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Ring in the Year of the Fire Horse

This year we can celebrate three days when the man is always right. That would be the 29th, 30th, and 31st of February 2026.

—Ms. Anonymous

by N.L. Preston

Sorry, dear readers, but we don't get an extra day this month as it is not a leap year. If it were, we would have an extra 24 hours to do stupid crap, act like idiots, and/or beg forgiveness from those we've previously alienated. Leap year occurs every four years so the next one is 2028; a year evenly divided by four. That's how you know when Leap Year is happening; or just check your February calendar, LOL. Wouldn't it be cool if that extra day every four years became a federal paid holiday? Those employed could enjoy a relax-and-chill day although some retirees, like Robert and me, do this most days anyway.

For those of you who are gainfully employed, did you know that Feb. 6th is Working Naked Day? But, before you dash out your door naked as a jaybird, be advised that this day only refers to those who work remotely from their homes. Started in 2010, it's meant to encourage these workers to dress down or ditch their clothes completely so they're more comfortable as they do their computer projects. However, they should remember to dress appropriately from the waist up whenever zoom meetings are involved. No one will be the wiser if you're pantless, not to mention missing your undies, as long as you're careful about



your camera angles. Not being careful with them might cause the @#\$% to hit the fan, along with your job, if your boss sees your naked fanny.

The middle of this month, Feb. 17-March 3rd, is Chinese New Year. To impress your friends and family, greet them with this phrase, Kung Hei Fat Cho. It's a traditional Chinese greeting meaning best wishes for a prosperous and happy new year. I have been told to usher in good luck in the coming year I need to stay up till midnight on Chinese New Year's Eve and utter only good/happy words while avoiding harsh ones until after midnight. The next day on Feb. 17th, I should give red packets containing money to children and elders to keep Nian, the bad luck demon, away from me and mine. And, oh yeah, I should decorate my house with kumquat trees which summon wealth and good luck; wear yellow or red which are lucky colors; and eat flour coated

peanuts and walnut cookies to enhance my wealth and happiness in 2026. My only question is, where in the heck do I get a kumquat tree?

The Chinese Zodiac designates this as the Year of the Fire Horse; a symbol of energy, freedom, and passion. As for me, I was born in the Year of the Fire Dog meaning I am sincere, honest, helpful, and a great listener. U.S. Presidents Donald Trump, George W. Bush, and Bill Clinton were all born in 1946, making them Fire Dogs also. Hmm-mm. I guess I'm in good company, or not, depending on one's political views.

Also, don't forget, Feb. 1st is Spunky Old Broads Day. Find one, two, or more and take them to bingo with you. They'll liven up the games with shenanigans as that's what spunky old broads are inclined to do.

Gaming News

Legal cheating explained

An excellent 19-minute video, "How They Legally Cheated Every Casino For \$21 Million, Then Vanished," animates the story of Phil Ivey and Kelly Sun as they milked casinos for tens of millions, "using a technique so clever, so subtle, that even the surveillance cameras didn't catch it." The video shows Kelly turning Ivey onto edge sorting, illustrating the concept complete with a magnifying glass. "How do you get the casinos to rotate the cards?" he asks her. Her answer is surprisingly simple—and it launched an epic takedown of casinos in London and Atlantic City. The whole story is told in the book *Advantage Players*.

Three New York City casinos approved

Three casinos are coming to the five boroughs—two in Queens and one in the Bronx. The New York state Gaming Commission made the official announcement late December, capping off a process that had been a dozen years in the making. The decision to award licenses to Bally's Bronx at Ferry Point, Hard Rock Metropolitan Park near Citi Field, and Resorts World New York City near JFK Airport could transform the city's economic and entertainment landscape in the coming years. The state is banking on a hefty financial return, beyond the \$500 million licensing fee to be paid by each of the casinos. An evaluation released by the Gaming Facility Location Board stated that

with around 20 million people living in the metro area as well as a stream of domestic and international tourists, the total downstate casino market "could reach approximately \$5.5 billion in gross gaming revenue in 2033," more than enough to sustain a thriving downstate gaming industry. Within the first decade of operation, the board predicted the three facilities would collectively generate almost \$13 billion in taxes, including \$7 billion in gaming taxes and \$5.9 billion in hotel, sales and property taxes. While advocates pointed to the thousands of jobs the projects are expected to generate, proponents worried about the potential toll on small businesses and families harmed by gambling addiction.



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Bingo News

Bingo returns to Vegas strip

Circus Circus is bringing back the beloved game by "opening a bingo hall that embraces the true vintage Vegas bingo experience, built around paper cards, ink daubers, cheap eats and live gameplay," according to an official press release. The new bingo hall at Circus Circus is slated to open this Feb..

Bingo hasn't been offered on the Las Vegas Strip for one simple economic reason: It doesn't make enough money to justify the space. Bingo rooms are considered an amenity, much like buffets and spas, and they tend to have big footprints, with hundreds of seats, dedicated staff, equipment and fixed session times. They produce only a fraction of the revenue a casino can earn by filling that same square footage with slot machines. Plus, Bingo players tend to be locals, value-seekers and lower theoretical gamblers who aren't likely to spend big on slots, tables, bottle service or upscale dining before or after their bingo session.

Why, then, is Circus Circus bringing back bingo? Says Shana Gerety, General Manager at Circus Circus Las Vegas, "We've seen a lot of success leaning into nostalgia as we continue to refresh and update Circus Circus Las Vegas. It started with Slots-A-Fun, the only coin-operated casino on the Las Vegas Strip and enhancing the food and beverage options, by offering cheap beer and bites. Our customers loved the experience, and we're excited to offer the Strip's only bingo hall, with affordable pricing, great food and beverage options, and a true bingo experience without a tablet doing the work for you."

The hall will accommodate 255 players per session, and feature six sessions daily at the start. Each session will feature 10 total games, including traditional bingo games, a bonus game and a coverall, all played on paper with daubers. Guests will be able to purchase a full session package for \$30, with the opportunity to purchase additional cards. Prizes will be paid in cash, with payouts starting at \$50 and reaching up to \$1,500. The hall is located on the Promenade level and steps away from a new concession stand serving classic favorites, including hot dogs, pretzels, nachos, beer and a selection of cocktails. Circus

Circus will also debut a new gaming space outside of the bingo hall with popular coin-operated slot machines, enhancing the throwback experience.

Bingo boosts soldier morale

On a recent Wednesday, scores of off-duty Soldiers and civilians talked, danced in place, and sang along to Shake it Off by Taylor Swift as they waited in line at the Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR) Stage and Entertainment area on Camp Buehring, Kuwait. A strategic staging and training post for Active Duty and National Guard troops alike, Camp Buehring was winding down for the night as the audience arrived to receive their game cards for the bi-weekly Bingo Night. This important morale event has become a staple of the base's community, offering a fun and engaging outlet, as well as high-end prizes.

During deployments, the stress of performing rigorous tasks daily in the heat of the desert, miles away from home, is quick to weigh on any person. While the post provides numerous resources such as sports tournaments, movie theatres, and recreation area to help, the MWR team has found few things have been more beneficial than a night out for Bingo with friends. MWR Volunteer DJ, Jake Bustos, says it's a reminder of home.

The Bingo Nights on Camp Buehring begin at 7 p.m. every Wednesday and Saturday night, with players checking in to receive their game cards. Music blasts throughout the post as Bustos deejays to start the night and in between rounds. A Volunteer MC explains which board arrangement will win the game and lights up an LED lightboard to help players track their play. Players are encouraged to participate throughout by joining the MC in call-and-response chants to certain combinations and shouting "Bingo!" loudly to indicate they have come up with the correct arrangement on their cards. Substantial prizes such as wireless speakers, ear buds, blankets, and even televisions are on offer. Bingo Night continues to be a vital occurrence for fostering esprit de corps on Camp Buehring, and MWR plans to keep hosting it for residents.



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Veterans Post

Saving lives with Buddy Check

One of the most valuable things you can do in the new year will be to check on your buddies, those you've served with and those in your area, and make a regular routine of it. It's called Buddy Check, and you could be saving a life.

A few stats:

- Depending on the source you read, there are 17 to 22 veteran suicides per day. Yes, the numbers have decreased slightly over the years, but even one is too many.

