

Bingo and burgers was the theme of the day when the Lake Minnetonka Excelsior Rotary Club in Minnesota teamed with local businesses for its sixth annual Bingo & Burgers by the Bay event. For four hours on a spring Saturday Bingo numbers were called at the corner of Lake and Water Streets in downtown Excelsior. Then a local band took the stage to perform from 7-10 p.m. Bingo & Burgers by the Bay raises money for the Excelsior Lake Minnetonka Chamber of Commerce’s Fourth of July fireworks celebration. More than \$80,000 has been raised from the event since 2013.

## ...and in Alabama

Bingo and burgers was also the theme in Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama, when it hosted an outdoor community gathering this spring. The free event featured a range of activities set up on the Courthouse lawn, along with a series of Bingo games played for a chance to win donated prizes. Young Professionals of the North Baldwin Chamber of Commerce sold burgers and the Baldwin County High School Band Boosters offered drinks, popcorn and candy for sale, along with other items.



Theresa won a lucky Winners Shirt on the Bonanza at Roseville Bingo Hall.

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by Frederick Woodruff  
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## Horoscopes for June 2018

**ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20):** Fire signs like yours respond well to the approach of summer, and this solstice promises lots of exciting adventures and discoveries, especially with new friends you've met on the job front. Because you've been working harder than usual this year it's important to arrange your schedule for a lengthy time out. Time spent with others will recharge your enthusiasm to take on the rest of the year with your usual flair.  
**Lucky Days: 9 - 19**  
**Lucky Numbers: 7 - 34**

**TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21):** You have two important missions to set in motion this month. First, find a project or cause that inspires your entrepreneurial spirit. And secondly, set up a meeting with your accountant (or a good friend that is keen with numbers) and commit to putting your finances in order. You function better when money matters are under your control, offering you peace of mind and a good night's sleep.  
**Lucky Days: 14 - 23**  
**Lucky Numbers: 22 - 35**

**GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21):** The new moon on the 13th in your house of self-image lights you up like a Christmas tree. You'll be all dressed up with plenty of places to go and people to see. Instead of setting too many plates spinning this month, put your attention on a single creative endeavor that will offer maximum fulfillment with minimum effort. Don't waste any of the magic you're endowed with this summer.  
**Lucky Days: 2 - 29**  
**Lucky Numbers: 23 - 38**

**CANCER (JUN 22-JUL 22):** Commitment is the theme as Saturn continues to surprise you with new revelations about partners and loved ones. That planet's glide through your house of relationships is training you in the art of cooperation. The summer finds you reaching out to others out of both necessity and curiosity. You're determined to find out what you have to offer those closest to you, and vice versa.  
**Lucky Days: 8 - 25**  
**Lucky Numbers: 3 - 24**

**LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23):** "At the center of your being you have the answer; you know who you are and you know what you want." These words from Lao Tzu are the lion's primary drive in life: self-understanding. When Venus enters your sign on the 14th you have a new opportunity to acquaint yourself with your most secret desires. Listen to your heart, it will tell you the way forward.  
**Lucky Days: 2 - 14**  
**Lucky Numbers: 37 - 49**

**VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23):** Worrying can wear all of us down, but with your finely tuned nervous system you might find yourself stuck in a particularly gloomy rut if you don't interrupt your fretting.

Look around you. What needs your attention, your care? Use your gift for repairing and reorganizing to put things back into tip top shape. You benefit most when you use your keen mind to make the world a better place.  
**Lucky Days: 9 - 16**  
**Lucky Numbers: 39 - 57**

**LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23):** Careful planning is the keynote. Gather the facts and strategize the best way to put your financial house in order. Because you like to luxuriate more than any other sign, you might need to practice a bit of frugality and commonsense this month. But when Jupiter moves forward in July you'll feel flush again and ready to indulge in your favorite whimsies. Hold tight. Better days are right around the corner.  
**Lucky Days: 23 - 24**  
**Lucky Numbers: 30 - 39**

**SCORPIO (OCT 24-NOV 22):** You've heard the old saying: "One door closes and another opens." Well, what happens while you're waiting for that transition to occur? Take time to acquaint yourself with what you love most in life. This will allow your innate interest and enthusiasm to guide your way once that new door has cracked open. You won't be led astray.  
**Lucky Days: 18 - 19**  
**Lucky Numbers: 3 - 34**

**SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23-DEC 21):** Cultivate a new passion this month. Or consider shifting a familiar routine into a new moneymaking venture. As the author Will Durant notes: "We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit." The new moon on the 13th is a great time to rejuvenate waning passions with your partner. Rediscover what you appreciate most about them and then openly

express your ardor—a win-win for both of you.  
**Lucky Days: 9 - 12**  
**Lucky Numbers: 5 - 59**

**CAPRICORN (DEC 22-JAN 20):** Here's a private message for you from Donald Trump: "If you're going to be thinking anything, you might as well think big." This month you'll want to push beyond your cautious nature, taking the dare to jump. Start by consciously shifting your view of the horizon. Let your imagination fuel how your mind creates your goals and then commit to the plan that inspires you most.  
**Lucky Days: 7 - 29**  
**Lucky Numbers: 33 - 42**

**AQUARIUS (JAN 21-FEB 19):** Anxiety is a part of modern life for all of us, but you can choose to monitor how much input and agitation you allow into your world. Take time this month to cut back on media exposure. Limit your time on the computer or in front of the TV. Put yourself out in nature so you can become recharged with its wonder, order and sanity. Take a breath! Feel the calm.  
**Lucky Days: 2 - 24**  
**Lucky Numbers: 6 - 39**

**PISCES (FEB 20-MAR 20):** Uranus, the planet of electrifying change enters your house of the mind for a long seven-year journey. What to expect? Anything but the expected. Make way for startling revelations, radical ways of interpreting your world that will shake up many of your longtime relationships. You're like a lighting rod, pulling down inspiration from the highest of highs. Brace yourself for the thrills.  
**Lucky Days: 27 - 30**  
**Lucky Numbers: 7 - 17**

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## Dear Dream Guy

### Haircuts and the Hive Mind

Dear Dream Guy,

How much do events that happen in my daytime life influence my dreams at night? My daughter came home from school yesterday and complained that her classmates teased her about her hair because she'd recently cut her hair very short. That same night I dreamt that I had gone to my salon to get a wash and blowout but instead the stylist cut my hair extremely short. When I looked at myself in the salon's mirror I woke up with a shock. — **Deborah S., Hoboken, NJ**

