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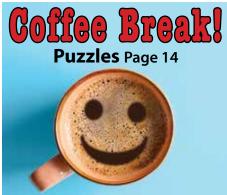
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Casino Q&A

Q: What are the odds of hitting a back-to-back jackpot?

A: It's commonly believed that once a jackpot is hit, it won't hit again for a long time. The truth is that a jackpot has the same chance of hitting on the very next spin.

Here's a sad but true story. Players tend to avoid playing a machine with winning symbols appearing on the screen. So, after a jackpot hand-pay, it's customary in some casinos for a casino employee to ask the winning player to make another spin to clear the winning symbols from the screen. One winning player refused to do so, and the employee made the spin to clear the screen. And as luck would have it, another jackpot was hit. Who did this second jackpot belong to, the player or the casino? If you guessed the casino, you're right.

Q: If I hit a \$5,000 jackpot, can I ask the casino to withhold some of it for income tax purposes?

A: No. Casinos don't work for the IRS. As a rule, casinos don't withhold money from reportable U.S. winnings. You would be better off taking money set aside for tax purposes and put it into some sort of savings account at your bank or credit union then payout what you need at tax time. Money given early to the IRS doesn't earn any interest.



Bob on Bingo

irst of all, MERRY CHRIST-MAS and HAPPY HANUKKAH and the all the best in the coming year. I thought I would end 2024 by answering a common question: "What is the origin of modern-day Bingo"

The general consensus is that what we know today as Bingo started about 500 years ago in Italy. At that time there was a nationwide lottery. It was called "Il Gioco del Lotto d'Italia."

By the 18th century (the 1700s) the concept had made its way to parts of Europe, including England and France. By this time, the game of picking out numbered squares had changed from a way to make a lot of money to a way to make a little money while having fun with companions. As European society crossed the Atlantic, so did the spread of the game. Over subsequent years, some of the players of the game began to mark their squares with dried beans. Soon, everyone was calling the game "Beano."

Now, here is a name to remember: Edwin S. Lowe. He was a toy manufacturer. He traveled the country peddling his ideas for toys. One night, with too much time on his hands, he stopped into a carnival on the outskirts of a small town in Georgia. He noticed that all the booths and attractions had closed, except for one. It was a small stand where people were laughing and shouting. They were playing Beano.

He took the concept back to his offices on Long Island and in late 1926 he began to produce a kind of home version of the game. At a dinner party, he had his guests play. When one woman won, she didn't yell "Beano" but instead yelled BINGO. And, as they say, the rest is history.

Lowe began to merchandise the game. But, HIS version of Bingo had a major flaw. He had a very limited number of combinations of cards (24)—and this was before the age of computers.

Sometime later, as he continued to try to commercialize the game, he got a call from a Catholic priest on the east coast. The priest said that his parish was using Bingo as a fundraiser, but there were too few combinations to really make the evening exciting. Lowe had a religious background, and he understood the need for fundraisers. He had been born in Poland. His father was a rabbi. He studied in the Holy Land. Certainly, he'd love to help the priest.

Lowe hired a mathematical expert who increased the combinations to 6,000.

By the way, Lowe used his profits from Bingo to invent and sell another famous game...Yahtzee. So, now you know.

Gaming News

Unreported winnings

According to a story on Covers.com, the freasury inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) examined 48 million tax returns submitted in 2018, 2019, and 2020 after sports betting was legalized and started to expand around the country. The TIG-TA found that upwards of 150,000 taxpayers failed to claim sports betting winnings of more than \$15,000. In addition, hundreds of tax forms submitted by sports books lacked taxpayer ID numbers. TIGTA estimated that taxpayers won \$13 billion plus over the three years and amounted to a shortfall of \$1.4 billion in unpaid

iGaming big and getting bigger

Online-casino gambling is legal in seven states: New Jersey, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, West Virginia, Delaware, and Rhode

Island. The big three account for roughly 85% of the total month after month. In all three states, igaming is responsible for a significant portion of the total gross gaming revenue (GGR), which includes brick-andmortar casinos, sports betting, and racetracks with casinos and sports betting. In September, it reached its highest percentages: In New Jersey, internet-casino gambling was \$208.1 million, 37% of the states GGR; Michigan generated \$202.5 million, a full 55% of GGR; and Pennsylvania's \$176.7 million amounted to 35%. The percentages have been going up steadily for a number of years and show no sign of slowing; the great expansion of casino gambling across the country since the 1990s is moving steadily into the gamblers' offices, living rooms, bedrooms, and bathrooms.

California & Texas: Predictions

At this year's Global Gaming Expo, the expansion of gambling in the

U.S.' two most populous states was a major topic of conversation. In terms of the second-most populous state, Texas has a big enough budget surplus, according to panelists Lone Star lawmakers aren't as concerned about raising revenue as elsewhere. Panelists also agreed that all the progress made in the 2021 and 2023 sessions built enough momentum that gambling has a "fighting chance" to succeed in 2025. California, on the other hand, is still recovering from the bruising and ultimately losing battle over sports betting in the 2022 election cycle. The consensus, at least among the tribes, is that after skipping the 2024 cycle, sports betting will come up again, either in 2026 or 2028. The stakes are enormous; based on a comparison with New York, which has half the population of California and hit \$20 billion in handle in 2023, California could easily generate \$40 billion in its first year. By comparison, that's more than four times as much as Las Vegas Strip revenue in 2023.



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Bingo News

Valiant rescue effort of a dog named Bingo grips a nation

This is a true story. It was written by Ellen Fenn, a schoolteacher, nearly a century ago, and was carried in the Mt. Pleasant News as well as national and international newspapers. Ellen Fenn is the sister of Chester Mills—one of the men in the story.

A farmer Southwest of Mt. Pleasant, Lawrence Mills, and his son, Chester, had two coon dogs: Bingo, a terrier; and Black Jack, a shepherd. On a cold, clear December night they were coon hunting with Lawrence's brothers, Jesse and Jimmie on Jesse's farm. Bingo and Black Jack got hot on the trail of two raccoons. The men were following confidently, waiting for the dogs to "tree," when they realized there was only one dog baying - Black Jack. Listening intently, the men could hear the muffled yelps of Bingo coming from the depths of the earth. They soon realized that Bingo had chased one raccoon into an unknown limestone cavern, with Black Jack pursuing the other.

While searching for the entrance, the entire cave collapsed under the weight of the men. They began frantically removing dirt and stone by hand, until they came to a limestone wall. Bingo's hollow cries could be heard from within.

Black Jack returned to the collapsed spot. In staccato notes, Black Jack and Bingo yelped helplessly back and forth.

When morning arrived upon the beleaguered group, they trudged home



for digging tools. By midmorning, every party on the local phone line, and those reached by the Salem switch-board operator, knew that Mills' Bingo was imprisoned. Women went to work preparing lunches. Sympathizers flocked to the scene. A coon dog was part of almost every farm household and feeling ran deep.

Hundreds were touched by the frantic rescue operation. By the second day, scores had volunteered with picks, shovels, axes, spades, lanterns, and lots of advice—even dynamite. Workers hearing Bingo's frantic yelps labored on—one crew relieving another.