- The rate of male veteran suicides is 60% higher than for nonveterans. For women veterans, the numbers are even higher.

- The reasons vary. Between needing to adjust to civilian life, homelessness, not wanting to ask for help and PTSD, many of our buddies are in trouble, especially if brain injury is part of the equation.

This is where Buddy Check comes in.

Go online to va.gov and search for "Veteran Buddy Checks." Click on the fact-packed 20-minute training video and learn how you can help. Become familiar with the S.A.V.E. acronym—know the Signs, Ask the right ques-

tions, Value their life and Enlist help.

Your best source to locate other veterans is the Together We Served website (www.TogetherWeServed.com). Once on the site, you'll find a unit directory and over 2 million veterans who've signed up. You can start with their Facebook page: www.facebook.com/TogetherWeServed.

Look at the American Legion Buddy Check. Go to www.legion.org and search for "Buddy Check." Learn about their program and download the tool kit.

If you are the one who needs help, don't wait, don't hesitate. Help is only a phone call away, day or night, at the Veterans Crisis Line. Dial 988 and press 1. Or text to 838255. For confidential support for a family member or friend, see VeteransCrisisLine.net.

Fun Fact

Memories that are linked with a specific smell carry more emotion than visual memories. The nerve signals that share sights, sounds and touch typically go through the thalamus. Smell signals bypass this area and go to the olfactory bulb and then to the amygdala and hippocampus, which deal with higher-level thinking.

Source: health.clevelandclinic.org



by Sam Mazzotta

DEAR PAWS: I find it weird that my two dogs, "Shep" and "Bull," can eat just about anything (I have to hide all the pet food), while my cat "Trudy" will turn up her nose at most food. And although she's perfectly healthy, sometimes she gets sick after eating wet or fresh food. Why? — *Sarah in Madison, Wisconsin*

DEAR SARAH: Cats' eating behaviors have long been a source of curiosity for both pet owners and the scientific community. Why do they turn their nose up at certain foods and chow down on others? Why do they sometimes throw up after eating? Why do they gnaw on grass?

Good-luck grandma

A man is crediting a surprise run-in with his grandma at an Illinois convenience store as the reason why he ended up winning a \$1 million Powerball prize. The lucky winner, who gave himself the fitting nickname "Grandma is My Lucky Charm," told lottery officials that his luck began after he decided to purchase the ticket at a Road Ranger in Rochelle. "The \$240 million jackpot drawing was that night, but I work late, so I took a quick lunch break to grab a ticket and try my luck," he said. Before he even walked into the store, he noticed a car that looked just like the one his grandma drove. "And guess what? It was her car

The answer is: It's complicated, and no one is entirely sure. A 2015 study, for example, found that cats have some genes that are more commonly possessed by herbivores (animals that eat only plants, like cows). These particular genes help them detect bitter flavors, alerting them to potentially poisonous plants.

This research opens a new avenue into understanding why cats are more picky about their food than dogs tend to be. If cats are detecting a bitter taste in their food then they may be less inclined to eat it. And, a bitter taste also may trigger a vomiting response to safeguard against ingesting what is perceived to be poison.

The study's results could lead to changes in how commercial producers formulate their cat food.

In the meantime, feeding a finicky cat remains a trial-and-error process. Try small amounts of different foods — dry, wet and fresh — and note Trudy's likes and dislikes.

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

Guy's Turn

and she was right by the cash register, checking out," he said. Then she ran over and gave him a hug. Later that night he got the big news when he scanned his ticket and saw the words: "You won \$1,000,004."

"That's when I started screaming and hyperventilating," he recalled. "I instantly called my grandma, and her first response was, 'Are you sure you won?'" he said. "I checked the numbers manually online, and everything matched—except the Powerball."

The man said he plans to share some of his earnings with his grandma and buy her a new car. He added, "She's my good luck charm!"

this woman brought her kids to Bingo because she clearly had no other option. I decided from that moment that I would not be so quick to look negatively on a single parent and his or her kids in social situations. —*Henry, via email*

Hi Henry,

I'm a total sucker for kids—except for the ones you feared you might be confronted with—noisy, misbehaving brats who should not be allowed in public. Ever!

I'm glad you realized that we should never assume the worst when it comes to kids at Bingo. While some folks argue that Bingo is gambling and children should not be "exposed" to it, others, like me, see it as a game and have no problem with kids playing or simply being in the hall with an adult. Well behaved kids, that is. And may we all be less quick to judge others, kids or adults. —*Guy*

Hey guys! (And gals!) Write to: Guy's Turn c/o The Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or e-mail the editor at tara@bingobugle.com. Be sure to include your name and address (you may request that your name not be published), as typically Guy will not include anonymous letters in his columns.

by Guy Williams

Assuming the worst

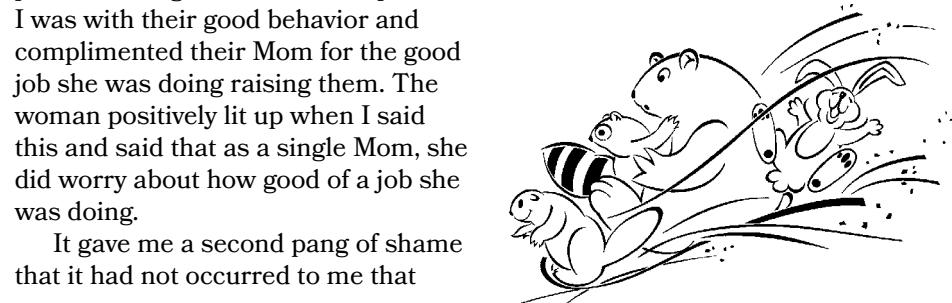
Hi Guy,

This week when I was at Bingo, I was hit with one of my biggest dreads—a woman with two small kids arrived at Bingo late after I was all settled in and sat at my table.

I could just imagine how the evening would go, with these two littles squirming, fussing and complaining and being bored while I tried to ignore them and concentrate on the numbers. So, I was surprised and a little ashamed when they sat quietly in their chairs and did coloring books and drawings and minded their manners for the entire night.

When the games ended and we were all packing up to leave, I made a point of telling the kids how impressed I was with their good behavior and complimented their Mom for the good job she was doing raising them. The woman positively lit up when I said this and said that as a single Mom, she did worry about how good of a job she was doing.

It gave me a second pang of shame that it had not occurred to me that



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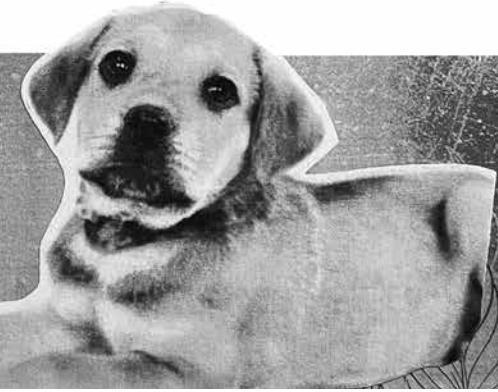
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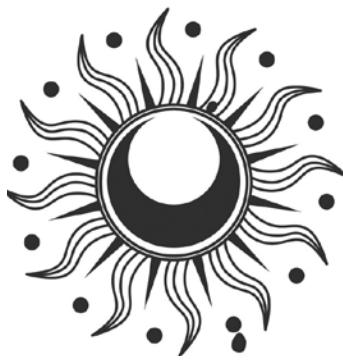
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Star Luck Fortunes

by Frederick Woodruff
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Horoscopes for February

ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20): You're about to engage with the complexities of bringing new creations to life. This process will force you to reevaluate your relationships. A maturation process is underway, one that blends the imaginal with the discipline required to bring ideas to fruition.

Lucky Days: 1 - 10

Lucky Numbers: 19 - 56

TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21): You're exiting a learning curve that forced you to confront feelings of insecurity and submission. You learned firsthand to confirm that some things aren't knowable or controllable. An opportunity arises this year to simplify the complexities in your life. But you must be willing to go where others fear to tread.