Dear Deborah,

Here's a secret I'll share with each of you—after nearly 40-years of interpreting dreams: The line between waking life and dream life is very thin. The daytime story your daughter shared with you about her critique at school touched off your own story-making mechanism and how you cope with your inner critic. In real life we tell ourselves stories to

impart meaning to our lives. But when we leave out certain chunks of a story the dream weaver fills in the gaps, to create balance and perhaps offer a revelation. For a man the loss of his hair is often associated with a decrease in his virility. For a woman to radically shear her hair signifies an independence and gumption not culturally associated with the "gentler sex." Your daughter's appearance might have generated a reaction from her peers because her image is not traditionally feminine. And sharing her story with you could have touched off a new opportunity in your life. Your dream is telling you that assuming more independence might seem shocking, but it will also be liberating and empowering. — **Dream Guy**

Dear Dream Guy,

A week ago I had a short dream where I was happily cleaning my kitchen, rearranging and ordering items in my cupboards, when I discovered a large nest of ants living in the far corner of a shelf. This really bugged me (sorry) and an awful feeling stayed with me throughout the day because the

situation felt so out of my control. — **Martha L., Seattle, WA**

Dear Martha,

What is it about insects that perturb human beings so vehemently? Yes, they can often be pests, but in the dream world good and bad judgments are set aside so more instinctive truths can emerge. Crawling creatures like ants often indicate a more involved kind of plan or organization at work in our lives. In other words, hidden forces that we can't consciously see are "putting things in order in a natural way." This is how ants and other hive creatures participate with the world, with their ability to organize and structure their environment. Your dream was mirroring your real life activity of rearranging your kitchen, but also reminding you that more potent powers rule each of us. — **Dream Guy**

Send your dreams to Dream Guy at P.O. Box 527, Vashon WA 98070. Not all dreams are published.



By Guy Williams

## Is Winning to Blame for Bad Vibes at Bingo?

**Hi Guy,**

One of the best things about Bingo (aside from winning sweet, sweet jackpots!) for me is the group of guys I play with. There are seven of us in total and on any given Bingo night there are at least four of us sitting together playing Bingo and enjoying each other's company.

Occasionally it will be all seven of us there, although that's getting rarer since, surprisingly, our lives have gotten busier since retirement (grandkids, travel, etc.).

We have known each other a dozen years or more, depending on which one of us you're pointing at. We generally all live in the same neighborhood or did at one time, and a local Elks Lodge Bingo is the place we mostly get together and play. Sometimes there is a lot to talk about; sometimes we're quiet. Whatever the mood is, we enjoy sharing it.

That doesn't mean there isn't

friction. We know each other's weak spots, we bicker on occasion (especially when it comes to sports and politics), and we tend to be competitive with just about anything. But whatever the touchy topic of the moment is, we get past it and stay tight. Usually.

Which brings me to why I'm writing to you. In the past couple of months, one of the guys in our group has been on a pretty good winning streak at Bingo. Between pulltabs and jackpots he has to have won close to \$1,000—which is pretty impressive considering that this is an average charity Bingo with a good size player turnout.

When my friend has won, he's been a comic about it, flapping his winnings around and calling the rest of us "the losers circle" and such. It doesn't bother me, but it seems to have upset a couple of the other guys in our group.

At first I didn't really give much attention to it, but after several weeks you can tell that there are still bad feelings. I'm not sure if it's just a matter of this being a group of grumpy old men, if there is jealousy or hurt feelings, or if there is something else going on. We've all won at Bingo at some point and we're always happy when one of us wins. Now, one of us has won four in a row and it is a problem? I don't get it, and I hope we can fix it. Any ideas? — **Worried in New York**

**Hi Worried,**

It definitely sounds like something is up.

It's doubtful this has anything



Pat Mergens won the \$599 Even Steven at West St. Paul Bingo Palace.

to do with the winner's behavior; you guys have been friends for years, you are all competitive, and you frequently spar over sports, politics, and other subjects. Therefore, his joking about you guys being "losers" doesn't seem like it would affect anyone particularly personally or deeply.

Which leads me to the question: Is it the entire group that is upset with this guy, or is it just one or two of you and the rest are sitting back wondering what's going on?

If that's the case, this tension may not really be about the winning streak, but something that more broadly has to do with the money.

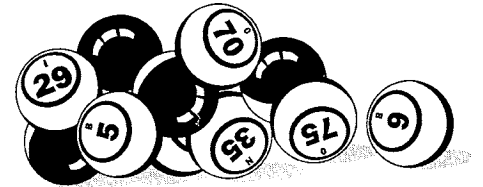
Has he borrowed money from one of the group and not paid it

back? Could someone be strapped for cash possibly have asked him for a loan after his winning streak and he declined? Did the last winner treat the group to a free Bingo night or dinner or whatever, and this guy has yet to share a single dime of his winnings?

These are, of course, all guesses, but offer you a little something to consider. In the meantime, here is another thought: Why don't you just ask one of the guys? You've been friends for years. Is it really that difficult to simply take one of them aside, explain that you've been sensing some tension, and ask what's going on?

At least that way, part of the mystery will be solved. All that will be left, then, is whether there is anything you can do to resolve the problem. — **Guy**

Hey guys! (And gals!) Write to: Guy's Turn c/o The Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or email Guy directly at [Tonder22@aol.com](mailto:Tonder22@aol.com). Be sure to include your name and address (you may request that your name not be published), as typically Guy will not include anonymous letters in his columns.



# Little Canada Market Place BINGO HALL

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Just west of 35E on Rice Street at the Market Place Shopping Center! <i>*No other coupons or discounts at these sessions</i> Little Canada Rec Association #34510					1 <b>\$10 of Extras FREE</b> in a \$35 Machine or more at 10:30 a.m. & 7:15	2 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 9:15
3* <b>1st, 2nd &amp; 3rd Chance Coverall</b> at 7:15 <b>\$5 Packs</b> at 9:15	4* <b>Customer Appreciation BINGO</b> Free Tacos and Door Prizes at 7:15	5* <b>50% OFF</b> at 10:30 & 7:15 <b>Guaranteed \$500 Bonanza</b> at 7:15	6* <b>2nd Chance Bingo</b> at 7:15	7 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 10:30, 7:15 & 9:15	8 <b>\$10 of Extras FREE</b> in a \$35 Machine or more at 10:30 a.m. & 7:15	9 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 9:15
10* <b>Stay and Play</b>	11* <b>1st, 2nd &amp; 3rd Chance Coverall</b> at 7:15	12* <b>50% OFF</b> at 10:30 & 7:15 <b>Guaranteed \$500 Bonanza</b> at 7:15	13* <b>All Games Pay \$125</b> at 7:15	14 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 10:30, 7:15 & 9:15	15 <b>\$10 of Extras FREE</b> in a \$35 Machine or more at 10:30 a.m. & 7:15	16 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 9:15
17* <b>FATHER'S DAY 50% OFF</b> at 7:15 & 9:15 <b>GIFT BASKET GIVEAWAY</b> at 7:15	18* <b>All You Can Play for \$50</b> at 7:15	19* <b>50% OFF</b> at 10:30 & 7:15 <b>Guaranteed \$500 Bonanza</b> at 7:15	20* <b>Crazy Coverall</b> at 7:15	21 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 10:30, 7:15 & 9:15	22 <b>\$10 of Extras FREE</b> in a \$35 Machine or more at 10:30 a.m. & 7:15	23* <b>50% OFF</b> at 7:15 <b>All Packs \$5</b> at 9:15
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**\$15 off Gold**  
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**\$10 OFF 11**  
 admissions all sessions on your birthday!

