

OAK TREE TIMES

All The News That's Fit For Camp

CAAP-TION CONTEST

Make a caption to whatever you think would be good for this picture! Put your captions in the green Grrlock Holmes folder outside room 314! Put your name on it. The OTT class will choose the best caption and the winner will be put in the newspaper! Here's the first picture:

One submission per person, please. The deadline for this contest is Friday, July 22. The winner and runner-ups will be announced on Monday, July 25.



Chapter 5 Willow

I was angry, the humans destroyed my home. What had I ever done to them? Now I had to find a new home to live in. I decided to go on a walk.. I paced by human homes. I continued walking and suddenly I heard footsteps behind me. I turned around and growled. I saw a human kit, he reached out and tried to grab me. I backed away and heard him mumble "Come here bō_ i _s ok___. You mus_ ha_e come from th_ **FIRE**." I kind of understood him and suddenly I realized I had been picked up. I was in the boy's arms but I was too sleepy to do anything. Then I fell into a deep sleep. The last thing I saw was the face of the boy looking so happy. -Emily Dean

TAG!

Hiya!! My name is Nick Gehrenbeck-Shim. I use he/him pronouns and I am a group 6 counselor. This is my 11th nonconsecutive summer at CAAP. I've been coming here since I was 7!!! I teach Drawing and Painting the Landscape, Learn to Clay, Let's Clay, and Advanced Clay!! Thanks Liam for tagging me! I Tag SAMMY AUSLANDER!!

How does Wordle Work?

Wordle is a very popular game that was invented by a person named Josh Wardle. In Wordle, the player will have to guess a five-letter word in six guesses. When a player guesses, each of the letters will be colored. If a letter is colored gray, it means that the letter is not in the word. If the letter is colored yellow, it means that the letter is in the word but it is not in the right position in the word. If a letter is colored green, it means that the letter is in the word and is in the right spot. Wordle became popular in October 2021. There are many other versions of Wordle, for example, Globle, which is where a player has to guess a country.



This is a picture of an example of how someone would solve a Wordle. The letters are removed so it doesn't spoil the puzzle for other players who haven't done it yet.

About 300,000 people play Wordle daily. Some people have also made variations of Wordle that require the player to solve multiple Wordles simultaneously. For example, Dordle requires the player to solve two words in seven tries, Quordle requires the player to solve four words in nine tries, Octordle requires the player to solve eight words in 13 tries, Sedecordle requires the player to solve 16 words in 21 tries, Duotrigordle requires the player to solve 32 words in 37 tries, and Sexaginta-quattuordle requires the player to solve 64 words in 70 tries. Also, some versions of Wordle are the same except for the fact that the solution can be four letters or more than five letters. Usually, most people get the Wordle in four or five tries.

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The Completely Normal Caap News Column

By **Something that looks human, but you can tell it isn't.**

Hello, readers! Welcome back to your tri-weekly reminder of existential dread! I am your host, the reason humans developed the Uncanny Valley response, and let's get to it! Some news for today; In preparation for Crazy Hat Day, researchers have found that if not enough people wear crazy hats, the Universal Crazy Meter will not be fulfilled, and the day will, horrifyingly, be boring. So, make sure to wear your crazy hat! In other news, the annual Snake Box has opened! Report all snakes to the United States Snake Collection Agency agents patrolling the building.

And now, for traffic announcements. A 2015 Honda Civic has been seen driving past CAAP several times at 114 miles per hour, seemingly taunting us. It appears to enter an interdimensional wormhole at the end of the road, bringing it back to the start of the road a minute later. This has created a huge hazard for CaapGoers, so here's a rhyme to remember how to safely cross the road: Only cross the street when the car goes through the portal, or else you'll be reminded that you are not immortal!

Now, for the CAAP Fun Fact Science Corner! Sponsored by the US Government's National Propaganda Campaign. Did you know? Popular opinion on the United States has risen to 100% positive! People sure are patriotic. I am, personally, not a huge fan of the US, but the survey was only opened to humans. Gas prices have gone down to 0.5 dollars per gallon! Inflation has lowered to 0%! Everything is fine! There are no problems whatsoever! Our country is perfect! Question nothing!

