



The Cub Scouts of Pack 232 will sell "Trails' End Popcorn" door-to-door and at various businesses throughout the community throughout the month of October. Members of the pack involved in the sale are, from left, kneeling, Matt Lyons, Terri Calpin and Gracie Huntington. Standing, Christopher, Michael and Anthony Huntington, Tommy Calpin, Michael Gatusky, Nathan Scheuermann, Eric Stamer and Ryan Marshall.

Cub Scout popcorn sale returns this month

The Cub Scouts of Pack 232 will sell "Trails' End Popcorn" door-to-door and at various businesses throughout the community starting this coming weekend (Sept. 29-30) and continuing for the month of October.

Sponsoring the October weekend sales this year are the following community

businesses: Bi-Lo Markets, Thomas' Market, Dallas Centre Hardware, Hilbert's Tractor Store, Back Mountain Agway, Gate of Heaven and St. Therese's Churches, and Gay's True Value in Tunkhannock. In addition, the Scouts will give up their Columbus Day holiday day off to sell the popcorn all day at Walmart locations in

Wilkes-Barre and Tunkhannock.

The Popcorn Sale is the only fundraiser the Cub Scouts do to support their many program activities throughout the year, including hayrides, hikes, Pinewood Derby and camping. The price of the popcorn runs from \$10 and up and the selections include

light-butter to butter microwaveable bags, as well as cheese, chocolate and kettle corn tin varieties.

October is National Popcorn Month. Popcorn lovers can visit www.popcorn.org for lots of trivia and games! More information about Pack 232 for boys who wish to join can be found at <http://pack232.net>.

CHURCH BRIEFS

Church cookbook is being reprinted

To commemorate the Center Moreland United Methodist Church 150th Anniversary in 1997, the church had an anniversary cookbook published by Mooris Press Cookbooks.

Due to many requests for the cookbook, the church has had a limited number of cookbooks reprinted. The price of the cookbooks is \$10 plus postage. To request your cookbook, call Sheryl Phillips at 333-4226 or Joyce Bellas at 333-5354.

Animal blessing scheduled for Oct. 4

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, 420 Main St., Dallas will hold a Blessing of the Animals Service on St. Francis of Assisi Day, at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 4, on the front lawn of the church, weather permitting. The community is welcome. Bring your pets and tell a friend about this special service. For safety, please leash or cage your pet.

Alderson Church sets flea market

The Alderson United Methodist Church will hold a flea market and rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 5, and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 6. Saturday is \$2 Bag Day. A hot dog lunch will be available. Call 639-5401 for more information

Trucksville U.M. Church Fall Chicken BBQ set

The Trustees of the Trucksville United Methodist Church will hold their Fall Chicken BBQ on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 5 and 6, at the Dickson Educational Facility, Church Road.

Take-out orders will be available 4:30 to 7 p.m. Dining room service will be available from 5 to 7 p.m. each day in Fellowship Hall. Adult tickets are \$8 and children's tickets are \$3.50. Tickets must be reserved in advance. Call the church office at 696-3897 Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. or fax orders to 696-3898.

St. Paul's Church Rummage/Bake Sale

The Dorcas Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Dallas will hold a rummage and bake sale at the church from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 5, and Saturday, Oct. 6. Bag day will be Saturday at noon. There will be clothes, toys, baby items, knick knacks and something for everyone. St. Paul's is located off of Route 118.

Carverton U.M. Church Fall Sale is scheduled

The Carverton United Metho-

dist Church women will hold their annual Fall Sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 6, at the church. There will be clothes, baked goods, toys, jewelry, stuffed animals and books. Lunch will be available.

Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner scheduled

A Roast Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner/Bake Sale is scheduled from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 13, at the Loyalville United Methodist Church. Ticket prices are \$8 for adults and \$3.50 for children under the ages of 12.

Takeouts are available. Call 477-3521 and leave a message with your name, phone number, number of dinners requested and pickup time.

Ballroom Dance event planned for Oct. 20

A Ballroom Dance event will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Route 118, Dallas.

Dance lessons will be given from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays, Oct. 11 and 18. The lessons are free if a ticket for the event is purchased; otherwise, a \$5 donation is requested.