**Crazy Coverall Bingo: Five Games Pay \$500 Each!**  
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Mon.	7:15
Tues.	10:30 AM & 7:15
Wed.	7:15
Thurs.	10:30 AM, 7:15 & 9:15
Fri.	10:30 AM, 7:15 & 9:15
Sat.	7:15 & 9:15
Sun	7:15 & 9:15



## Bingo Hall Hero

### Dear Aunt Bingo:

There is an elderly woman who plays Bingo at a Bingo game where I volunteer. She has been coming here for years because the Bingo is a short walking distance from her home and she has known many friends here over the years.

My guess was that she was in her late 80s or maybe even older. Due to her advanced age, this past year she had really begun to struggle to play Bingo—the caller, the monitors, the paper, everything seemed to be giving her trouble.

Unintentionally, she started to disrupt the games by calling out when she didn't hear a number or had some other difficulty. This became bothersome for a growing number of players who felt,

understandably, that this lady's behavior was intruding more and more on their wish to have an enjoyable evening of Bingo.

There were a number of conversations between our manager, some workers and some players on what to do about this woman. Finally, one night I saw firsthand what had been decided: The manager met the woman at the front door, basically told her that Bingo was closed to her, and sent her on her way.

It broke my heart. All I could think was that this lady, who was probably already isolated, was losing yet another opportunity for social interaction. I ran over to the manager and asked if it was OK for me to sit with the lady and help her play. His relieved smile told me he felt just as bad about sending the lady away as I did witnessing it. He agreed to give it a try.

I ran outside and invited the lady back. Without the slightest hint of anger or hurt feelings, she thanked me, returned to the Bingo hall, bought her Bingo paper and settled into a seat. When Bingo started, I took the seat next to her and told her I'd sit with her to help with any difficulties.

It worked like a charm. At first, whenever she missed hearing a number, she would lean in and quietly ask me what it was and I'd tell her. Eventually I stopped waiting for her to ask and simply repeated each number to her as it was called. It was the only help she needed. She was quite able

to search and daub the correct numbers on her own.

There was also an unexpected side benefit to helping the woman play. I received a lot of smiles from appreciative players, a few pats on the back, and someone even brought me a soda. I couldn't get over how many people my small deed was affecting.

Now, every week, either I or another worker steps in to help this lady play. By the way, I found out her name is Elizabeth, she's 91 years old, she is a retired high school math teacher, and she bakes killer macaroons.— **WT, Ohio, via email**

### Dear WT:

Congratulations! You are my new favorite person!

Stepping in to help Elizabeth was such kind gesture. Thank heavens you were at the right place at the right time to witness this wrong of sending her away and make it right. Plus, it was so touching to see the positive effect your kindness had on so many people around you. Hopefully, they all paid it forward with good deeds of their own.

Research has shown that Bingo is great for seniors not only for socialization but also for enhancing hand-eye coordination, boosting cognitive abilities, accelerating healing and recuperation, and improving overall physical health.

Bingo sponsors would be smart to market their games to seniors for all these reasons, and to have

folks like you on hand to assist players like Elizabeth who want to play Bingo, are able to do so, but have some challenge—such as hearing the caller clearly or seeing the ball monitors—that requires minor assistance.

Again, kudos for stepping up and being a Bingo hall super hero! —**Aunt Bingo**

Share your views! Write to Aunt Bingo c/o the Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or email her at [STENGL456@aol.com](mailto:STENGL456@aol.com). Be sure to include your name and address (you can request that your name not be published), as typically she will not include anonymous letters in her columns.



Stephanie won on the Blue at Roseville Bingo Hall.

# BINGO BUGLE MONTHLY CONTEST

**The Bingo Bugle Monthly Sweepstakes!**

**WIN UP TO \$100 CASH**

— Only one entry per bingo location per month —

Please fill out this entry form **COMPLETELY** and deposit at your local Bingo hall:

Name \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_, State \_\_\_\_\_, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

At what Bingo hall did you deposit the entry form: \_\_\_\_\_

The Bingo Bugle Sweepstakes drawings are open to everyone. You may submit a facsimile of this form if none are available to you. Random drawings are held each month. Odds of winning are determined by the total number of entries received. Please — only one entry per person, per bingo location, per month. Winners will be published in the Bingo Bugle.

All contest entries must be deposited in Bingo Bugle advertiser halls (eligible halls are listed in the advertiser listing on page 3).

**Entries are limited to one entry per person, per bingo location, per month. (Example: If you visit 10 different bingo locations in one month and deposit your entry at each location, you can win up to \$100! If you visit one bingo hall per month, you can win up to \$25.) All entries must be filled out completely and include the name of the bingo location you visited. Entries that are not filled out properly, or that we cannot read due to illegible handwriting, or are considered a duplicate will be disqualified. We look forward to your entry(s) every month and appreciate your continued readership. Good Luck!**

Winners of the monthly contest will be announced each month in the Bingo Bugle. We mail checks after the 20th of each month.

If you have not received payment after six weeks, please contact us at (651) 600-9019.

## June Winners

- Pam Moeller.....\$25**, Roseville Bingo Hall
- Josephine M. Meyer.....\$25**, West St. Paul Bingo Palace
- Barbara Lawry.....\$25**, Pot O' Gold Bingo
- Bob Henrich.....\$25**, Treasure Island Casino Bingo

PLEASE READ CONTEST RULES BEFORE DEPOSITING YOUR ENTRY. WE DON'T LIKE TO DISQUALIFY ENTRIES.

## Monthly Winners to Date:

- February:** Greg Galloway, Pot O' Gold Bingo; Carol Prestidge, Buffalo American Legion; Richard Lang, Northstar Saints Bingo; Jenny Poeschl, Roseville Bingo Hall. **March:** Kim Mueller, Mystic Lake Casino; Anita Schoelar, North St. Paul VFW; Brittany Plaster, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Noel V. Ellingson, Buffalo American Legion; Norma Nelson, Marian KC Bingo. **April:** Jean Strait, Roseville Bingo Hall; Michelle Saunders, Treasure Island Bingo; Steve Rice, West St. Paul Bingo Palace; Karen Peterson, Pot O' Gold Bingo. **May:** Nancy Henry, Buffalo American Legion Bingo; Phillip Brown, Mystic Lake Casino Bingo; Jim Eddy, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Dorothy Schoeller, North St. Paul VFW Bingo.