By the third day the story had spread over the state, nation and world. It was the height of the Great Depression, and people seemed to identify with a trapped and helpless coon dog.

It was determined that Bingo had fallen into a deep chamber. December's farm activities ceased in the Mt. Pleasant-Salem area. Eugene and Leo Mills, small sons of Chester, trudged over the stony hillside to check progress. They then returned home to report to their mother and grandmother, who then relayed the news to the world. Calls came unceasingly. State and local reporters plus an audience of 50-to-100 people came and went.

On the fourth day, after finding small passageways that led further and further inward from the main tunnel, the men discussed abandoning Bingo. It was agreed that it was time for the last-ditch effort—dynamite. The explosion tore away the last remaining limestone wall, but Bingo, frightened by the noise, crawled further inward.

A Christmas message from Florida, a eulogy from a senator, and a letter addressed to "Bingo Mills," with a prayer for safe deliverance—injected a booster-shot of hope. The weary rescue group...bundled and hooded, their faces black, continued to dig.

On the morning of the fifth day, Chester, alone in the cave, tempted Bingo with food on the end of a long pole. The weary terrier managed to crawl out of his narrow confinement to where Chester could lift him. Bingo was weak, his feet bleeding, his fur torn and his claws gone. But he was alive. Chester carried Bingo and the good news home.

Again the wires hummed: "Bingo is home for Christmas!" As retold by the The Hawk Eye of Iowa, Iowa's oldest Newspaper.



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Veterans **P**ost

Pandemic fraud

The Covid pandemic has been a pot of gold for scammers who want to exploit the critical needs of hospitals and doctors. However, the criminals aren't too bright.

There was the medical supply company that conspired to sell masks that were misbranded, trying to pass them off to hospitals as genuine National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)-approved N95 masks. The thieves gathered up their fake masks from miscellaneous sources and shipped them off at inflated prices. When NIOSH tested the masks, the scam was discovered because the masks couldn't pass the filtration tests.

A whole alphabet of federal agencies, including the VA's Office of Inspector General, came together in this effort to investigate and prosecute the thieves. Between the price gouging, the fake masks and the interstate commerce, the authorities had a good case for pandemic-related defrauding and conspiracy.

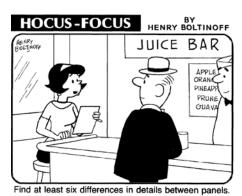
When the case goes to court, selling misbranded medical equipment alone could net the thieves a fine of a half a million dollars. Adding in the interstate commerce and price goug-

ing could tack on additional fines and years in prison.

Then there was the guy who tried to sell millions of dollars of personal protective equipment to the VA. The scam was pretending the company was an authorized distributor of the PPE. They even generated a fake website and email address. The goods that were sent out were non-conforming and the masks were counterfeit.

In one scam, however, it almost wasn't worth the thief's time: A woman was given two paycheck protection loans for two businesses she owned except she didn't own a business. All she got out of the scam was \$41,000.

When are they going to learn? The thieves eventually get caught, and we have the VA OIG and other alphabet agencies to thank for it.





Differences: I. Man is moved. 2. Tie is different. 3. Menu sign is different. 4. Hat is smaller. 5. Hair is different. 6. Stool is different.

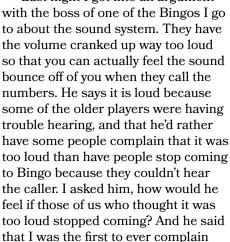


by Guy Williams

Too loud and clear

Dear Guy,

Last night I got into an argument the volume cranked up way too loud bounce off of you when they call the numbers. He says it is loud because trouble hearing, and that he'd rather to Bingo because they couldn't hear the caller. I asked him, how would he feel if those of us who thought it was that I was the first to ever complain and that if it just meant losing me, he could live with that. So, I called him a jerk and walked away. -N.T., Peekskill, New York



Paw's

by Sam Mazzotta

DEAR PAWS: I noticed that my long-haired cat, Charlie, is scratching many times per day. He also is shedding more than usual — mostly undercoat, rather than hair. What's going on? I can't see any evidence of fleas on his coat or skin. - Dan in Colorado Springs

Corner

DEAR DAN: Fleas are often the first thing we think of when a cat starts scratching incessantly, but other conditions could be causing skin irritation. And it may be hard to see lesions or hot spots, especially in long-haired cats. Charlie's undercoat is coming out because he's really scratching those

The best thing to do is take Charlie to the veterinarian. Some itching issues have an external cause and can be eased pretty quickly. But som chronic conditions and diseases have itching as one symptom, and only your vet can diagnose these.

Make sure to tell the veterinarian where Charlie is scratching the most. The vet will check these areas more closely for broken skin, lesions, rash and evidence of fleas. They'll also take skin scrapings and fur samples to see if mites are to blame or if there's a bacterial or veast infection. Blood samples should be taken to test for underlying medical conditions and/or specific allergies. They may send you home with specimen kits to collect urine and poop and bring them in for analysis, too.

The vet will advise you on whether to use a prescription or over-the-counter medication to ease Charlie's itching. When the tests come back, they'll know the best treatment path to take.

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

Test your

knowledge

Dear T.T.,

Your story sounds a bit like an

Abbott & Costello routine-except, of

about your situation. Luckily for you,

one of the halls you attend, leaving you

In the manager's defense, he did

course, that you were quite serious

as you say in your letter, this is just

explain the reason for the high vol-

ume—that some of the older players

had expressed difficulty hearing the

caller and had requested it. The fact

was too loud does put you in the mi-

that you were the only person to say it

nority, and the manager will obviously

honor the request of the larger group

was listen to your concerns, give them

due consideration, and see if perhaps

a compromise was in order-say, turn-

ing the volume down slightly to see if

Might I suggest that next time you

try to be a bit more diplomatic, leaving

out the part about him being a jerk,

and perhaps you'll meet with some

Hey guys! (And gals!) Write to Guy's Turn c/o

The Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA

98070, or e-mail Guy directly at

admin@bingobugle.com.

What he should have done, though,

that asked for it to be louder.

that would work for everyone.

success? —Guv

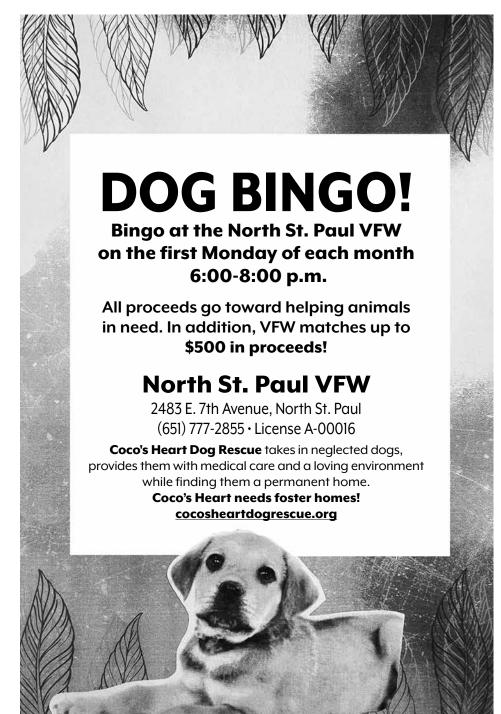
with other Bingo options.