To reserve your tickets, please call 675-3859.

Spaghetti dinner will be held at Gate of Heaven

A home style spaghetti dinner will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20, at Gate of Heaven Church, Machell Avenue, Dallas. Takeouts will begin at 4:30 p.m.

The dinner includes spaghetti with marinara sauce, homemade meatballs, salad, Italian bread, beverage and choice of dessert. Tickets are \$7 for adult and \$3.50 for children ages 6-12. There is no charge for children under 6 years of age.

For reservations or additional information, call 675-3674 or 675-1579.

Carverton U.M. Church Pork Supper scheduled

The Carverton United Methodist Church will hold its annual Pork and Sauerkraut Supper at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 27, at the church.

Grief Support Group meets every month

A Grief Support Group led by Rev. Peggy Sue Pfeiffer of Hospice St. John is held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Rt. 118, Dallas at 7 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of every month.

Anyone experiencing grief at the loss of a loved one is invited and encouraged to attend.

There is no charge, but reservations are requested and can be made by calling 675-3859.

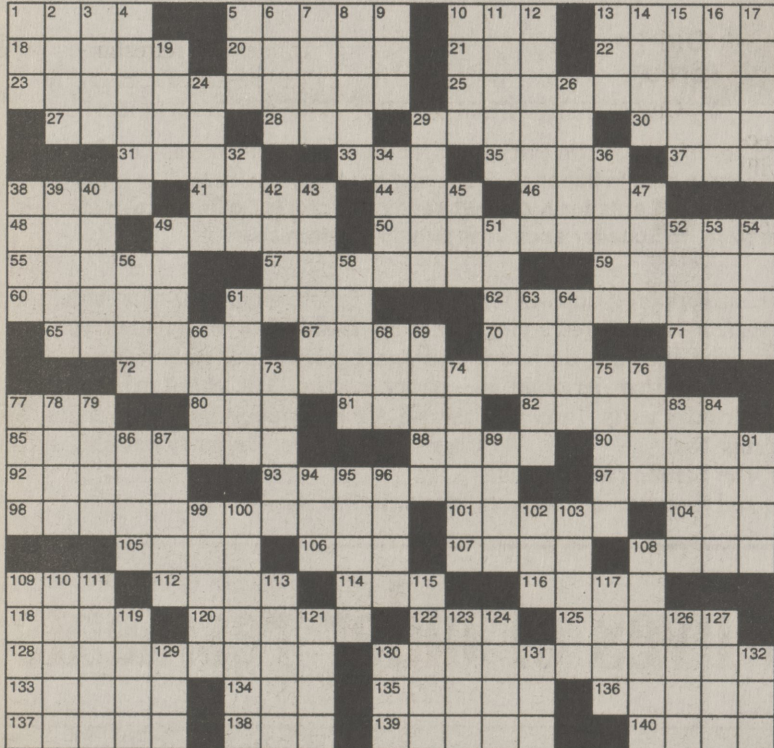
CROSSWORD CORNER

Super Crossword

STROKES OF GENIUS

Puzzle answers, Page 2

- ACROSS**
- 1 In addition
 - 5 Throw out
 - 10 Spoil
 - 13 Deadly
 - 18 Soprano
 - 20 Country home
 - 21 — trip
 - 22 Actress
 - Eleniak
 - 23 Start of a remark by Kirk
 - Kirkpatrick
 - 25 Of interest to Byrd
 - 27 "The Woman —" ('84 film)
 - 28 Football's Luckman
 - 29 Beg
 - 30 Can't stand
 - 31 Like sale merchandise
 - 33 Bath, e.g.
 - 35 Sunflower support
 - 37 Aye
 - opponent
 - 38 — year
 - 41 Close
 - 44 Baseball's Mel
 - 46 Marge in the fridge
 - 48 Every last bit
 - 49 Singer McKee
 - 50 Part 2 of remark
 - 55 Taco
- DOWN**
- 107 Neighbor of Java
 - 108 Rock's Stefani
 - 109 Brit. fliers
 - 112 Jazzman
 - 61 Petite pie
 - 62 Wages
 - 65 Menuhin's teacher
 - 67 Rounded roof
 - 118 Pennsylvania port
 - 120 Bite
 - 122 Charles S. Dutton sitcom
 - 125 Spanish dramatist
 - 128 A Dead End
 - 130 End of remark
 - 133 Subside
 - 134 Jack of "Flower Drum Song"
 - 135 Cosmetician
 - 136 New Archangel
 - 92 Violinist Mischa
 - 93 Arizona town
 - 97 Northern hemi-sphere?
 - 98 Part 4 of remark
 - 101 "39 Wimbledon winner
 - 104 Santa —
 - 105 Sojour
 - 106 "Ben—"
- ACROSS**
- 4 Swaddle
 - 5 Little rocker?
 - 6 Lively
 - 8 Ode