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## ISLAND BINGO JUNE 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>FATHER'S DAY BINGO</b> Sunday, June 17, evening session Celebrate dad with a bingo! We'll be giving away two big screen TVs, Minnesota Twins tickets, and gift cards for Menards and Best Buy. All men can also receive a \$10 voucher to use toward the purchase of their bingo entry pack on Sunday, June 17. Vouchers will be available at any Island Passport Club kiosk and must be printed before purchasing your pack at Island Bingo admissions.					1 MATINEE 12:30PM <b>LUCKY 7s</b> EVENING 7:30PM	2 <b>CHEAP SEATS</b> MATINEE 12:30PM <b>SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE</b> EVENING 7:30PM
3 NO MATINEE SESSION <b>SECOND CHANCE</b> EVENING 4PM	4 MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	5 <b>TWO FOR TUESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	6 <b>50+ WEDNESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	7 MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	8 MATINEE 12:30PM <b>LUCKY 7s</b> EVENING 7:30PM	9 <b>UP TO \$550,000 BINGO SUPER SESSION 4PM</b>
10 NO MATINEE SESSION <b>SECOND CHANCE</b> EVENING 4PM	11 MATINEE 12:30PM <b>HALF PRICE NIGHT</b> EVENING 7:30PM	12 <b>TWO FOR TUESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	13 <b>50+ WEDNESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	14 MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	15 MATINEE 12:30PM <b>LUCKY 7s</b> EVENING 7:30PM	16 <b>CHEAP SEATS</b> MATINEE 12:30PM <b>SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE</b> EVENING 7:30PM
17 NO MATINEE SESSION <b>FATHER'S DAY BINGO SECOND CHANCE ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY</b> EVENING 4PM	18 MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	19 <b>TWO FOR TUESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	20 <b>50+ WEDNESDAY</b> MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	21 MATINEE 12:30PM EVENING 7:30PM	22 MATINEE 12:30PM <b>LUCKY 7s</b> EVENING 7:30PM <b>BINGO GONE WILD</b>	23 <b>CHEAP SEATS</b> MATINEE 12:30PM <b>SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE</b> EVENING 7:30PM
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**- BAR BINGO -**  
Monday 7 p.m.  
**STILLWATER BOWL**  
5862 Omaha Ave. N., Stillwater  
651-439-2444

Friday 7:15 p.m.  
**BAYPORT LEGION POST 491**  
263 N. 3rd St., Bayport  
651-439-5463

Saturday 2 p.m.  
**THE BUNGALOW**  
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651-436-5005

Kelly (651) 491-8972 Lic.#00467

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**MATINEES**  
Monday - Saturday  
Warmups 11:45 a.m.  
Regular Session 12:30 p.m.

**EVENING**  
Monday - Saturday  
Warmups 6:45 p.m.  
Regular Session 7:30 p.m.

**AFTERNOON**  
Sunday  
Warmups 3:15 p.m.  
Regular Session 4 p.m.

Bingo sessions are subject to change pending inclement weather. For up-to-date bingo information, call the bingo hotline at: 1(888)777-5668, extension #2653

**Mystic Lake Bingo**  
**MATINEES**  
Monday - Friday  
12:45 p.m. and 2:45 p.m. (Early Birds)  
Saturday and Sunday  
Early Birds 1:00 p.m.  
Warmups 1:30 p.m.  
Regular Session 2:30 p.m.

**EVENING**  
Every day  
Early Birds 7:00 p.m.  
Warmups 7:30 p.m.  
Regular Session 8:00 p.m.

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Thursday — Early birds 6:30, regular session 7:15  
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buffalo.legion@buffalolegion.com  
(763) 682-2262  
GCB License: 00917  
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Sunday 11 AM to midnight

**SUNDAY**

Buffalo American Legion (763) 682-2262  
304 10th Ave. S., Buffalo  
Matinee 2 PM\*

Little Canada Market Place (651) 483-1203  
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Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

Marian KC Hall (952) 888-1492  
1114 W. American Blvd.  
Bloomington  
Evening EB 6:30, Reg 7 PM

Pot O' Gold (651) 631-1318  
Snelling Ave. & Cty. Rd. E St. Paul  
Matinee 2 PM\*  
Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

Roseville Bingo (651) 697-1090  
2525 N. Snelling, Roseville  
Matinee 1 & 3 PM\*  
Evening 7 & 9 PM  
Late Night 11 PM

West St. Paul Bingo Palace (651) 450-9714  
1675 S. Robert St., St. Paul  
Matinee 2 PM\*  
Evening 7 PM

**MONDAY**

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2900 Rice St., Little Canada  
Evening 7:15 PM

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Bloomington  
Evening EB 6:30, Reg 7 PM

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Snelling Ave. & Cty. Rd. E St. Paul  
Early Session 10 AM\*  
Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

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Matinee 1 & 3 PM\*  
Evening 7 & 9 PM

Stillwater Bowl (651) 439-2444  
5862 Omaha Ave. N.  
Stillwater  
Evening 7 PM

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Evening 7 PM

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Little Canada Market Place (651) 483-1203  
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Early Session 10:30 AM\*  
Evening 7:15 PM

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Matinee 1:15 PM\*  
Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

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Early Session 10 AM & 12 PM\*  
Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

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3 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM  Wear Roseville's Lucky Shirt and receive \$10 OFF each session!	4 1,3,7, & 9 PM <b>Free Side with any Marchine!</b>	5* 3,7, & 9 PM <b>50% OFF* All sessions at admissions</b>	6 3,7, & 9 PM <b>Pick A 'Rose' 'Star', 'Rose' or 'Max' Two Free Sides</b>	7* 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM <b>Star or more*</b>	8 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM <b>All Nighter! Buy 7, 9 and 11 PM before 7 PM and Late Night is FREE!</b>	9 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM <b>'Star' 'Rose' or 'Max' 2 Free Sides</b>
10 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM  Wear Roseville's Lucky Shirt and receive \$10 OFF each session!	11* 1,3,7, & 9 PM <b>\$50 BUY-IN!</b>	12 3,7, & 9 PM <b>PLINKO PLINKO</b>	13 3,7, & 9 PM <b>PLINKO PLINKO</b>	14 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM <b>'Star', 'Rose' or 'Max' 2 Free Sides</b>	15 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM <b>\$20 OFF The 'MAX'</b>	16 1,3,7,9 & 11 PM  <b>Play Bingo!</b>
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- Wednesday 3, 7 & 9 p.m. €
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- Saturday 1, 3, 7, 9 & 11 p.m. €
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Early Session 10:30 AM\*  
Evening 7:15 & 9:15 PM

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(651) 777-2855  
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Evening 7 PM

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Bloomington  
Matinee EB 12:30  
Reg. 1 PM\*

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2483 E. 7th Ave. (upstairs)  
North St. Paul  
Matinee 1:30 PM\*

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## Lucky Lotto News

### Lotto Trifecta

A Waterford, Michigan, man won the state lottery three times in one day, topping off his streak with a \$325,184 prize. Mark Maltz, a 42-year-old tow company employee, stopped at a gas station to fill up one of the company trucks. While inside the station, he purchased a scratch-off ticket and won \$10. He then decided to buy a Fast Cash ticket that won him \$15. Pressing his luck further, he purchased a \$5 Fast Cash Black Jack ticket and a \$10 Jackpot Slots Fast Cash ticket. The Jackpot Slots Fast Cash ticket matched three like symbols on one of the 15 spins, netting him the progressive jackpot. At press time, Maltz was still trying to decide how to spend his winnings. "I'm going to sit on this for a little while and decide how to best invest it and make it last me a long time," he said.

