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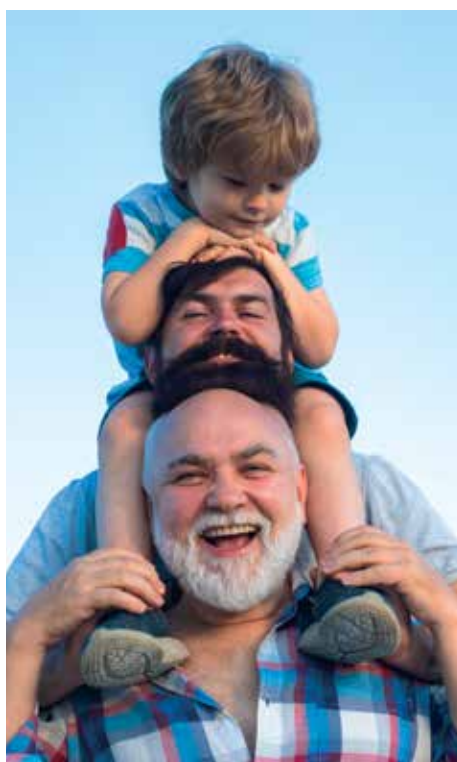
Summersgiving

“Dads are ordinary men turned by love into heroes, storytellers, protectors, and lifelong friends.” — Myriad daughters and sons

by N.L. Preston

There's so much to talk about this month, I don't know where to begin. Father's Day, inclusive of step-fathers and foster fathers, is June 18th so let's start there. My dad was a self-taught jack of all trades, not going beyond the 4th grade in school. However, that didn't stop him from succeeding in life; raising a family of college graduates, and being the neighborhood go-to-guy for help in plowing driveways, fixing furnaces, air conditioners, and everything else that needed fixin' as he said. He survived a debilitating stroke and was on his way to recovery when a teenage driver speeding on a rural road went left of center and ended my father's life. I share this not to depress or upset my readers, but as a gentle hint to love and hug your loved ones as often as possible. Life is unpredictable and any day may be the last day for any one of us.

On a happier note, June 3rd is National Doughnut Day. This holiest of confection holidays is held on the first Friday in June, or maybe November 5, depending on which list is consulted. My hubby and I solve this by eating doughnuts on both days. Romans, Greeks, and Native Ameri-



cans also prepared these sweet treats, but their doughnuts as well as others down through the years, did not have the center hole. Without the hole, the doughnuts did not heat or cook evenly so nuts and fruit were stuffed inside. That changed around 1850 when Hanson Gregory changed doughnuts forever by cutting a hole in the center of his doughnuts, thus allowing them to cook evenly. Whether true or not, Robert and I thank Mr. Gregory, Dunkin' Doughnuts, Jolly Rogers, and etc. for making us fatter. We accept no blame.

Moving on, June 21 is the first day of summer and that does not bode well for the chubby body of yours truly. Nope, my body is not bikini ready in the least and I will let it go at that. My husband loves summer; the hotter and higher the temperature, the better. He soaks in heat like a sponge and loves being outside. I sprawl on our couch, turn the air conditioner down, suck on ice cubes, and curse the sweat pouring down my brow. Robert is a porch sitter while I sit inside imagining I am in a climate-controlled casino, or in a bingo hall. Much better in my estimation.

That brings me to a relatively new celebration, Summersgiving. Several years ago, Robert Solomon decided to throw a BBQ to celebrate summer. Loving Thanksgiving food, Mr. Solomon combined his barbecue with November foods and came up with Summersgiving. His friends ate turkey, drank cranberry martinis, and gobbled down November food along with summer BBQ favorites. In 2019 the Registrar at National Day Calendar proclaimed Summersgiving to be observed annually on the Saturday after the Summer Solstice, June 24 this year.

Final note, June 23 is Let It Go Day so let go of your mental baggage, grudges, and quarrels. You'll feel better, but the song "Let It Go" from Frozen will be an earworm stuck in your head for weeks.

Gaming News

Japan to approve Osaka casino

Japan Times recently reported that the government is set to approve a plan by Osaka Prefecture and the city of Osaka to open what will be Japan's first casino resort in 2029, government sources said. Local governments like the idea of attracting tourists to a so-called integrated resort, or IR, comprised of a large hotel, conference rooms and gambling areas. The Osaka prefectural and city governments aim to open the facility between the fall and winter of 2029 on the artificial island of Yumeshima in Osaka Bay, the sources said. The resort, involving a partnership between MGM Resorts International of the United States and Japan's Orix, is expected to attract around 20 million visitors annually and bring ¥1.14 trillion (\$8.5 billion) in annual economic benefits to the western Japan region centering on the prefecture.

Cowlitz break tie with Mohegans

The Columbian reported that the Cowlitz Indian Tribe announced it will end its six-year relationship with the Connecticut-based Mohegan Tribe, which oversees operations of its highly profitable ilani casino in Ridgefield, Washington. In a statement on the Cowlitz Indian Tribe's website, Chairwoman Patty Kinswa-Gaiser said: "After careful consideration, the Cowlitz Tribal Gaming Authority has recommended, and the Cowlitz Tribal Council has approved, a decision to begin a multi-step process of transitioning ilani from an enterprise managed by the Mohegan Tribe to a self-managed enterprise." In the statement, Kinswa-Gaiser said tribal leadership has the deepest gratitude to the Mohegan Tribe for its guidance and partnership during the formative years of the casino. According to Kinswa-Gaiser, operations at ilani will not change, adding the Mohegan Tribe has committed to continuing to provide its management service for the next 15 months.



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Bingo News

Bingo Q&A

With a shortage of fun Bingo news this month (just the same story over and over about a raid of Alabama Bingo halls!) we decided to reach into the mailbag and answer some recent questions we’ve received about Bingo.

Q. What is the average age of bingo players?

A. According to Casino.com the age range is 18 to 84, for an average age of 38-years-old.

Q. How much does a bingo caller make in the U.S.?

A. According to Wage.com the average bingo Caller salary in the United States is \$27,482 as of February 27, 2023, but the range typically falls between \$24,091 and \$34,346.

Q. What number is “dirty knees”?

A. The number 33 is called dirty knees

in some places; also: all the threes, and fish, chips and peas (clearly in the U.K. for that one).

Q. Who plays the most bingo, men or women, and where did it come from?

A. According to a recent survey as many men (43%) play Bingo as women (57%); however, women play the game more often. It originated in Italy in 1530 as a game called, “Le Lotto.”

Q. What is the best online Bingo?

A. While we feel a little wary of the computer versions of our beloved real-world bingo, but the reality is Bingo is fun no matter where you play it! The top hall we found online, according to various lists, was Cyber Bingo (but note that online content is often sponsored!). If you have a favorite online bingo or bingo app you like to play, drop us a line at tara@bingobugle.com or Frontier Publications, P.O. Box 527, Vashon WA 98070 and tell us what you like about the game/s.

Lucky Lotto News

Gift to teen is a big winner

Do you ever give someone a simple scratch-off lottery ticket as a gift and cross your fingers that they get lucky enough to win even five dollars? Well, one 18-year-old’s grandmother was probably just as shocked as he was after he hit it big on the ticket that she gifted him for his birthday. According to the California Lottery, Kaleb Heng, from Northern California, won \$1 million on a California Lottery scratcher (notably titled, The Perfect Gift!) that his grandmother bought him as a birthday present for the first day he was legally allowed to play the lottery. His grandmother purchased the winning lottery ticket at a market near Modesto, California. “I’m pretty stoked!” Heng said before explaining exactly where he was when he discovered he had just become a millionaire. “My mom was driving me to go fishing, and on the way, I scratched it. We had to pull over. It was a million dollars, and I didn’t even have an ID yet!” the 18-year-old explained. “We turned around and went home because I had to get an ID before I could even claim the ticket.” Heng told the California Lottery that he plans on using the million dollars to go to college and make investments for his future.