Now, back to the news. Interestingly, the angels in the elevator have welcomed a cow into their personal vertical transport. This cow has no apparent supernatural characteristics, unlike the angels which float 2 feet off the ground and have huge, flaming wings. Unfortunately, this means no CaapGoers will be allowed into the elevator until the cow leaves, as along with the angels, it has caused the elevator to reach its 3 ton weight capacity.

Readers, we have come to the end of this edition of the Completely Normal Caap News Column, but remember; keep an eye out for stray snakes and elevator cows, and remember to wear your Crazy Hat! See you next time!

Logic Puzzles to Trick and Test your Brain

#4

Difficulty: Super Hard

My favorite number is special.
Really special. It's...

8,549,176,320. Why?

Hope you enjoyed this
brain-boggling puzzle!

****hint hint:** it's not that it has
every number.

*****hint hint hint:** you don't
need to do any math.

The answer to the last
puzzle was:

He's under arrest. Multiple
HEs below a rest. Get it?

- Grrlock Holmes, bear
detective

Credit to Dr. Gareth Moore, for the puzzles



Animals To Make You Happy #2

Here are some adorable animals to make you happy. This week is a
endangered animals: AXOLOTLS!

Here is some info about them! Axolotls are exclusively found in
the Xochimilco lake complex close to Mexico City, which
comprises Lake Xochimilco and a series of man-made canals and
waterways which criss-cross throughout the Mexican capital.
Axolotls, being neotenic, have adapted well to their native
habitat, this being a high-altitude region with an average water
temperature of around 20°C, even during the winter months.

Axolotls, unlike most other salamander species, live permanently
in water. Some animals have been known to venture onto land
upon reaching full maturity, but the majority of their lives are
spent beneath the surface, using gills to breathe.

One of the attributes of axolotls which has fascinated biologists
for decades is their ability to regenerate limbs. Should an axolotl
lose a foot, for example, they're able to regenerate the limb in a
relatively short space of time – something which scientists
believe could hold great biological value for human medicine and
the treatment of certain degenerative diseases.

Overfishing is now one of the biggest threats to axolotl numbers.

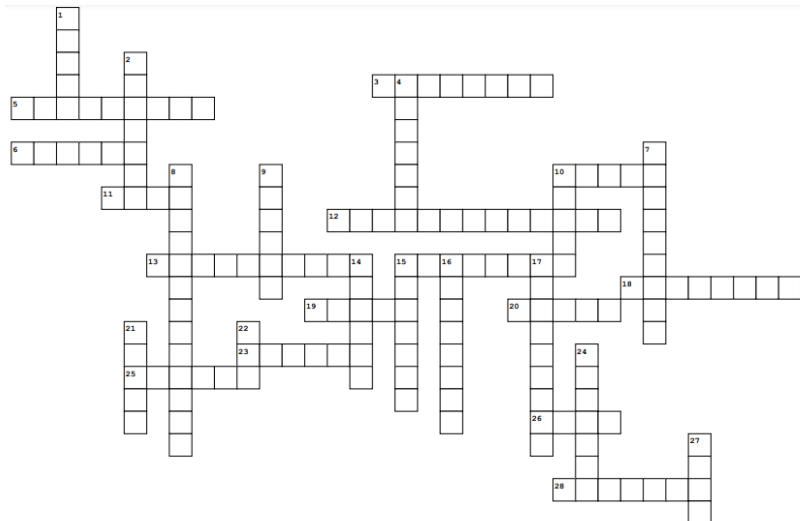
Habitat loss – the rapid development of Mexico City has seen vast
swathes of the Xochimilco lake complex drained and destroyed,
including Lake Chalco, one of the axolotl's principal historic
habitats. This information comes from Blue Reef Aquarium.

Thanks for reading,

Butterfly Patronus 🦋



Crossword of the Week!