Lucky Days: 8 - 23

Lucky Numbers: 3 - 33

GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21): Make a commitment to adopt a realistic approach toward your goals now. Bring outside assistance to help anchor you to the most realistic path forward: a wise friend, a skilled instructor (or savvy accountant) can assist you in

getting where you want to go with minimal frustration.

Lucky Days: 9 - 11

Lucky Numbers: 2 - 17

CANCER (JUN 22-JUL 22): Feb. requires that you tighten things up on the domestic front. Exert your authority to straighten up any unruly financial situations. Furthermore, minimize clutter—both literal and figurative. You operate optimally when your environment reflects order and security.

Lucky Days: 8 - 21

Lucky Numbers: 5 - 43

LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23): You might feel frustrated if you depend too much on others and their opinions. Ask yourself if you can forge a new path that isn't dependent on approval. If you feel feedback is necessary, be discerning about whom you invite to assess your plans. See if you can find a middle zone between self-promotion and rethinking what you're attempting to share.

Lucky Days: 11 - 20

Lucky Numbers: 4 - 32

VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23): You want to shine now! Your desire to return to an active social life is kicking back into gear. Existing, long-term relationships might feel stale; reassess carefully who is going to stay and who will go. If you're partnered, speak with your mate about your needs rather than expecting them to read your mind.

Lucky Days: 22 - 28

Lucky Numbers: 3 - 23

LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23): You have a strong compulsion to clear the decks now—on all fronts: work, home, and your social circle. Important clues for your new direction are percolating in your unconscious. For guidance, pay attention to your dreams and where your mind wanders when you're at peace.

Lucky Days: 8 - 25

Lucky Numbers: 19 - 50

SCORPIO (OCT 24-NOV 22): Liberation is buzzing in the air for you now.

Uranus—the disruptor—has finally exited its opposition to your sign, and you feel like a genie released from a bottle. Assuming your new path forward requires a willingness to relinquish the past. Let it go, let it blow.

Lucky Days: 2 - 12

Lucky Numbers: 3 - 18

SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23-DEC 21):

You might feel lodged between two worlds this month. Surprising and shocking revelations keep coming at you—left and right. How bumpy the ride ahead will be will depend on your willingness to embrace transformation. One door closes another door opens.

Lucky Days: 3 - 10

Lucky Numbers: 6 - 60

CAPRICORN (DEC 22-JAN 20): Part of you loves the peace of mind that solitude allows. But as spring approaches, you find yourself ready to circulate and promote the various projects you've cultivated. Stay social, but then continue to carve out the private time you require to recharge your batteries.

Lucky Days: 4 - 27

Lucky Numbers: 5 - 19

AQUARIUS (JAN 21-FEB 19): Pluto, the regenerating planet, in your sign for a long haul, requires that you embrace the process of removing dead wood. You can expect this to challenge your self-confidence. And that's OK; you're on your way to establishing a whole new way of experiencing yourself (and the world.)

Lucky Days: 3 - 9

Lucky Numbers: 2 - 44

PISCES (FEB 20-MAR 20): Saturn will (finally) exit your sign for good; stop and congratulate yourself. You've been forged into an entirely new person. Reviewing the past couple of years, you'll see that commitment and discipline won the day for you. Now you're ready to return to the free-flowing nature of your imagination.

Lucky Days: 1 - 10

Lucky Numbers: 6 - 15

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... The blocks of the Washington Monument are held together by gravity and friction, rather than mortar.

... Ancient Romans gave a hard "no" to the practice of eating butter, with Pliny the Elder referring to butter as "the choicest food among barbarian tribes." Why? Mainly because they used it for treating burns and thus thought of it as a medicinal salve rather than food.

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... The leather diamond patch on the outside of backpacks, called a "lash tab," was initially used by mountaineers to secure their gear.

... Harvard University is older than calculus.

... Some research has shown that up to 40% of a worker ant colony may remain idle while their comrades soldier on with the labor. But before you label them lazy, one theory, based on scientific observation, is that keeping a team of workers on standby allows the colonies to stay productive.

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FLASHBOARD NUMBERS

B:	02	05	08	12	14
I:	18	19	21	24	25
N:	32	33	35	36	39
G:	47	50	53	55	59
O:	61	64	69	72	73

LUCKY LOTTO NUMBERS



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The continuing adventures of Bingo John

The one in the woods



(Dear Reader, when we last saw Bingo John, he was headed down river to visit all the Bingo halls in the country. But tragedy struck when his canoe capsized, and he ended up in log jam and was pulled under!)

I felt myself blacking out as the current pushed me into the tangled logs at the bend in the river. I could feel the slick logs holding on to me like a den of oily snakes. My mind started going blank, and in the darkness, I saw a splinter of light. It was the image of Sarah-Mae. She said it was Valentine's Day, and I better not die. Because she was expecting a big present.

Next thing I remembered, I was sitting on an island in the middle of the river. My canoe was tied to a tree, but I had no memory of getting out or tying up the canoe.

I was wet and shivering. Fortunately, I always keep a pocketknife, a lighter, and Bingo money in my pockets at all times. I gathered a few sticks and dry leaves, and I used the lighter to start the fire. Once I was dry, I sat down by a smooth tree and fell into a deep sleep.

I woke up to an agitation like demons gnawing on my bones. It was mosquitos, thousands, covering my face and arms. I jumped up, and ran as fast

as I could, swiping at the insects. In the distance, I saw a clearing in the forest. As I got closer, I could smell cooking in the air. The smoke came from a small cabin at the opposite edge of the opening. Outside, an old man was sitting on a bench. In his lap was a plate of beans and bacon, but he wasn't touching it. Once I got closer, close enough to smell the food, a young woman came out of the cabin. I was dumbfounded. She was the most beautiful woman I had seen. She wore grey homespun clothes and a red handkerchief covered her silver hair. Her skin was pale like fresh milk and floating in her face were a pair of crystal blue eyes.

She stooped over to help the old man. "Pa, you need some food," she said.

"Save it for yourself. You need the energy for the Bingo hall," he said. Then he pushed the plate in her direction.

"I don't have time for this," she said, putting her arms on her hips.

The old man put the plate down on the ground. The daughter went back inside then came back out with a red silk purse. She kissed the old man on the cheek then headed off into the woods.

The old man sat for a while his face upturned into the sun. After a short time, his head fell to the side, and he was asleep. Their house was connected to an unused pig sty. I crept through the woods to the back side of the house then crawled inside the pig sty. On my belly I got up close to where the old man was sleeping. Through chinks in the wall I could see the old man's spot. If I rolled over, I could see inside the house.

My hunger was overwhelming.

I reached through the crack and grabbed the plate of uneaten food. After I was done, I put a few bills on the plate. Right when I sat it down, he woke up.

"Who's there?" he asked, waving the stick around.

He turned around in my direction. His eyes were two white marbles in his pale face.

"I said, who's there?" He asked.

I remained frozen like a statue. He felt around for the plate. His hands came on the money. Then he got still.

"It's you ain't it?" he said. "You're the One in The Woods. I knew you'd come. I knew you'd help when we needed it."

I didn't know what he was talking about. But after a few minutes he fell back asleep. Later that evening the girl came back. When she saw the old man sitting with the plate of money on his lap, she gasped. She took the money, carefully folded the bills, and put them in her dress.

"Come on Pa, let's go inside," she said.

After they got inside, I rolled over and watched her get him into a worn chair. He woke up and told her the, "One in The Woods" brought him the money. She said she knew he'd been hiding a few bills for the right moment, what with the doctor bills for little Johnny coming due.

She thanked him. Then said, "Think of it as a Valentine's Day present."

"Seriously," he said, "It was the One in The Woods."

Right then and there a deep welling started in my heart. Those Bingo winnings were going to do some good. I figured I'd hang around a few days and see what this little family was all about.

Next time: Bingo John gets caught.



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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.

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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!

