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# \$110,567 DOUBLE DAUB



Alfred W. hit it big at **Gold Coast** on July 8, scoring a massive \$110,567 on the Double Daub! Gold Coast offers bingo on odd-numbered hours from 9AM to 11PM. Come on down!

## \$50,000 MEGA BINGO!



\$50,000 winner, Magdalini A. (center) was joined in celebrating her big **South Point Bingo** win with family and friends (L-R) Miguel S., Nausha B. Daughter Virginia A., Anthony M., William H., Roderick W., Lanell S., and Sharron M. Congratulations on your big win, Magdalini!

#### Suncoast Hotel & Casino Unveils All-New Bingo Room



Suncoast Hotel & Casino announced the unveiling of its all-new Bingo Room, introducing an exciting new gaming experience as it continues its property-wide transformation. See full article on page 21.



#### Hang in There, Fall is **Just Around the Corner**

How are you holding up? Sweltering heat gettin' to you? I have good news for you! Monday, August 11th marks the end of The Dog Days of Summer. It will be wonderful to say goodbye to these hot, muggy tripledigit days—phew! Interestingly, the ancient Greeks coined the phrase "The Dog Days of Summer" to describe the period when Sirius, the Dog Star, rises at the same time as the Sun, from July 3 -August 11.

Whatever your favorite pastime may be for The Dog Days of Summer, it doesn't necessarily need be spent indoors all day long, in air-conditioned comfort. Go ahead

and enjoy the hot weather while it is here just be prepared and bring plenty of water along with your sunglasses, SPF 1000, and bug spray if needed.

Of course, evening activities should be easier to bear. Outdoor concerts, local sports events, even a drive-in movie if they still exist in your area.

- A few other "Beat the Heat" options:
- --Take a dip in the pool --Go to the beach
- --Take the kids to a water park
- --Watch the sultry days go by in a cozy
- --Laze under a shady tree
- --Quench your thirst with a frozen summer

Speaking of frozen summer drinks, try this:

#### **Strawberry Watermelon Slushy:**

- 2 cups fresh strawberries, roughly chopped 2 cups cubed watermelon (seedless)
- 1/2 cup sugar 1/4 cup lemon juice

Place first 4 ingredients in a blender; cover and blend until smooth. Add ice and continue to blend, until nice and slushy.

Of course, you can add or substitute any fresh or frozen fruit. Think blueberries, bananas, kiwi, cherries...fresh mint! Have before they're finally ready to reproduce. fun and create your own signature frozen Stay hydrated!

#### Legendary dim sum restaurant Nom Wah partners with JW Marriott Las Vegas and Rampart Casino to open first west coast location this September

New York City's first and oldest dim sum restaurant, serving Cantonese-style dim sum in lower Manhattan since 1920, to open first west-coast location in Las Vegas this September

LAS VEGAS – June 20, 2025 – New York City's first and oldest dim sum restaurant, which recently celebrated its 105th anniversary, is making its west coast debut with the opening of Nom Wah at JW Marriott Las Vegas The Resort At Summerlin and Rampart Casino at The Resort At Summerlin. Revered worldwide for its authentic, Cantonese-style dim sum, big flavors, and signature dumplings, the century-old Nom Wah will open its doors in Summerlin this September, as part of the property-wide revamp of the culinary offerings at JW Marriott Las Vegas The Resort At Summerlin and Rampart Casino At The Resort At Summerlin.

"As we continue to elevate and diversify the dining experiences across our resort, we are proud to welcome restaurants that not only embody the sophistication our guests expect, but bring distinctive flavors and unique stories to the Las Vegas community," said Michelle McHugh, Vice President & General Manager. "With more than a century of culinary innovation, cherished family recipes, and renowned hospitality, Nom Wah brings a legacy that is truly unparalleled in Las Vegas. We are honored to become the new home of such an iconic and storied restaurant."

Over the past century, Nom Wah has evolved alongside the ever-changing landscape of New York City. What began as a humble Chinatown bakery grew into a beloved tea parlor, a dumpling manufacturer, and eventually a full-service restaurant — each transformation driven by the growing demand for Nom Wah's flavors and its commitment to staying relevant. Under the leadership of CEO Wilson Tang, the brand has embraced innovation while honoring its roots, expanding with locations in Lower Manhattan and Philadelphia, launching as the anchor tenant in the prestigious Pier 57 as part of the James Beard curated food hall Market 57, the experimental Nom Wah Test Kitchen in Nolita, and introducing its signature dumplings to freezers across the country through a nationwide frozen line program. At every step, Nom Wah has remained true to its Chinese American identity, with hospitality and adaptation at the heart of its story.

"Las Vegas has always been on my mind as a place where Nom Wah could thrive—it's a tagline is "Escape or die frying"? city that embraces heritage and innovation, which is exactly what we're about," said Wilson 7. LITERATURE: The Republic of Gilead Tang, Owner and CEO of Nom Wah and Chinatown Hospitality Group. "Since taking over from my Uncle Wally, I've worked to evolve the brand through projects like Nom Wah Test Kitchen, Pier 57, and Philadelphia—all rooted in honoring our past while pushing dim sum forward. This new restaurant will be a curated collection of our greatest hits—flavors shaped by my own memories and experiences growing up in New York's Chinatown. I'm thrilled to 9. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: In which bring that story, and that taste, to Summerlin."

With moody, vintage woods, mosaic flooring, vintage red barstools, and yellow accents married with the distinctive feeling of a bustling, big-city eatery, Nom Wah will offer a contemporary dining experience with an intimate, nostalgic vibe. Nom Wah will be ANSWERS approachable and genuine, while highlighting modern, forward-thinking riffs on Cantonese 1. The Tracey Ullman Show. American cuisine, as well as the classic family recipes that have helped establish the brand as one of New York's preeminent restaurants.

Located just minutes from the Las Vegas Strip, JW Marriott Las Vegas The Resort At 4. Neptune Summerlin and Rampart Casino at The Resort At Summerlin recently completed a \$75 million, multi-year renovation in the hotel, conference center, casino, spa and restaurants. The resort offers an upscale, modern Mediterranean desert oasis, nestled in the heart of Summerlin, a luxury master planned golf and shopping district near the Red Rock Canyon 7. The Handmaid's Tale. National Conservation Area. The AAA 4-Diamond property offers a stunning yet peaceful retreat that's both near the action but worlds away from the hustle and bustle of Las Vegas. A full-service resort, its amenities include nine restaurants, a world-class spa, an 11,000 square 9. Canada. foot waterfall pool as well as over 110,000 square feet of flexible indoor & outdoor meeting 10. The ability to speak in a previously and event space. Connected to the resort is Rampart Casino at The Resort At Summerlin, an elevated Vegas-style gaming experience that features over 1,400 state-of-the-art slot machines, a 300-seat Bingo Room, 32 table games such as Blackjack, Craps with 10X odds, Roulette, Face-Up Pai Gow Poker, and more.



By Samantha Weaver

\* Ancient Egyptians sometimes added onions to a mummy to act as false eyes.

\* In the video game Halo 3, every bullet shot by the Chief has his name on it. This detail isn't visible during regular play, as the bullets go by too quickly, but was discovered when someone noticed it in replay mode.

\* The unibrow was considered to be a symbol of purity and intelligence in ancient Greece. Women who didn't naturally boast this feature used dyed goat hair to close the

\* A male giraffe will determine a female's fertility by tasting her urine. If the pee passes muster, the courtship continues.

\* At one time, Monaco had more people in its orchestra than in its army, with 85 musicians but only 82 soldiers.

\* One in 18 people have a third nipple.

\* All the world's bacteria stacked on top of each other would stretch for 10 billion light-

\* Some female sharks store sperm after mating, potentially holding on to it for years

\* Robert Smalls escaped slavery by stealing a Confederate ship, for which heist he was paid enough to buy his former enslaver's house, and later served in the House of Representatives for South Carolina.

\* African buffalo herds use a form of voting to make their travel decisions. \* The term "dumpster" comes from the

name of the company that designed the first large, portable trash bin.

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#### Test Your Knowledge

1. TELEVISION: The Simpsons first appeared as a short on which TV show?

GEOGRAPHY: What is the distance between mainland Russia (Siberia) and mainland United States (Alaska)?

3. GAMES: What is the highest score you can achieve in one frame of bowling?

4. MYTHOLOGY: What is the Roman god of the sea called?

5. SCIENCE: What are the only letters that don't currently appear in the Periodic Table? 6. MOVIES: Which animated movie's

appears in which 1980s novel?

8. FOOD & DRINK: Which spice is often praised for its anti-inflammatory properties? country did Cirque du Soleil originate? 10. LANGUAGE: What is glossolalia?

- 2. About 55 miles.

- 5. J and Q.
- 6. Chicken Run.
- 8 Turmeric

unknown language, also known as speaking

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#### **OUESTIONS**

. Where did the melody for The Toys' "A Lover's Concerto" come from?

2. Name the Chicago song that includes the lyric "Eh, cumpari, ci vo sunari."

3. Which group released "Nightshift"? 4. Name the artist who wrote and released "Young Turks."

5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "Here we come, walking down the street, We get the funniest looks from everyone we

#### ANSWERS

. The melody is Minuet in G Major by Christian Petzold, in 1725. For a long time it was believed that it had been written by Johann Sebastian Bach because the song was found in a compilation by Bach's sister.

"Saturday in the Park," in 1972. The Italian lyric comes from "Eh, Cumpari" by Julius La Rosa, in 1953.

3. The Commodores, in 1985. The song charted around the globe

4. Rod Stewart, in 1981. 5. Theme song from *The Monkees* television show, 1966-1968, starring Micky Dolenz,

Michael Nesmith, Peter Tork and Davy Jones. The show was canceled after the second season due to a dispute: The band wanted more guest stars and the TV network didn't. Meanwhile, the show's exposure did make the group very successful.