Florida mom wins big

A Florida mom who dipped into her life savings to help support her daughter through cancer treatment recently got a big payday. After buying a ticket at a local store in Lakeland, Geraldine Gimblet won a \$2 million prize, the Florida Lottery announced. What made it even more special? She bought it shortly after her daughter completed her last cancer treatment. “The day before my mom bought this ticket, I rang the bell and walked out of the hospital after completing my last treatment for breast cancer,” her daughter, who was in tears when she spoke to lottery officials, said. Gimblet’s daughter was emotional as she shared why her mother was so deserving. “My mom had taken out her life savings to take care of me when I was sick,” she said, adding that she’s “just so happy for her!” Gimblet purchased the winning scratch-off ticket from Pipkin Road Beverage Castle and said that it was the last crossword game they had that day. “At first the gas station clerk thought there were no tickets left, but I asked him to double check because I like the crossword games the best,” she told lottery officials. “He found the last one!” Gimblet chose the one-time payment of \$1,645,000 for her prize.



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by Guy Williams

Electronics: yes or no go?

Hi Guy,
I am curious about your opinion on electronic handheld Bingo machines. When the first technology arrived at Bingo—which got rid of hardboards and brought in paper Bingo—I was all for it. The hardboards with chips or sliding windows were dirty and the old way of calling numbers had a lot of us questioning fairness. With the digital age and computer verifying, I and most other Bingo players are much happier daubing our paper and having a computerized system keeping things running smoothly. But as far as the handheld machines go, I am not a fan. Don't get me wrong...I think they are 100% fair and reliable. I just find them dull. You don't even need to follow the numbers. The machine will beep and tell you if you win. What fun is that? The one "unfair" part is that with the machine doing the tracking, a player can sit there sipping his coffee and playing with his smartphone while the machine plays more cards than is humanly possible. I understand that the player paid to get all those cards, but

it just doesn't seem fun to me to even go to Bingo if you are barely going to participate. It's weird. — *Ralph W., via email*

Hi Ralph,
It seems to me that it's just a matter of personal preference: Some folks love to track the numbers, watch the board, the monitor and the caller, and dab their daubers. Others don't really care about the "action," and for that group handhelds have been a godsend. My feeling is that whatever keeps people coming to Bingo is good for Bingo. Technological advances, better food, better lighting, more comfortable chairs—it all bodes well for the future of our favorite game. Another important plus for handhelds—they have allowed some people who had to give up Bingo—because they couldn't keep up the pace or had some physical issue that prevented them from playing—to return to the hall. My neighbor is arthritic in both hands and simply could not daub her Bingo paper without pain. When a nearby K of C introduced electronic Bingo machines she was one of the first ones in line and was positively giddy that technology had come to her rescue and brought Bingo back into her life. — *Guy*

Readers: What is your opinion of handheld Bingo machines? Do you love 'em or hate 'em? And why? — *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 tara@bingo-bugle.com.

living facility for your dad, here are some steps to follow.

Make a list: There are several sources you can turn to for referrals to top assisted living communities in your area including your dad's doctor or nearby hospital discharge planner; friends or neighbors who've had a loved one in assisted living; or you can do an online search at Caring.com.

Do some research: To research the communities on your list, put a call into your long-term care ombudsman. This is a government official who investigates long-term care facility complaints and advocates for residents and their families. This person can help you find the latest health inspection reports on specific assisted living facilities and can tell you which ones have had complaints or other problems in the past. To find your local ombudsman visit LTCombudsman.org.

Call the facilities: Once you've identified a few good assisted living facilities, call them to see if they have any vacancies, what they charge and if they provide the types of services your father needs.

Tour your top choices: During your visit, notice the cleanliness and smell of the facility. Is it homey and inviting? Does the staff seem responsive and kind to its residents? Also be sure to taste the food, and talk to the residents and their family members, if available. It's also a good idea to visit several times at different times of the day and different days of the week to get a broader perspective. On your facility visit, get a copy of the admissions contract and the residence rules that outline the fees (and any extra charges), services and residents' rights, and explanations for when a resident might be asked



Veterans Post

When the scammer is a doctor

Mostly you think of scammers who steal as lowlifes, but it's not always the case. Sometimes they're well-educated professionals who have a lot to lose when they're caught. Take the case of the doctor who took money that was meant to go to those who'd suffered severe traumatic injuries. This doctor, a decorated Navy commander, conspired with others to lie their way to a \$2 million profit in an insurance program that helps service-members who were traumatically injured while on active duty. The co-conspirators would coax others to create fake claims for injuries in exchange for a portion of the proceeds. Enter the doctor who, in exchange for a kickback, would verify that the injuries and disabilities existed and sign off on the application for the claim, sometimes saying he'd actually seen the person making the claim. Or he would provide the medical records of others to those who were submitting fake claims. The other nine co-conspirators included a nurse and a former Navy mechanic. They kept the scam going for at least three years. The various charges included fraud, wire fraud and making a false claim. This wasn't a short-term scam; it went on long enough that one wonders whether in all that time the doctor thought about how he got to that point. This is the same man who, serving in Iraq, climbed onto a roof in 2007 to help a tiny infant who wasn't breathing properly, evacuated the baby via helicopter under sniper fire, and got him

into surgery in a hospital. The baby was saved and back home in a week. It's hard to reconcile the image of that doctor with his participation in a theft scam that only netted him \$180,000 over three years. And now he's potentially facing 20 years in prison.

Help from the Red Cross

In November 2022, Jim Cheatham was stationed across the country from his family when his grandmother's health began to quickly decline. "It became very obvious that she was not going to make it to the end of the year," said Beth Cheatham, Jim's mother. "My son had leave planned and approved for Christmas and I became very afraid that he would not be able to say goodbye, so we reached out to the American Red Cross Hero Care Network to bring him home early."

One of the many ways the American Red Cross supports U.S. service members is through the Hero Care Network, which is available 24 hours a day. When a service member or their family member initiates an emergency message Red Cross staff work with the family and appropriate professionals to verify the emergency. Emergencies include the illness/injury or death of an immediate family member, as well as birth messages. "Within 24 hours, I had put in the request, my son was on a plane the next day," said Beth. "We knew time was of the essence and for it to move that quickly gave us comfort that he was going to get home in time."