### Eighteen-year-old is a Gagnant à Vie

To celebrate her 18th birthday, Charlie Lagarde bought a bottle of sparkling wine and a \$4 Loto-Québec scratch lottery ticket at a nearby convenience store in Quebec, Canada. After buying her first lottery ticket, Lagarde won the grand prize in the Gagnant à Vie (Winner for Life) game. Her first major decision as an adult? Whether she wanted the \$1

million lump sum (US \$773,800) or \$1,000 per week (US \$773.80) for the rest of her life. Lagarde consulted with a financial adviser and decided that, based on her age, she would take the tax-free lifetime annuity, which lottery officials said is the equivalent of a \$100,000 annual salary before taxes. The teen said she intends to invest in her education as well as do some traveling.

### Good Deed Pays Off

A Lincoln County, Kansas, man is \$1 million richer, thanks to a Salina, Kansas, gas station employee. The lottery winner's brother accidentally dropped the winning ticket at a gas station over the weekend, before the numbers were checked. The winner, who chose to remain anonymous, told lottery officials he was rushing to go watch a basketball game when he decided to stop for gas. "My brother went in to check my tickets. He apparently dropped the unsigned Mega Millions ticket, and then we left to go back home," the winner explained. The Lottery said the clerk's reaction upon finding the ticket: Call the store's owner to see if they could return it. "We went out and ran another errand. As we passed the store, the owner's son pulled out behind us and flagged us down. He explained what happened and handed me the ticket, and I just couldn't believe it," the winner explained.

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## Albertville, MN

**Albertville Friendly City Days**, June 6-10. Join the town of Albertville as they celebrate their 31st Annual Albertville Friendly City Days! Grande Parade, Kid's Parade, carnival, Live music, food, softball, soccer, bean bag tournaments, City Wide garage sale, Bed Race, 5K Run & Race, Craft & Vendor fair, fireworks. Bingo on Sat., June 9, 7:00 p.m. at St. Alberts Parish Center; and FYCC Book Bingo on Sat. June 9, 1:00 p.m. at Central Park Lions Shelter.

## Atwater, MN

**Atwater Festival Days!** June 13-17. Join the city of Atwater for their annual Atwater Festival Days! Kiddie Parade, turtle races, street dance, grand parade, BINGO and much more! For info call (320) 974-8760.

## Avon, MN

**Spunktacular Days** June 15-16. Medallion hunt, live music, craft fair, bike ride, 5K and 1K, youth baseball tournament, kids' fishing tournament, turtle races, inflatable games, petting zoo, pony rides, clown, bingo, tractor pedal pull, parade, food and beer garden, fireworks, more. Lions Park, Avon.

## Barnum, MN

**Spring Fever Days!** June 7-10. Spring Fever Days is an annual event held the second weekend in June. Bingo, Miss Barnum Pageant, Lady Bomber Fast break 5K/10K, Annual Spring Fever Steak Fry, Meat Raffle, Live Band, Beer Garden, Pancake Breakfast, Fishing contest, Car Show, Spring Fever Days Parade, Local Craft/ Vendor/Small Business Event, Live Music with Bar Stool Revelers, Port City Limit and Buckwild.

## Brooklyn Park, MN

**Tater Daze Festival**, June 14-16. Parade, spud run and tiny run, live music, local vendors, bingo, kids activities, inflatables, beer and wine garden, food and much more. Brooklyn Park Community Activity Center, 5600 85th Ave. N., Brooklyn Park.

## Cyrus, MN

**Cyrus Days Kick off to Summer!** June 1-3. A full weekend of activities for the whole family. Color Fun Run, Fireworks, Waffles, School of Fish Food and craft vendors, Fun Zone with

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## Farmington, MN

**Art Fair and Business Expo**, June 12-16. Bean bag tournament, bed race, bingo, car cruise, marketplace, dew run, food eating contest, kiddie parade, kid's fishing contest, medallion hunt, softball tournament, rib cookoff, great food and much more!

## Fergus Falls, MN

**American Legion Post #30 Bingo**, June 1 & 9, 6:30-8:00 p.m. 2010 S. Pebble Lake Road.

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## Oakdale, MN

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Trina won on the Blue for a Winners Shirt and \$700 at Roseville Bingo Hall.

## Rochester, MN

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## Sauk Centre, MN

**Bingo** at American Legion Post 67 in Sauk Centre, June 10 at 6:30 p.m. For info call (320) 352-9931.

## South St. Paul, MN

**Bingo at Kaposia Days!** June 23. Grande Parade, Food Court, Craft & Flea Market, Cornhole- Bean Bag Tournament, Classic Car show, Softball Tournament, Street Dance, Boat Parade, Medallion Hunt, Water Balloon-Dodgeball, Fireworks. Bingo will be held Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 5th Ave. S. & Marie Ave., South St. Paul.

## Puzzle Solutions

### Bugle Crossword

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R	H	E	T	E	I	N	E	O	U	N	C
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T	S	T	R	A	P	M	I	N	G	L	E
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### Bugle Sudoku

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

### Jumblers

Jumbles: CROWN HONEY LONELY KITTEN  
Answer: He wanted to wear his favorite pair of golf socks, but he had a — HOLE IN ONE

## St. Bonifacius, MN

**Spass-Tagen Fun Days!** June 21-23. Kid's Parade, Face Painting, Wiener Dog Races, Food and Market vendors, Beer Tent, Magic Show, Pony rides, Helicopter rides, bean bag tournament, City Wide garage sale, 5K Color Run, Silent Auction, Live music and BINGO from 12:00-7:00 p.m. on June 21. For info call (612) 716-5491 or (612) 419-5932. County Rd 92 & Wildwood Ave. & Old Minnesota 7, St Bonifacius.

## St. Joseph, MN

**Beer + Bingo!** June 16, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Join us for a morning of Beer (cider) & Bingo! Bingo prizes include Young Living products (there are some in there specifically for guys as well). RSVP by June 9, space is limited! 11738 County Road 51, St. Joseph.