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By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

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Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

\_ A\_ \_ \_ \_ Awe

7. Mishandle a football F \_\_ \_ \_ \_ Speak unclearly

\_\_ \_ T \_\_ \_ Apprentice

\_\_ \_ B \_\_ Pitcher's gear

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Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each

other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from

1. Laundry stiffener \_\_ T \_\_ \_ \_ Look high and low \_\_ E \_\_ \_ \_

\_\_ \_ L \_\_ Boxing match prize

\_\_ \_ R Tablecloth material

\_\_ I \_\_ \_ From Amsterdam \_\_ U \_\_ \_

\_\_ I \_\_ \_ \_ Kangaroo's feature \_\_ O \_\_ \_ \_ \_

P

Trench

Mosey along

5. Ocean vehicle

Take heed

8. Round map

Wolf down

10. Fence style

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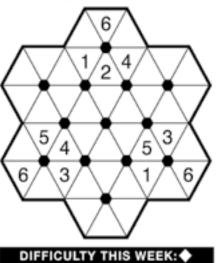
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# by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

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Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word

(ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥ RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART ). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

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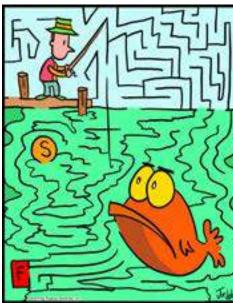
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**LAS VEGAS** – July 14, 2025 – It was a winning month for players at Arizona Charlie's Boulder, located at 4575 Boulder Hwy. and Arizona Charlie's Decatur, located at 740 S. Decatur Blvd. The two Golden Entertainment properties awarded a combined total of \$3,294,251 in jackpots throughout June. Slot jackpots accounted for \$2,886,084 of the total, while bingo games paid out an impressive \$408,167 across both casinos.

Arizona Charlie's Decatur had two major wins. On Thursday, June 5, Louise N. turned a single penny wager on a Big Dollar Gold slot machine into a \$20,000 jackpot. Later in the month, Maria P. won \$97,473 in the bingo room playing Charlie's Double Progressive on Saturday, June 28.

At Arizona Charlie's Boulder, Saturday, June 14 proved to be a lucky day. Raymond B. hit a \$26,638 jackpot playing a Money Charge Jackpot slot, and Francisco scored \$20,000 on a \$5 video poker hand. On Thursday, June 19, a lucky local won \$26,993 jackpot on a five-cent wager while playing a Dragon Cash slot machine.

Named Best Player's/Loyalty Club (Bronze) by Las Vegas Review-Journal's 2024 Best of Las Vegas, Arizona Charlie's True Rewards program offers player bonuses, including increased point multipliers, prizes such as cash and free slot play, and eligibility in select tournaments and special events. More information is available at www.TrueRewards.com.



Maria P. won \$97,473 in the bingo room playing **Arizona Charlie's** Double Progressive on Saturday, June 28!



On July 23, Las Vegas local Jim was celebrating his birthday at **Sam's Town Hotel** and **Gambling Hall** when he hit the Double Daub Progressive jackpot, taking home an amazing sum of \$42,680.



Francisco scored \$20,000 on a \$5 video poker hand.



Louise N. turned a single penny wager on a Big Dollar Gold slot machine into a \$20,000 jackpot.



Gail C. won three games Saturday night at **Green Valley Ranch Bingo!** She ended up winning \$2,167 and said she owed it all to her good luck rock from her daughter's recent trip and matching Bingo pants and bandana!



Raymond B. hit a \$26,638 jackpot playing a Money Charge Jackpot slot.





by Bonnie Mitchell

#### Out of Line?

#### Dear Aunt Bingo,

I am 61 years old and disabled. My sister is 67 and also disabled and uses a walker. I have to use an oxygen tank to go to Bingo. At the Bingo we attend, they have a disabled line, but everybody is in this line. People with wheelchairs, canes, tanks and walkers who visibly have trouble walking shouldn't have to stand in line. That's why they have a disabled line. Why does management let anyone get served? Why do people with no disability go in this line? They have no compassion, and don't realize space and clarity.

line for real. –Lawrence S., via e-mail

Dear Lawrence,

Part of the problem may be that it's hard for hall management to make onthe-spot decisions about who does, and does not, belong in the line for the disabled. Yes, it is easy to spot someone with an oxygen tank or walker, but someone with vision impairment or a hearing problem may also consider the disabled line for himself or herself, and such a disability is impossible for management to identify. And I suspect the last thing Bingo organizers want to do is argue with each person in the line about the degree of their disability.

someday some of them will need this

One idea would be to have the Bingo Hall issue some kind of "pass" for players who truly need assistance. If you do not have a pass, you must use the regular line. However, I suspect this, too, would result in arguments from players that are determined not to be "disabled enough" for the special line.

I hope readers will write in and tell us how their hall handles lines and seating for their customers with disabilities as I am sure this issue must arise at other halls. —Aunt Bingo

Send your comments and questions to: Aunt Bingo c/o the Bingo Bugle, P.O. Box 527, Vashon, WA 98070. You also may e-mail them to the editor at tara@ bingobugle.com. Letters may be edited for

## **Lucky Lotto News**

#### **Scratcher Worth Millions**

in the state's lottery after playing for the first time. Jarett Allen from Burnsville won \$5,000,000 in the N.C. lottery earlier this year after purchasing a \$30 200X The Cash ticket from his local Riverside General Store, according to an official news release; the lucky winner decided to play the lottery alongside his dad at the time, who also enjoys playing. "It was the first lottery ticket I've ever bought," Allen said, further recalling that "My dad chose the ticket for me," he noted. "I didn't think it was real. I thought I wasn't looking at it right" he added. He decided to \$30 lottery ticket "just because," adding "I collect the lump sum as his prize instead of receiving a yearly payment of \$250,000 over was really nice." When she learned she had 20 years—bringing home \$2,152,508 after required state and federal tax withholdings, per the release. Allen plans to invest his winnings after helping out his parents with Broken Machine, Big Win their finances, according to the lottery.

Wrong Ticket, Big Win in Michigan

Even though she couldn't get the lottery game she initially wanted, a Michigan woman still got lucky and won \$1 million. A woman from Kent County was at a local store, where she ended up choosing the Wild Cherry instant game after her first choice wasn't available. Much to her surprise, it was a winning ticket. "I decided to try my luck on the Wild Cherry game," said "and when she saw I had hit \$1 million, she grateful for how it all turned out."

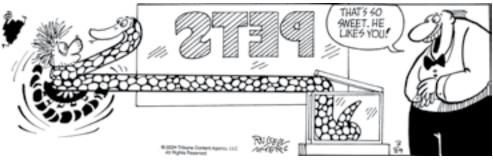
screamed." The woman decided to claim a one-time payment of approximately \$693,000, instead of payments spread out over the course of her life. She plans on A North Carolina man won the top prize buying a house and saving the remaining funds, according to the press release.

#### More Luck in Michigan

A 26-year-old woman made headlines earlier this year when she won \$4 million on a lottery ticket she received as a random gift from her dad. The winning ticket, a \$150,000,000 Spectacular, was purchased at Light House Liquor in Oak Park, according to the Michigan Lottery. The Oakland County woman, who has remained anonymous, told lottery officials that her father gifted her the was surprised when he handed it to me. It won the top prize of \$4 million, the woman said she both "screamed" and "cried."

An Illinois man got the surprise of a lifetime when a broken machine led him to buy a ticket for the wrong lottery game-but he ended up winning a \$9.2 million prize. "I was picking up groceries and on my way out the door, I decided to buy a lottery ticket. I wanted to buy a ticket for a different game but the machine got stuck on Lotto." The man, who chose to remain anonymous, told Illinois Lottery Officials that he "was a bit frustrated. I said, 'What is going on? The machine won't give me the right game!" the player, who has requested to remain Eventually he decided to just go with it anonymous. "I scratched the bar code and and buy the Lotto ticket. The morning after scanned the ticket. When I read the message the drawing he scanned the ticket and the that I needed to file a claim I thought I had machine showed the \$9.2 million prize. He won \$10,000." The woman gave it back to told lottery officials that he "looked at my the clerk so she could check it. "She helped wife and she was completely speechless," me scratch the rest of it off," the winner adding "We were laughing over how angry said, according to the Michigan Lottery, I was at the broken machine-and we're so

#### **By Russell Myers BROOM-HILDA**





### Biloxi, Bingo and **Motel Hell**

the mint on the pillow starts moving as you Old, confused, and worn out as we were, we approach it. –Ms. Know-It-All

August 15th is Relaxation Day and whew, my husband and I need this day in the worst way. We recently returned from a road trip to before we returned to our car and sped out Robert's brother in Florida. We live in Ohio and have always enjoyed the long drive, but this trip turned out to be anything but relaxing. Our idea was a scenic drive, good food along the way, and decompression of our anxieties that have been building due to various issues. We forgot that irony and karma always catch up with you in the end because on the way down, we both laughed and joked about the stopped traffic on the other side of the freeway. Glad we're not on that side we said aloud to the universe; never kisses as you dance out the door with dollars. a good thing to tempt fate. Our visit with brother Larry was fine and we even located Day is August 21. Be kind to old people, take a local bingo, New Port Richey Elks Lodge #2284. If you're in the area, check out their website for more details.

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which there are several good ones; two being Elks Lodge #606 on Biloxi Beach Blvd. and Gulfport Elks Lodge #978 on Klein Road. As we headed toward Biloxi, we were reminded that karma can be a bitch and she had her claws out for us on the rest of our trip. Around Pensacola as we drove toward Biloxi, traffic slowed to a crawl. We were on the wrong side of the freeway and thought about travelers on the other side laughing at us, which we had previously done, as they hightailed it down the highway. The endless road closures, detours, and construction took us hours to get around Pensacola, so we didn't find a motel until very late.