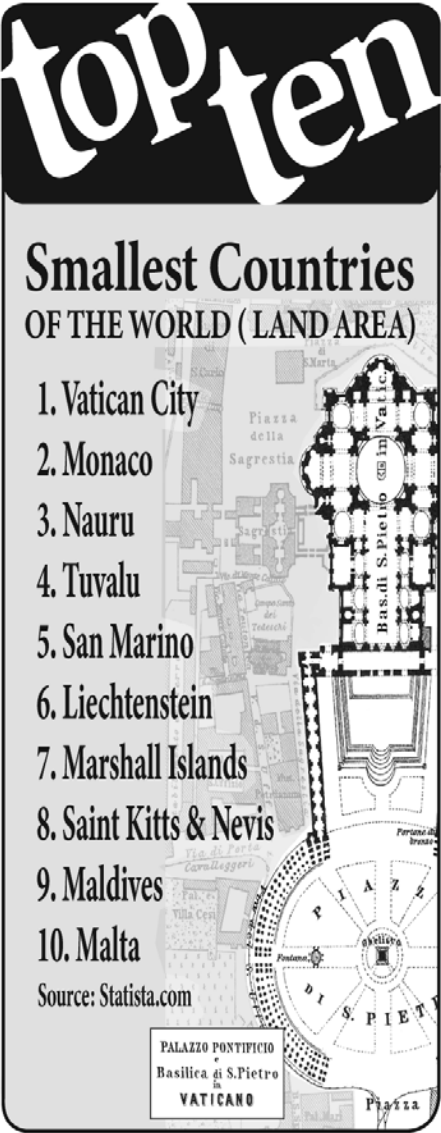
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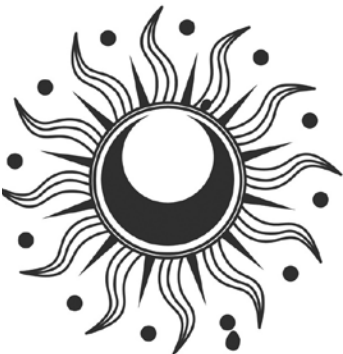
Savvy Senior

"You ask the senior question, we find the savvy answer!"

How to choose an assisted living facility

Dear Savvy Senior,
What's the best way to go about choosing an assisted living facility for my 86-year-old father? Since mom died last year, his health has declined to the point that he can't live at home anymore but isn't ready for a nursing home either. — *Searching Susan*
Dear Susan,
If your dad needs help with things like bathing, dressing, preparing meals, managing his medications or just getting around, an assisted living facility is definitely a good option to consider. Assisted living facilities are residential communities that offer different levels of health or personal care services for seniors who want or need help with daily living. There are nearly 29,000 assisted living communities (also called board and care, supportive-care or residential-care facilities) in the U.S. today, some of which are part of a retirement community or nursing home. Most facilities have anywhere between 10 and 100 suites, varying in size from a single room to a full apartment. And some even offer special memory care units for residents with dementia. To help you choose a good assisted





Star Luck Fortunes

by Frederick Woodruff
Astroinquiry.com

Horoscopes for June 2023

ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20): What steps do you take when you feel disconnected from life's flow? It's important that you don't abandon your creative work now because of an impasse. See if you can turn the stasis into a process—where waiting and watching eventually provides you with a new world map. Silence can convey much.
Lucky Days: 9 - 13
Lucky Numbers: 7 - 24

TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21): If you've ever longed to devote more of your life to a spiritual or contemplative path, this is your moment to commit. Because your sign is aligned strongly with the natural world, make time for exploring outdoors. Start a garden, hit the beach, or take a long hike. The earth will revitalize you with each step you take.
Lucky Days: 2 - 46
Lucky Numbers: 9 - 22

GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21): This is an exciting period where one cycle closes while inspiring a new intellectual undertaking. Original ways of thinking are key. Make a list or start a detailed journal that focuses on your goals for the summer. You always make headway when you involve yourself with the written word.
Lucky Days: 11 - 29
Lucky Numbers: 5 - 34

These types of gatherings switch on your ability to champion others. The full Moon on the 3rd returns some of your investments into your world. Your heart becomes the recipient of gratitude and support. You deserve this type of acknowledgment.
Lucky Days: 11 - 12
Lucky Numbers: 45 - 52

LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23): Mars enlivening your sign is turning your world bright red. The heat is on, and all switches are set to 'go.' This ups your vitality quota and prompts you to re-think an existing project's viability. But don't discard that work entirely—see what you might preserve to maintain its original integrity.
Lucky Days: 4 - 8
Lucky Numbers: 15 - 38

VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23): What's the best way to ensure your financial future? Make a thorough assessment of how you are managing your time and do away with the superfluous and distracting. Saturn in your sign requires you to bring your wisdom and maturity to bear on the most reliable way to fulfill your goals.
Lucky Days: 4 - 11
Lucky Numbers: 4 - 6

LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23): Research is the theme for June. Focus your time and efforts on gathering the facts and figures that will put all of your ducks in a row. And stay true to both your passion and rationality—of all the signs you know how to strike the perfect balance between those qualities.
Lucky Days: 7 - 13
Lucky Numbers: 28 - 50

SCORPIO (OCT 24th-NOV 22nd): This is a period of culmination for you, as Jupiter opposes your sign. Consider what goals you initiated six years ago and see how that creative work is ready to be shared and experienced by the world. The full Moon on the 3rd highlights the need to smooth out any snags with authority figures. Avoid unnecessary confrontations.
Lucky Days: 9 - 29
Lucky Numbers: 1 - 11

SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23rd-DEC 21st): The full Moon on the 3rd highlights the paradox between freedom and responsibility. Respect limitations but stay focused on what you can achieve by turning discipline into an art form. Saturn is pressuring you to mature in ways that might seem boring. Reread the Aesop fable of the tortoise and the hare.
Lucky Days: 5 - 30
Lucky Numbers: 9 - 38

CAPRICORN (DEC 22nd-JAN 20th): Push beyond limiting habits and link up with routines that will promote your influence. With your ruler in a new sign, it behooves you to think outside the box. Remind yourself that the past is past and that the future is forged by entertaining untried ways. You're ready to abandon the old highway and discover the untried path ahead.
Lucky Days: 7- 19
Lucky Numbers: 2 - 18

AQUARIUS (JAN 21st-FEB 19th): Is it possible for you to entertain the notion of a brand-new philosophy? Regardless of age, there is always time and space to shift gears in the middle of a journey. With Pluto in your sign, it's crucial that you initiate a phase of reappraisal. Everything is on display now, waiting for you to see what you'll keep and what you'll release.
Lucky Days: 6 - 27
Lucky Numbers: 20 - 48

PISCES (FEB 20th-MAR 20th): Study your chessboard and see what or who is advancing your efforts and what or who has become a hindrance or nuisance. Remember, too, that every creative act involves affirming and destructive forces. Adjust your life accordingly. Acquire what you need to meet deficiencies, and jettison what's adding to your angst.
Lucky Days: 12 - 19
Lucky Numbers: 9 - 39

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10th	Last Quarter Moon ☾
14th	Flag Day
18th	Father's Day
18th	New Moon ☾
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21st	June Solstice
26th	First Quarter Moon ☾
29th	Hug Holiday Day

YOUR LUCKY NUMBERS

BINGO

15	16	39	46	62
9	17	45	59	75
13	27	★	56	61
8	24	33	48	73
1	30	41	50	67

top ten

MOST EXPENSIVE CITIES

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1. New York and Singapore (tie)

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3. Tel Aviv, Israel

4. Hong Kong and Los Angeles (tie)

6. Zurich, Switzerland

7. Geneva, Switzerland

8. San Francisco, California

9. Paris, France

10. Copenhagen, Denmark

Source: CNN

Paw's Corner

by Sam Mazzotta

Q: I hope this advice helps other cat owners. My cat, Ferris, is 13 years old, and while he's generally healthy, he does have arthritis and is not as energetic as he once was. I noticed a few months ago that he was not finishing his dry food in the evenings, so I took him to the vet to get him checked out. Everything was fine, but the vet said that he might have some discomfort crouching down to reach his food and water.