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## Mystic Lake Casino Hotel

Live from the Mystic Showroom

**June 21 - Jill Scott** (singer/songwriter/actress), 8 PM

**June 24 - Michael Carbonaro Live** (magician), 8 PM

**July 1 - Yanni** (World Tour), 8 PM

**July 5 - Melissa Etheridge**, 8 PM

**July 21 - Trevor Noah** (comedian), 8 PM

**Oct. 11 - The Avett Brothers** (folk-rock/roots band), 8 PM

Live from the Mystic Amphitheater

**June 1 - Barenaked Ladies** with Better Than Ezra and KT Tunstall, 7 PM

**June 30 - Kesha Rainbow Tour 2018**, 8 PM

**July 3 - Pit Bull**, 8 PM

**Aug. 11 - Reba McEntire** (country), 8 PM

**Sept. 7 - O.A.R. Just Like Paradise Tour** (with guest Matt Nathanson), 6:30 PM

**Sept. 16 - Counting Crows** (with guest \*Live\*: 25 Years and Counting), 7:15 PM

Box office: 952-496-6563, 952-445-9000 for Casino information

## Treasure Island Resort & Casino

Live from the Island Events Center

**June 2 - Chris Tucker** (comedian), 8 PM

**July 7 - Russell Peters**, 7 PM

**July 21 - Jerry Lee Lewis** (rock 'n' roll legend), 8 PM

**July 23 - Nelly** (age 17+), 8 PM

Live from the Treasure Island Amphitheater

**June 29 - John Fogerty / ZZ Top Blues & Bayous Tour**, 7 PM

**July 2 - Island Rock Party with Vince Neil**, 5 PM

**July 22 - Nickelback**, 7 PM

**Aug. 10 - Martin & Martin** (Steve Martin and Martin Short), 8 PM

**Aug. 11 - Kid Rock** with special guest Uncle Kracker, 8 PM

**Aug. 31 - Lady Antebellum and Darius Rucker** with special guest Russell Dickerson, 7 PM

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## Black Bear Casino

Live from the Otter Creek Events Center

**June 9 - Terry Fator** (ventriloquist and comedian), 7 PM

**July 14 - Scott McCreery** (country), 7 PM

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Live from the North Star Hall

**June 2 - Northstar Combat Night of Champions** (MMA), 7 PM

**June 15 & 16 - Rock The Nights at Northern Lights** (seven tribute bands at outdoor tent event, one ticket good for two nights), 6 PM

**July 14 - Kickin' It Old School 4** (outdoor tent event), 6 PM

**Aug. 3 - The Oakridge Boys** (outdoor tent event), 7 PM

**Aug. 24 - Cheech & Chong**, 7 PM

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Live from the Events Center

**June 8 - Terry Fator** (ventriloquist / comedian), 8 PM

**June 22 - Michael Carbonaro** (magician), 8 PM

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## Poker Talk



### An Early Fold is Sometimes the Best Move

By Jonathan Little

Sometimes it just doesn't make sense to pay to see a flop, particularly when you see aggression from a normally passive opponent.

In a \$3/\$5 no-limit hold 'em cash game, a tight, straightforward player with a chip stack of \$300 limped from first position. Everyone folded around to our Hero, who raised to \$35 from the button with Ah Qd.

I am fine with Hero's raise, especially if he thinks the limper is unlikely to slow-play a premium hand in an attempt to trap. Raising frequently results in the opponent either just calling or folding with an inferior hand, allowing Hero to extract significant value with what is often the best hand at the moment.

But neither of those things happened this time. The blinds folded, and the initial limper reraised to \$100. Hero called.

When facing a limp/reraise, Hero should fold all but the most premium hands unless he is confident that his opponent is the sort of player who will occasionally get way out of line with his betting. Even if Hero thinks his opponent might be semi-bluffing with, say, Ah 5h or Jd 10d, Hero should still fold.

Based on track record, it's likely that this opponent was the type of

player who would be happy to win a small pot with his best hands because he is deathly afraid of getting outdrawn. Do not fall in love with your hand just because it is fairly strong and you are getting decent pot odds while in position. If your opponent's range consists of only A-A, K-K and Q-Q, folding is the only play that makes sense.

If instead of being tight and straightforward, the opponent was loose, active and maniacal, Hero should have gone all in, ideally making the opponent fold any hand that would win less than 50 percent of the time against A-Q.

The flop came Js 10d 6c. Hero's opponent pushed all in, betting his remaining \$200.

While a gutshot straight draw with overcards is normally a decent hand (because it has roughly 10 outs against top pair), it is far from an ideal hand in this situation.

Hero will lose to all big pairs, as well as A-K and A-J. The only semi-realistic hand that he is ahead of is K-Q, and almost no one limp/reraises K-Q. Instead of having 10 somewhat live outs, Hero most likely has only four or seven outs, since his hand is likely to be dominated in some way.

This should have been an easy fold for Hero, given that he was getting only 2-to-1 pot odds. He needs to win 33 percent of the time for a call to make sense, and unless the opponent is a lunatic, Hero will only win in this spot about 25 percent of the time.

Hero called. His opponent showed Ks Kd. The turn and river blanked, and Hero lost a huge hand.

Against a player who had shown conservative tendencies earlier in the game, folding before the flop would have avoided what proved to be a costly mistake.

Jonathan Little is a professional poker player and coach with more than \$6 million in live tournament earnings. He is also the author of numerous best-selling poker books, including his recent ebook, "The Main Event With Jonathan Little." For more information on Jonathan, check out [JonathanLittlePoker.com](http://JonathanLittlePoker.com), and follow him on Twitter: [@JonathanLittle](https://twitter.com/JonathanLittle).

## What's New in Nevada

### The Fate of SLS Las Vegas

Alex Meruelo, a Reno-based entrepreneur says he will invest up to \$100 million to try to bring back to life the flagging SLS Las Vegas. Reports from his group say that Meruelo will "make the property profitable by investing in the upgrades and redesign." There are rumors that he may revive the old "Sahara" name, which is currently owned by another company.

### Chinese New Year Boost

Records keepers say that because the Chinese New Year fell in February this year and not in January, for two months in a row Nevada's statewide gaming win was over the billion-dollar mark. Amid all of this, sportsbooks continue to be the big winners. For a four-year period, success in that sector has been on the upswing on a month-to-month basis.

### Nye County On A Roll

Nye County, Nevada—a large county to the north and west of Las Vegas (it's largest city is Pahrump)—seems to be riding a hot streak as far as gaming revenues are concerned. The numbers have been on a general upswing since last summer. As this year began, gaming wins rose by 1.85 percent over the same time last year.