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- 2. GEOGRAPHY: What is a body of land with water on three sides called?
- 3. U.S. PRESIDENTS: In 1960, which two candidates participated in the first televised presidential debate in 1960?
- 4. FOOD & DRINK: What type of flower produces vanilla bean pods?
- 5. MUSIC: What was the name of blues musician Stevie Ray Vaughn's first Fender Stratocaster?
- 6. SCIENCE: What type of gas is absorbed by plants?
- 7. LITERATURE: What is the name of the submarine in Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Seas?
- 8. TELEVISION: What is Clair Huxtable's profession in The Cosby Show?
- 9. ANATOMY: What is a more common name for the sternum?
- 10. ART: Which European city houses the Rijksmuseum?

10. Amsterdam 9. Breastbone. 8. Lawyer. 7. Nautilus. 6. Carbon dioxide. 5. Number One. 4. Orchid. .noxiN 3. John F. Kennedy and Richard

> 2. A peninsula. 1. Alec Guinness.

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Star Luck Fortunes

by Frederick Woodruff Astroinquiry.com

Horoscopes for December 2024

ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20): The full Moon on the 15th opens the door to your unconscious and floods your creativity with images, stories, and inspirations. This is a period of heightened self-expression for you. Balance your energetic blasts with a set of plans that will promote all of your new efforts.

Lucky Days: 7 - 28 Lucky Numbers: 4 - 32

TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21): Your down-to-earth nature knows how to work hard to accomplish whatever goal you set for yourself. But that tenacity can turn into a rut that keeps you moving over the same old terrain. Explore your options for growth by undertaking a new study or hobby. It's essential for success next year.

Lucky Days: 10 - 20 Lucky Numbers: 6 - 48

GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21): Consider restlessness in a different light this month. And find a way to accept the more undisciplined part of your nature. A lot of your chutzpah comes from your sharp sense of humor. Plus, we all need someone in our circle to stir things up, and you're tailor-made for that role.

Lucky Days: 4 - 8 Lucky Numbers: 49 - 50 CANCER (JUN 22-JUL 22): Your physical well-being is central to your success in the new year. You'll want to implement new nutritional options, including physical and psychological improvements. Regular exercise is essential to maintaining your mellow and relaxed state of mind. Small efforts offer big rewards.

Lucky Days: 5 - 20 Lucky Numbers: 8 - 40

LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23): Optimism and self-confidence are rising for you this month. But curb any behavior perceived as arrogant; you want to win over confidants and colleagues that will help you lay the groundwork for your plans. This year has a lot in store for you in the success department.

Lucky Days: 21 - 25 Lucky Numbers: 7 - 19

VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23): You're ready to set off an 'information safari.' Last year found you exploring unconventional hobbies and pastimes, but now you're preparing to turn it all into a potential business venture. You're in top form when providing a service to others.

Lucky Days: 8 - 22 Lucky Numbers: 19 - 49

LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23): The full Moon on the 15th reminds you of the power of camaraderie in your life. You're looking to expand into new social circles in the new year. And that's an excellent plan for satisfying your curiosity and keen social instincts. Lucky Days: 9 - 13

Lucky Numbers: 3 - 32

SCORPIO (OCT 24-NOV 22): You've landed in an energetic sweet spot but taking advantage of being in the flow requires commitment and discipline. Thankfully, you function best when a disorder needs to be settled. Gather feedback from a trusted advisor.

Lucky Days: 19 - 23 Lucky Numbers: 3 - 33

SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23-DEC 21):

Believe it or not, you thrive on tension; it stimulates your imagination, and you're at your best when your visionary capacities operate full throttle. The full Moon on the 15th forces you to reconsider how you express your temper. Pay attention to feedback from friends.

Lucky Days: 8 - 10

Lucky Numbers: 44 - 49

capricorn (DEC 22-Jan 20): The end of the year, combined with the full Moon on the 15th, finds you retracing your steps, both your successes and frustrations in the passing year. Take stock, but don't linger on what was less than stellar. The new year promises you surprising opportunities.

Lucky Days: 8 - 26 Lucky Numbers: 9 - 15

AQUARIUS (JAN 21-FEB 19): The mysteries of your erotic life take center stage. Don't be surprised if you're drawn into an unorthodox relationship. Much of your charm resides in your quirky nature and ability to think outside the box. Apply those gifts to winning over what you want this

Lucky Days: 23 - 28 Lucky Numbers: 6 - 14

PISCES (FEB 20-MAR 20): In retrospect, you'll see 2024 as the year you worked hard with seemingly little earth-shattering results—but wait. Remember the childhood story of The Little Red Hen; that'll be you in the new year, reaping the rewards of all of your concentrated efforts.

Lucky Days: 4 - 25 Lucky Numbers: 1 - 11



Ask Annie

By Annie E. Ennis

Sweet Potato Soup

Dear Annie,

How about a recipe for a sweet potato soup—that would make me very happy if you have this recipe. Thanks a lot. — *Pat P., from Michig*an

Dear Pat,

I do indeed! Here's my favorite Sweet Potato Soup recipe. Enjoy. — **Annie**

CREAM OF SWEET POTATO SOUP

4 sweet potatoes (1 lb. each) 8 cups chicken stock 1/3 cups butter 1/4 cup half and half

1/4 tsp. pepper 1/2 tsp. cinnamon

2 tsp. salt

½ tsp. cinnamoi

½ tsp. nutmeg

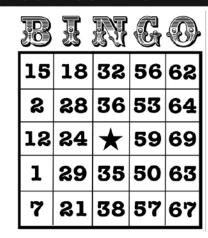
1 cup cashews (split in half)

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Bake the sweet potatoes for 45 minutes or until they are soft. Cool the potatoes until they can be handled. Peel away the skin, then put the potatoes into a large bowl. Mash the potatoes. Spoon them into a large saucepan over a medium to high heat, add the remaining ingredients and stir to combine. When the soup begins to boil, reduce the heat and simmer for 50 to 60 minutes. Add the cashews as garnish. Serve hot. Makes 6 servings.



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Stopping spam

The next time your phone rings, there's a good chance it will be a spam call. According to recent research Americans average 2.7 billion such calls a month.

The majority of these calls are related to credit card fraud, identity theft, medicare/insurance, social security, car warranty and debt collection. Many people are not able to accurately recognize unwanted communication, allowing spammers or scammers to trap their victims.

How many you get may depend on where you are. The top 10 states for unwanted calls are: Mississippi, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Tennessee, Wyoming, and Ohio.

The places getting the least number of spam calls are: Puerto Rico, Alaska, Hawaii, Massachusetts, and Vermont.

Fortunately, wherever you are, there are ways to avoid them.

What You Can Do

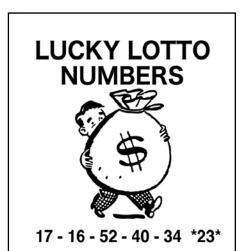
1. Hang up. When you get a robocall, don't press any numbers to let you speak to a live operator or remove you from their call list. It might lead to more robocalls.