I went online to find a raised platform that would hold food and water dishes. The trouble was that many of the platforms were too high for Ferris to reach comfortably, and he didn't seem very happy with the platform design. Instead, I found a dish that he loves. It sits about three inches above the floor and is angled higher in the back so that he doesn't push the food out of the bowl while eating. It's weighted so that it doesn't shift while

he eats. This is a lot more comfortable for Ferris, and he's eating all of his food again. — Terry L., Bloomington, Indiana

A: Thank you for sharing your story! I'm glad that Ferris found the perfect food dish.

Sometimes we have to try a few different items before discovering the perfect one for our pets. Whether it's a food dish, a toy or a bed, we have to be prepared to spend a little more money than expected to get just the right item. Trial and error is part of the process, and part of the joy of owning a pet.

Send your questions, tips or comments to ask@pawscorner.com.



FLASHBOARD NUMBERS

B:	03	04	08	09	15
I:	16	20	21	27	28
N:	32	33	35	36	39
G:	48	49	51	54	57
O:	63	66	68	69	73

LUCKY LOTTO NUMBERS

11 - 29 - 27 - 10 - 7 *22*



Dear Aunt Bingo

by Bonnie Mitchell

Jealous players are a drag

Dear Aunt Bingo, I know you get lots of letters from people who say that cheating is going on at their Bingo halls. Have you ever gotten a letter from someone who has been accused of cheating? Because that's what is happening to me right now.

I have had some good luck lately. I also have a handful of friends and one relative that work at the Bingo where I have been winning. Two times now people have muttered sarcastic things just loud enough for me to hear that my winnings are suspicious, and I have someone "helping" me win.

It is stupid and upsetting and is ruining my good luck and love of Bingo. I stand in line just like everyone else, I pay my money just like everyone else, I am handed my Bingo paper pads just like everyone else—I am doing nothing out of the ordinary that people could observe and say is suspicious and cheating. What would you do? — M.R.M., via e-mail

Dear M.R.M., My advice? Ignore it. Hopefully you have Bingo buddies

there who support you and know that you are an honest person who is having a lucky streak. And isn't that what we are all there for? To win!? These people who are accusing you are simply mean-spirited and jealous and are doing what they can to diminish your enjoyment at winning. If you give in to them, then they have achieved their goal. If you ignore them—safe in the knowledge that you are winning fair and square—then you have won again, and they have failed. There will always be unhappy people who can only feel good about themselves by dragging down those around them. They do not deserve a moment of our attention. So, don't give them any! — Aunt Bingo

Write to Aunt Bingo c/o the Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or e-mail her at tara@bingobugle.com.



Danny Wolbersen won the \$1,199 Odd Ball at West St. Paul Bingo Palace.



Ask Annie

By Annie E. Ennis

Easy Corned Beef and Cabbage

Dear Annie, St. Patrick's Day was a real treat for my family. We were with new friends and they served us corned beef and cabbage. My family is now begging me to make some for our family. Please send me an easy recipe. Thank you. — Sara Sue from Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sara Sue, I have a recipe that my late husband Donald made when he was younger. We did not wait for St. Patrick's Day to ask him to prepare "Corned Beef and Cabbage." — Annie

CORNE D BEEF AND CABBAGE 3-4 pounds fresh corned beef 1 large onion, peeled and quartered 4-6 carrot sticks, peeled and cut into thick slices

8-10 medium sized potatoes, cut in half 1 large head of cabbage cut into wedges Place the corned beef in a large pot. Cover with water. Add the seasoning packet that is included with the corned beef. Bring to a boil and reduce the heat and simmer for about two hours, or until fork tender. Add the onions, carrot slices and potato halves. Cook until the vegetables are almost tender. Add the cabbage wedges and cook for 15 more minutes. Remove the meat and let it rest for 20 minutes. Serve with the remaining vegetables. Serves 4 to 6.

Dear Bingo Bugle Readers, Here's another recipe with cabbage and bacon that my husband's Mom use to make for me all the time at my request. Hope you enjoy it! —Annie

INDIANA FRIED CABBAGE 1 head cabbage 3 tablespoons bacon grease, save the bacon 3 teaspoons sugar Shred the cabbage. Divide into 3 equal portions. Put 1/3 of the cabbage in a large skillet. Barely cover with water. Heat on medium heat until the water bubbles. Reduce heat and add 1 tablespoon of the bacon grease. Cover and cook until cabbage is tender, stirring constantly. When the cabbage is tender, add 1 teaspoon of sugar and continue cooking until the cabbage is brown. Watch very carefully as the cabbage can burn easily. Repeat the above until all the cabbage has been prepared.

Write to "Ask Annie" c/o Annie Ennis, 17050 SE 91st Culvert Court, The Villages, FL 32162. So Ask Annie. E-mail me at aennis@thevillages.net. And let's get cooking.

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.

Monthly Winners to Date:

February: Joe Korsten, Marian KC Bloomington; Bruce Smith, Northern Lights Bingo Hall; Vickie Bode, Roseville Bingo Hall; Mary Molitor, Treasure Island Bingo. March: Lisa Zuehlke, West St. Paul Bingo Palace; Lina Armstorn, Roseville Bingo Hall; Peter Adolphson, Treasure Island Bingo; Jeanette Garcezu, Little Canada Market Place Bingo. April: Jane Herzog, Roseville Bingo Hall; Haley Koehnen, Northern Lights Bingo Hall; Kimberly Johnson, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Richard Lang, West St. Paul Bingo Palace. May: Shawn Rush, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Pearl Olding, Roseville Bingo Hall; Randall Steinhoff, Treasure Island Bingo; Barbara Parker, West St. Paul Bingo Palace.

June Sweepstakes Winners

Cathy O'Keefe.....\$25, Northern Lights Bingo Hall Elaine Carter.....\$25, West St. Paul Bingo Palace Steve Sitta.....\$25, Treasure Island Bingo Linda O'Hara.....\$25, Little Canada Market Place Bingo

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Mon.	10:30 AM, 7:00
Tues.	10:30 AM, 12:45 & 7:00
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Fri.	10:30 AM, 7:00 & 9:00
Sat.	6:00 & 8:00
Sun.	6:00 & 8:00



Bayport American Legion Post 491

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BAR BINGO

Friday — Bar Bingo 7:15 p.m.
BAYPORT LEGION POST 491
263 N. 3rd St., Bayport
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Saturday — Bar Bingo 2:00 p.m.
THE BUNGALOW
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Meat Raffle starting at 3:00 p.m.