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October: Peter Adolphson, Treasure Island Bingo; Dorothy Eaglefeather, Roseville Bingo Hall; Vincent Sumner, West St. Paul Bingo Palace; Teresa Griffith, Little Canada Bingo Hall. **November:** Trudy O'Marro, Foxhole Bingo Lounge; Tammy Beyer, Roseville Bingo Hall; Miracle Magnum, Marian KC Bingo; Renee Johnson, Treasure Island Bingo. **December:** Mike Jensen, Little Canada Bingo Hall; Nancy Wettstein, Marian KC Bingo; Michelle Sitta, Treasure Island Bingo; Cynthia R. Krupenny, Foxhole Bingo Lounge. **January:** Charlene Sticha, Roseville Bingo Hall; Ellen Brandon, Treasure Island Bingo; Sara Larson, Little Canada Bingo Hall; Danny Wolbersen, West St. Paul Bingo Palace.

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THURSDAY

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Dear Aunt Bingo

by Bonnie Mitchell

Support your local Bingos!

Dear Aunt Bingo,

We just had a church Bingo close because of lack of attendance. I was talking with my sister on the phone last week and she said that one of her favorite Bingos closed a few months ago. I think this is terrible and I am worried that more Bingos might close.

I hope you will print this letter in your column to encourage people to keep supporting their local Bingos and do all they can to encourage new players to come and enjoy the Bingo games. —Staci C., Illinois, via e-mail

Dear Staci,

These are wise words—for two reasons. First, we all love Bingo and want as many opportunities to play in as many Bingo halls as possible. Secondly, charity Bingo is a crucial source of revenue for countless charitable organizations. Without the support of local Bingo halls, the good works of these charities will either be scaled back or may disappear altogether.

Let's all act on Staci's call to action. Help support your favorite Bingo hall by bringing a new player—a son, a daughter, a spouse, a neighbor—to the next games you attend. This simple act will help guarantee the future of

the game we love and the good works it supports. And consider volunteering, a critical factor in charity bingo's continued success! —Aunt Bingo

Dear Aunt Bingo,

Last night I played Bingo at a Bingo hall in Arizona. When I entered the hall and went to the table I normally sit at, I looked down and found a debit card on the floor. I immediately went to the Bingo cashier, and she knew who the person was that lost the debit card. She gave it to her, and I did not even get a thank you from that woman. How rude are people? Lucky the right person found it. —DS, via e-mail

Dear DS,

Manners definitely seem to be falling by the wayside more and more these days. Often its young people who lack manners, which makes it all the more galling when we see rude behavior from our peers. This woman's behavior aside, the important thing to remember is that you did the right thing and the card was returned to its owner. Thank you! —Aunt Bingo

Write to Aunt Bingo c/o the Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070, or email her editor at tara@bingobugle.com. Be sure to include your name and address (you can request your name not be published), as typically she will not include anonymous letters in her columns.



And the Grand Champion is!

Cynthia Lehmann of River Falls, Wisconsin, pictured here with Tournament Director and Bingo Bugle publisher, Dennis Conroy, took home top prize and the title of Grand Champion aboard the Bingo Bugle's World Championship Bingo Tournament and Gaming Cruise this past November. Cynthia came into the final Bingo session hot, with two prior \$1,200 wins; in the final session she sealed the deal with yet another \$1,200 win (astonishing luck!). After the final game was daubed, she walked away with an additional \$5,000 in cash for being atop the leaderboard, bringing her total to \$8,600, plus a free cruise for two to defend her title aboard this year's cruise, setting sail from fabulous New Orleans on October 27th.

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Bingo in Your Community

Alexandria, MN

Bingo Night! Feb. 26, 6:30-8:30 p.m., 22 Northmen Brewing Co. Get ready for a night of fun, food, and friendly competition. Bingo kicks off at 6:30 p.m. sharp, with exciting rounds leading up to a grand prize finale you won't want to miss! (320) 846-5443.

Lions Midwinter Bingo! Thursday, Feb. 12 at 7:00 p.m. at the VWF! Come out to support the Lions and Special Olympics! \$50 includes two bingo cards and appetizers. There will be \$3k in cash prizes given away with 18 exhilarating bingo games. (320) 219-8081r. 1102 3rd Ave. E., Alexandria.

Afton, MN

Bingo At The Current! Sundays at 2:00 p.m. in February. Win Cash Prizes! Bring friends and family to Current for our all new weekly Bingo on Sunday afternoons! 3291 St. Croix Trail S., Afton. (651) 436-8883.

Parents night out Bingo! A special adult-only (21+) event in the Afton area on Saturday, Feb. 21 at St. Francis Cabrini Church. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., games start promptly at 7:00 p.m. \$35 per ticket. \$250 for a reserved table of 8. Tickets on sale at 2026-afton-bingo.cheddarup.com.

Bloomington, MN

Rotaringo Bingo! Friday, Feb. 6, 6:30-11:30 p.m. Play BINGO, change lives! Join us for an exciting evening of bingo benefiting three outstanding local charities: VEAP, Matter, and Bridging. Bloomington Event Center, 1114 American Blvd. W., Bloomington.

Chanhassen, MN

BINGO! Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in February at the Chanhassen American Legion Post #580. Each Bingo Sheet contains three faces to play. \$1.00 per Bingo sheet for games 1-5 & 7-11; \$2.00 per Bingo sheet for the two Coverall Games (Game 6 and 12). 290 Lake Drive East, Chanhassen. (952) 934-6677.

Chaska, MN

Bingo Sundays! Bingo EVERY Sunday in February at 6:00 p.m. Sales start at 5:30 p.m. Chaska VFW Post 1791, 620 Creek Road, Chaska. (952) 448-4126, chaskavfwmgr@outlook.com and yfw1791.org.

Crosslake, MN

Winterfest Bingo at Manhattan's! Saturday, Feb. 7. Doors open at 11:00 a.m. and bingo begins at noon. Dress in your best Tiki Bar attire and get ready for a high-payout bingo event you won't want to miss. Bingo Packs: \$50. Enjoy an elevated afternoon of bingo fun with bigger payouts and island vibes. 39051 CR 66, Crosslake. becky@crosslakereservations.com

Duluth, MN

Bow Wow Bingo & Cash Raffle! Saturday, Feb. 28, 12:00-3:30 p.m. 50/50 cash raffle tickets are available in advance and you do NOT need to be present to win. Cash bar available in lower level and full menu at restaurant upstairs! Grand View Grill & Bar, 2820 Midway Rd.

Bingo at Duluth Cider! Tuesdays in February from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Try your luck at six free rounds of laid-back bingo every Tuesday! It's free. There are prizes galore. And ... the cider is endless. 2307 West Superior St., Duluth.

Eden Prairie, MN

Fat Pants Cash Bingo! Tuesday, Feb. 17. Doors open at 5:15 p.m. and Bingo is from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Get excited! Don't miss out on an evening filled with great company! \$25 for a pack of 10 games. Fat Pants Brewing, 8335 Crystal View Road, Eden Prairie. (952) 658-6987, brewers@fatpants-brewing.com

Edina, MN

Bingo Social! Join us on Wednesdays from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Pinstripes for a lively evening of bites, brews, and friendly competition. We keep the energy high with classic bingo rounds or rotating special editions like Music Bingo, Lotería, and Charity Nights. 3849 Gallagher Drive, Edina.

Fergus Falls, MN

Fergus Falls VFW Bingo! Every Friday and Saturday during the winter season from 5:30-8:00 p.m. Join us for a thrilling evening of Bingo starting promptly at 5:30 p.m. on Fridays following the exhilarating Meat Raffle, and at 1:00 p.m. on Saturdays. Our Bingo sessions promise endless excitement and chances to win big. Fergus Falls VFW Post #612 and Auxiliary, 420 E. Washington Ave., Fergus Falls.

Golden Valley, MN

Bingo! Sunday, Feb. 15. Looking for a great place to hang out in the Twin Cities? Join us at Chester Bird American Legion. MARK YOUR CALENDAR! 8900 Golden Valley Road, Golden Valley (763) 377-4252, generalmanager@chesterbird.org and chesterbird.org

Puzzle Solutions

Bugle Crossword



Bugle Sudoku

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

Jumbler: BOTCH WINCE BOTANY WEEKLY
Answer: The baseball team's winning streak
continued — "WON" BY "WON"

Hastings, MN

Tuesday Night Bingo! 7:00 p.m. Runs through May. We raise money through charitable gambling and other events that helps us contribute to the community and veteran programs. Hastings American Legion, Post #47, 50 Sibley St., Hastings. www.hastingslegion-post47.org

St. Cloud, MN

Bar BINGO! Come enjoy bar bingo at VFW post #428! Saturdays in February from 6:00-8:30 p.m. Each bingo package is \$20. VFW Post #428, 9-18th Ave. N., St. Cloud. (320) 251-9951, www.vfwpost428.com.