2. Consider call blocking or a call labeling app such as Truecaller. Since 2009, Truecaller, a leader in caller ID and spam blocking software, has been a global combatant against spam and fraud. The app can: auto-block spam and SMS calls, identify callers, search unlimited phone numbers, record phone calls.

3. Don't trust your caller ID: Scammers can make any name or number show up on your caller ID. That's called spoofing. Even if it looks like it's a government agency, or like the call is from a local number, it could be a scammer from anywhere in the world.

Learn More

For further facts and stats from the experts at Truecaller and to find out how to get the app and have it work for you, visit www.truecaller.com.





by Bonnie Mitchell

Unique Bingo calls

Dear Aunt Bingo,

I finally thought of a question that I hope you can answer for me. Every now and then, when they call out N-40, you sometimes hear people say "Four-Tee." Why is that? When I asked the person who does this, they didn't know the answer either. Also, I've heard that I-26 is the most hated number at Bingo. Have you ever heard that? If so, why? — **Dottie L., Nashua, NH**

Dear Dottie,

Bingo is not just a game of numbers, it's a communal experience, and halls often have their own unique call-out phrases and lucky/unlucky numbers. While the aim of the game is to win, these phrases and special numbers help to build a bond among players, turning strangers into friends over shared references. Beyond entertainment and camaraderie, there's a functional aspect to some call-out phrases. By using unique phrases, players don't misinterpret the announced number, reducing the likelihood of errors.

One guess is that calling out FOUR-TEE became a tradition in your hall simply to help distinguish it from the number four. There is a very remote possibility that it relates to 40 being a significant number in Biblical scripture, but this wouldn't explain breaking the word into two distinct syllables.

Which leads me to my best guess which is that players are actually saying "Four TEA" because of your state's not insignificant historical ties to the import of tea in the colonial era. For example, after Boston's famous tea event, New Hampshire's residents were among those who sent foodstuff to aid "beleaguered Boston"; and colonial New Hampshire women met at local homes and organized what became a campaign to ban English tea in their households.

As for your hall's hatred of number I-26, there is no mention of this number being considered unlucky among the larger Bingo community. The most commonly cited unlucky Bingo number is, not surprisingly, 13. However, after doing some sleuthing on the internet, I did find a substantial dislike being expressed for your state's section of Interstate 26, or...I-26. There were several lively online conversations about driving on I-26 in New Hampshire-99% of which contained comments rich in (unprintable) curse words. To be honest, I could find only one comment about I-26 on these threads that I could print, and it was: "Why do I even bother to drive on I-26." As they say online, LOL.

I hereby declare these two particular Bingo mysteries solved, but of course, please keep asking around, and if you find other explanations, let me know ASAP! — *Aunt Bingo*

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





Foxhole Bingo player wins big at Plaza

In September, Foxhole Bingo Lounge launched a partnership with the Plaza Hotel & Casino in Las Vegas, and in November, a group of Foxhole players, management, and marketing attended the Plaza's \$160,000 Super Bingo Event. The highlight of the trip was Foxhole player Shannon Johnson's impressive \$50,000 win in the Day One Coverall game, kicking off this collaboration with an unforgettable win.

BINGO BUGLE MONTHLY CONTEST



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:

August: Angie Zgodava, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Randy Steinhoff, Treasure Island Bingo; Chervl McGuire, Roseville Bingo: Leslie Whipple, West St. Paul Bingo Palace. **September**: Taunya Kubiszewski, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Jane Herzog, Roseville Bingo Hall; Dennis Moritz, West St. Paul Bingo Palace: Ann Green. Treasure Island Bingo. October: Tom Durose, West St. Paul Bingo Palace; Robert Sumner, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Collette Kern, Treasure Island Bingo; Rosemary Ness, Roseville Bingo Hall. **November**: Tina Gimler, Foxhole Bingo Hall; Dorothy Eaglefeather, Little Canada Market Place Bingo; Ronald Simons Jr., Treasure Island Bingo; Bev Smith, West St. Paul Bingo Palace.

December Sweepstakes Winners

Peggy Fishbaugher.....\$25, Roseville Bingo Hall Shayna Larson.....\$25, Little Canada Market Place Bingo Karen Brandon.....\$25, Treasure Island Bingo Hall Patricia Wilson.....\$25, Marian KC

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Dear Paul,

Organizing your important papers and getting your personal and financial affairs in order is a smart idea and wonderful gift to your loved ones. Here are some tips to get you started.

GET ORGANIZED

The first step in getting your affairs in order is to gather up all your important personal, financial and legal information so you can arrange it in a format that will benefit you now, and your loved ones later. Then you'll need to sit down and create various lists of important information and instructions of how you want certain things handled when you die or if you become incapacitated. Here's a checklist of areas you need to focus on.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Platinum Play

Sunday at 6:00 & 8:00

\$55

at 10:30 & 7:00

-Contacts: Make a master list of names and phone numbers of close friends, doctors, and professional advisers such as your lawyer, accountant, broker and insurance agent.

-Medical information: Include a list of medications you take, along with any allergies and illnesses.

-Personal documents: Include such items as your birth certificate, Social Security card, marriage license, military discharge papers, etc.

-Secured places: List all the places you keep under lock and key such as safe deposit boxes, safe combination, security alarms, etc.

-Digital assets: Make a list of all your digital assets, including everything from social media accounts to online banking accounts to home utilities that you manage online. It should include usernames and passwords. Use Rutgers Digital Assets Inventory Worksheet (rutgers.edu/money/pdfs/digital-assets-worksheet. pdf) as a guide.

-Pets: If you have a pet, give instructions for the care of the animal.

-End of life: Indicate your wishes for organ and tissue donation and write out your funeral instructions. If you've made pre-arrangements with a funeral home include a copy of agreement, their contact information and whether you've prepaid or not.

LEGAL DOCUMENTS

-Will, trust and estate plan: Include the original copy of your will and other estate planning documents you've made.

-Financial power of attorney: This document names someone you trust to handle money matters if you're incapacitated.

-Advance health care directives: This includes a living will and medical power of attorney, which spell out your wishes regarding your end-of-life medical treatment when you can no longer make decisions for yourself.

FINANCIAL RECORDS

-Financial accounts: Make a list of all your bank accounts, brokerage and mutual fund accounts, and any other financial assets you have.

-Debts and liabilities: Make a list of any loans, leases or debt you havemortgages owed, car loans, student loans, medical bills, credit card debts. Also, make a list of all credit and charge cards, including the card numbers and contact information.

-Company benefits: List any retirement plans, pensions or health benefits from your current or former employer including the contact information of the benefits administrator.

-Insurance: List the insurance policies you have (life, long-term care, home, auto, Medicare, Medigap, prescription drug, etc.) including the policy numbers, agents, and phone numbers.

-Property: List real estate, vehicles and other properties you own, rent or lease and include documents such as deeds, titles, and loan or lease agree-

-Taxes: Include the location of your tax records and your tax preparer's contact information.