Sunday
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11154 60th St. N., Stillwater
Monday — Bar Bingo 7:00 p.m.
STILLWATER BOWL
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651-439-2444

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SUNDAY

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(651) 483-1203
2900 Rice St.
Little Canada
Evening 6:00 & 8:00 PM ▶

Northern Lights Bingo
(651) 756-7294
3776 Connelly Ave.
Arden Hills
Evening 4:30 & 6:30 PM ▶

Roseville Bingo
(651) 697-1090
2525 N. Snelling
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Matinee 12 & 2 PM ★
Evening 6 & 8 PM ▶

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(651) 450-9714
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(651) 439-2444
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FREE BINGO DRAWING THURSDAYS! Must be present to win. Each session you play that week you get a raffle ticket to put your name on it and put into the box. Winner will get a week of \$45 Fully Loaded Machine without paper (player can upgrade to Hotball Machine or purchase paper for a small cost). Drawings will be held during intermissions at 12:45 pm, 6:30 & 8:30 pm on THURSDAYS. <small>No other discounts or points may be used.</small>						
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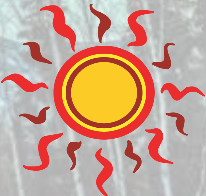
HOURS

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	CLOSED
Wednesday	CLOSED
Thursday	12:45 PM, 6:30 PM, 8:30 PM
Friday	6:30 PM, 8:30 PM
Saturday	6:30 PM, 8:30 PM
Sunday	4:30 PM, 6:30 PM

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WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY

Little Canada Market Place
(651) 483-1203
2900 Rice St.
Little Canada
Early Session 10:30 AM ★
Evening 7:00 PM ▶

North St. Paul VFW 1350
(651) 777-2855
2483 E. 7th Ave.
North St. Paul
Evening 6 PM ▶

Northern Lights Bingo
(651) 756-7294
3776 Connelly Ave.
Arden Hills
Matinee 12:45 PM ★
Evening 6:30 & 8:30 PM ▶

Roseville Bingo
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Roseville
Matinee 1 & 3 PM ★
Evening 7 & 9 PM ▶

West St. Paul Bingo Palace
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1361 S. Robert St.
St. Paul
Matinee 2 PM ★
Evening 7 PM ▶

FRIDAY

Bayport Legion Post 491
(651) 491-2418
263 N. 3rd St., Bayport
Evening 7:15 PM ▶

Little Canada Market Place
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Little Canada
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Little Canada
Evening 6:00 & 8:00 PM ▶

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2483 E. 7th Ave.
(upstairs)
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Friday	1, 3, 7 & 9 PM
Saturday	12, 2, 6 & 8 PM
Sunday	12, 2, 6 & 8 PM

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DOG BINGO!

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Bob on Bingo

The strangest email of all

Well, it's that time of year again, weddings and better weather, graduations and vacations. And, in the mailbag (bingo@earthlink.net) I found a letter that has to be the most unusual I have received during the more than 22 years you and I have gotten together each month for your regular meetings, here in The Bingo Bugle.

The mail comes from Landro Elmsworth of Brewster, Kansas. Here goes: "Dear Bob, I recently saw a copy of your reports in a free newspaper at a Bingo hall in a city I passed through on the way home from vacation. I must tell you that not much goes on around Brewster, Kansas. So, when I was on the road and passed by a big hall that said BINGO on the outside, I thought I would stop and play.

"I am in my 50s and—not bragging—I have several college degrees. My friends have nicknamed me, 'Mr. Science.' So, when I walked into the hall I ASSUMED that I would have no problem learning how to play. But, just wait...

"When I went in, I saw a long table covered with colored sheets. I was told that I could play a lot of games or a few games. I made the mistake of buying one of everything, not realizing that there is a limit as to how fast you can mark your cards—although I did see some people who seemed to mark their cards with lightning speed.

"The first problem I had was that

the sound system in the hall was intermittent. I had to strain to hear the numbers. Sometimes I know I marked the wrong numbers. And, although people who play at that hall regularly know all the games and the patterns, the hall did a horrible job of introducing each game and explaining the pattern. And, speaking of patterns, many of the games had more than a dozen ways you could win.

"I am sure I won from time to time but didn't realize it. And, worst of all, no one told me that there is a limit as to how hard you can push on a dauber before you ruin your clothing.

"But, my biggest confusion was on the so-called COVER-ALL game. I was doing well and noticed that I had covered far more numbers than anyone around me. Then, the worst thing happened, before the game was over, I RAN OUT OF NUMBERS ON ONE OF MY CARDS! But I am going back. The food was good."

ANNOUNCEMENT: I am personally going to give a prize to the **BEST BINGO CALLER or MANAGER or CAGE WORKER in America.** Send your nominations to: bingo@earthlink.net with your reasons for nominating that person.

See you next month, Old Bob.



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Albertville Friendly City Days! June 7–11. City-Wide Garage Sale, carnival rides, games, BINGO, meat raffle, pull-tabs at St. Albert Parish Center, craft beer night, live music, Grande Day Parade; men's softball tournament begins at Central Park Ballfields 6:30 p.m.; Fireworks display at Central Park, and much more!

Bloomington, MN

Bingo with a twist at Creekside! Wednesday, June 21, 10:30-11:30 a.m. It's Bingo with a twist at Creekside Community Center. Join in the fun of an hour of various Bingo games. Prizes will be on the line! FREE. Registration required and accepted until event is full. Contact Creekside at (952) 563-4944 or (952) 563-8877, or email creekside@bloomingtonmn.

Brainerd, MN

Breakfast and Bingo at the Brainerd American Legion Post #255, June 25, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Every 4th Sunday of the month we will be hosting breakfast from 8:00 a.m. to noon. Following breakfast, we will have progressive bar bingo at 1:00 p.m. at the Brainerd American Legion, 708 Front St., Brainerd. (218) 829-2249, brainerd-legion255@gmail.com, www.brainerd-legion255.org/

Coon Rapids, MN

\$500 Mega Coverall Bingo! Join us the First Saturday of each month at Shortstop - Coon Rapids for a guaranteed Mega Coverall Payout of \$500. Bingo Starts at 6:00 p.m. Come early for Meat Raffle at 5:00 p.m. Happy Hour Saturdays from 10:00 a.m.-noon, 3:00-7:00 p.m. & 9:00-11:00 p.m.

Cottage Grove, MN

Cottage Grove Strawberry Fest! June 15-18. Held at Kingston Park, the family-focused event offers something for everyone – wonderful food, beer garden, fantastic bands, a Grand Day Parade, a carnival, water wars, hot air balloon rides, car show, pie eating contest, fireworks and much, much more! Contact Cottage Grove Strawberry Fest, P.O. Box 512, Cottage Grove, MN 55016.

Duluth, MN

18th Annual Rhubarb Festival! Saturday, June 25. The 18th annual event features rhubarb in myriad forms – as pies, muffins, crisps, plus rhubarb brats and burritos. There will also be live music, games, crafts, auctions and stage shows. Stella Maris Academy, Holy Rosary Campus. (218) 720-6521.

Duluth, MN

Thursday DJ Bingo at The Reef! Thursdays, June 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Free to play, music bingo. Fourth round cover-all with progressive jackpot! This is FREE TO PLAY music bingo. Instead of calling numbers, we play clips of songs. Match the songs on your DJ Bingo sheet (or play along on your phone), get a BINGO and win a gift card. The Reef, 2002 London Road, Duluth.



Bingo players got in the spirit for the 2023 Kentucky Derby party at West St. Paul Bingo Palace

Duluth, MN

Bingo! Tuesdays in June from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Duluth Cider hosts six free rounds of fast-paced bingo each Tuesday with prizes galore. It's free. Come try it out at the Duluth Cider taproom and production facility in the Lincoln Park Craft District! 2307 W. Superior St., Duluth. (218) 464-1111, www.duluthcider.com.