### Small Bet, Big Money

Local media in Las Vegas recently reported that a woman placed a \$3.75 bet on a slot machine at the Orleans Hotel and Casino and won a jackpot valued at \$620,000. The payoff came in the middle of the night on a machine called Aristocrat's Buffalo Grand. The lucky winner was a "local," but her identity was not announced.



## Seven Playing Tips

Here are seven tips to help you play smarter in the casino.

(1) Since the casino has the mathematical edge on all bets, it's best to play games s-l-o-w-l-y to reduce the total amount of money wagered. You can do this at blackjack by playing on full tables rather than alone against the dealer (fewer hands played per hour). At craps, use the Five Count method of play (eliminates about half the shooters). When playing mini-baccarat, wait for a player to win on the bank hand before wagering. At slots, pause briefly between each spin and take frequent breaks. The slower you play, the less you expose your bankroll to the house edge.

(2) Never play a progressive slot machine with less than max coins wagered. The only reason to play

a progressive slot machine is to chase the big jackpot. If you aren't going to play maximum coins, then you should play a different slot machine. Otherwise, you might be in a state of shock if you hit the jackpot symbols on a progressive machine and instead of winning the 6 or 7 figure jackpot, you end up winning hundreds or thousands instead. Likewise, you should always play max coins on a buy-a-pay machine where the jackpot symbols are only activated with the third coin played.

(3) You can always tell if a video poker machine is worth playing by looking at the payoff schedule on the machine. For example, for a jacks-or-better (draw poker) game, ideally the single coin payoff for the full house and flush should be 9/6 respectively (these machines return 99.54% with perfect play). Every decrease by one in either the full house or flush single coin payoff decreases the return by roughly 1.1%. So an 8/6 pay schedule would return only 97.3%. Be smart and check the pay schedules before you play.

(4) You are playing blackjack and you have a 16 against a dealer upcard of 10. You say under your breath, "Ahh, shoot," but you've still got to make a play. But what's best, to stand or hit? Depends. If the casino offers surrender, then surrender is your best play. If surrender is not available then you are slightly better off hitting rather than standing. One exception: If your 16 is made up of 3 (or more) cards, then standing is the better play.

(5) Many novice craps players like to wager on the Big 6 and 8.

The rules for winning are simple. If you bet on the Big 6, you win if 6 is rolled and lose if instead a 7 is rolled (same rules for Big 8). You can make the same bet in craps that pays more! Where? Make a Place bet on 6 or 8. A winning 6 or 8 Place bet pays 7-6, whereas a winning Big 6 or 8 bet pays only 1-1 (or even money).

(6) There are two ways to lower the house edge against you at roulette. The first way is to play roulette on wheels that have only a single 0 number as opposed to the single and double zero. The second way is to play roulette where the rules specify that if the ball lands on zero or double zero the player loses only half his wager on any even-money wager (e.g., odd/even; red/black/ or high/low). The house edge is reduced about 50% in both cases, which in the long run will save you a considerable amount of money.

(7) Blackjack players will gladly accept the casino's offer for "even money" when they have a blackjack and the dealer shows an ace. That's because they figure the even money payout is a sure thing especially if the dealer winds up with blackjack. However, accepting even money is a big mistake. In the long run you will earn slightly more than even money when you decline the even money proposition. Play smart and never take even money.

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**ACROSS**

- 1 Quads with wheels
- 5 Perry of pop
- 9 Two-iron, before golf club numbering
- 14 Orator's prowess: Abbr.
- 15 Der Spiegel article
- 16 Modicum
- 17 What Fey does in a mushy moment?
- 19 Forward
- 20 Sandal feature
- 21 Work the room
- 23 Long time
- 24 Ornamental ducks?
- 28 Blanket in a belt
- 30 Beefcake subjects
- 31 One given at a wedding
- 32 Polo of "The Fosters"
- 33 Provençal possessive
- 34 1974 #1 country hit for Dolly Parton
- 36 Model high schoolers?
- 39 \_\_\_ Pie
- 42 Slowing, on scores: Abbr.
- 43 Sacha Baron Cohen alter ego
- 47 Home office, maybe
- 48 Quite cold
- 50 Number on a clapperboard
- 51 Park statue that might have the real things perched on it?
- 55 Sylvan Tolkien creature
- 56 Airport snags
- 57 Dreaded
- 59 Hit lightly
- 60 "No, No, Nanette" song, and a homophonic hint to 17-, 24-, 36- and 51-Across
- 63 Sudden jerk
- 64 Way off the highway
- 65 Der Spiegel rejection
- 66 Second chances
- 67 "\_\_\_ arigato": Japanese "thank you very much"
- 68 Where el sol rises

**DOWN**

- 1 "Draw me" challenge
- 2 Selective words
- 3 Avenue next to Monopoly's Water Works
- 4 Headliner
- 5 \_\_\_ straight face
- 6 Come down with a bug
- 7 Big blowup cause
- 8 Sycophants
- 9 Has faith in
- 10 Sudden movement
- 11 Subjugate
- 12 Command level
- 13 Exam marking aid
- 18 GQ or SI
- 22 HP product
- 25 South Korea's first president
- 26 Cleaning aid
- 27 Baltic Sea country: Abbr.
- 29 Airport connection
- 33 Joe Cool, sans shades
- 35 Exam for a would-be atty.
- 37 Surgical installations
- 38 The Emerald Isle
- 39 Text tweakers, briefly
- 40 Appointment
- 41 Patella protector
- 44 Ophelia's avenger
- 45 "Aha!"
- 46 Finish
- 49 Being handled by a broker
- 52 What Spanish Olympians go for
- 53 Heading for
- 54 Con beginning
- 58 Former Education secretary Duncan
- 59 Original D&D co.
- 61 Outer: Pref.
- 62 Intent

### BUGLE SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
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### JUMBLE

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

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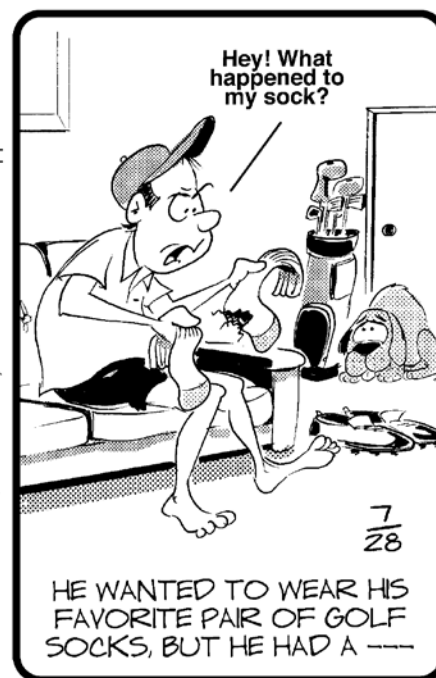
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### THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