Keep all your organized information and files together in one convenient location, ideally in a fireproof filing cabinet or safe in your home. Also be sure to review and update it every year, and don't forget to tell your kids where they can find it. If you need more help, there is a 60-page workbook available at 12CriticalThings. com.



by JoAnn Derson

- · There are many uses for empty Tic Tac containers. Here are three: Wrap with pretty paper and use as a tiny vase for a single-stem flower. Or, separate small scrapbooking supplies in them. Last, thread two needles with a length of thread — one white and one black. Poke the needles through a small square of paper and wrap the thread around the paper. Slip into the container for a travel sewing kit.
- "Need your nails to dry in a hurry? You can use the cool setting on your hair dryer. It works really fast." — L.E.in Georgia
- To get a couple more days out of your cat litter, clean the box out and mix in a cup of baking soda.
- Remove mildew from plastic shower curtains by spraying them with a mix of bleach and water, or just toss them in the washing machine with your next load of towels.
- "We have a playroom, and the kids argue about who made what mess and who should clean up which toys. We made a cleaning schedule for the room, having one or two children per day responsible to clean up at the end of the day. It was a rough start, but the kids have learned to clean up as they go rather than leave a big mess for someone else. (Pay back is not kind.)" — A Mom, via email

Little Canada Market Place BUCCONHAI

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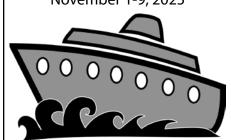
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Austin, MN

Bingo! Dec. 15, 22, & 29 from 12:00-2:30 p.m. Doors will open at noon. American Legion Post #91, 809 12th St. SW, Austin. Also, Santa will be at the American Legion on Dec. 14, from 12:00-4:00 p.m. Bring your kids to see Santa and get a toy, hot chocolate and a treat! (507) 437-1151.

Bloomington, MN

Bar Bingo! Dec. 4, 9, 11,16,18, 23, 30 and Jan. 6 and beyond! Come join the fun! Each month, Bloomington Event Center hosts several events that are open to the public. From square dancing to Latino dancing, big band music, wrestling and pancake breakfasts, there's something for everyone. Bloomington Event Center, Grand Hall, 1114 American Boulevard West, Bloomington. You can also reserve an event. (952) 888-1492.

Burnsville, MN

2024 Burnsville Mingle & Jingle: Holiday Social with Bingo! Thursday, Dec. 12, 5:00-9:00 p.m. Embrace the winter season with joy and a shout-out to fun during the Burnsville Mingle & Jingle – a holiday social with bingo! Enjoy a night with live music, appetizers, cash bar, silent auction, raffle, and prize bingo. Buck Hill Event Center, 15400 Buck Hill Road, Burnsville. Fees include social, bingo booklet with 10 games, nd swag bag.

Cottage Grove, MN

Wednesday Bingo Night! Dec. 4 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Join the Muddy Cow in Cottage Grove every Wednesday for Bingo! \$1,000 Coverall game starts at 7 p.m. Get there early to grab a delicious bite to eat before the game begins! 7350 Hardwood Ct. S., Cottage Grove. (651) 393-5678.

Puzzle Solutions

Bugle Crossword



Bugle Sudoku

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Jumblers

Jumbles: KNACK GUARD CACTUS MINGLE
Answer: The tennis player couldn't find his equipment in the closet and was — MAKING A RACKET

Detroit Lakes, MN

VFW Cosmic Bingo! Second Friday of every month! We turn down the lights low, so you can GLOWWWWW!!!

Take the evening off from normal and spend the evening at the VFW for Cosmic Bingo!! The fun starts at 7:00!

11 games, two payouts \$500/\$100 on Turtle and Blackout, Meat Raffles and more!!! VFW Post 1676, 121 Grant St. W., Detroit Lakes. Tickets for VFW Cosmic Bingo can be booked at website: allevents.in

Duluth, MN

Drag Bingo! Dec. 11, 7:00-10:00 p.m. Drag Bingo, it's a one-of-a-kind event! Feelin' lucky? \$10 includes unlimited bingo for the night. Arrive anytime and join the fun! This event is 21+ and put on by Zenith City Horror. Check out the event calendar to see if there will be a food truck or pop-up too. Wild State Cider, 2515 W Superior St., Duluth. (218) 606-1151.

Hackensack, MN

Bingo! Dec. 25 at the Hackensack American Legion from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Enjoy an evening of Progressive Bingo! Hackensack American Legion Post # 202, 200 1st St. N., Hackensack. (218) 675-9191, www.legionpost202.com.

Lakeville, MN

Bingo with Lakeville Lions! Every Tuesday night at 6:30 p.m. but come early to get a good seat! Our Bingo has four big games out of 11 games every Tuesday night at Carbone's Bar and Grill, 7670 160th St. West in Lakeville. Age 18+. Win up to \$500 or \$800 for the big games and up to \$1,199 for the coverall Bingo Game! \$20 for a package. Each package has 11 games with three faces (cards/game).

Minneapolis, MN

Bingo Loco! Friday, Dec. 20, at 7:00 p.m. The world's only BINGO RAVE is here in MINNEAPOLIS! Bingo, Dancing, Prizes, dance-offs & lip sync battles, mountains of confetti showers, Boozy Bingo and more! Granada Theater, 3022 Hennepin Ave. S, Minneapolis. Cost: \$30. For tickets, go to eventbrite.com, hello@bingo-loco.com.

Nisswa, MN

Xtreme Music Bingo! Dec. 4 & 18 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Listen and sing along to your favorite Christmas tunes while playing BINGO! Prizes for winners each round! Roundhouse Brewery, 23836 Smiley Rd., Nisswa.

Oakdale, MN

Pick-a-Present Bingo! Saturday, Dec. 21, 1:00 p.m. at Wild Boar Oakdale. Every Winner Gets to Pick a Present! Join us for a festive day of bingo fun at The Wild Boar Oakdale! Play your favorite game for a chance to win awesome presents just in time for the holidays. It's the perfect way to get into the holiday spirit with friends and family! Don't miss out on this joyful event—mark your calendars now! wildboarbarandgrill.com.

Pequot Lakes, MN

Bingo at Lucky's Tavern! Friday, Dec. 20. Every Friday from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Lucky's Tavern, 31020 Government Drive, Pequot Lakes. (218) 568-4177.

Plymouth, MN

Holiday Bingo! Friday, Dec. 5, 10:00 a.m. to noon at the Plymouth Community Center. Participants must be age 55 or older. Join us for a Holiday fun bingo event! Two cards max per player, per game. Coffee and snacks will be provided. Win fun prizes, sweet treats and gift cards! The fee is \$5 resident/\$7 non-resident. No day-of or walk-up registrations permitted. Registration required by November 29. 14800 34th Ave. N., Plymouth.

Roseville, MN

Thursday Bingo! Thursday, Dec. 26, 4:00 p.m. Join us for bingo every other Thursday! This is a free event open to the public as well as residents and families. Fun prizes! Bingo starts at 4:00 p.m. at the Preserve of Roseville in the community room on the second floor, 2600 Dale St. North. (952) 952-6720, Jessica.stauffer@preserveofroseville.com.

Sauk Rapids, MN

BINGO! Dec. 29, 6:30-8:30 p.m. and Sundays at 6:30 p.m. at Sauk Centre American Legion Post #67, 128 Main St. S., Sauk Centre. \$12.00 for 12) games of bingo three faces per game sheet. A great time with good friends. Food available for purchase during intermission. Also, don't miss the weekly raffle featuring \$15 Chamber Bucks certificates to each of the lucky raffle winners!