Across

3. foot manicure
5. make way for _____
6. Mean Girls antagonist
10. sauce and cheese
11. shoulders, knees, and toes
12. Tris's former sign off, phrase about life
13. brightly colored sugary cereal
15. jewelry around neck
18. "YER OUT!"
19. with bow, --->
20. cat chases it, on a computer screen
23. another word for the fall
25. supply and _____
26. from the sky, wet
28. help you see

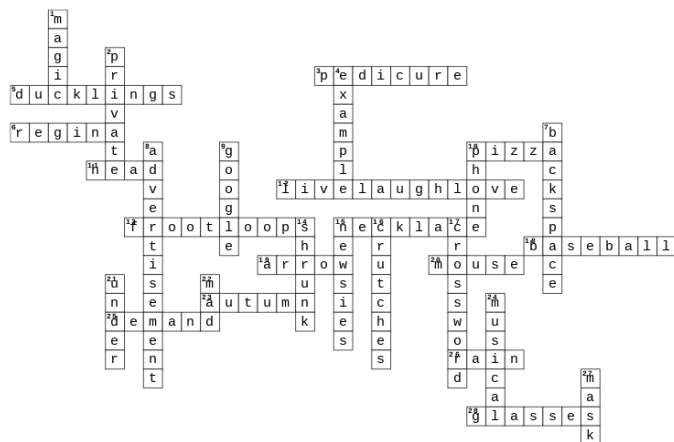
Down

1. tricks performed by Manny
2. opposite of public
4. "for _____,"
7. another word for delete
8. annoying thing before a YouTube video
9. web browser
10. small Apple device
14. "Honey, I _____ the Kids"
15. junior musical
16. for a broken leg
17. _____ of the week! - OTT
21. _____ the weather
22. angry synonym
24. play with music
27. "Stop the spread!"

Hope you've enjoyed this immaculate crossword! We will miss you! - Aria and Cole

P.S. This is our last article

Last Week's Answers:



ALAL's latest blog entry

Myspace is an older facebook social media. It is one of the first Socialmedia to ever exist. It was Created by Tom Anderson and Chris Delworth! From 2005 - 2009, Myspace was the largest social media network in the world. So Now Myspace is not that popular any more because of rising Competitions.

Hello!



UPCOMING CITs VS COUNSELORS BATTLE DAY #6

If you didn't read this section in the last article, here's a quick overview of the CITs Vs. Counselors Battle:

This article might be the first time you are hearing about this battle, between the infamous CITs and Counselors. Many more details of this have not been established yet, including what this battle will include. It may be a game of capture the flag, a fun dance off, or a sweaty basketball game. You will be hearing the inside scoop of some Counselors' thoughts on this critical face-off. Counselors that are not mentioned in this article will come up in the next articles, and more information will follow.

We have already talked about all the CITs, so now on to the Counselors!

1. First up we have...Charlotte! She has very interesting weaknesses...like the fact that she hates to drive! She also really doesn't like lettuce. Hopefully the battle isn't a driving contest or a taste test for leafy greens! On the other hand, her strengths are almost as strange. She's great at welding and is amazing at sewing. She also has fencing skills, but that doesn't mean that she'll choose swords for a weapon of choice over her beloved sewing machine. Good luck to Charlotte in this high-stakes battle! 🍷
2. Second...Cyrenity! Cyrenity's strengths are her imagination, positive attitude, and ability to pop her shoulders. Unfortunately, she is always tired, dislikes hurting people, and is allergic to both pollen and nuts. Her weapon of choice would be a great question. For Cyrenity's sake, we hope the vicious battle takes the form of a nonviolent, indoor, highly spirited debate. Good luck to Cyrenity in this high-stakes battle! 🍷
3. Next, David Flick! David's weaknesses are his messiness and the fact that he's really tall. While most people would consider it a strength, he said that you won't know it until you're tall yourself and hit your head. Strengths, on the other hand, are his patience from dealing with kids for the whole day and his hilarious sense of humor. His weapon of choice is most different...a stale baguette! Hopefully it's hard enough to KO somebody with! Good luck to David Flick in this high-stakes battle! 🍷
4. Fourth up we have Nevena! Nevena's strengths are her patience, energy, and "voice, obviously." However, she is allergic to the sun and considers herself too blunt and honest. Her weapon of choice would be her voice, as she would sing extremely loudly to shock and woo her enemies. Good luck to Nevena in this high-stakes battle! 🍷
5. Finally, we have Josh! As the Martial Arts coach, it's obvious that he has lots of strengths related to that. He also has sick motorbike skills, since he rides one to CAAP every day. His weaknesses, though, are the fact that he's a nice guy and has allergies to pine trees. He'd better watch out about rivals who use his gullibility to their advantage! His weapon of choice, unusually but helpful, is a robotic supersuit. Good luck to Josh in this high-stakes battle! 🍷