Ellsworth, MN

Family Fun Days! Come join Family Fun Days, June 9-11. Parade begins at 6:30 p.m., Saturday, June 10. Events include Cow Pie Bingo; Little Miss Ellsworth; craft show; cruise in car show; Glow Run/Walk; music under the tent at Mickie's; bean bag tournament; little kids pedal pull; Church service; Fireman's Pancake Breakfast; Big Ticket Drawing! 322 S. Broadway St., Ellsworth. (507) 967-2373, www.ellsworth.mn.citygovt.org

Farmington, MN

Farmington Dew Days! June 22-25. Join us as we celebrate with community-wide special events, fun family activities and more! Art Fair and Business Expo; Flavors of Farmington; Beer, Brats & BINGO; Rib Cookoff; Pie Eating Contest; Pizza Eating Contest; Grand Parade; Live Music, Food Vendors; Kids Fishing Contest, Car Cruise and Show and much more.

Grand Rapids, MN

Music Bingo! Join us on Mondays in June, 8:00-9:00 p.m. for high-energy, progressive bingo with Organized Chaos! There are eight rounds, with 1-7 being traditional bingo prizes every round! Game 8 is a blackout round, with a cash/gift card combo prize that will increase every week! Each week the prize and song ranges will go up. Rapids Brewing Company, 214 N. Pokegama Ave., Grand Rapids. rapidsbrewingco.com.

Henderson, MN

Henderson Sauerkraut Days! June 23-25th. Taste of Kraut recipe contest, Minnesota Brewery beer tasting, BINGO, card and bean bag tournaments, music by local talent, trivia, a raffle, as well as plenty of brats and kraut. Last full weekend of June.

Hinckley, MN

Firehouse Bar Bingo Night! Wednesday, May 10, 6:30-9:00 p.m. Firehouse Liquor Store & Lounge, 324 Fire Monument Road, Hinckley, on the south side of Fire Monument Road. Featuring an extensive selection of beer, fine wines & spirits, staffed with friendly and knowledgeable employees. Prizes include food, swag, & cash! Contact: (320) 384-6213.

Little Falls, MN

BINGO! Thursday nights through August 31. Bingo Fundraiser from 6:30-9:00 p.m. The West Side Improvement Association hosts 16 games of bingo at the American Legion in downtown Little Falls. \$1 per card with 3 games per card. Little Falls American Legion, #108 1st St. NE, Little Falls. 360-2111.

Marshall, MN

Marshall Sounds of Summer - Bingo Night! Thursday, June 8. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. and Bingo is from 6:00-8:00 p.m. 16 Rounds Bingo sheets \$20. Get ready to shout "BINGO!" and win some amazing prizes at this fun-filled event. 1651 Victory Drive, Marshall.

BINGO! Wooden Nickel Burgers & Brew — \$1,000 Progressive Jackpot Bingo! Saturdays June 3, 10, 17 and 24 from 12:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. And Saturday, July 1 from 2:00-3:30 p.m. Come for fun, drinks, & great food! 448 W. Main St., Marshall. For info call (507) 532-3875.

Minneapolis, MN

Senior Bingo! Join us for Bingo at Loring Community Arts Center on Thursday, June 29 from 1:00-2:30 p.m. Bring friends or join us on your own to meet new people in our community. Join in the fun and win some cool prizes. Deadline to register is June 22. Loring Park, 1382 Willow St., Minneapolis. Loringpark.org.

Senior Bingo & Luncheon, Tuesday, June 26 from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Ages 55+. Join friends for a delicious lunch with some socializing. Bingo will be played after lunch, optional to bring a prize to share. Folwell Park, 1615 Dowling Ave. N., Minneapolis Register

now at: anc.apm.activecommunities.com/minneapolisparks.

Rochester, MN

Sunday Bingo! Join us on Sunday, June 18, from 1:00-4:00 p.m. for Sunday BINGO at Chip Shots, sponsored by Elks Rochester. Enjoy the highest payouts, best experience, and a great time! 3708 N. Broadway Ave., Suite #140, Rochester, Call to reserve a spot — (507) 361-0401.

Saint Paul, MN

Floodplain Bingo! Explore the ecosystem of the floodplain forest while trying to get a bingo to win a cool prize! This activity will be a short hike, and can be enjoyed by kids and adults alike! Meet at the Thomas C. Savage Visitor Center. Fort Snelling State Park, June 17, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Vergas, MN

Bingo at Billy's! Otter Tail Lake, Thursdays on June 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. and on Saturdays on June 3, 10, 17, and 24 from 3:00-4:30 p.m. Billy's Corner Bar, 158 E. Main St., Vergas.

Welch, MN

Island Wings & Brew! Saturday, July 15, 5:00 p.m. Get fired up for Island Wings & Brew Featuring Hairball, the ultimate throwdown of beer, food and entertainment! Prepare for the best of summer in Minnesota when the area's top breweries and favorite food trucks cook up a perfectly crafted tasting experience on Saturday, July 15 at 5:00 p.m. You'll enjoy beer samples, try delicious chicken wings and see Hairball rock the stage with Anthem outdoors at The Lot. (Age 21+) The Lot, 5734 Sturgeon Lake Road, Welch.



... Seventy-five percent of all sesame seeds grown in Mexico wind up on McDonald's hamburger buns.

... In 1998, a British man faked his own death by leaving his clothes on the beach and hiding to make his wife realize how much she missed him. Unfortunately, the prank backfired, as she divorced him after learning about it.

... Former First Lady Hillary Clinton served on the boards of TCBY and Walmart.

... Earthworms in the northern part of North America are a non-native, invasive species and a major factor in forest deterioration.

... Michael Bay, producer of "Friday the 13th," walked out of the film's screening because it contained too much sex.

... Ever wonder why garlic is so anathema to vampires? One theory goes that it's an antibiotic, and since vampirism was often thought to be a disease, it was harmful to them. Another holds that it was believed to repel mosquitoes, and since they're both bloodsuckers, vampires would be repelled as well.

Minnesota
Casino
Entertainment

Treasure Island
Resort & Casino

Live from the Island Events Center

June 3 **Morris Day and The Time**, 8 PM
Aug. 5 **Gabriel Iglesias** (comedian), 7 & 10 PM

Live from the Treasure Island Amphitheater

June 10 **Matchbox 20**, 7 PM
July 1 **Island Summer Salute Classic Rock Jam**, 3 PM
July 21 **Carrie Underwood**, 7 PM
Aug. 19 **Jason Aldean** (country), 7 PM

For updated information on entertainment please call
1-800-222-7077 for Casino or 1-800-745-3000 Ticketmaster

Mystic Lake Casino Hotel

Live from the Mystic Showroom

June 9 **Bigly**, 9 PM
June 24 **3 Doors Down**, 8 PM
Aug. 11 **Halestorm**, 8 PM
Aug. 12 **One Night of Queen**, 8 PM
Aug. 17 **Daryl Hall & Todd Rundgren**, 8 PM

Live from the Mystic Amphitheater

July 8 **Rob Zombie with Filter**, 8 PM
Aug. 6 **Steve Miller Band**, 8 PM

For updated information on entertainment please call the
Box Office (952) 496-6563, or for Casino info (952) 445-9000

Black Bear Casino

Live from the Otter Creek Events Center

June 9 **Rodney Atkins** (comedian), 7 PM, doors
 open at 6 PM
July 1 **Walker Hayes** (country), 7 PM, doors open 6 PM
July 22 **Jordan Davis** (country), 7 PM, doors open 6 PM

For updated information on entertainment please call 1 (218) 878-BEAR (2327)
or Toll Free 1 (888) 771-0777 (US & Canada)

www.blackbearcasinoresort.com

Located at the intersection of I-35 and Hwy. 210 in Carlton,
Minnesota, 20 minutes south of Duluth and approximately two hours north of
the Twin Cities.