 - 9 Smidgen
 - 10 It should be square
 - 11 Bronte's — Grey?
 - 12 Type of muscle
 - 13 — de-lance
 - 14 Shoe part
 - 15 Big guy
 - 16 Japanese dog
 - 17 Cagney's partner
 - 19 Leon of "Mister Ed"
 - 24 Minnesota city
 - 26 Writer Rogers St. Johns
 - 29 Couturier Jean
 - 32 Round table title
 - 34 Hand-shakers
 - 35 The Brainy Bunch?
 - 38 Glasgow girl
 - 39 Gladden
 - 40 Writer Drury
 - 42 "Bhagavad—"
 - 43 Beehive or bouffant
 - 45 Poetic monogram
 - 47 Smell
 - 49 Jean of "Upstairs, Downstairs"
 - 51 Ruhr Valley city
 - 52 "What's — for me?"
 - 102 Day —
 - 53 Place
 - 54 Queue tip?
 - 56 Takes in
 - 58 Portly
 - 61 Namely
 - 63 City on the Nile
 - 111 Ultimate
 - 64 Annealing oven
 - 113 Drawing room
 - 66 Irish county
 - 68 Hua's predecessor
 - 69 Monitor message
 - 73 Mormon leader
 - 74 Infinite splitter, often
 - 75 Desert refuge
 - 76 Downtown miasma
 - 127 Interrogates
 - 77 Dance
 - 78 maneuver
 - 79 Poet Craven or Unsel
 - 131 "— Paula" ('63 song)
 - 132 Tended a tot
 - 87 Components
 - 89 — Minor
 - 91 Colt color



GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: **

* Moderate ** Difficult *** GO FIGURE!

-	X			15
+	X	X	X	
	+	÷		6
÷	-		+	
X	X	X		18
5	15		16	

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Somewhere out there
- 4 Decline
- 8 Benevolent organization
- 12 Altar
- 13 Shakespeare's affirmative
- 14 hamperer
- 14 Witticism
- 15 TV sleuth played by James Garner
- 17 "Do - others"
- 18 Recognized
- 19 Skirmish
- 20 Grounds-keeper's machine
- 22 Picnic
- 24 Sheltered
- 25 Competitions
- 29 Have a bug
- 30 Data
- 31 Go like a bunny
- 32 Shellfish
- 34 Twosome
- 35 Wan
- 36 Indistinctly
- 37 Senior moments?
- 40 Litigant
- 41 Not pre-recorded
- 42 Antisocial music style
- 46 "The Good Earth" heroine
- 47 Largest of

DOWN

- 1 Evergreen
- 2 Commotion
- 3 "Saturday Evening Post" illustrator
- 4 It's for mass consumption
- 5 Acknowledge
- 6 Neither mate
- 7 Conclusion
- 8 Horse
- 9 It's good for a breather
- 10 Friends and neighbors
- 11 Lady Macbeth's problem
- 16 Leg part
- 19 Conceptions
- 20 Oft-thanked one
- 21 Hodgepodge
- 22 Stallone role
- 23 Pismires
- 25 Bread
- 26 St. Patrick's Day symbol
- 27 Drudgery
- 28 Agile
- 30 Bother
- 33 Mourn
- 34 Docking area
- 36 "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" composer
- 37 Farm implement
- 38 Anger
- 39 Ellipse
- 40 Wield the scissors
- 42 Links stat
- 43 Work with
- 44 Bill's partner
- 45 Barbie's companion

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