That's enough for today! Thank you to all the counselors for this wonderful information. Remember, more interviews will come in up-coming articles. We'd also like to note that due to Aria's tragic departure (from CAAP), two of her friends, Phoenix and Henry, have taken over the column. Stay tuned fans!

We hope you've enjoyed this immaculate article!

Thor 4: More Thor!- IGTTYPEIOYDCAT



Marvel's newest installment in the *Thor* series, *Thor: Love and Thunder*, was released on July 8th of this year. This 4th film is rated PG-13 for 'intense sequences of sci-fi violence and action, language, some suggestive material, and partial nudity'. This movie is turning out to be very divisive, with only a 68% on Rotten Tomatoes compared to *Thor: Ragnarok*'s 93%. So is this movie really deserving of that disappointing score? Well, yeah. I absolutely did not hate this movie, but this does feel like a pretty huge step down from what we're used to from Marvel. The tone and story are all over the place. Cristian Bale's villain Gorr is great, but he feels like he's in a different movie from everyone else. *Love and Thunder* is the first time I think a Marvel movie has been a comedy first and a superhero movie second, and it's not just a comedy, it's a rom-com. That's fine, but it gives the movie the feeling that it is geared toward younger audiences than any other movie from the MCU (Marvel Cinematic Universe). What *Ragnarok* had to make it so good was that Thor was serious and everything was insane around him, but here there isn't anyone to be a foil for the jokes, which leads to the tone being overly goofy and undermining the serious moments. The returning characters are still likable and nice to see, but they don't feel like they have enough to do. Jane Foster making her return is a good idea that is fairly well executed, but Natalie Portman is not a very comedic actor and it shows a lot of the time. I appreciate how much LGBTQ+ representation there is, but most of it felt pretty forced. I know it sounds like I hated the movie, but I had a fun time watching it and I'd give it a 6/10, so it's really not too bad. It's a hit for Marvel completists, but nothing to write home about or watch if you aren't a fan. Remember to put movie suggestions in the orange folder outside the OTT room.

Yours truly,

That One Critic With Bad Opinions.

What are the Fastest Cars in the World?

The average car has a top speed of around 120 miles per hour. However, there are many other cars that can go faster than that. For example, a Formula 1 car can reach around 200 miles per hour. The reason why it is faster than a normal car is that it has better aerodynamics (which means that the air going past the car doesn't slow the car down as much) and the engine is more powerful. Although 200 miles per hour may seem fast, it is not the fastest that a car can go. An IndyCar can go at speeds around 235 miles per hour. They are fast for the same reasons that F1 cars are fast. However, they still are not the fastest car in the world.



F1 car being driven
by Carlos Sainz

<https://racingnews365.com/sainz-claims-ferrari-are-nowhere-near-the-limit-with-new-car>



IndyCar being driven
By Romain Grosjean

<https://www.indycar.com/news/2022/04/04-10-grosjean-lb>



This is the ThrustSSC

<https://moneyweek.com/411571/15-october-1997-britains-thrust-supersonic-car-breaks-the-sound-barrier>

The fastest car in the world is the ThrustSSC. In 1997, Andy Green drove the Thrust SSC and managed to achieve a top speed of 763 miles per hour. It managed to break the sound barrier which means that it went faster than the speed of sound, which is around 760 miles per hour. The reason why the ThrustSSC was so fast was because it had two afterburner turbofan engines, which are super powerful and can be found on some military aircraft.

Sources: (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turbofan#Afterburning_turbofan) / (<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ThrustSSC>) / (<https://en.as.com/racing/indy-500-vs-formula-1-vs-nascar-which-car-is-faster-n>)

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