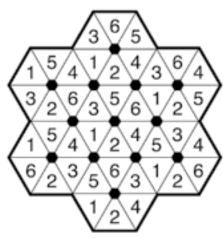
The motel into which we checked turned out to be Motel Hell with termite swarms, a filthy bathtub, and other nasty reasons to get back in our car and drive away. Of course, we found this out after checking in You know you're staying at a bad motel when and being informed of their no refund policy. bit the bullet and decided to not drive further that night. We were thankful that no bugs of any kind bit us back as we spent a few hours restlessly dozing, certainly not sleeping, of there like bats out of hell with the devil

lighting our behinds on fire. As it turned out, we still had three more colossal traffic slowdowns around Chattanooga, Knoxville, and even our hometown in Ohio before we arrived safely home after twenty hours of misery. I guess the lesson we learned was to never taunt karma unless you're prepared to face her wrath. In that case, consider yourself warned. Until next month, may Lady Luck blow you Win big. Reminder: National Senior Citizens them to dinner and to play bingo. Or if you can afford it, buy them plane tickets instead of allowing them to drive to destinations. It From there, Robert and I decided to drive would be less worrisome for all concerned, to Biloxi instead of heading straight home. trust me on that. Contact: nlpvzw6172@



# ?NOMECHRE?

solution





"We need an America with the wisdom of experience. But we must not let America grow old in spirit." Hubert H. Humphrey

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\* When cooking meat, you have to take care. Here are two tips straight from my local butcher: First, let meats come to room temperature before cooking. It allows the meat to cook more evenly and you won't end up with a cold center and a burnt outside. Secondly, when your meat comes off the grill or out of the oven, give it time to rest before serving. This allows the juices to redistribute throughout the cut of meat, and you'll end up with juicy goodness in every bite.

\* "Depending on how you scoop it, you can end up with too much or too little flour. Here is a tip about getting the best amount every time. Give the flour a stir with a spoon and then lightly spoon it into a measuring cup. When it is heaped over, use a knife to level out the measure without tamping down." — Y.E. in Arkansas

\* "Baking is a science as well as an art. It's about interaction of ingredients and what happens when they mix in certain ways. So this is not so much a tip as a caution. Make sure of your substitutions, and use the right amounts of things. Then your cakes will be light and fluffy and your pastry will be flaky and moist." — B.G. in Pennsylvania

\* Berries are in season and there's no greater time to stock up. But don't feel like you have to make jam out of all the berries. Freeze in a single layer and transfer to a freezer-safe bag or container. They can be popped into muffins and quick breads, as well as eaten straight out of the bag for a delicious treat.

\* When searing meat on a stovetop, be sure your pan is oiled (if called for) and at temperature. Otherwise, it'll stick.

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## **BINGO BUGLE CROSSWORD**

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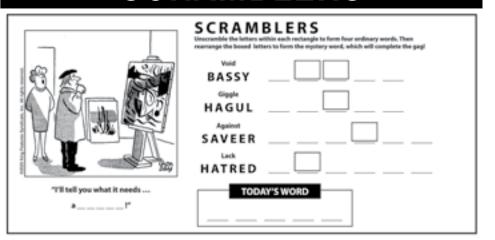
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## **SCRAMBLERS**



## **MAGIC MAZE**

MAGIC MAZE ■ MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally Unlisted clue hint: SURGEON'S KNIFE

Cannula Endoscope Clamps Forceps Curette Nebulizer Needles Dialyser

Otoscope Pipette

Suture Oximeter Syringe Ventilator Stethoscope

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## JUMBLE

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

**GWUNS** 

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north pole into another

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



#### CryptoQuote AXYDLBAAXR

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

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# AUGUST BINGO





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**AUGUST 29** 

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3PM SESSION

PLAY FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A DESIGNER PURSE 10 WINNERS! LIVE DJ + THREE \$1,000 COVERALLS PACKAGES STARTING AT \$60

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**AUGUST 30** 

**7PM SESSION** 

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**7PM SESSION** 

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**DRAWING** 

### **COVERALL MADNESS**

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SATURDAY, **AUGUST 23** STAYS UNTIL IT PAYS \$10,000 BONUS CASH BALL

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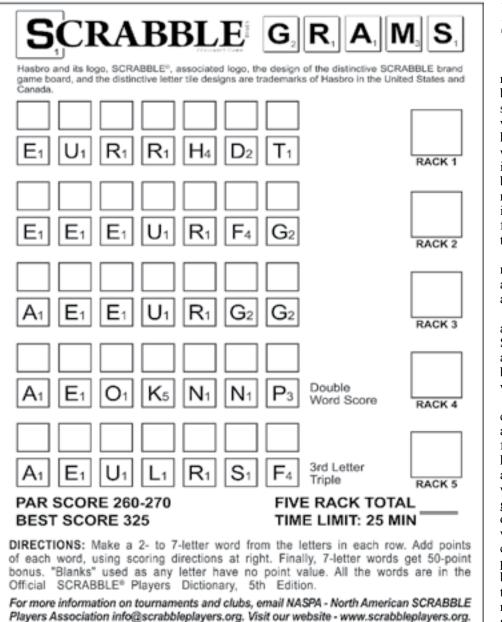
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#### Hot Summer Nights and a \$40,000 Beach Bash at Rampart Casino At The Resort At Summerlin in August

LAS VEGAS - July 25, 2025 - Compete in \$75,000 Hot Summer Nights, \$40,000 Sizzling Summer, Beat the Heat Bingo Jam, and more at Rampart Casino At The Resort At Summerlin this August. The Summerlin hotspot kicks off the summer with gaming promotions that give players

\*Visit the Rampart Rewards Player's Club for complete details of all promotions.

#### **August Bingo Room Promotions**

#### Beat the Heat Bingo Jam – August 2

- 5X \$1000 coveralls at 11 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m., 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.
- 3X \$500 coveralls at 5 p.m. with drawings for Free Slot Play, Free Bingo Play and Dining comps
- Special 11 p.m. regular pay with 3X \$500 coveralls
- \$5,000 R Balls at all sessions

#### Labor Day Big Bingo Weekend – August 30 • 5X \$1000 coveralls at 11 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m., 7 p.m., and 9 p.m.

- 3X \$500 coveralls at 5 p.m. with drawings for Free Slot Play, Free Bingo Play and Dining comps
- Regular pay with 3X \$500 coveralls for 11 p.m. session

#### Monday September 1st All sessions include: 3X \$1000 coveralls

Bonus Ball B-1 for \$1000, any number ending in 1 for \$250

#### **Buffet Bounce Back**

Spend \$50 on Sunday to receive Lunch or Dinner Buffet, which is good Tuesday through Thursday the following week.

#### **Half-price Mondays** Half-price bingo when paying with points.

Three Free Small Rainbows Every Wed

There's a \$50 minimum buy-in with validation required.

Fridays and Saturdays at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. 4x \$1,000 coveralls.

Sundays at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. 4x \$1,000 coveralls.

#### **Double/Triple Pay Sessions**

Every Monday through Saturday at 1 p.m. and Sunday through Thursday at 7 p.m., a firstchance coverall pays \$1,000, with second- and third-chance coveralls paying \$250.

#### Bonus "R" Balls

Three times a week, every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, players have the chance to score an additional \$500 on top of regular payouts. During the 11 a.m., 3 and 9 p.m. sessions, any player who hits bingo on B-8 or any number ending in eight will receive an extra \$500 bonus prize. This special bonus is awarded in addition to the regular game payout, making your winning moment even more



#### by Henry Tamburin "You're an idiot!"

I sometimes receive compliments from readers on something that I write about blackjack. But I also sometimes receive scathing emails or letters that basically say what an idiot I am. Trust me when I say you have to have thick skin to be in this business of writing about blackjack and casino gambling in general. But I've taken my career as a blackjack writer very seriously and I would never say or write anything if I didn't believe it wasn't true or factual. But apparently some folks disagree and what follows are some of the criticism I've received (I've kept a file).

The first negative letter (actually I received many of them) came about when I first wrote about card counting in a newspaper column a long time ago.

about card counting. Haven't you read what up winning nothing. The long and the short Scarne said about it: it doesn't work and it's of it is this. Say you bet \$10 a hand and you a ruse used by a few system sellers to make a always take the sure even money. Do it 100

buck. You should be ashamed of yourself for writing about it in your column.' This letter caused one of the biggest commotions for this newspaper (the writer sometimes you'll win \$15 (the former when actually sent his comment to the editor who forwarded it to me). For those that don't don't). If you decline even money 100 times know, John Scarne was a famous gambling guess what? On a hand by hand basis you've authority back in the 60s and early 70s. He accepted some risk but after 100 even money wrote several best-selling books on casino situations, you'll have more than \$100 in gambling and was considered the expert winnings. That's the math behind even during this time. However, Scarne got it all wrong when it came to his comments on but you'll win more in the long run if you card counting. There was, in fact, a flack in always decline it. So, if you are only going print over Scarne's comments and the new to play one session of blackjack your whole breed of blackjack experts who came on life, go ahead and take even money. But if the scene. Of course, it turned out that as you are going to play a lot of sessions of more mathematicians began studying the blackjack during your lifetime, you'll end up game of blackjack, it became widely known with about 4% more profits in your pocket

the player the edge at blackjack. I actually answered this irate reader's comments on card counting in my column with facts and figures. Scarne never retracted what he said about card counting and I never heard any more negative comments from this reader about anything else I wrote about in my

"You're dead wrong and stupid when you say that betting progressions don't work. I've been using one for 40 years and so have all my buddies and we all are winners."

I've received hundreds, no probably thousands, of negative comments about my position on betting progressions in blackjack. , and dozens of other mathematicians, have studied betting progressions in blackjack in great detail. The bottom line is this: betting progressions on a session by session basis will increase the fluctuation in your bankroll compared to always betting the same amount, and long term, they will not change your odds of winning one iota and they won't decrease the house edge one iota. All this means is that in any particular playing session you could win using a betting progression. I challenged this critic whether he really kept accurate win and loss records but never got a response.