HE WANTED TO WEAR HIS FAVORITE PAIR OF GOLF SOCKS, BUT HE HAD A ---

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



by Annie E. Ennis

## Kitchen Aid

**Dear Annie,**

Please help me! My sister-in-law and mother-in-law are coming for a visit this summer. The last time they were here, my kitchen and my cooking was a disaster. Please help me! I want to change their impression of me. Please help me! — **Desperate and Nameless**

**Dear Desperate and Nameless,**

I have selected several very good recipes that I am sure will impress your in-laws. If possible, try each recipe at least once before they come for their visit. The chicken recipe should be grilled. Hopefully the weather in your area will be okay for barbecuing. Good luck! — **Annie**

### SHRIMP QUICHE

- 1 pound fresh or frozen shrimp, peeled and deveined
- ½ can beer
- 2 tablespoons Old Bay Seasoning (crab & shrimp boil)
- 1 unbaked pie shell (9 inch)
- 3 eggs
- 1 cup half and half cream
- 1 cup grated Swiss cheese
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper

- ¾ cup chopped onion
- 4 tablespoons butter

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Bring one quart of water, ½ can beer and Old Bay Seasoning to a boil, add the shrimp and boil for approximately 5 minutes or until the shrimp are pink; drain the shrimp. In a large bowl, mix the eggs, cream, cheese, salt and pepper. Mix well. Sauté onion in butter until soft. Add the onions to the egg mixture along with the shrimp. Reserve some shrimp for garnish. Pour into the pie shell and bake for 40 to 45 minutes. Serves 6.

### CHICKEN ALA ANNIE

- 2 chicken fryers, cut-up (approximately 3 pounds each)
- 1 ½ cups soy sauce
- ½ cup honey
- 2 large garlic cloves, minced
- 2 cans (8 ounces) crushed pineapple
- Wild rice or rice pilaf for 4

Mix the soy sauce, honey, minced garlic and pineapple in a covered dish large enough for the chicken. Add the chicken pieces and marinate overnight. Remove from the refrigerator at least one hour before cooking. Grill the chicken for 35 to 45 minutes or until well done. Serve with the wild rice or rice pilaf. Serves 8.

Your comments and questions about cooking and entertaining will be addressed in this monthly column. Write to "Ask Annie" c/o Annie Ennis, 8312 SE 168th Trinity Place, The Villages, FL 32162. So Ask Annie. Don't forget you can E-mail me at [aennis@thevillages.net](mailto:aennis@thevillages.net). And let's get cooking.



## Vets Helping Vets

If you're a veteran and you're doing OK, consider stepping up to help other veterans who aren't. There are quite a few ways you can help. Here are some ideas to get you started:

- Do a fundraiser to send a few veterans on vacation. There are a number of resorts where vets and their families can stay for free, but the airfare to get there isn't covered.
- Take over the yardwork this summer for a disabled veteran. Ask if anything else is needed. Paint the porch? Lay a new kitchen floor? Gather other veterans with skills to do that, and get it done.

- Don't leave the kids out. If one needs new soccer cleats or rides to practice, ask the parents if you can make that happen.
- At the next local job fair, see if your company can set up a booth dedicated to veterans.
- Volunteer at a few Stand Downs in your area. Same goes for any local veterans wheelchair, adaptive sports or senior games.
- Start now to collect toys for children of veterans for the holiday season. Then take a veteran's family under your wing and have your company or church group sponsor them with food and gifts.
- Can you drive a vet getting treatment to the nearest veterans medical center? Call Volunteer Services at the center and ask if you can help.

If you're not in a veterans group such as American Legion or Veterans of Foreign Wars because there's no group near you, go online and search "veterans helping veterans." You'll find something you can do by yourself or with a few other veteran buddies.

## "SAVVY SENIOR"

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## 10 Ways Seniors Can Avoid Identity Theft

**Dear Savvy Senior,**

What can seniors do to protect themselves from identity theft? My brother-in-law, who's 77, recently had his identity stolen and I want to make sure it doesn't happen to me. — **Worried Relative**

**Dear Worried,**

Great question! Each year around 17 million people fall victim to identity theft, which happens when someone gets access to your Social Security number, bank or credit card account number, or other identifying information and uses it to steal from you. Here are some free steps you can take to reduce your risks.

**Guard your personal information:** Never give your Social Security number, credit card number, checking or savings account numbers to anyone unless you initiate the contact. Also, do not carry your Social Security card around in your wallet or purse, and don't carry around your Medicare card either unless you're going to the doctor.

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**Use strong passwords:** To safeguard your personal data on your smartphone or tablet don't use a password that's easy to hack, like 1234 or 0000. Also, make your computer passwords more than 8 characters long, with uppercase and lowercase letters, numbers, and symbols like # and %, and use different passwords on different accounts. If it's hard to remember them, try a password manager service like [dashlane.com](http://dashlane.com), [truekey.com](http://truekey.com) or [lastpass.com](http://lastpass.com).

**Be wary of unknown emails:** Never click on links in emails from strangers, or those that claim to be from the Social Security Administration, IRS or other government agencies, or from your bank, phone or credit card company warning of a "problem." This can result in identity-stealing malware being installed on your computer. To protect your computer from malware, install antivirus software (see [avg.com](http://avg.com) and [avast.com](http://avast.com) for free options) and set up automatic security updates and full weekly scans.

**Secure your mail:** Empty your home mailbox quickly or buy a

locked mailbox to deter thieves. And mail outgoing payments from a U.S. Postal Service mailbox or the post office, not from your more vulnerable home mailbox.

**Get safer credit cards:** If you don't already have one, get an EMV chip credit card from your credit card provider. They're much more difficult for fraudsters to hack than magnetic strip cards.

**Shred unneeded documents:** Buy a crosscut paper shredder so you can shred all unneeded records, receipts, statements, preapproved credit offers or other papers you throw out that has your financial or personal information.

**Monitor your accounts:** Review your monthly bank and credit card statements carefully, and see if your bank or credit card issuer offers free alerts that will warn you of suspicious activity as soon as it's detected.

If they do, sign up for them or use [eversafe.com](http://eversafe.com), which will do it for you for a small fee.

**Watch your credit:** Check your credit report at [annualcreditreport.com](http://annualcreditreport.com) or call 877-322-8228. You can receive one free report a year from each of the three major credit bureaus (Equifax, Experian and TransUnion), so consider staggering your request so you can get one free copy every four months.

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Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit [SavvySenior.org](http://SavvySenior.org). Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of The Savvy Senior book.

### top ten

#### Oldest Snack Foods\*

1. Pretzels
2. Popcorn
3. Triscuits
4. Oreo cookies
5. Cracker Jack
6. Lay's Potato Chips
7. Fritos
8. Twinkies
9. Jell-O
10. Marshmallows

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