Saint Paul, MN

DJ Bingo - Thursdays at the St. Paul Tap! 7:00-9:00 p.m. 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. St. Paul Tap, 825 Jefferson Ave., Saint Paul.

Sauk Centre, MN

Bingo Night Sundays! Feb. 1, 8, 15 & 22, 6:30 p.m. at the Sauk Centre American Legion Post 67. Only \$12.00 for 12 games of bingo (three faces per game sheet)! 128 Main St. S., Sauk Centre.

Stacy, MN

Lions Bingo! Sunday, Feb. 15, 1:00-4:00 p.m. Third Sunday of the month through April. Door prizes and pull-tabs. Come out & join us for some fun! The Rick Doyle Bldg., 30309 Forest Blvd., Stacy.

Wabasha, MN

The 33rd Annual Grumpy Old Men Festival! Friday & Saturday, Feb. 27 & 28. Ice fishing contest, library story hour, a s'more station, live music, hot-dish luncheon, curling, bingo, cribbage tournament and a lot more. 257 Main Street West, Wabasha. (651) 565-4158, travelinfo@wabashamn.org and grumpyoldmenfestival.org.

Waite Park, MN

Bingo at the Moose Lodge! Join us for fun bingo games every Wednesday from 6:30-9:00 p.m. in February, March, April and May! Moose Lodge, 1300 3rd St. N., Waite Park. (320) 251-1207.

White Bear Lake, MN

Sunday Breakfast Bingo! Every Sunday morning in February from 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Little Village Pub! \$1,000 Coverall, gift cards & more! 2670 Co. Rd. E, White Bear Lake. littlevillagepub.com

Westbrook, MN

Glow Bingo! Saturday, Feb. 14. 5:00 p.m. Happy Hour & Meal, Bingo Balls roll at 7:30 p.m.! Presale bingo package: \$25.00. Door purchase bingo package: \$30.00. Cash Prizes, High Energy, Many chances to WIN! Westbrook Community Center, 849 5th St., Westbrook. (507) 274-5110.

Willmar, MN

Bluegrass and Bingo Fundraiser! Friday, Feb. 13, 5:00-9:00 p.m. Do not miss our Bluegrass and BINGO Fundraiser!! Prizes are awesome!! Call ATLAS for more info! (320) 441-2250. 240 23rd St. SE, Willmar.

Minnesota Casino Entertainment

Treasure Island Resort & Casino

Live from the Island Events Center

- Feb. 22 **NEEDTOBREATHE: Acoustic Tour**, 7 PM
- Feb. 28 **Lunar New Year Concert** (Year of the Horse), 7 PM
- March 14 **Jeff Foxworthy** (comedian), 8 PM
- March 20 **Daughtry** (rock), 8 PM
- April 11 **Mini Kiss!** 8 PM
- April 24 **Matt Fraser** (Psychic Medium & author), 8 PM
- May 8 **Foghat** with guest Nazareth (classic rock), 8 PM

Live from the Treasure Island Amphitheater

- June 26 & 27 **Rockin' the Island** 2-Day Music Fest, 11 AM

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

- Feb. 20 **Terry Fator** (ventriloquist/comedian), 8 PM
- Feb. 27 **Stavros Halkias** (comedian), 8 PM
- Feb. 28 **Russell Peters** (comedian), 8 PM
- March 5-6 **The Price Is Right!**, 8 PM
- March 7 **The Price Is Right!**, 3 & 8 PM
- March 8 **The Price Is Right!**, 3 PM
- March 12 **JO KOY Live!** (comedian), 8 PM
- March 13 **An Evening with Heart** (classic rock), 8 PM
- March 27 **Air Supply 50th Anniversary Celebration**, 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

- Feb. 28 **Clay Walker** (country), 7 PM
- March 21 **Jo Dee Messina** (country), 7 PM
- March 28 **Third Eye Blind** (alternative rock), 7 PM

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

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Northern Lights Casino

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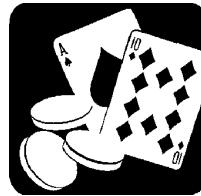
- Feb. 6 **The Lalas Burlesque Show**, 7 PM, Walker

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

- Feb. 6 **Great White** (rock'n'roll), 8 PM
- Feb. 20 **Joe Nichols**, 8 PM
- Feb. 28 **Throne MMA**, 7 PM
- March 6 **Hinder** (rock), 8 PM
- March 20 **Blackhawk** (country), 8 PM
- April 3 **Carly Pearce** (country), 8 PM
- April 17 **38 Special** (rock), 8 PM

For ticket purchases 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.



Poker Talk

by Chad Holloway

A \$1,412,500 monster hand

High Stakes Poker (HSP) is one of the most famous poker shows of all time and has been a hit with fans ever since it debuted on the Game Show Network (GSN) back in 2006. In 2020, the show switched to PokerGO for Season 8 and has found a home there ever since.

Now in its 14th season, the show has been setting several records for large pots. Earlier in the season, Andrew Robl and Santhosh Suvarna played a record-setting pot of \$992,000, which was the largest in High Stakes Poker history. Well, that didn't last long as in Episode 10 a monster seven-figure pot took place.

The stakes were \$500/\$1,000 and the game was no-limit Texas hold'em. There was nearly \$4 million on the table with some action players including Rick Salomon, Nik Airball, Vinny Lingham, Justin Gavri, and the two players involved in the hand – Alan Keating and Peter Wang.

The hand began with a double straddle and action folded to Keating, who just called with the KdKc on the button. Peter looked down at the As3s in the big blind and raised to \$14,000, which prompted the straddlers to get out of the way. Keating then sprung to life with a three-bet to \$69,000 and Peter called.

The 2sJsKh flop had action written all over it as Keating flopped top set and Peter the nut-flush draw. The latter checked and the former continued for \$70,000. Peter then check-raised to \$200,000 and Keating only called.

When the Ad turn paired Peter, he moved all in for \$434,000 and Keating snap-called to create a \$1,412,500 pot, making it the largest pot in High Stakes Poker history assuming there would be no chop as the duo agreed to run the river twice.

As it was in a vacuum, Keating was an 81.82% favorite to win while Peter had an 18.18% chance of hitting his flush. If Peter hit one of the two run outs, he'd at least recoup half the pot.

The Ac on the first runout ensured Keating would break even, but if he could avoid a spade on the second he'd scoop the entire pot. That's just what happened as the Jc completed the board on the second runout.

Not only did Keating win the largest pot in High Stakes Poker history, it came just four episodes after he won a \$911,000 pot off Peter after making what is considered one of the greatest hero calls of all time.

"It's my favorite hand because neither of us have much, but we made a game of chicken out of it by putting pressure on each other and no one backed down," Keating told media outlet PokerNews.

Clearly the two players have a long and expensive history, at least for Peter!

Chad Holloway is a 2013 World Series of Poker bracelet winner and PR & Media Manager for PokerNews.com. He is the host of the weekly show the PokerNews Podcast available on YouTube and all podcast platforms. Follow him on Twitter: [@ChadAHolloway](https://twitter.com/ChadAHolloway).

What's New in Nevada

International Fireworks Championship

The first International Fireworks Championship Las Vegas will be held at the Las Vegas Motor Speedway on Saturday Feb. 21. This fireworks competition features multiple elaborate displays throughout the evening, as four teams from around the world perform 12- to 15- minute shows, with 15-minute entertainment-filled breaks between them. Described as a "full-on sensory experience," these are "incredibly intense and creative displays, exploding lower to the ground, and they're all highly choreographed and synchronized to music." Tickets are on sale now, starting at \$95 per person for general admission and \$144 for reserved seats. Gates open at 2:30 p.m., with the first fireworks show starting around 6 p.m. The program concludes around 8:30 p.m., when a world championship team will be crowned.