Northern Lights Casino

Live from the North Star Hall

June 9 **Ice Cube** (outdoor event), 7 PM
June 15 **The Oak Ridge Boys** (country, outdoor
 event), 7 PM
June 23 **Bret Young** (outdoor event), 7 PM
Aug. 12 **George Thorogood & The Destroyers**
 (50 Years of Rock, outdoor event), 7 PM

CALL 1-844-554-2646 FOR TICKETS!
Or Buy Tickets Online at: northernlightscasino.com

Receive \$5 Slot Play Coupon with each ticket purchase.

Shooting Star Casino

June 23 **America** (classic rock), 8 PM
July 21 **Trace Adkins** (country), 8 PM

For ticket purchases please visit the Gift Shop, purchase online or call
1-800-453-STAR (7827). Box office open from 4 PM-8 PM show nights.
Will-call pick-up tickets only.



by Jonathan Little

Battling with
limpers

I was recently told about a tricky spot in a \$200 buy-in local poker tournament that gave one of my fans trouble. With blinds of 500/1,000 with a 1,000 big blind ante, the player in second position and the lojack both limped, and our Hero on the button with an effective stack of 24,000 decided to raise to 6,000 with As-4h.

This is usually not going to be a good raiser unless Hero thinks the limpers are incredibly weak. In most small-stakes games, limpers will call the preflop raise, resulting in Hero having a bit more than a pot-sized bet remaining in the stacks with a weak hand going to the flop.

Hero’s raise would only be for value in games where the opponents are expected to frequently limp-call with all sorts of trash, and even then, A-4o is never too far ahead.

The big blind cold-called the raise and both limpers folded, much to my surprise. The flop came Ks-7s-2d and Hero bet 8,000 out of his 18,000 stack into the 15,500 pot. This bet size is not ideal because a smaller bet size would be just as effective as a bluff while risking fewer chips. If the big blind has nothing, he will fold to any reasonable bet, but he will not fold to any bet if he has a pair or better. Therefore, a smaller bet size of 5,000 would be better.

The big blind called the 8,000 bet. The turn was the 9s, giving Hero the nut flush draw. The big blind checked, and Hero pushed all-in for 10,000 into the 31,500 pot.

This is a tough spot, but unless the opponent will fold a pair of 7s and pocket pairs without a spade, Hero should check behind. The main problem is that many marginal made hands like one pair will have a flush draw, making it difficult for the big blind to fold given the excellent pot odds.

If the flop bet was smaller, the big blind would be getting worse odds to call on the turn, making a turn all-in much more reasonable. Given the bloated pot going to the turn, the ideal strategy is to check behind and hope to improve to a flush or top pair.

The big blind called the all-in bet with Kh-Kd for top set (and an optimistic preflop slowplay that resulted in him getting his money in way far ahead). Hero made the nut flush on the river and won the pot. That is lucky.

In live poker, it is essential to assess the opponent’s range accurately. In this situation, the big blind’s range should be decently strong after cold-calling a preflop raise and calling a sizable flop bet.

If I were in Hero’s shoes, I would have simply folded preflop against the limpers, avoiding the situation altogether. It is not necessary to blindly attack the limpers and bet your entire stack when the preflop steal fails. Sometimes the best play is to get out of the way.

Jonathan Little is a professional poker player with over \$7,000,000 in live tournament cashes, owner of [PokerCoaching.com](#) and author of 15 best-selling educational poker books.

What’s New
in Nevada

Fourth Lotus of Siam
announced

Lotus of Siam, widely considered the best Thai restaurant in Las Vegas, will open a fourth location in Henderson West, a mixed-use project going up at St. Rose Parkway and Bermuda Road, by the end of next year. It will be the fourth location for Lotus, following the one that opened late last year at Red Rock Resort. The original restaurant opened in 1999 in the Commercial Center on E. Sahara just a few blocks from the Strip; a second location opened on E. Flamingo in 2017.

Kelly Clarkson and
Madonna

Singer, songwriter, and TV personality Kelly Clarkson will headline a mini-residency, “Chemistry ... an Intimate Night with Kelly Clarkson,” at the Bakkt Theater at Planet Hollywood this summer. The dates are July 28 and 29; and August 2, 4, 5, 9, 11, 12, 18, and 19. And Madonna, who announced one show at the MGM Grand Garden Arena on Saturday October 7, then added a second on Sunday October 8, has now tacked on a third on Thursday January 18, 2024.

Tom Brady’s Vegas
connections

Mark Davis, owner of the Las Vegas Raiders, and Tom Brady are friendly

and have been seen together in Las Vegas on occasion, most recently at an MMA match and a WNBA Las Vegas Aces game last season. It was also strongly rumored that Davis wanted Brady to play for the Raiders next season, but the seven-time Super Bowl champion retired for good. Now, Brady has invested in the Aces, which were bought by Davis in early 2021. Brady commented, “My love for women’s sports began at a young age when I tagged along to all my older sisters’ games—they were by far the best athletes in our house.” Details on what percentage of the team he owns haven’t been revealed. The Aces won the Commissioner’s Cup and the WNBA Championship last season and could be the favorite to win back-to-back titles.

Gene Simmons unloads
mansion

TMZ.com reports that Gene Simmons has finally sold the mansion he bought in the hills of Henderson in May 2021. The Kiss front man and bass player paid \$10.8 million for the house and a vacant lot next door for tax purposes, then put it back on the market only five months later after his family refused to move to southern Nevada due to the summer heat. He lived there by himself for a few months, then went on tour, and the 11,000-square-foot mansion sat mostly empty ever since. He initially listed the combined properties for \$14.95 million, then dropped the price along the way; he ultimately accepted an offer for \$11 million.

At the Casinos

Treasure Island Resort and Casino

GRILL GIVEAWAY!

Thursday, June 15, 22 & 29, 8:00 p.m. Get fired up for our Grill Giveaway! Earn entries by picking up your weekly gift and playing with your Island Passport Club card. You'll receive 100 entries each Monday you pick up your gift from our Grilling Gadgets Weekly Gift Giveaway. For each giveaway, the earning period will begin the Monday before and end the day of the giveaway. Once you've earned your points for the week, visit an Island Passport Club kiosk to claim your entries.

And...

FREE SLOT PLAY FRIDAY!

Every Friday in June, 5:00-8:00 p.m. Kick off the weekend every Friday with FREE Slot Play Friday! Earn entries the day of the giveaway by playing with your Island Passport Club card. You'll receive one entry for every five base points you earn. Plus, you'll receive a FREE entry by visiting an Island Passport Club kiosk the same day as the giveaway

And...

\$300,000 CASH & FREE SLOT PLAY GETAWAY!

Saturdays, June 3, 10 & 17 Noon-6:00 p.m. Saturday, June 24 Noon-6:00 p.m. & 7:30-10:00 p.m. Pack your bags and get ready for a chance to win a night at The Island and up to \$50,000 cash during our \$300,000 Cash & FREE Slot Play Getaway every Saturday in June! Earn entries June 1-24 by playing with your Island Passport Club card.

Mystic Lake Casino

30TH ANNIVERSARY DRAWINGS! OVER \$375,000 IN CASH AND PRIZES!

Preliminary drawings 2:00-8:30 p.m.

Three guests every half hour will be drawn to win up to \$1,000 cash or Mysticash®.

Grand Prize Drawing 9:00 p.m.

Our lucky Grand Prize winner gets a stack of cash! Two runners-up will each receive \$1,000 Mysticash.