"Telling your readers not to take even money is the dumbest advice I've heard. You need to get a life."

I've obviously touched a nerve with this critic. I realize it's tough to pass up getting paid even money on your bet when you are sitting with a blackjack and the dealer is showing an ace. The fear, of course, is that if you don't take the sure even money, the "Tamburin, you're an idiot for writing dealer could have a blackjack and you wind times and you'll wind up \$100 ahead with no risk. If instead you decline even money, there is a risk that sometimes you'll win Natta and the dealer has blackjack, the latter when they money: you win when you always take it, and accepted that card counting will give when you always decline the even money.



#### **Meet Your New Meal Prep Hero: The Southwestern Black Bean & Corn Salad**

If you're looking for a meal prep wonder that works as hard as you do, this Southwestern Black Bean & Corn Salad is here to save the

Made with pantry-friendly ingredients, this colorful salad keeps beautifully in the fridge for up to five days and offers endless ways to enjoy it. Whether you're adding it to a bed of mixed greens, tossing it into quesadillas or serving it as a hearty taco or wrap filling, it's a serving. versatile addition to your meal rotation.

It also makes a delicious topping for baked or sweet potatoes and pairs perfectly with grilled chicken or fish for a light, refreshing side. With so many options, this salad is your secret weapon, and it's easily doubled or tripled to ensure stress-free, flavorful meals

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#### SOUTHWESTERN BLACK BEAN & **CORN SALAD**

Yield: 4 servings Total Time: 15 minutes

#### For the Dressing:

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- Juice and zest of one lime
- 1 tablespoon apple cider vinegar 1/2 teaspoon brown sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon chili powder
- 1/4 teaspoon cumin
- 1/4 teaspoon Dijon mustard 1/4 teaspoon table salt
- For the Salad:
- 1 (15 ounce) can black beans, drained and rinsed
- 1 cup frozen corn, thawed
- 1/2 cup red onion, diced
- 1/2 cup red pepper, diced
- 1/2 cup fresh cilantro, chopped

In the bottom of a salad bowl, whisk together all dressing ingredients to emulsify. Add the salad ingredients, tossing to combine. This gets better as it sits, so I recommend refrigerating this at least two hours before

This salad is delicious when made into hearty quesadillas. They are a great choice for a quick weeknight dinner or a delicious snack. The combination of black beans, sweet corn and melty cheese wrapped in a crispy tortilla is the perfect comfort food.

Found throughout North America, this

can culture. Parts of it have been used

for skin ailments and insect bites, and

plant has had many uses in native Ameri-

Prairie Sunflower as a food source, to make medicine

#### SOUTHWESTERN BLACK BEAN & CORN QUESADILLAS Yield: 4 servings

2 cups shredded Mexican blend, or

Cooking spray or oil and/or butter, as

Preheat a skillet over low heat and coat with

cooking spray or melt a mix of 2 teaspoons

each of olive oil and butter. The blend of oil

and butter gives the quesadillas a rich, golden

Stir the shredded cheese into the black bean

and corn mixture so you get that perfect gooey

Increase the heat to medium and cook each

quesadilla one at a time until golden brown and

this Southwestern Black Bean & Corn Salad

is a game-changer. So go ahead, whip up a

batch and enjoy stress-free, healthy meals all

Lifestyle expert Patti Diamond is the penny-

pinching, party-planning, recipe developer

and content creator of the website Divas On

week long!

crisp that makes them extra satisfying.

filling with each bite of quesadilla.

just the right amount of crispiness.

cheddar cheese

needed

8 (8-inch) flour tortillas

Total Time: 15 minutes

SENIOR NEWS LINE 1 recipe black bean and corn salad

#### by Matilda Charles The Peace of Avoiding the Daily News

One month ago I wrote here about having avoided the television news for seven days. During that time, I didn't have the stress from constant bombardment and media hysteria about all the problems and chronic chaos in the world. I felt better for it, both physically and mentally, but I knew I couldn't keep it

At some point I figured I would have to rejoin the aware population and get up-todate on what was going on.

crispy, and the cheese is fully melted. You want Except I haven't done that yet. Here at the the tortillas to have that satisfying crunch, with one-month mark I'm still not watching the Place one tortilla in the skillet at a time.

That one hour block of time that used to Place 1/2 cup of the bean and cheese mixture be spent in front of the television getting over the tortilla and spread it evenly to the "educated" about what was going on in the edges. Once the cheese has melted, fold this world has been used for other things. tortilla in half, making a half-moon shape, Here are a few things I accomplished: pressing down gently to help seal. Repeat

I shopped for, purchased and planted

with the remaining tortillas and bean mixture colorful flowers for the porch. adding butter and oil as needed. A few times each week I feed and play

Slice into triangles and serve immediately. with a neighbor's cat while the neighbor These quesadillas are fantastic on their own, but works extra hours. This saves him the cost feel free to serve them with your favorite dipping of a pet sitter and gives me a nice break with sauce, like salsa, sour cream or guacamole. a sweet kitty. Whether you're meal prepping for the I restarted my free online language lessons week or looking for a quick, satisfying meal,

and have made considerable progress.

That's not to say I have no clue about what's been going on in the world. I set my phone to silently send me a few short alerts on selected topics. I can scan those at my leisure and not even click the link to read the articles. Five seconds of looking at the alert summaries tells me all I need to know. With one finger tap, they're gone, deleted.

If you want to take a news break, give it a few days or a week to try out. Don't be surprised if you stick with it for much longer. It can be rather peaceful.

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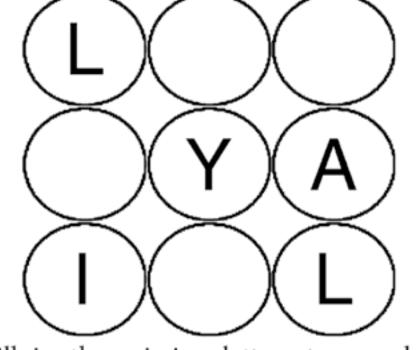
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By Ralph Dunagin and Dana Summers

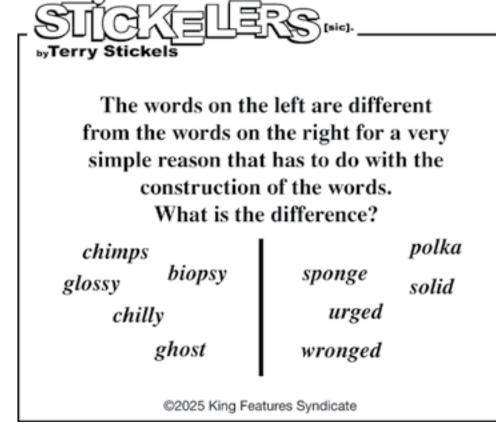




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For puzzle inquiries contact scrgrams@gmail.com

#### **Double Jackpot Wins Light Up Bingo** Room at Edgewater Casino Resort

LAUGHLIN, Nev. - July 21, 2025 - The Bingo Room at Edgewater Casino Resort, located at 2020 S. Casino Drive, awarded two major progressive bingo jackpots in early July, totaling more than \$63,000 in combined winnings.

On Thursday, July 10, Glena D., a Legit True Rewards member from Rancho Cucamonga, California, won the Double Progressive Bingo Jackpot, taking home \$56,826. Her winning card achieved a full coverall within the posted number of balls, triggering a payout that had been building since late May.

Double Progressive Bingo is a coverall game that starts at 32 numbers and progresses every 14 days until it reaches the 35th number, where it will remain until the jackpot is won. Double Progressive bingo cards are available for \$1 each in paper or digital formats, and may be purchased during any session. Players must pay the session's minimum buy-in, and Double Progressive cards are only valid during the session in which they are purchased. The The Spats jackpot, currently at \$16,000 and growing, must be won within the posted number of balls drawn. For more Double Progressive rules, visit the website here.

Just two days later, on Sunday, July 12, Rebecca P., a Loyal True Rewards member from nearby Bullhead City, Arizona, won the Bingo Cashball Jackpot totaling \$6,789 during the 7 p.m. session. She hit bingo with the Cashball number as the final number called, triggering the jackpot that had been building for that session.

To be eligible for the Cashball progressive, players must validate their packs with a \$1 or \$2 fee per pack, which is valid only for the session in which it is purchased and must be confirmed on the player's receipt. For complete Bingo Cashball rules and details, visit the

The Bingo Room at Edgewater hosts sessions daily at 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m., 5 p.m., 7 p.m., 9 p.m. and 11 p.m. To learn more about the Bingo Room at Edgewater, as well as follow any jackpot updates, visit the website here.

More information about Edgewater Casino Resort is available by calling (866) 352-3553 or (702) 298-2453, on the website at Edgewater-Casino.com, and on social media at Facebook, X and Instagram.



Glena D. won the Double Progressive Bingo Jackpot, taking home \$56,826

HIS IS SO LAME, I ASKED MY PARENTS FOR A POOL AND THIS IS WHAT I GET?

**Amber Waves** 



# Rebecca P. won the Bingo Cashball Jackpot totaling \$6,789



## Micro Crossword

#### Across

- 1 Alamo rival
- **5** Swimmer Bobby, gold medalist at the Tokyo 2020 Olympics
- 7 Cold
- 8 Thickens, as cream
- **9** Body art

By Elizabeth C. Gorski

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#### Down

- **1** "Is that \_\_\_\_?" ("Oh, really?")
- 2 Luxury rental in the Alps
- **3** Bar of gold
- 4 Funny sketches
- **6** Magazine staff, for short

#### **EDGEWATER CASINO RESORT AUGUST BINGO GIFT GIVEAWAYS**

During all bingo sessions on Mondays in August, True Rewards Members will receive the gift of the day with minimum \$20 buy-in.