Red Rock Regal theater renovation

Station's Red Rock Casino has completed a major renovation of its 16-screen Regal movie theater. The lobby has been upgraded, the bar expanded (with craft beers and specialty drinks), a spacious lounge has been added for group gatherings before or after movies, and an RPX screen (Regal Cinemas' proprietary premium large format) is now part of the mix, along with IMAX and 4DX. Tickets remain \$10-\$15, with discounts for Regal loyalty members.

David Byrne at the Colosseum
David Byrne, lead singer and prime mover of the influential '80s rock, punk, and funk band Talking Heads, will play one show at the Colosseum at Caesars Palace on April 20. Talking Heads formed up in New York in 1977 and issued eight studio albums before disbanding in 1991. Their biggest hits were Once in a Lifetime, Burning Down the House and Road to Nowhere. In his post-Talking Heads solo career, Byrne has received an Academy Award, a Grammy, a Special Tony, and a Golden Globe and is an inductee to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame.

Chubby Chinatown

Chubby Group, the hospitality company behind the Chubby Cattle restaurant, is partnering with Hashi Market to create Chubby World in Chinatown at the corner of Spring Mountain and Valley View. Plans call for a four-story complex that features a theater for cosplay shows, anime, and cultural events, a Tokyo-style food court, a Hashi Market, and a music venue for concerts and a late-night club. A timetable for the project wasn't disclosed at press time. It will be the sixth Chubby location, with a reported 30 more on the way around the country. The other five are in California.



At the Casinos

Treasure Island Resort and Casino

CRAZY 8s FREE SLOT PLAY GIVEAWAY!

Saturday, Feb. 7, 14 & 21
1:00-7:45 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 28, 1:00-8:00 p.m.

Strike it lucky during the Crazy 8s FREE Slot Play Giveaway every Saturday in February! Earn entries starting the Sunday before the giveaway by playing with your Island Passport Club card. For every eight base points you earn, you'll receive eight entries.

And...

MAX BET GIVEAWAY!

Every Friday in Feb.
3:00-8:00 p.m.

Go all in on the Max Bet Giveaway Fridays in February! Earn entries Feb. 1-27. You'll receive one entry for every 10 base points you earn and one FREE entry each day you swipe your Island Passport Club card at a kiosk.

And...

JACKPOT-A-LOT!

Sunday, Feb. 22, 1:00-5:00 p.m.

Calling all winners to join us for Jackpot-a-lot on Sunday, Feb. 22! You'll receive one entry for every dollar from each slot jackpot you won while playing with your Island Passport Club card from Feb.-Dec. 31, 2025. Check-in starts at 1:00 p.m. We'll name five winners of \$1,200 cash or FREE slot play every hour from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and one winner of \$12,000 cash or FREE slot play at 5:00 p.m.

And...

VALENTINE'S DAY SWIPE & WIN!

Saturday, Feb. 14
10:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

Sweeten the day with FREE slot play! Earn 10 base points with your Island Passport Club card and visit a kiosk to win up to \$10,000 FREE slot play.

And...

PRESIDENTS DAY SWIPE & WIN!

Monday, Feb. 16, 10:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

Win up to \$5,000 FREE slot play! Earn five base points with your Island Passport Club card and swipe your card at a kiosk to reveal your prize.

Mystic Lake Casino

BONUS BITES!

Play Up An Appetite!

Tuesdays in February
Midnight to 10:00 p.m.

Earn 100 Tier Points between midnight and 10:00 p.m. Tuesdays and we'll treat you to breakfast, lunch or dinner! Once you've reached the point threshold, swipe your Club M® card at a promotional kiosk to print your dining voucher. Redeem it within a week for \$20 toward your meal at any Mystic Lake restaurant and Little Six Restaurant.

And...

WIN UP TO \$1,000 MYSTICASH ON BIG GAME SUNDAY!

Sunday, Feb. 8, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Swipe your Club M® card at a promotional kiosk to receive a Mysticash® prize! Thank you for being a loyal Club M member. Be sure to visit Hop House to catch all the Big Game action!

And...

55+ SLOT TOURNAMENT

The top 3 scorers each session win Mysticash!

Guests who are at least 55 years young, this tournament is just for you! Swipe your Club M® card at a promotional kiosk to print your tournament slip, then bring it to the tournament area near Cosmic Blackjack® to receive your assigned time slot. Guests may play for up to two minutes, with a maximum of 20 participants per tournament session. Sessions will run continuously from noon to 4:00 p.m., so there are plenty of chances to play and win!

DAILY TOURNAMENT PRIZES:
1st - \$250; 2nd - \$150; 3rd - \$75.

Jackpot Junction Casino

VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER FOR 2! Dakota Dining, \$100

Saturday, Feb. 14

Celebrate love with an unforgettable dining experience. Indulge in double of each course: Seasonal Strawberry-Feta Spinach Salad: A refreshing starter bursting with vibrant colors and flavors. 10 oz. Rib-eye Steak: Juicy, savory, and expertly cooked to perfection. Succulent Crab Leg Clusters: One pound of sweet, tender seafood. Piping Hot Baked Potato: A classic and comforting side. Decadent Chocolate Cake: Finish with a sweet indulgence you'll love.

And...

THE BIG GAME!

Feb. 8

Doors Open 4:30 p.m.

Kickoff 5:30 p.m.

Buffet 4:30-7:30 p.m. • 18+ Event

Experience the ultimate game day at our 2026 Viewing Party & Prize Drawings! Cheer on the biggest game of the year on massive screens, snag a Football Board spot as one of the first 400 guests through the door, and get in on door prizes drawn throughout the game. Don't miss a special appearance by Chuck Foreman starting at 4:30 p.m. Enjoy an all-you-can-eat buffet in the Dacotah Exposition Center during the event.

Advance tickets are available for \$29.95 at the Casino Gift Shop, or \$44.95 on game day. Enjoy extended gaming floor hours 8:00 a.m. Friday, Feb. 6 - 2:00 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 10!

And...

JINGO BINGO!

Late-Night Luck Awaits!

Friday, Feb. 13

Doors Open 9:15 p.m.

Session 9:45 p.m.

Get ready to light up your night at Jingo Bingo! Immerse yourself in an electrifying evening filled with thrilling games, fantastic prizes, and high-energy fun. Enjoy wild side games, exclusive drink specials, and Jell-O shots — all in a party atmosphere you won't want to miss! Paper packs start at just \$15 and electronic machines are \$25. Don't miss your chance to win big and make it a night to remember!

And...

SNOWFALL! Icy Cool Wins!

Feb. 1-20, 8:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

Chase the chill with Snow Fall this February! Play daily after earning 75 slot points. Visit a kiosk and grab rewards like Free Play, food offers, and bonus entries into our Friday night drawings! Don't forget to activate your

entries at the kiosk for your chance to win. Let it snow wins all month long!

And...

ROCK & ROLL! Big Wins, Bold Beats!

Friday, Feb. 27, 5:00-11:59 p.m.

Turn up the fun this Feb.! Earn just 25 slot points to unlock one play on the kiosk and you could score Free Play prizes up to \$500! The music's pumping, the energy's high, and the prizes are electric - take your shot and let the excitement roll!

Black Bear Casino

LOVE IS IN THE AIR GIVEAWAY!

Players who didn't qualify for February's free gifts can earn 100 slot tier points (4:00 a.m.-9:59 p.m.) on Sunday or Monday to receive the featured gift of the week. Once a player earns 100 slot tier points they will be able to swipe their card at any promotional kiosk to receive a gift voucher. The gift voucher must be brought to the Epique Rewards counter (10:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.) to receive their gift.

February Gifts: Plush Robe, Cozy Slippers, Coffee Maker, Portable Charcuterie Board.

And...

LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION!

Wednesday, Feb. 18

Celebrate Lunar New Year at Black Bear Casino Resort! Specialty Dinner Buffet hosting several dishes created by celebrity Chef Martin Yan! Chinese Calligraphy Fan art and Lion and Dragon Dancer performances hourly! Enjoy entertainment while you play!

Fortune Seats (Hot Seats) from 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Over \$12,000 in Cash! Pick a lucky red envelope to win anywhere from \$100 - \$500! *Guests may win more than once!

Lucky Money drawings from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.! Choose a fortune cookie to reveal your cash prize ranging from \$1,000 - \$2,500 in cash!