Nightly Grand Prize Amounts

June 30, \$15,000 Cash; July 30, \$15,000 Cash; August 30, \$15,000 Cash; September 3-5, \$30,000 Cash. Swipe your Club M® card starting at 1:00 p.m. for a free drawing entry and to activate your play-based entries. Earn a bonus drawing entry for every five Tier Points earned starting May 28 through drawing times.

Jackpot Junction Casino Hotel

EARN & PLAY!

Thursdays, June 1, 8, 15 & 22 8:00 a.m.-11:59 p.m.

You'll love this month's Play & Earn gifts! Earn just 200 base points on select Thursdays to print your voucher and redeem for exciting gifts, including a Glass Beverage Set (weeks 1 and 2) and a Cake Stand (weeks 3 and 4). Plus, continue playing, and when you hit 400 base points, you'll also be eligible to redeem \$25 Free Play!

And...

SOAK UP THE SUN!

Fridays, June 2-30, 7:00-11:00 p.m. Cruise with cash, free play, or a new pontoon! Grand Prize Drawing Friday, June 30 at 11:00 p.m. Get ready to soak up a pontoon win, just in time for summer! You'll be ready to get on the water with a brand-new Sea-Doo pontoon with trailer, or you can take home other great prizes, including cash and Free Play. Every Friday, three guests per hour will spin the prize wheel and land \$400-\$1,000 Free Play or \$300-\$1,000 CASH. Then, at the 11:00 p.m. Grand Prize drawing on June 30, three names will be called — one wins \$500 Free Play, one scores \$1,000 cash, and one will be the lucky new captain of that Sea-Doo pontoon!

Shooting Star Casino

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY — BEST DAD!

Sunday, June 18 8:00 a.m.-11:59 p.m. (Mahnomen) 11:00 a.m.-11:59 p.m. (Bagley) We will be giving away a tumbler set and \$10 Star Cash to the first men to walk through the doors from 8:00 a.m.-11:59 p.m. on Father's Day. Simply swipe your Star Rewards card at any kiosk to receive a prize slip and redeem at Star Rewards.

And...

ROAD TO SUMMER FUN!

(Mahnomen & Bagley) Sunday, June 25, 1:00-7:00 p.m. Planning a summer of travel? Start your travel plans at Shooting Star where you can win a brand new 2023 travel trailer and cruise in comfort all summer long. To get entered, play between May 30 and June 25 using your Star Rewards card. Earn 25 points to receive an entry. Join us on June 25 for your chance to win.

Black Bear Casino

QUITE A CATCH!

Saturdays through June 24 Win Cash prizes of up to \$1,000! Grand Prize Night prizes of up to \$20,000! Drawings from 7:00-10:00 p.m.! Drawing Nights: June 3, 10, 17. **Grand Prize Drawing Night: June 24.** Five players selected each hour. 25 lucky winners total! 20 cash winners up to \$1,000! Five Grand prize winners selected at 10:30 pm with a chance to win \$6,000, \$7,000, \$8,000, \$10,000, \$20,000 in cash!



Joann Brown Haskin won the \$599 Even Steven at West St. Paul Bingo Palace.



And...

DEAL OF A MEAL! Wednesdays!

On Wednesdays, players who earn 50 points from 8:00 a.m. to 9:59 p.m. will be able to swipe their Players Club card at any kiosk and receive a meal! Players may choose from:

- 1 Free Buffet
- \$15 to the Seven Fires Steakhouse
- \$10 to the Sage Deli

*PLEASE NOTE:

In an effort to better the Seafood Buffet experience for our customers, as of May 1, Deal of a Meal coupons will no longer be accepted for Black Bear Casino Resort's Seafood Buffet or any specialty buffets, unless otherwise stated. Must be a Players Club member to participate.

top ten

WORLD'S LARGEST STADIUMS

1. Narendra Modi Stadium	Gujarat, India
2. Rungrado 1st Of May Stadium	Pyongyang, North Korea
3. Michigan Stadium	Ann Arbor, Michigan
4. Beaver Stadium	State College, Pennsylvania
5. Ohio Stadium	Columbus, Ohio
6. Kyle Field	College Station, Texas
7. Tiger Stadium	Baton Rouge, Louisiana
8. Neyland Stadium	Knoxville, Tennessee
9. Darrell K Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium	Austin, Texas
10. Bryant-Denny Stadium	Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Source: WorldAtlas.com



Metro Area Casino Buses

Free Bus to Mystic Lake Casino: 1-888-8FreeRide mysticlake.com for a time and schedule near you.

Bus to Treasure Island Resort and Casino: 1-800-222-7077, ext. 2594 for a time and schedule near you.

Puzzle Solutions

Bugle Crossword

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Bugle Sudoku

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Jumblers

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

Across Country Tours

Get On The Bus To Amazing!

"Get off the couch and get on the coach!"

Treasure Island Resort & Casino

June 21, \$25.00

Jackpot Junction Casino

June 6-7

Package includes one night hotel stay and \$50 on players card for both trips.

Prairie's Edge Casino

June 6-7

Package includes one night hotel stay and \$50 on players card for both trips.

Million Dollar Quartet

June 8 at the Old Log Theater

\$97.00 per person, lunch included

Carl Perkins, "the king of rockabilly," Jerry Lee Lewis, "rock & roll's first great wild man," Johnny Cash, "one of the best-selling musicians of all-time," Elvis Presley, "simply "the king." In 1956, these four men were in their 20's and at the real stages of their influential and prolific careers. They came together for one night at Sun Records (Memphis) for a jam session, which was recorded and released as the *Million Dollar Quartet*.

*Note: trip must have 35 people to go or trip will be cancelled.

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BUGLE CROSSWORD

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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

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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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TIKENT

Answer here:

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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Hey! What happened to my sock?

7/28

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.

For puzzle solutions, see page 13

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FATHER'S DAY BINGO
Sunday, June 18, evening session

Celebrate dad with a bingo during our special Father's Day session! All men will receive \$10 off an entry pack. Just stop by an Island Passport Club kiosk and print your voucher before purchasing your pack. We'll also draw for 20 winners of prizes including FREE slot play, or a Menards gift card. You'll receive a drawing slip for each entry pack you purchase using your Island Passport Club card.

One price per guest



NATIONAL BINGO DAY
Tuesday, June 27, both sessions

Spend National Bingo Day at Island Bingo! Celebrate on Tuesday, June 27 with your chance to win up to \$200 in Island Bingo certificates during the matinee session and \$300 in Island Bingo certificates during the evening session. You'll receive a drawing slip for each entry pack you purchase using your Island Passport Club card.



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Every Thursday in June, both sessions

Join us each Thursday in June for an Extreme Bonus Payout in FREE slot play. Purchase a pack of any level and when you win on any regular game, you'll get your regular bingo payout and bonus FREE slot play in the same amount.

Must be an Island Passport Club member and have your card present at time

June 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 MATINEE 1PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT EVENING 7PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT	2 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	3 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
4 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE	5 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	6 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	7 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	8 MATINEE 1PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT EVENING 7PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT	9 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	10 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
11 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE	12 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	13 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	14 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	15 MATINEE 1PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT EVENING 7PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT	16 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	17 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
18 EVENING 4PM FATHER'S DAY BINGO ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY SECOND CHANCE	19 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	20 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	21 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	22 MATINEE 1PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT EVENING 7PM EXTREME BONUS PAYOUT	23 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	24 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
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