Monday, Aug. 4: Tahari eight-piece food storage set

Monday, Aug. 11: Brookstone over-the-sink prep station

Monday, Aug. 18: Master chef 12-piece ultimate chopper set

Monday, Aug. 25: Chill out cooler tote



Lucky Local Wins \$11,774 Progressive Bingo Jackpot at Sam's Town Hotel and Gambling Hall



On June 28, Sherry from Las Vegas was playing bingo at Sam's Town and Gambling **Hall** when she hit the Progressive bingo jackpot, winning \$11,774.



Lucky winner, Sherry won the 3pm cashball, taking home \$13,264. Congratulations Sherry! Join South Point Casino - you could be the next winner!

#### Bingo Hall name correction from last month's (July) issue



This past May, Rufina S. was a big \$5,000 winner at Arizona Charlie's!

Best Bingo Besties (L) Rufina S. and (R) Linda M. have been coming to Arizona Charlie's since the doors opened over two decades ago! They love bingo and plan to keep playing!

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"Crazy 8" Ball (B-8) \$1,000

> Friday, August 8, 2025 All Sessions

## **Coverall Frenzy**

Saturday, August 9 and 23, 2025 (9pm) Payouts from \$500 to \$1,000 Second Chance Coverall \$500

**END OF SUMMER 2025** 



#### \$17,000 BINGO SPECIAL

Thursday, August 28, 2025 (1:15pm)

\$60 Buy-in includes:

One 9-on pack \* Custom Dauber \* One Anytime Buffet

**Complimentary Room Thursday, August 28, 2025** 

See virginriver.playmesquite.com/bingo for more details.

**Labor Day Weekend Special Sessions** "Double Pay All the Way" Two \$500 Coveralls

> Saturday, August 30, 2025 (7pm) Sunday, August 31, 2025 (11am & 7pm) Monday, September 1, 2025 (1pm)



## **WOODSTOCK TRIBUTE**

Friday, August 22, 2025 **Doors & Sales 8pm | Session 9pm** 

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A BIG TO ALL THE BINGO WINNERS!



Iesha W. was a two-time winner at Sam's **Town** Tuesday, taking home \$2,750!



Mom and Mother in Law Judy M. was

oined by Son in Law Jason Z. and her

daughter Angie Z. at Arizona Charlie's

Anniversary Party winning \$50!

## Winning Husband and Wife Team Bob and Midge W. married 63 years say the secret to a long marriage is of course... Bingo! Bob and Midge took home \$1,200 at The Plaza's Super Bingo.

## Gaming News

Mia C. was a happy winner at Gold

Coast's Power Bingo Event in May.

#### **The Jackpot Gents** Steve and Matt Bourie are known as "The

Jackpot Gents" on YouTube and Steve was the force behind The American Casino Guide for decades. On their channel, they demonstrate the long-term potential of strategic video poker play and as of June 9, the father-son duo were ahead just under \$20K for the year. Their average bet is \$25 and they run through approximately \$2 million annually. Steve says, "When you're wagering approximately \$2 million per \$1,000 in 2023, then lost \$7,770 in 2024. When analyzed against their total action. their loss rate for 2023 and 2024 combined was less than 1% and including their 2025 results, the Jackpot Gents are net winners after almost three years of daily video poker these results on YouTube by searching for Jackpot Gents.

#### **High Rollers Not a Winner**

"A master thief must pull off a dangerous casino heist when his nemesis kidnaps his lover. Caught between rival criminals and of *High Rollers*, a new movie starring John Travolta, Gina Gershon, and Lukas Haas. a review came out with this intro paragraph: "High Rollers is a heart-slowing work of staggering stupidity and charmlessness,

when its flaws become so egregious you can't help but guffaw." It gets worse: "The air of tawdry cost-cutting pervades every level of the film, from the casting and costumes to the paste jewelry that's supposed to stand in for posh gemstones. There are tons of holes in the plot, but those are too tedious to parse." Ouch. The casino that has to be heisted is in New Orleans.

#### **Californians Boost Henderson**

Last year, according to the number of driver's licenses surrendered by incoming residents, just under 39,000 Californians moved to Nevada. That's up from 36,500 in 2023, but down from the highest recent total of 47,400 in 2021 at the height of the pandemic. Storage Cafe, a nationwide storage-space year at \$25 per hand, even small percentage marketplace, analyzed Census Bureau advantages compound significantly over statistics to find that Millennials constituted the highest percentage of migrants (27%), video poker play can overcome the house while Boomers came in second at 20%. edge." They came out ahead by just over Twenty-two percent of all Californians moving to Nevada came from L.A. County, followed by Orange and San Bernardino counties, and moved to Clark County. Apparently, Henderson absorbed more than its fair share of newcomers. Las Vegas' neighbor was the third fastest growing city play. You can access a video that covers in the U.S. (per capita) over the past decade. The population grew by 22% through 2023; only Irvine, California (34%) and Orlando (25%) grew by a higher percentage.

#### **Indiana Pacers Make Betting History**

According to ActionNetwork.com when the Indiana Pacers beat the New York Knicks FBI pursuit, he risks all to save her and score in Game 6 of the Eastern Conference big." That's the high concept of the plot championship series, they became the team with the worst odds to make the Finals in the last 40 years at 66-1. Six teams have played It didn't look particularly promising in a in the Finals after being 30-1 or higher and all preceding limited release in March and then six have lost the series. Even more amazing, the Pacers entered the playoffs an 80-1 dog to take the title, the third worst odds of any team to make the final series since 1977. ineptly made and quite frankly dull, except All reporting by www.lasvegasadvisor.com.

## BINGO LAND

News from the Real World & Cyberspace

#### **Surviving or Thriving?**

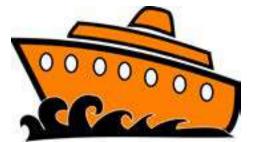
According to a surprising new survey, the stereotype in your head of a typical bingo player probably needs a refresh. Bingo players with blue hair may also sport nose rings and tattoos. Milwaukee's Potawatomi Hotel & Casino survey claims 59% of bingo sweeping the residence halls there following players are millennials. They're followed by a resurgence during the pandemic shutdown. Gen Xers (21%) and Gen Zers (14%) The baby boomer set came in last at 6%.

website operated by the tribal casino, found that fully 80% of those who play bingo regularly were under 41 years old. Yet almost half (45%) of its respondents still believed in various settings, including dedicated that bingo was an older persons' game. The bingo halls, community centers, casinos (in website credits bingo phone apps-such as Bingo Blitz, Absolute Bingo, and Bingo at Home-with exposing the Justin Bieber set to its social component, allowing players to the game beloved by their grandma.

Other surprising facts turned up by the survey included that more than 1 in 10 Americans plays bingo, and that those who do play it often. Almost one in 10 play daily, while 32% play weekly, 53% play monthly, and 6% play yearly. In addition, 12% of Americans during the pandemic, and another 9% picked it up as recently as March 2022.

According to the casino, which offers August 2022 about their bingo and gambling opinions and habits. Respondents were 49% female, 49% male, and 2% transgender/nonbinary. The age range was 18 to 84, with an average age of 38 years old.

In America, playing bingo for cash is only legal in churches for charity, in Nevada casinos, and in Indian casinos such as the



While Casino.org could not find any stories corroborating the paysbig.com survey's conclusions about younger American generations embracing the game, they cited a recent story in *The Holcad*, the student newspaper of Westminster College in New Wilmington, Pa. It reported that bingo is Key Aspects of Bingo's Status in the US:

\* Large Player Base: The United States The survey, published on paysbig.com, a boasts a large number of bingo enthusiasts, with estimates indicating over 60 million annual participants.

\* Widespread Availability: Bingo is played some states), and online platforms

\* Social Aspect: Bingo is highly valued for connect with friends and build communities. \* Online Bingo Growth: Online bingo has seen significant growth in recent years, making the game accessible to a wider audience, including younger players.

\* Mobile Gaming: The rise of mobile devices and improved internet connectivity has began their bingo fascination while stuck home made it easier for players to access online bingo games on smartphones and tablets, increasing accessibility and convenience.

\*Evolving Demographics: While historically bingo, it surveyed 1,000 Americans in associated with older adults, bingo is experiencing a shift in demographics, with a growing number of younger players joining in, particularly through online platforms and modern variations like music bingo.

\* Charitable Fundraising: Bingo remains a popular tool for charitable fundraising, with organizations benefiting from the revenue generated through ticket sales.

\* Market Growth Potential: The online bingo games market in North America is projected to continue growing, with opportunities in different segments and age groups.

In summary, bingo is not just surviving but is thriving in the United States, adapting to technological advancements and evolving preferences to maintain its popularity and attract new generations of players.