Shooting Star Casino

BIG GAME GIVEAWAY!

Sunday, Feb. 8, 8:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m.
Halftime & Post-Game

Mahnomen and Bagley

Join us for the big game at the Mustang Lounge and Orion's in Mahnomen or Little Dipper in Bagley for prizes and drink specials! Purchase a drink and receive a ticket for .

prize drawings at halftime and post-game! Drink Special: \$3 bar pours & domestic bottle beer.

And...

VALENTINE'S DAY CHOCOLATE!

Saturday, Feb. 14, 8:00-11:59 a.m.

MAHNOMEN & BAGLEY

Celebrate love and luck this Valentine's Day at Shooting Star Casino! We're giving away a complimentary box of gourmet chocolates to all guests, while supplies last.

And...

ICE AND ADVENTURE GIVEAWAY!

Sundays in February, 5:00-9:00 p.m.
Mahnomen and Bagley

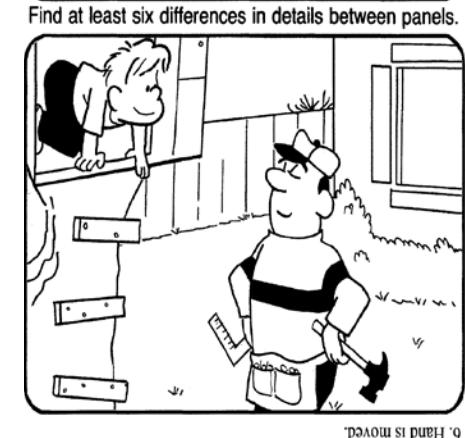
Chill, thrill and win big this February! Score your chance at an RV Edition Fish House, a UTV or \$10,000 cash! From Jan. 26 through Feb. 22, guests receive one entry for every 25 points earned.

Northern Lights Casino

PLAYCATION GETAWAY!

February 2026

Room Bookings Receive: \$5 Slot Play, \$5 Food Offer. Every registered adult guest per room, will receive a special welcome offer. The perfect way to enjoy everything our property has to offer!



Across Country Tours

Get On The Bus To Amazing!

Paramount Theater

• Willie Nelson Tribute

Thursday, Feb. 12 • \$105 p/p

Get ready for a day of pure country music as "Willie & Family Live: Michael Moore's tribute to Willie Nelson" takes center stage, bringing the soulful twang of Willie Nelson to life through the exceptional talent of Michael Moore. This 90-minute show is a heartfelt homage to the legendary outlaw of country music, featuring all the hits that have defined Willie's remarkable career. Lunch included.

• Elvis - Anthony Shore

Thursday, Feb. 19 • \$105 p/p

Step into the world of Rock'n'Roll royalty as Anthony Shore's Elvis Tribute Show brings

Note: For an extended catalog, pricing, weather info. and cancellation policy, please contact the office listed below. See YOU on the bus!

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Treasure Island Resort & Casino

Wednesday, Feb. 11 • \$30.00

Prairies Edge Casino

Mon.-Tues., Feb. 16-17

\$142.00 SGL or \$124.00 DBL. Package includes \$50.00 on players card, hotel.

Jackpot Junction Casino

Wed.-Thurs., Feb. 4-5

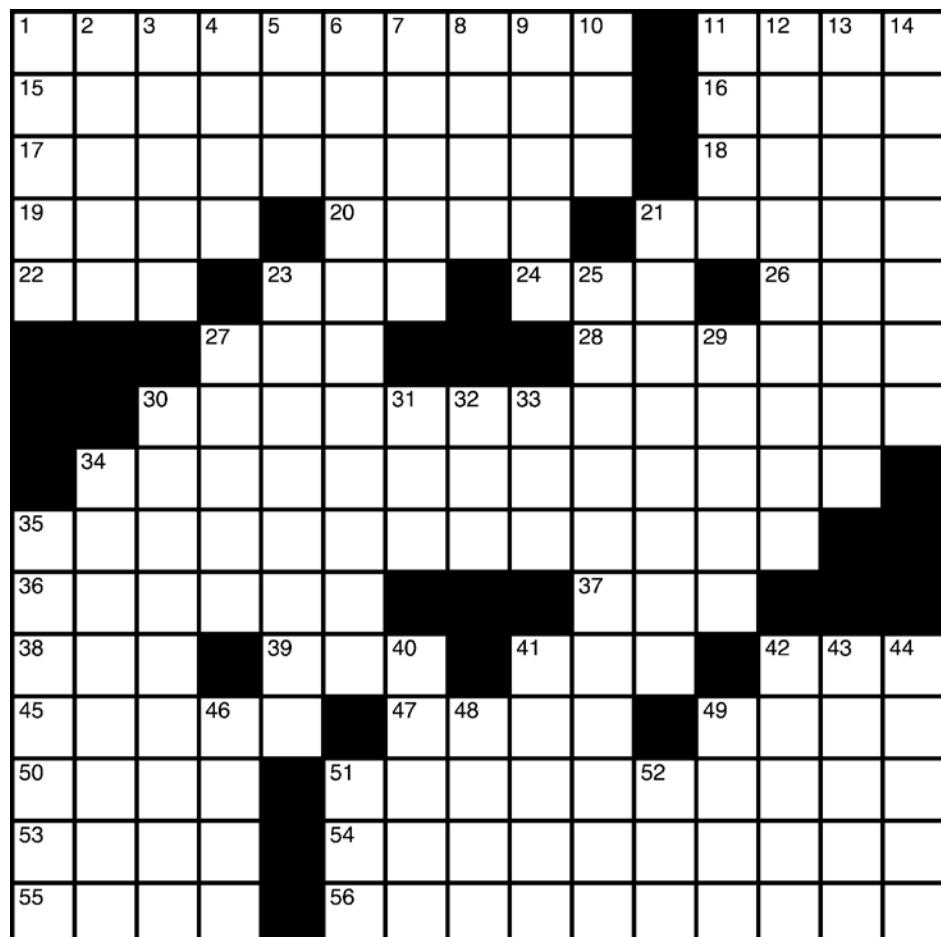
\$132.00 SGL or \$122.00 DBL. Package includes \$50 on players card, hotel.

Coffee Break

A time to relax!



BUGLE CROSSWORD



ACROSS

- 1 Cathartic magnesium compound
- 11 Bygone Bulgarian bigwig
- 15 Some drag racers
- 16 Scott of "Arrested Develop.m.ent"
- 17 Comment denying kinship
- 18 Bob Ross painted with one
- 19 Dog follower, maybe
- 20 "Disturbia" singer, familiarly
- 21 Raise
- 22 "The Cocktail Party" monogram
- 23 Former Carson Daly employer
- 24 Horn for Parker
- 26 Where to find Ruth and Aaron: Abbr.
- 27 West in old movies
- 28 Small book size
- 30 Words that contradict what preceded them
- 34 Perpetual loser
- 35 Game time?
- 36 Hydrocodone, e.g.
- 37 "Too Many Rappers" rapper
- 38 Holstein's hi?
- 39 "Flags of Our Fathers" setting, for short
- 41 Vegas summer hrs.
- 42 Windy City train org.
- 45 "Baywatch" actor
- 47 Superman's mom
- 49 Physics Nobelist the year after Einstein
- 50 "Count on me!"
- 51 Came clean
- 53 "Aww!"
- 54 Source of some long flows
- 55 Freezer aisle brand
- 56 At risk

DOWN

- 1 Blofeld, Bond bad guy
- 2 Combines
- 3 Slope of loose stones
- 4 Passed
- 5 Sideshow ___ of "The Simpsons"
- 6 Gave it another go
- 7 When Prospero says, "We are such stuff / As dreams are made on"
- 8 Hideaway
- 9 Dix moins sept
- 10 I-9 ID
- 11 Uphill aid
- 12 Sanctuary
- 13 Protection from planes
- 14 Support
- 21 Does very well
- 23 Do the bare minimum
- 25 Welk intro words
- 27 Mediterranean country in which English is an official language
- 29 Final purpose, to Aristotle
- 30 Factor in committee assignments
- 31 Houston's ___ Stadium, named for an energy company
- 32 Has too much, briefly
- 33 Run a tab, say
- 34 Coffee, in diner slang
- 35 Hockey advantage
- 40 From days past
- 41 ___ parade
- 42 Python pro
- 43 Bronze ordinal
- 44 Like Taos, say
- 46 Folks
- 48 Key of Mozart's clarinet concerto: Abbr.
- 49 Version to debug
- 51 Sashimi selection
- 52 Light knock