St. Paul, MN

16 Bar Bingo: Holiday Bingo! Dec. 23 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Buzz Music Theater presents 16 Bar BINGO at The Hive Collaborative! HOLIDAY EDITION! Join us for this new music trivia event, featuring local artist along with Hive owners Eric Morris & Laura Rudolph! 75 16-bar cuts of your favorite HOLIDAY SONGS. Three rounds of BINGO, with prizes for each round winner! Complimentary buzzy treats hosted by The Hive! Pay As You Wish starting at \$5. Purchase tickets on simplex.com. The Hive Collaborative, 677 Hamline Ave. N., Saint Paul.

Bingo with Buddy! Grab your candy, candy canes, and candy corns because we're playing BINGO with Buddy! Join your favorite elf, Buddy, for BINGO on Wednesday, Dec. 4 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Come early to grab a spot, BINGO will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. Buddy will be calling the numbers and you can get your photo with your favorite holiday friend. It's free to play, and we'll feature some fantastic prizes for winners, including the Grand Prize for the winner of the final Blackout Round! All ages are welcome for BINGO. Saint Paul Brewing Company-Ratzkeller, St. Paul. (651) 265-7800, summitbrewing.com.

St. Cloud, MN

Bingo Thursday! Bar Bingo every THURSDAY! 6:30-8:30 p.m.! Jackpots up to \$1,000! Lincoln Depot Bar & Grill, 629 Lincoln Ave. SE, St. Cloud. (320) 251-9211.

St. Peter, MN

New Year's Eve Bingo! Tuesday, Dec. 31 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. Drink and food specials available. American Legion Post #37, 229 Nassua St., St. Peter. (507) 934-6435.

Willmar, MN

Poultry Bingo! Wednesday, Dec. 11 at the Willmar Community Center. 5:30-7:00 p.m. Come out for some bingo fun! Win prizes! Make friends! Have fun! \$3.00 per person, two cards at a time. Other events in Willmar in December 2024 include: Christmas in the Village, Saturday, Dec. 7; Fiddle 'n Christmas, Saturday, Dec. 7; Carols, Cookies, Coffee and Cocoa Sing-a-long: Saturday, Dec. 14; Holiday Market: Saturday, Dec. 14; and... New Year's Eve-Eve Bingo on Thursday, Dec. 29 at 2:00 p.m. (cost: \$3). Willmar Community Center, 624 US-71 BUS, Willmar. willmarlakesarea.com, bdiem@willmarmn.gov (320) 262-5288.





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.



Treasure Island Resort & Casino

Live from the Island Events Center

Aaron Lewis: The American Patriot Tour, 7 PM Dec. 14

Dec. 15 **The Midtown Men: Holiday Hits Tour**, 6 PM

Dec. 20 **Daughtry** (rock), 8 PM

Dec. 31 **New Year's At The Island!** 8 PM

Dec. 31 **Club '84** (party like it's 1984!), 9 PM

Jan. 12 **Memories of Elvis**, 9 PM

Jan. 24 **Don Felder** (former lead guitar for the

Eagles), 8 PM

The Chris Hawkey Band (country & rock), 8 PM Feb. 7

Colter Wall and friends (country), 8 PM Feb. 21

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

Dec. 7 Sarah Silverman (comedian), 8 PM

Dec. 13 **Christmas with the Tenors**, 8 PM

Dec. 14 **Tower of Power: Holiday and Hits Tour, 8 PM**

Dec. 28 **New Year's Celebration!** Call for times

Dec. 31 **New Year's Celebration!** Call for times

San Holo NYE DJ Set (punk & alt-rock), 9 PM Dec. 31

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

Dec. 13 Hairball, 7 PM

Dec. 20 Big Bad Voodoo Daddy's Wild & Swingin'

Holiday Party, 7 PM

Clay Matthew (country), 7 PM Jan. 25

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

Dec. 23 Neal McCoy (country), 7 PM

Jan. 11 Chance Beckham (country), 7 PM

Feb. 16 The Music of ABBA, 6 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

Don Felder (former Eagles guitarist), 8 PM Dec. 6

Dec. 20 Lonestar (country), 8 PM

Jan. 10 **Lou Gramm** (of Foreigner - classic rock), 8 PM

LOWCASH (country), 8 PM Jan. 24

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

What should you do with top pair facing lots of aggression?

Imagine you are eight-handed in the World Series of Poker (WSOP) Main Event with 100,000 in chips at the 200/400/400 blind level. It folds to you in middle position and you look down at the AdQd. You raise to 1,000 and it folds around to a loose, splashy player on the button who three-bets to 3,400. A tight, aggressive player in the small blind then cold calls and it folds to you.

What should you do? The worst thing you could do is four-bet into two opponents who have shown lots of strength. You have a chance to put 2,400 chips into a pot that will be 11,000 closing the action, which is an excellent situation with your hand. While calling is definitely the right move, you should be cautious if you hit top pair on the flop. The tight, aggressive player in the small blind could easily have aces, kings, or ace-king, which means you should not start blasting when you hit top pair.

You call, the flop comes AcJs4s, and the small blind checks.

Even though this is a fine flop for you, you should almost never lead into the preflop three-bettor. The button can easily be holding aces, ace-jack, or ace-king, and you still have to worry about the small blind in this multi-way pot. If your check is followed by either a bet and a call or a bet and a raise, it is wise to fold your top pair.

You check, the button bets 6,000, and the small blind folds.

While not a premium hand, your ace-queen is certainly good enough to bluff catch when a splashy player bets. Rasing would charge your opponent when they hold two spades, but flush draws should make up only a small portion of their range. Calling forces your splashy opponent to stay in the pot with their entire range, which is what you want with your bluff catchers because if you raise, they will fold all or most of their junk that you crush.

You call and the turn is the 3h. You check and the button bets 12,000.

By making a reasonably large bet size on the turn, your opponent is showing a reason for you to be concerned. While they are representing a strong polarized range, you cannot fold to an overly aggressive opponent on this safe turn.

You make the call, the river is the Jd, and it checks through prompting you opponent to reveal the As5s. By playing cautiously you minimized risk but still won a nice pot.

Jonathan Little is a professional poker player and author with over \$7,000,000 in live tournament earnings. He writes a weekly educational blog and hosts a podcast at Jonathan-<u>LittlePoker.com</u>. Sign up to learn poker from Jonathan for free at PokerCoaching.com. You can follow him on Twitter @JonathanLittle.

What's New in Nevada

Food Hall coming to Venetian

Eater Las Vegas reports that the Venetian will open a food hall in "mid-2025." The Via Via Food Hall will be located "in the former quick-service dining section near the Grand Colonnade area of the resort's casino floor." Tenants so far include Las Vegas' second location of All'Antico Vinaio, the specialty sandwich shop from Florence, Italy, whose first shop is across from Durango. Other outlets will be Turkey and the Wolf, a New Orleans-based sandwich shop (ham and cranberry sauce, fried bologna, collared-green melt, headcheese taco) and Molly's Rise and Shine quick breakfasts, both from James Beard Award-nominated chef Mason Hereford; Howlin' Ray's, hot chicken from L.A.; Scarr's Pizza from New York; B.S. Taqueria, lately of the shuttered Sundry Food Hall out at the Uncommons; Ivan Ramen and izakaya; and a bar, Close Company.