Out on a Limb

NEW AND PAY MENT METHODS





#### **Top-Charting True** Crime

True crime is arguably the most popular podcast genre, but it's not everybody's cup of tea. Most people want a good mystery to feel like they're solving a case along with the detectives, leaving no stone unturned. Currently, these podcasts are captivating audiences week after week, according to the latest Apple Podcast charts:

What Happened to Holly Bobo? It's been 15 years since a young nursing student named Holly Bobo disappeared into the woods near her home in small-town Tennessee. Her brother, who was still in a fog from sleep, saw his sister with a man who he mistook for her boyfriend, but instead, he was actually witnessing a crime. Three men are currently in prison for her murder, © 2025 King Features Synd., Inc.

but there have been accusations of coerced confessions by detectives. Tune in to this series and decide for yourself if the facts add up. (ABCAudio.com) Deep Cover: The Truth About Sarah

— This is a podcast about people living double lives. In its newest season, we meet a heroic veteran named Sarah Cavanaugh who was facing a new kind of battle: cancer. (Or so she claimed.) Hosted by Pulitzer-Prize-winning journalist Jake Halpern, this troubling mystery isn't about kidnapping and murder. It's about deception and "stolen valor." Explore Deep Cover's past seasons. too, where it delves into drug wars, organized crimes and, most recently, the rise and fall of Republican Congressman George Santos (DeepCoverPod.com) Serialously With Annie Elise — This

true-crime podcast was created by a host who is "one of us" — someone who desires all of the overlooked details that everyone else seems to miss, a fact checker with mad Googling skills. Host of the popular YouTube channel 10 to Life, Annie Elise brings you all the details on the latest viral cases, current trials, and true-crime news. Recent episodes cover the Diddy Trial, Karen Read, and the upcoming "Idaho Four" murder case. (AnnieElise.com)

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## TOWN Flamingo & Nellis

#### **MINI MONEY SPIN**

Mondays • 1:00pm, 3:00pm, 7:00 & 9:00pm Three names drawn to spin for up to \$500



Saturdays, August 9 & 23 7:00pm SIX \$1,000 COVERALLS

#### **POWER COVERALLS**

Monday & Tuesday, August 25 & 26 7:00pm & 9:00pm• FIVE \$1,000 COVERALLS 11:00pm • THREE \$1,000 COVERALLS Double Pay

#### **CRAZY FOR COVERALLS** Friday, August 1

**COVERALLS MINI SPECIAL** 

**SUNSHINE BALL** 

#### Fridays • All Sessions (Excludes August 1)

Saturday, August 16 5:00pm • Two \$1,000 | 7:00pm • Three \$1,000 9:00pm · Four \$1,000

#### THROWBACK THURSDAY

\$10 Paper Rainbows **TRIPLE PAY** 

PLUS 3 - \$1,000 COVERALLS Saturdays • 1:00pm, 7:00pm & 9:00pm

#### \$12K ELECTRONIC **BINGO SPECIAL**

Sunday, August 10 · 5:00pm

#### **10X PAY DOUBLE DAUB** CONSOLATION \$2,500

Saturday, August 16, 2025 · All Sessions

## **4X & 5X - \$1,000 COVERALLS**

5X \$1,000 Coveralls

**lesdays** • 3:00pm & 7:00pm • 4X \$1,000 Coveralls idays & Saturdays • 7:00pm • 4X \$1,000 Coveralls **Sundays** • 1:00pm & 3:00pm • 5X \$1,000 Coveralls Sunday, August 10 · 7:00pm · 5X \$1,000 Coveralls Monday & Tuesday, August 25 & 26 7:00pm, 9:00pm & 11:00pm





#### **NEW BINGO ROOM NOW OPEN!**

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Sundays • 1:00pm & 3:00pm

Monday & Tuesday, August 25 & 26 7:00pm & 9:00pm

#### **BALLS ON THE WALL**

Thursdays & Sundays 4:00pm & 6:00pm

#### **DOUBLE ACTION**

Thursday - Sunday • 12:00pm

#### **DOUBLE PLAY**

Fridays • 6:00pm & 8:00pm

#### 2 - \$1,000 COVERALLS

Saturdays, August 2, 9 & 23 · 6:00pm

#### \$5,000 SUPER SESSION

Saturdays, August 16 & 30 · 6:00pm

For the latest Bingo Updates, scan the QR code or visit boydgaming.com/explore/play/boyd-bingo





#### Suncoast Hotel & Casino Unveils All-New **Bingo Room**

LAS VEGAS —Suncoast Hotel & Casino today announced the unveiling of its all-new Bingo Room, introducing an exciting new gaming experience as it continues its property-wide

Conveniently located on the west side of the casino floor, the new, state-of-the-art Bingo Room is a bold reimagining of a timeless classic, designed to deliver high-energy entertainment within a modern setting. This premier venue embodies sophistication and fun in equal measure. As part of Suncoast's ongoing renovation efforts, the new 9,170 square-foot Bingo Room features a modern coastal aesthetic theme along with a massive 17-foot bouncing bingo ball chandelier. The 406-seat room also features a snack bar and a



glass-enclosed smoking area with its own ventilation system. The Bingo Room is open daily from 10:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.

To celebrate the debut of the new bingo room, Suncoast will be hosting a Glitz & Dingo grand opening weekend beginning at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 2, and Sunday, August 3. The event is open to the public. The event will include a High Roller Bingo game, which awards \$8,000 to the overall prize payout when you call Bingo on a High Roller Ball and Roll to Win, which will allow winners to roll the dice and potentially be paid double.

The opening of the Bingo Room is a continuation of work that began in late 2023, when Boyd Gaming launched a complete transformation of the Suncoast beginning with the debuts of an allnew High Limit Room and William B's Steakhouse. Renovations have continued and include a revamped sportsbook and casino floor spaces. Future plans include the remodel of guest favorite Du-Pars, a modernized bowling center, expanded banquet and meeting space, reimagined bar spaces, hotel rooms, casino pit, front desk registration, the addition of a new food hall concept and a complete transformation of the entire casino floor.

For more information, visit www.suncoast.boydgaming.com.

#### **August Bingo Promotions at Arizona Charlie's Boulder and Decatur Properties**

Bingo Gift Day

Tuesdays in August: Every Tuesday during sessions from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m., True Rewards bingo players who pay a minimum \$20 buy-in will receive a 12-pack canned Pepsi product. Members can choose from Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Orange Crush, Mountain Dew or Starry. One per person, per session, while supplies last

#### Bingo Bonus Wheel Spin

Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays: After game six in bingo sessions at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m., an Arizona Charlie's team member will spin the promotional wheel to determine the session bonus, including session Aceball prize increases, 1st chance coverall prize increases, extra pay for specific games and bounce back rainbows.

#### Bingo Half Point Tuesdays

Tuesdays: True Rewards members may use their True Rewards card points at any session for bingo play at double the value. 250 True Rewards card points are equivalent to \$1 in bingo play. More information is available here.

#### Bingo Bounty

Thursdays and Saturdays: From 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. players will receive a bonus for calling bingo on the bonus ball posted in the bingo room. True Rewards members may win up to \$1,000 in free slot play or \$500 in cash. Two winners will receive half of the prize they choose and three or more winners will split the \$500 cash prize. More information is available here.

#### Bingo Bonus x Goes Wild

The Bonus X \$5,000 prize-winning combination starts at 16 numbers and if not won, the number will increase every fourteen days up to a max number of 21. It will remain at 21 numbers until the \$5,000 prize is won. If the prize is hit, the winning combination number will return to 16 numbers and the count restarts. More information is available here.

This multi-location progressive jackpot is shared between the Arizona Charlie's properties, Pahrump Nugget in Pahrump, NV, and Edgewater Casino in Laughlin, Nev. Bingo players have a chance to spin the bingo coverall wheel to determine a prize percentage. Guests can win up to 100% of the progressive jackpot in 55 numbers or less, starting at \$10,000 and more. More information is available https://www.arizonacharliesboulder.com/special-offers/bigger-bingo-coverall-multi-



Rosemary K. of Henderson, Las Vegas just celebrated her 82nd Birthday and to top it off she won \$1,000 at Green Valley Ranch Bingo! Way to go!

## Savvy Senior

by Jim Miller

#### **Paying Off Credit Card Debt**

#### Dear Savvy Senior,

My husband and I, who are retired, have accumulated about \$7,000 in credit card debt over the past few years and need some help rate, or the one with the smallest balance. paying it off. What can you tell us? —Living Underwater

#### Dear Living,

I'm sorry to hear about your financial woes but know that you're not alone. Credit card debt has become a big problem in this country for millions of older Americans. According to a recent AARP report, 52 percent of adults ages 50 to 64 have credit keep going card debt, along with 42 percent of those Consolidate Your Debt ages 65 to 74.

Rising costs of basic expenses like food, culprits. But now, new tariffs on products which could make this problem worse. Of older adults carrying a balance, nearly half owe \$5,000 or more, and nearly a third owe upwards of \$10,000.

While paying off credit card debt can feel overwhelming, it's doable with a solid plan and a bit of belt-tightening and persistence. Consider a Debt Management Plan Here are some strategies to help you tackle it. Create a Budget

Start by taking a close look at your income money to put toward your credit card debt. Also look for areas to reduce spending, such as dining out, entertainment or subscriptions. And see if you're eligible for any financial assistance programs (see BenefitsCheckUp. org) that can help boost your budget medicine and health care.

#### Call the Card Company

While the average credit-card interest rate companies may be willing to lower your off your debt.

interest rate or work out a payment plan. especially if you're struggling. It doesn't hurt to ask.

#### Pay More Than the Minimum

Credit card companies only require the minimum payment, but it's usually mostly interest. Try to pay more than the minimum every month to make a dent in the principal balance.

#### **Choose a Repayment Strategy**

If you have more than one credit card, pick one and get serious about paying it off. Start with the card that carries the highest interest

If you focus on paying off the card with the highest interest rate first, you'll pay less interest over time, saving yourself a lot of money. Once the highest-interest card is paid off, move to the next highest, and so on.

Or you may want to start with the card with the smallest balance. Paying off smaller debts quickly can give you a sense of accomplishment and motivate you to

If you have multiple high-interest cards, look into consolidating your debt with a housing, utilities and health care are the main low-interest personal loan from your bank or credit union. Or consider moving your made in China and other foreign countries debts to a balance transfer credit card with will make many goods more expensive, 0 percent interest for an introductory period, which is usually 15, 18 or 21 months. This will eliminate the amount of interest you're paying temporarily. But be careful! Once the introductory promotion ends, the card company will charge interest on any remaining balance.

If you need more help, use a nonprofit credit counseling agency (see NFCC.org) to create a debt management plan for you. At no and expenses to see where you can free up cost, a counselor will go over your income and debts and determine what's workable. The counselor will then negotiate with your lenders, to get a payment plan that will lower vour interest and monthly payments and maybe forgive some debt.