BUGLE SUDOKU

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5				1				3
7		1	4					
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8	9		3				7	5
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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
◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

JUMBLE

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

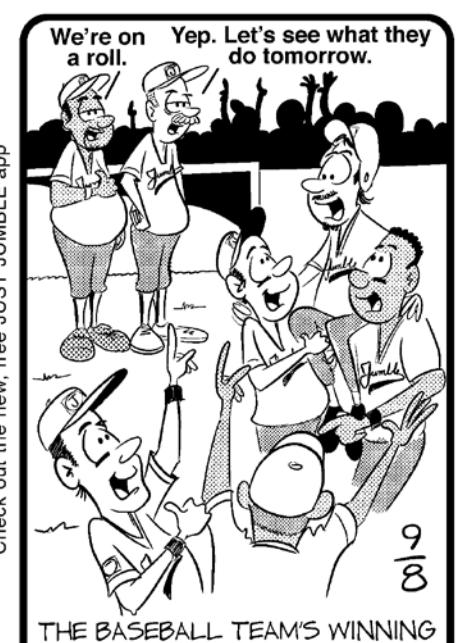
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THAT SCRABBLED WORD GAME
by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



THE BASEBALL TEAM'S WINNING STREAK CONTINUED ---

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

Ans. here: " " " "

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FOXHOLE BINGO

OPEN Tuesday-Sunday
DOORS Open at 12pm

MATINEE SESSIONS 1pm & 3pm
EVENING SESSIONS 6pm & 8pm



FEBRUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1  HIGH STAKES BINGO 8PM FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	2 CLOSED	3 FREE \$20 PAPER WITH \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX	4 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	5 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	6 GO FOR GOLD Olympic Opening Ceremony MATINEE: \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX EVENING: 50% OFF*	7 IPM 6 3PM SECOND CHANCE FREE \$20 PAPER WITH ARCTIC FOX & VIP VIXEN 50% OFF* 8PM SATURDAY NIGHT + SPECTACULAR +
8  BIG GAME DAY HOTBALL #60 + GAME DAY BITES FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	9 CLOSED	10 FREE \$20 PAPER WITH \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX	11 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	12 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	13 Galentine's Galactic Bingo 10:30PM MATINEE: \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX EVENING: 50% OFF*	14 Valentine's Day IPM 6 3PM SECOND CHANCE FREE \$20 PAPER WITH ARCTIC FOX & VIP VIXEN 50% OFF* 8PM SATURDAY NIGHT + SPECTACULAR +
15 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	16 CLOSED	17  MARDI GRAS FREE \$20 PAPER WITH \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX	18  FISH FRY FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	19 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	20 MATINEE \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX EVENING 50% OFF*	21 IPM 6 3PM SECOND CHANCE FREE \$20 PAPER WITH ARCTIC FOX & VIP VIXEN 50% OFF* 8PM SATURDAY NIGHT + SPECTACULAR +
22 Brunch & Bingo 11am  LAS VEGAS GIVEAWAY FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	23 CLOSED	24 FREE \$20 PAPER WITH \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX	25  WING WEDNESDAY FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	26 FOX FAVORITE 50% OFF*	27 Galactic Bingo 10:30PM MATINEE: \$40 VIP VIXEN \$60 ARCTIC FOX EVENING: 50% OFF*	28 IPM 6 3PM SECOND CHANCE FREE \$20 PAPER WITH ARCTIC FOX & VIP VIXEN 50% OFF* 8PM SATURDAY NIGHT + SPECTACULAR +

*Excludes floor sales

BIG GAME DAY AT FOXHOLE

We're playing Hot Ball #60 in honor of the Big Game on February 8. While you're playing, be sure to get some delicious game day bites from Crooked Pint.



GALENTINE'S GALACTIC BINGO

Grab your gals and join us for a special Galentine's Galactic Bingo, February 13. There will be giveaways and our exclusive drink from Crooked Pint, the Stardust Sipper!

Valentine's Day

Celebrate love day with your special someone! Buy one machine package and get \$5 off your second package. There will also be a burger & dessert special from Crooked Pint.

GO FOR GOLD

Celebrate the Olympics February 6 at 8pm with your chance to win one of three bingo prize packs! 3rd Place: Arctic Fox for 1 session (exp. Feb. 22, 2026) 2nd Place: Vixen for a full day (exp. Feb. 22, 2026) 1st Place: Vixen for a full weekend (Feb. 20-22, 2026)



MARDI GRAS

It's a party at the lounge February 17. Come for a festive day of fun that includes candy and prizes. Let the good times roll!

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BINGO GONE WILD

Friday, February 6, 10:30pm

Kick off the weekend at Bingo Gone Wild! We're turning down the lights and firing up the fun with a live DJ, \$10 entry packs, buy-two-get-one-FREE entry packs and your chance to win \$100 FREE slot play. You'll receive a drawing slip when you purchase your entry pack with your Island Passport Club card.

FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS

Every Thursday, both sessions

We will add \$5,000 to the matinee fishbowl and \$10,000 to the evening fishbowl.

If the fishbowl is not won that day, the add-on will be removed.

SWEETHEART DRAWINGS

Saturday, February 14, evening session

Get swept off your feet with a romantic prize package during the Sweetheart Drawings! Join us on Valentine's Day for your chance to be one of five winners of two \$25 Island Bingo certificates, a hotel stay in a standard room and \$100 Tado Steakhouse dining credit. You'll receive a drawing slip for every entry pack you purchase with your Island Passport Club card.

PRESIDENTS DAY CHEAP SEATS

Monday, February 16, matinee session

Celebrate Presidents Day with a special Cheap Seats session! Purchase a \$20 paper entry pack or \$22 electronic entry pack for your chance to win \$300 on regular games.

\$31,000 ISLAND BINGO

BIRTHDAY BASH

Sunday, February 22, evening session

You're invited to the Island Bingo Birthday Bash on Sunday, February 22! You could be one of 20 guests selected to tear open a birthday present and reveal up to \$500 in Island Bingo certificates or up to \$4,200 cash or FREE slot play. Plus, you'll have a chance at a \$2,500 guaranteed minimum payout on the Island Jackpot and Island Spin. For every entry pack you purchase with your Island Passport Club card, you'll receive a drawing slip.

MINNESOTA TIMBERWOLVES SUITE TICKET GIVEAWAY

Friday, February 27, evening session

Take a shot at winning a Minnesota Timberwolves suite ticket package! You could be one of seven winners of Minnesota Timberwolves suite tickets, a hotel stay and transportation during the evening session on Friday, February 27. For every entry pack you purchase with your Island Passport Club card, you'll receive a drawing slip.

Winners must have a valid email address to receive digital tickets.



February 2026

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1 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE	2 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	3 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	4 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	5 MATINEE 1PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS EVENING 7PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS	6 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s BINGO GONE WILD	7 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
8 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE	9 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	10 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	11 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	12 MATINEE 1PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS EVENING 7PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS	13 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	14 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE SWEETHEART DRAWINGS
15 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE	16 MATINEE 1PM PRESIDENTS DAY CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	17 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	18 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	19 MATINEE 1PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS EVENING 7PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS	20 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s	21 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
22 EVENING 4PM SECOND CHANCE \$31,000 BIRTHDAY BASH	23 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM HALF PRICE EVENING	24 MATINEE 1PM TWO FOR TUESDAY EVENING 7PM TWO FOR TUESDAY	25 MATINEE 1PM 50+ WEDNESDAY EVENING 7PM 50+ WEDNESDAY	26 MATINEE 1PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS EVENING 7PM FISHBOWL JACKPOT BONUS	27 MATINEE 1PM EVENING 7PM LUCKY 7s MN TIMBERWOLVES SUITE TICKET GIVEAWAY	28 MATINEE 1PM CHEAP SEATS EVENING 7PM SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE



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