Eagles extend again

Apparently, the world can't get enough Eagles concerts. For the fifth time since the original announcement of the superstar band's residency at Sphere, dates have been added. The new shows will be on March 7, 8, 14, and 15. Tickets are now only available only on reseller sites like StubHub and Vivid. The reviews of the shows are uniformly excellent.

Ellis Island expansion

Originally announced in April, the expansion at Ellis Island is starting to

take shape. The budget was reported in the Review-Journal at \$35 million, with which the casino will be enlarged by 6,500 square feet that will stretch, like Front Yard, out to the sidewalk, with a center bar, sports book, and back-of-the-house audiovisual area, and a new south service entrance. Much of the expansion will take the place of the shuttered micro-brewery that was demolished earlier this year. The project was initially expected to be completed early next year, but it looks like the timetable will be extended.

Palazzo Villas return

The Rio opened its Palazzo Villas in 1998 amidst a lot of high-end action in Las Vegas (Bellagio debuted that year, with the Venetian, Paris, and Mandalay Bay putting on their finishing touches to open in 1999). The nine-unit complex, the first high-roller suites to be separate from the hotel, cost \$55 million, a princely sum at the time. The suites range from 2,000-square-foot one-bedrooms to a 14,000-square-foot six-bedroom super suite (reportedly, all nine palazzos can be combined to create one 18-bedroom mansion). Ironically, the Palazzo Villas were built by Marnell, the original developer of the Rio, and opened mere months after Harrah's (now Caesars) Entertainment bought the Rio for \$880 million, then quickly divested the place of its whale business. Caesars finally shut down the Villas in 2019, but now new-owner Dreamscape has reopened them. The one-bedrooms start at \$3,500, the three-bedrooms \$5,000, and the six bedroom \$6,000.

At the Casinos

Treasure Island Resort and Casino

NEW YEAR'S AT THE ISLAND!

Island Event Center 5734 Sturgeon Lake Rd. Welch MN 55089 Tuesday, Dec. 31, 8:00 p.m. Indoor Event, Ages 21+

The countdown is on! Celebrate the start of 2025 with giveaways, entertainment, dining specials, drink specials and more fun. Mark your calendar now and check back later for the full lineup!

And...

\$15,000 CONCERT NIGHT FREE SLOT PLAY GIVEAWAY! Aaron Lewis & Daughtry

Stick around after select concerts for your chance to win a share of \$15,000 FREE slot play! Earn entries by playing with your Island Passport Club card. You'll receive one entry for every 10 base points you earn starting the Monday before the show. You'll also receive one FREE entry each day you visit an Island Passport Club kiosk and 25 entries for every 10 base points you earn the day of the show.

And....

SUNDAY SELECTIONS! (All football season)

Place your pro football picks for a chance to win \$100 FREE slot play! Huddle up at an Island Passport Club kiosk Tuesday-Saturday to predict the winners of the four selected Sunday football games. If all of your picks are correct, visit an Island Passport Club kiosk the following Tuesday-Saturday to receive your FREE slot play.

And...

MAN CAVE MONDAY! Mondays during football season

Create your ultimate fan zone with gear from Man Cave Monday! Kick off your pregame party on Monday nights by earning drawing slips for your chance to level up your space. For every 20 base points you earn with your Island Passport Club card, you'll receive a drawing slip when you visit Parlay. Earn up to five drawing slips and drop them in the drawing barrel, then stick around for the game and drawings at halftime.

And...

BIRTHDAY PROMOTION! Your Birthday Month

Birthdays just got a little more

exciting at Treasure Island Resort & Casino! During the month of your birthday, you'll have a chance to win up to \$1,000 FREE slot play. You'll also receive a dining credit and \$20 off at Island Bingo with the purchase of a special pack. Visit a kiosk and swipe your Island Passport Club card during your birthday month to get these great offers.

Mystic Lake Casino

DECK THE HALLS! FILL YOUR PUNCH CARD FOR FREE BLACKJACK PLAY!

Sundays-Saturdays, Dec. 1-28

Pick up a punch card at any Mystic Lake blackjack table and get a punch when you're dealt a suited blackjack. Fill your card with punches for all four suits in a week and win Free Blackjack Play! Hit the three-card suited sevens combination during the week and win additional Free Blackjack Play! Earn punches 24 hours per day, Sunday through Saturday.

And...

RUN THIS ROUTE AND SCORE EVERY TIME!

Score a round trip ride to a Minnesota Vikings home game at U.S. Bank Stadium for just \$15! No parking. No traffic. No worries! PLUS Get a voucher for one free beer valid only at the U.S. Bank Downtown East Plaza (located by the Legacy Gate Entry, off Chicago Avenue near the intersection with South 6th Street), courtesy of Molson Coors. You'll also get \$15 Mysticash® upon your return!

REGULAR SEASON HOME GAMES Sunday, Dec. 1 vs. Arizona Sunday, Dec. 8 vs. Atlanta Monday, Dec. 16 vs. Chicago Sunday, Dec. 29 vs. Green Bay

Reservations are required for bus service from Mystic Lake to U.S. Bank Stadium and back at least 48 hours in advance.

And...

UNWRAP A SHARE OF \$65,000 IN PRIZES!

Saturday, Dec. 7-21, 2:00-9:00 p.m. PRELIMINARY DRAWINGS 2:00-8:00 p.m. Three lucky guests every hour will win up to \$1,000 Mysticash®!

GRAND PRIZE DRAWING 9:00 p.m. Our Grand Prize winner will unwrap a holiday prize pack worth up to \$10,000! Two runners-up will each receive \$1,000 Mysticash.

Simply swipe your Club M® card

starting at 1:00 p.m. to enter. Earn a bonus drawing entry for every five Tier Points earned starting at 12:00 a.m. Dec. 1 through drawing times.

Jackpot Junction Casino Hotel

SANTA CLAUS IS VISITING! (Santa's sleigh stops here!)

Sundays, Dec. 1 & 8, 9:00 a.m. -Noon Ho-Ho-Holiday cheer is here! Santa is coming to Jackpot Junction Casino Hotel, and he's ready for pictureperfect moments with YOU! Make this season extra merry and bright for your loved ones, big and small! This event is FREE and open to all ages. It's a

holly-day event you won't want to miss!

And ...

GIFT CARDS

Ongoing Casino Promotion – Gift cards can be purchased in the casino gift shop. Jackpot gift cards make great birthday, Christmas, and anniversary gifts... or just because!

Black Bear Casino

FOOTBALL TICKET GIVEAWAY! Win Tickets Mondays during the regular 2024 Season

Drawing Dates:

Dec. 2 - Falcons

Dec. 9 - Bears (Monday Game) Dec. 23 - Packers

Players can earn points to earn a pair of stadium tickets for a US Bank Stadium game on select Mondays prior to the next home football game.

Players can begin earning ticket entries starting 12:01 a.m. on the drawing day all the way up until 5:59 p.m. Drawing for all 10 pairs of tickets starts at 6:00 p.m.

And...

HOT SEAT HUDDLES! Sundays during the regular Football Season!