If you accept their negotiated offer, you'll by paying for things like food, utilities, start making one monthly payment to the counseling service, which will in turn pay the issuers. You'll likely pay the agency a small fee and give up the cards included in is more than 20 percent, some credit card the plan, but over time you'll be able to pay

When we first attended this annual Bingo

event, we were under the mistaken belief

that deaf children would be guiet. What a

joy it was to hear the whistling, shouting,

This year the games were a bit more

complicated than in the past. We eased into

play with "a regular or four corners," but then went on to "teeter-totter," "fly-swatter,"

"empty square," and a host of others that

were unfamiliar. The games were all clearly,

if sometimes lopsidedly, illustrated on cards

posted around the room and I was impressed

anew at the ability of the teachers to turn

every activity into a learning experience. We were off and running at a furious pace,

with the kids waving their Bingo signs

The first Bingo was followed by the

winner's dip into a pumpkin for a prize,

which proved to be a DVD, close captioned

and new enough to cause delight. All

the other prizes were equally valued and

The big surprise of the afternoon was the

"Bingo Sisters Blackout." It was a quinella

and backward and covering both numbers

with each call. The kids loved saying "99"

as soon as "66" was called. The game

threatened to become riotous as enthusiasm

grew. I hoped that one shy boy named Paul

would win. He was familiarly called "Polly"

by his classmates and seemed to need his ego

boosted. I kept a watch on his cards to make

sure he didn't miss any numbers and was

delighted when he got Bingo. The teacher

brought the prize to me to give to him and

it turned out to be a Polaroid camera, which

thrilled him. The first picture he took was of

Afterward, driving home, Kate complained

obviously carefully chosen by the teachers.

uninhibitedly.

laughing and delight that surrounded us.



#### by Kate and Reva **Nuts for Bingo**

Once a year we visit the deaf school for a session of super fun Bingo. Many of the kids remembered us as the "Bingo Nuts" from last year, and to make the impression last, we which means calling the numbers forward brought along fancy mixed nuts to distribute as snacks during the games.

I just love these kids. They sign to each other very rapidly, most of them lip read with accuracy, and they tease each other like all adolescents (they turn their backs to teachers instead of whispering).

This year the theme of the afternoon seemed to be giant pumpkins. There were several of the large orange creations sitting about and the kids were steering clear of them, having been warned that to "peek inside the pumpkin" was to risk being denied the right to play Bingo. One of the teachers explained that prizes for the games were inside the pumpkins and that the kids respected the rule of no peeking.

Our places were reserved at the table with the oldest kids who, at least theoretically, were not as noisy as some of the others.

amount of feeling, "There are many ways of winning and I think this was one of the winningest days we've ever had."

that neither of us had won anything. I

reflected on the day and said with no small



#### **Can This Poker Player** Make a Gutsy Call in This \$1.95 Million Pot?

By Chad Holloway

One of the most popular poker live streams on YouTube is Hustler Casino Live, which broadcasts out of California's Hustler Casino. Arguably their most popular stream is their annual Million Dollar Game, which requires each player to buy in for at least \$1,000,000!

The 3rd annual Million Dollar Game ran from April 28 thru May 2, 2025, and as usual the chips, and subsequent fortunes they represented, were flying in the \$500/\$1,000 with a \$2,000 big blind ante cash game.

On Day 1 of the game, poker pro Alan Keating, known for his James Bond-esque persona, clashed with Peter, a mysterious Chinese businessman who made a name for himself on PokerGO's hit show High Stakes

It began when Peter looked down at the J♥J♣ and raised to \$6,000. Keating called from the cutoff (the spot directly to the right of the dealer button) with the Q♠10♠. A player known as Jack then three-bet to \$26,000 after picking up the  $Q \neq Q \Rightarrow$  in the small blind.

Both Peter and Keating called and it was three-way action to a flop of 4♠7♦6♦. Jack continued for \$35,000 and Peter called with his own overpair. Keating had the worst hand and only a 2.1% chance of winning the hand according to the PokerNews Odds Calculator. ©2025 Tribune Content Agency, LLC.

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PAR SCORE 260-270

It'd be easy for him to give up on the hand by folding and sacrificing the \$26,000 he'd already invested, but that's not what James Bond would do, now is it? Instead, Keating raised big to \$180,000.

It was a valiant bluff, but one that failed as both Jack and Peter called with their big pocket pairs. The 2♠ turn changed nothing, and it checked to Keating, who seemed to slow down by checking.

That brought about the A♦ on the river, one of the most interesting cards that could appear. Why? Not only did it complete a diamond flush draw, it also put on the board and overcard to Jack and Peter's pocket pairs. With \$621,000 in the middle, both those players checked and the door was opened for Keating to take another stab at it.

He did just that by moving all in for \$663,000! The bluff had to get through two players, but could they really call now that the board had both a completed flush draw and an ace?

It was too much for Jack, who didn't know he held the best hand, and he folded.

Peter then hit the tank — meaning he thought for several minutes before making a decision (i.e. the "think tank"). Could his pocket jacks be good? If Keating had flopped a flush draw, why wouldn't he bet the turn? Was he just trying to use the scare card on the river to his benefit? Or did he really have the goods?

It was a polarized decision, referring to a situation where a player's range is split into very strong hands and bluffs, with no mediumstrength hands. In other words, Keating either had a strong hand, like the flush or pair of aces, or he had absolutely nothing. He wasn't betting with say a pair of sevens.

It looked as if Keating was going to get away with it, but Peter dug deep and made an insane call to win a \$1.95 million pot! It was one of the gutsiest calls ever in one of poker's biggest games. Give credit to both players, and they played an iconic hand at the highest

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RACK 1 =

RACK 4 =

RACK 5 =

TOTAL

RACK 2 = 61

RACK 3 = 59

68

325

SCRABBLE G. R. A. M. S. SOLUTION

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K<sub>5</sub>

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E₁

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The letters in the words on the left are all in alphabetical order; the words on the right are in reverse alphabetical order.

Stickelers Answer

#### Boggle BrainBusters Answers:

TIN LEAD ZINC IRON GOLD COPPER SODIUM PLATINUM

## CryptoQuip

If a rooster is annoyingly noisy whether walking forward or backward, it crows both ways.

#### **FLASHBOARD NUMBERS**

B: 03 05 07 11 12 22 23 26 27 29 33 35 37 42 44 52 53 54 56 59 O: 63 64 66 67 74



## Casino Q&A

#### **Time to Test Your Slot IQ**

1. After a top jackpot is hit, a slot machine turns cold to make up for the big payout. (T

2. You are more likely to hit a jackpot in a crowded casino than in a near-empty one. (T

3. Players win less frequently when they use their slot club cards. (T or F)

4. You hit more winning combinations when you bet just one coin. (T or F) 5. Slots near casino entrances pay better. (T

a certain amount of slot play. (T or F)

5. False. In the early days, casinos did place their better-paying slots near entrances to

more often is a scam. (T or F)

#### **SUMMER PASTA WITH VEGETABLES**

possible)

½ teaspoon salt

√₂ teaspoon pepper

2 pound diced vegetables (anything in

In a large bowl, combine the tomatoes, oil, thyme, parsley, salt and pepper. Let stand. In a medium-sized saucepan, bring 1-inch of water to a boil. Add a pinch of salt and the vegetables. Steam until the vegetables are cooked. Drain all of the water out and temporarily put aside. Cook the pasta according to the package directions. Drain. tomato mixture. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese and serve immediately. Serves 4.

I have a great recipe for a "Summer Pasta 6. A slot technician can set a jackpot button with Vegetables." My niece, Risa, gave it to me or switch to reward a favorite customer after many coins you bet. many years ago. Hope you enjoy it. —Annie

4 ripe plum tomatoes, dried stablespoons olive oil

½ teaspoon thyme (fresh, if possible) 2 tablespoons Italian parsley (fresh, if

<sup>2</sup> pound angel hair pasta

4 cup fresh Parmesan cheese, grated

Toss the pasta and the vegetables with the

**ANSWERS** 1. False. Jackpots are a normal event in a popular machines up front to create an slot machine's life; after a big payout, the attractive gaming environment. The floor machine will continue to pay back at the rate designers call it the "shill" area. They know it's programmed to. It does not turn cold. that a pleasant gaming environment is the Your chances of hitting another jackpot on shortest path to a player's bankroll. the same machine remain the same.

casino simply because there are more technician can set to pay out a jackpot. Such machines being played. For the individual player, the chances of hitting a jackpot are program is set at the manufacturer's factory. the same, even if the rest of the casino was A slot technician on the floor cannot change empty. The crowds around other machines this program in any way. do not change the odds of the machine vou're playing.

3. False. The slot's computer program doesn't know whether you use a slot club card, so using the card makes no difference is often poorly written, cheaply bound, and in whether or how much you win or lose.

## Word Spiral Answer ILLEGALLY

## Even Exchange

Starch, Search

6. Notice, Novice

2. Pulse, Purse 3. Ditch, Dutch 7. Fumble, Mumble 8. Globe, Glove

4. Wander, Wonder 5. Liner, Linen

9. Devour, Devout 10. Picket, Pocket

## Micro Crossword

Answer S Α F G С S S



#### no casino tracks your slot play and cuts you off when you're winning too much. A casino goes through a lot of trouble to enroll players in its slot club. It wouldn't cheat loyal customers by skimping on the returns

of a slot machine 4. False. This is a common myth. And it probably got started by a player who hit a long losing streak while playing maximum coins. Then when he switched to betting just one coin, he hit more frequently. And this led him to believe that you win more when you bet just one coin. Winning combinations, losing combinations, cold streaks and hot streaks will appear normally no matter how

lure passers-by into the casino. Casino floor designers today tend to place live musical groups, win-a-car displays, and the more

6. False. There is no such thing as an 2. False. Most jackpots are hit in a crowded operator-controlled button or switch a slot a device would be illegal. A slot's payout

7. True. Beware of ads anywhere, including newspapers, email, and on the Internet hawking some type of "secret" or "sure-fire" system for beating the slots. The material expensive (\$30 to \$50) and the only one who Some slot players believe that if they makes money on a "guaranteed" slot system accumulate a high number of points on their is the seller. Ask yourself: if you discovered slot cards, the casino makes them pay for a way to make tax-free millions playing slot it with lower returns on the machine. But machines, would you sell it for a few dollars?



#### by Alessandra

## for August 2025

ARIES: March 21 to April 19 1st thru 6th... You da high roller (3<sup>rd</sup>)! 7th thru 12th... PURPLE probability 8th\$ 13th thru 18th... Double win 16th-17th\$\$ 19th thru 24th... RED's hot the 21st! 25th thru 31st... You gain \$peed the 30th

1st thru 6th... Hard card rewards the 5th! 7th thru 12th... BLUE bankroll 10th-11th\$\$ 13th thru 18th... Pleasing results the 15th! 19th thru 24th... Game picks up 19th/24th\$ 25th thru 31st...

**GEMINI:** May 21 to June 21 1st thru 6th... Not yet 7th thru 12th... It's happening 7th-8th\$!

13th thru 18th... Cannot lose 12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>\$\$ 19th thru 24th... RED reigns 21st! 25th thru 31st...

Time to celebrate 25th-26th! **CANCER**: June 22 to July 22

1st thru 6th... Cash rushes to you the 1st! 7th thru 12th... BLUE's in the groove 10<sup>th</sup>\$ 13th thru 18th... On point to pay 14th-15th! 19th thru 24th... Worth shouting about 23<sup>rd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>! 25th thru 31st... Right on da money 28th-29th!

**LEO:** July 23 to Aug. 22 1st thru 6th... Double duty bet\$ the 3<sup>rd</sup> 7th thru 12th... Pretty big the 12<sup>th</sup>! 13th thru 18th... Step right up the 16th!\$ 19th thru 24th... ORANGE flare\$ 21st 25th thru 31st... Happy wins 25th & 30th\$!

VIRGO: Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 1st thru 6th... Amp up to win  $4^{th}-5^{th}$ \$\$ 7th thru 12th... Trying won't help 13th thru 18th... Little in, big out 14th-15th\$\$ 19th thru 24th... BLUE's best 19th & 24th! 25th thru 31st... Exciting edge the 29<sup>th</sup>\$!

**LIBRA:** Sept. 23 to Oct. 23 1st thru 6th... Get what's yours the 3<sup>rd</sup>! 7th thru 12th... Unusually good the 8th\$!\$ 13th thru 18th... Make it happen 16<sup>th</sup>\$\$ 19th thru 24th... RED for the win 21st\$ 25th thru 31st... Full throttle wins the 30<sup>th</sup>!



# **Lucky Predictions**

TAURUS: April 20 to May 20 Cool it

> Oh yeah, baby 25th & 30th! PISCES: Feb. 19 to March 20 1st thru 6th...

Odds in your favor 5th-6th\$! 7th thru 12th.. Better chances the 11th 13th thru 18th... GREEN godsend 14th-15th\$ 19th thru 24th...

Cool BLUE win 19th-20th! 25th thru 31st... It's all good the 29th!\$

SCORPIO: Oct. 24 to Nov. 21

Positive prospects 1st & 5th\$!

GREEN all the way 10th\$\$

Game's yours 19th & 24th!

Narrow window the 3<sup>rd</sup>\$

YELLOW shines 8th/12th\$

Easy to master 25th & 30th\$

BLUE brings \$\$ the 1s

Cash out big 14th-15th\$\$

On the right path the 3<sup>rd</sup>\$

Even the 8th / big splash 12th\$

Worth your while 24th

CAPRICORN: Dec. 22 to Jan. 19

Put it down on PURPLE 10<sup>th</sup>\$!

AQUARIUS: Jan. 20 to Feb. 18

SAGITTARIUS: Nov. 22 to Dec. 21

lst thru 6th...

7th thru 12th...

13th thru 18th...

19th thru 24th...

25th thru 31st...

1st thru 6th...

7th thru 12th...

13th thru 18th...

Stop after the 13<sup>th</sup>

19th thru 24th...

Get busy 21st-22nd

25th thru 31st...

1st thru 6th...

7th thru 12th...

13th thru 18th...

19th thru 24th...

25th thru 31st...

On a roll 28th-29th\$

1st thru 6th...

7th thru 12th...

13th thru 18th...

19th thru 24th...

25th thru 31st...

Time out

Multiple wins 16th-17th!

Make it so the 29th\$\$

Beg off

Color associations refer to lucky objects, daubers, cards, machines, clothing/jewels you wear, or a dominant color in the room.

### **PREDICTORS LUCKY CARD FOR AUGUST 2025**





First Quarter Moon Sandcastle Day 2nd 4th Coast Guard Birthday Purple Heart Day 7th Full Moon 9th 13th Left Hander's Day Relaxation Day 15th

Last Quarter Moon : 16th National Senior Citizens Day 17th New Moon 23rd

26th Women's Equality Day 31st First Quarter Moon :



## by Frederick Woodruff

### Horoscopes for August 2025

ARIES (MAR 21-APR 20): Carve out time to prioritize and schedule your intentions. Saturn in your sign now requires maturity and bringing to the fore the wisdom you've accrued. A lot will be asked of you in the years ahead. This preparatory phase will help you prepare for the adventure. Lucky Days: 1 - 10

Lucky Numbers: 5 - 43

TAURUS (APR 21-MAY 21): Recruit new comrades into your circle, those that will promote your urge to turn everything upside down. If cornered in business matters, pause to reassess and rearrange terms. Contracts and commitments are up for review. Host a party for revolutionaries.

**Lucky Days:** 16 - 29 Lucky Numbers: 32 - 44

GEMINI (MAY 22-JUN 21): Your imagination is moving into a quiet phase in preparation for Uranus' big-deal entry into your sign next month. Soon you'll want to re-evaluate all the places and causes that you've made commitments to. If not working to improve them, you'll be looking to discard them.

**Lucky Days: 12 - 26** Lucky Numbers: 9 - 54

CANCER (JUN 22-JUL 22): Jupiterthe don't fence me in planet—is transiting your sun now. There's a necessity to sharpen your focus and forge a detailed, step-bystep approach towards goals and aims. Ask yourself what supports optimism most in your life, and then walk directly into enacting those realizations.

Lucky Days: 2 - 11 Lucky Numbers: 15 - 18

LEO (JUL 23-AUG 23): The word influence is based on ancient astrological principles. Namely, the ways in which the cosmos inspires and energizes our day-to-day lives. For the rest of the year, you need to study what influences you most. You'd be surprised what you're susceptible to right now.

**Lucky Days:** 13 - 17 Lucky Numbers: 2 - 34

VIRGO (AUG 24-SEP 23): Now that Neptune is no longer opposing your sign, clarity and direct motion are much easier to achieve. A hidden side of your life is attempting to find ground. Imagine yourself as an advocate and freedom fighter. You shine brightest when helping others. **Lucky Days:** 17 - 44 Lucky Numbers: 19 - 29

LIBRA (SEP 24-OCT 23): There's a good chance you'll find success with a project that's confounded you throughout the first part of this year, but it will take careful strategizing. You're an ace when it comes to charming others, apply that same diplomatic approach to those who hold the power that

Lucky Days: 7 - 20 Lucky Numbers: 5 - 50

SCORPIO (OCT 24-NOV 22): Time to fine tune your sensitivity and bring a lighter touch to your world. Yes, the extremes throughout the first part of the year were challenging, but you're ready to apply the wisdom you've acquired in a balanced way. Cooperation is the key.

**Lucky Days: 27 - 28** Lucky Numbers: 4 - 48

SAGITTARIUS (NOV 23-DEC 21): Plan to rework your schedule to devote more time to neglected businesses. Or ditch a few of the pots on your cooktop. Streamline. Because you value freedom, you're not one to create imitations, but conditions have reached a point where you want to establish and

maintain boundaries. **Lucky Days:** 10 - 20 Lucky Numbers: 7 - 36

CAPRICORN (DEC 22-JAN 20): If you're following the rules and mandates of someone else, you'll lose track of your inner guidance. You rise to the occasion and bring your best game when you find ways to surmount adversities.

**Lucky Days:** 11 - 17 Lucky Numbers: 32 - 37

AQUARIUS (JAN 21-FEB 19): The theme for the rest of the year? Solve the tension between old mental habits and fresh ways of seeing and evaluating the world. What's at stake is an attitude shift regarding solitude and your desire to assert yourself in a new group. Choose the latter, you're ready

for a new social scene **Lucky Days:** 16 - 20 **Lucky Numbers:** 4 - 55

PISCES (FEB 20-MAR 20): Saturn will backtrack into your sign in September for one final set of lessons. The key to winning is putting all of your facts in order. The better organized you become, the more power you have to define your direction forward. This is the cosmos' way of readying you for more freedom.

Lucky Days: 5 - 27 **Lucky Numbers: 2 - 54** 

#### **COFFEE BREAK ANSWERS**

SCRAMBLER ANSWER: 1. Abyss 2. Laugh 3. Averse 4. Dearth Todav's Word: BUYER

JUMBLES: SWUNG MOUTH COSTLY WEAKLY

Answer: They studied the attractive properties of certain metals at the - MAGNET SCHOOL

HOCUS FOCUS DIFFERENCES: 1. Desk is wider. 2. Nose is smaller. 3. Blinds are higher. 4. Pocket is moved. 5. File cabinet is taller. 6. Desk lamp is different.

**CRYPTOQUOTE ANSWER:** If a rooster is annoyingly noisy whether walking forward or backward, it crows both ways.



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MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS

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especially like pasta. Thank you.

Marilyn from Melbourne, Florida

**Perfect Pasta** 

Dear Annie,

by Annie E. Ennis

I need some new summer recipes. I am

so bored with my current list of recipes. We

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FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS • 9PM SESSION



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