Dec. 1, 8, 22, 29 from 12:00-4:00 p.m. Drawings: Five Hot Seats every hour. 20 winners throughout the day. Each winner will be awarded \$100 in cash. Guests may win more than once.

And...

BLACK FRIDAY GIVEAWAY! Friday, December 6th!

Drawings from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Four winners each hour! Earn entries starting Dec. 1 at 12:01 a.m. until drawing end time Dec. 6. Players can earn drawings entries for a chance to

win some high-tech prizes just in time for the holidays! Come celebrate Black Friday at the Bear!

Prizes include: Playstation 5 w/ Sony Wireless Headset; Xbox Series X w/Microsoft Wireless Headset; 75 inch Samsung TV; Macbook Air 13.6" Laptop.

Shooting Star Casino

FROST FORTUNE FRENZY!

Dec 1, 8, 15, 22 & 25, 4:00-8:00 p.m. Mahnomen & Bagley

Santa wants to say sorry in advance. Your Christmas gift might not fit under the tree this year. On Christmas Day you could win loads of cash or a new pickup truck. Receive one entry for every 25 slot/tier points from Nove. 25-Dec. 25.

HOURLY Cash Drawings – Win up to \$2,000! Grand Prize drawing – New Truck, Dec. 25. Bonus Entries Saturdays starting Nov. 30, earn 50 slot/tier points and swipe at the kiosk to receive 100 bonus entries. Please review Rules prior to entering!

And...

BOXING DAY CANADIAN AT PAR!

Mahnomen & Bagley Dec 26-27 (Ends Jan. 27)

Welcome, Canadians! Receive the currency exchange rate plus Star Cash to bring your total up to 100%. Earn 75 points daily to exchange \$100 CND at par. For every additional 75 points earned daily, receive \$100 at par up to \$500 per day. Points must be earned between 2:00 a.m. and 11:59 p.m. Please review rules before playing



Top 10 Vegas values for December

- 1. Steak Dinner Ellis Island Casino 24 hours \$9.99
- 2. Buffet Palms Daily \$21.50-\$40.50
- **3.** \$1 Beer Stage Door Casino and Lounge 24 hours \$1.00
- 4. Hot Dog/Beer Downtown Grand Daily \$2.00
- 5. Shrimp Cocktail Slots A Fun Daily \$2.00
- 6. Breakfast Emerald Island Daily \$5.49
- 7. **Prime Rib •** Ellis Island Casino & Brewery Tues-Sun \$17.50
- 8. Magic of Jen Kramer Westgate LV Daily \$38.46 for 2
- 9. \$1 Blackjack Downtown Grand Daily \$1.20
- 10. Souvenir Photo Binion's 24 hours Free

Across Country Tours

Get On The Bus To Amazing!

Treasure Island Resort & Casino

Wed., Dec. 4 • \$30.00 Special Double Down on Thurs., Dec. 12 & 19 • \$30

Jackpot Junction Casino

Mon. & Tues., Dec. 16 & Dec. 17 Package includes one night hotel stay and \$50 on players card. Jan. 1-2 — Only \$119 per person double or \$129 per person single.

Prairie's Edge Casino

Tues.-Wed., Dec. 10-11
Package includes one night hotel stay and \$50 on players card (\$40 on first day and \$10 on the second day).

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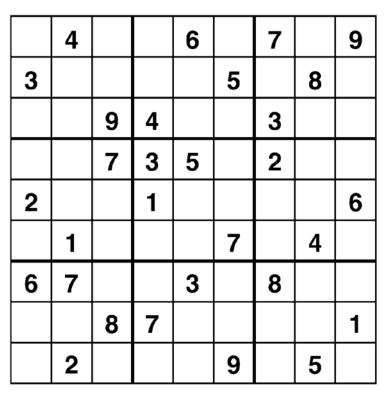
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- 2 Letter-shaped beam
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- 34 Mission Control org.
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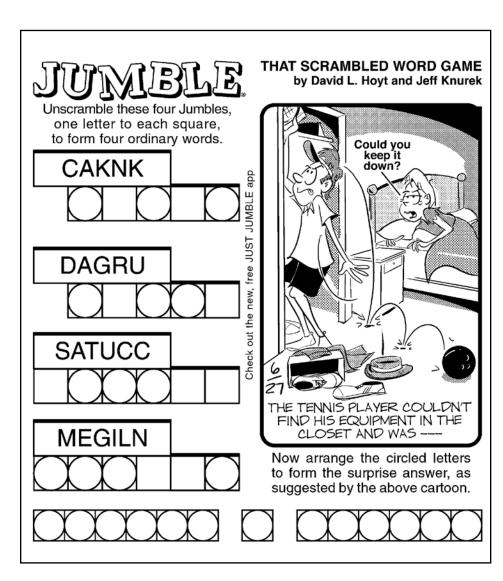
BUGLE SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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: ◆





DECEMBER



CHRISTMAS

TUESDAY - SUNDAY

MATINEE SESSIONS: 1PM & 3PM EVENING SESSIONS: 6PM & 8PM DOORS OPEN AT 12PM

Play to WIN at Foxhole Bingo Lounge. With the highest paying games in the Twin Cities and a full menu of Crooked Pint food and drinks, we're the place for serious fun. From cash tornadoes to HUGE giveaways and special events, there's always something happening at Foxhole. Come for the games, stay for the experience!

Celebrate your birthday at Foxhole! Visit within 7 days and get a FREE \$100 VIP Vixen Package—plus \$5 OFF for everyone in your party!



GAME DAY TICKETS



Win the ultimate game day experience during our Twelve Days of Christmas celebration! On Day 2, Sunday, December 15th, Foxhole Bingo Lounge is giving away TWO lower-deck tickets to see the Vikings take on the Green Bay Packers at U.S. Bank Stadium. These Section 143 seats could be yours! The lucky winner will be drawn during the 8 PM session. Enter once at every session (1 PM, 3 PM, 6 PM, and 8 PM) for your chance to win. No purchase necessary—don't miss out!

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Find us off of 35E & Larpenteur below Crooked Pint Ale House 1734 Adolphus Street N, Maplewood, MN 55117

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NEW YEAR'S EVE SESSION

Tuesday, December 31, evening session

End the year with a win during our special New Year's Eve bingo session! Celebrate with your chance to be one of 20 winners of up to \$1,000 FREE slot play, \$2,025 cash or another great prize. You'll receive a drawing slip for each entry pack you purchase with your Island Passport Club card. Twelve-card paper packs will be \$70, and 30-card electronic packs will be \$75. Regular games will pay \$1,199 and some special game consolation payouts will be increased.

NEW YEAR'S DAY CHEAP SEATS

Wednesday, January 1, matinee session

Celebrate New Year's Day at Island Bingo! Purchase a \$20 paper pack or \$22 electronic pack for your chance to win \$300 on all regular games during this special Cheap Seats session.

CHARITY BINGO

December 1-31, both sessions

Bingo for a great cause! Join us every day this month for a special charity game following intermission. The buy-in is just \$1, and a portion of proceeds will benefit Hastings Family Service. It's a win-win!





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	VEDNESDAY THURSDAY		SATURDAY			
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