

JULY DAILY CELEBRATIONS

United States Postage Stamp Day	July 1
World UFO Day	July 2
2 nd Half of the Year Day	July 2
International Cherry Pit Spitting Day	July 3
U.S. Independence Day	July 4
National BBQ Ribs Day	July 4
Bikini Day	July 5
Fried Chicken Day	July 6
Chocolate Day	July 7
Coca Cola Day	July 8
National Freezer Pop Day	July 8
National Motorcycle Day	July 9
Carver Day	July 10
Teddy Bears Picnic Day	July 10
National Pecan Pie Day	July 12
International Rock Day	July 13
International French Fries Day	July 13
National Macaroni & Cheese Day	July 14

Gummi Worm Day	July 15
National Give Something Away Day	July 15
Celebration of the Horse Day	July 16
World Snake Day	July 16
Strawberry-Rhubarb Wine Day	July 17
Moon Day	July 20
National Lollipop Day	July 20
No Pet Store Puppies Day	July 21
Rat Catchers Day	July 22
Gorgeous Grandmas Day	July 23
National Pajama Day	July 23
National Day of the Cowboy	July 24
Aunties Day	July 25
Carousel Day	July 26
Love is Kind Day	July 27
Global Tiger Day	July 29
National Share a Hug Day	July 30
National Mutt Day	July 31
National Avocado Day	July 31

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

Bean and Bacon Week	July 1-5
National Tom Sawyer Week	July 1-5
Freedom Week	July 4-10
National Farriers Week	July 11-17
Rabbit Week	July 15-21
National Sweet Corn Week	July 16-19
National Moth Week	July 17-25
National Scrabble Week	July 17-24
National Zoo Keepers Week	July 18-24
International Lace Week	July 19-23
Garlic Days	July 23-25
Annie Oakley Week	July 23-25
Women in Baseball Week	July 25-31
Quilters Recognition Week	July 29-31
World Lumberjack Championships	July 29-31
Superman Week	July 30....

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

Air Conditioner Appreciation Month

Cell Phone Courtesy Month

Dog Days; all month

Family Golf Month

National Deli Sandwich Month

National Anti-boredom Month

National Baked Beans Month

National Blueberries Month

National Grilling Month

National Dog House Repairs Month

National Ice Cream Month

National Horseradish Month

National Hot Dog Month

National Picnic Month

National Watermelon Month

World Water Color Month

MONTHLY OBSERVANCES

Air conditioning appreciation days

Dog Days

Egg Plant and Lettuce Month

Family Reunion Month

National Hot Dog Month

National Blueberries Month

Doghhouse Repairs Month

Share a Sunset Month

Wheelchair Beautification Month

National Horseradish Month

National Ice Cream Month

National Grilling Month

Mango and Melon Month

Nectarine and Garlic Month

Sandwich Generation Month

Women's Motorcycle Month



JULY WORD SCRAMBLE

1. cinciP _____

2. aglF _____

3. radePa _____

4. rowksFeri _____

5. raWtelemon _____

6. dencependeln _____

7. lavinCar _____

8. togsdoH _____

9. quebearB _____

10. monLeeda _____

11. ripeSts _____

12. taPota ladSa _____

Match the real animal with its more descriptive name; (find answers on last page)

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|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>13</u> Freedom Glider | 1. Octopus |
| ___ Formal Chicken | 2. Turtle |
| ___ Stab Rabbit | 3. Sea Gull |
| ___ Floppy Sea Spider | 4. Penguin |
| ___ Booplesnoot | 5. Mosquito |
| ___ Nope Rope | 6. Porcupine |
| ___ Furry Potato | 7. White Tiger |
| ___ Dirty Needle | 8. Alligator |
| ___ Beach Chicken | 9. Bunny |
| ___ American Murder Log | 10. Guinea Pig |
| ___ Fart Squirrel | 11. Alpaca |
| ___ Danger Zebra | 12. Snake |
| ___ Pantless Thunder Goose | <u>13. Bald Eagle</u> |
| ___ Grumpy McSnapface | 14. Skunk |
| ___ Giraffe Sheep | 15. Ostrich |

Word scramble

1. picnic
2. flag
3. parade
4. fire works
5. watermelon
6. independence
7. carnival
8. hotdogs
9. barbeque
10. lemonade
11. stripes
12. potato salad

Animal name match-up

- freedom glider - 13
- formal chicken - 4
- stab rabbit - 6
- floppy sea spider - 1
- booplesnoot - 9
- nope rope - 12
- furry potato - 10
- dirty needle - 5
- beach chicken - 3
- American murder log - 8
- fart squirrel - 14
- danger zebra - 7
- Pantless thunder goose - 15
- Grumpy McSnapface - 2
- Giraffe sheep - 11

JULY WORD SCRAMBLE

1. worFireks _____
2. scartockS _____
3. notuCy raiF _____
4. lemonterWa _____
5. pamCnig _____
6. riserF heleW _____
7. daPrae _____
8. quesrebaB _____
9. lesLii _____
10. norC sieFld _____
11. aiHl _____
12. daneomeL _____
13. peneddelnec _____

Answers on last page

OXYMORONS; And oxymoron is a figure of speech comprised of two words, side by side, that have opposite meanings but we use them as one. Example, "small crowd", "steel wool". Match the oxymorons below. (answers on last page)

1. Good _____

2. Old _____

3. Jumbo _____

4. Same _____

5. Growing _____

6. Lead _____

7. Pretty _____

8. Awful _____

9. Freezer _____

10. Found _____

11. Paper _____

12. Bitter _____

13. Definite _____

a. Ugly

b. Balloon

c. Burn

d. Grief

e. Missing

f. News

g. Shrimp

h. Sweet

i. Difference

j. Maybe

k. Smaller

l. Good

m. Towel

Answers to oxymorons

1. d. Good grief
2. f. Old news
3. g. Jumbo shrimp
4. i. Same difference
5. k. Growing smaller
6. b. Lead balloon
7. a. Pretty ugly
8. l. Awful good
9. c. Freezer burn
10. e. Found missing
11. m. Paper towel
12. h. Bitter sweet
13. j. Definite maybe

Answers to word scramble

1. Fireworks
2. Stockcars
3. County Fair
4. Watermelon
5. Camping
6. Ferris Wheel
7. Parade
8. Barbeques
9. Lilies
10. Corn Field
11. Hail
12. Lemonade
13. Independence

Everything that is really great and inspiring
Is created by the individual who can labor in
freedom. Being American is awesome !

4th of July Word Scramble

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Word Scramble;

Patriotic

July

Freedom

Stripes

States

Flag

Fireworks

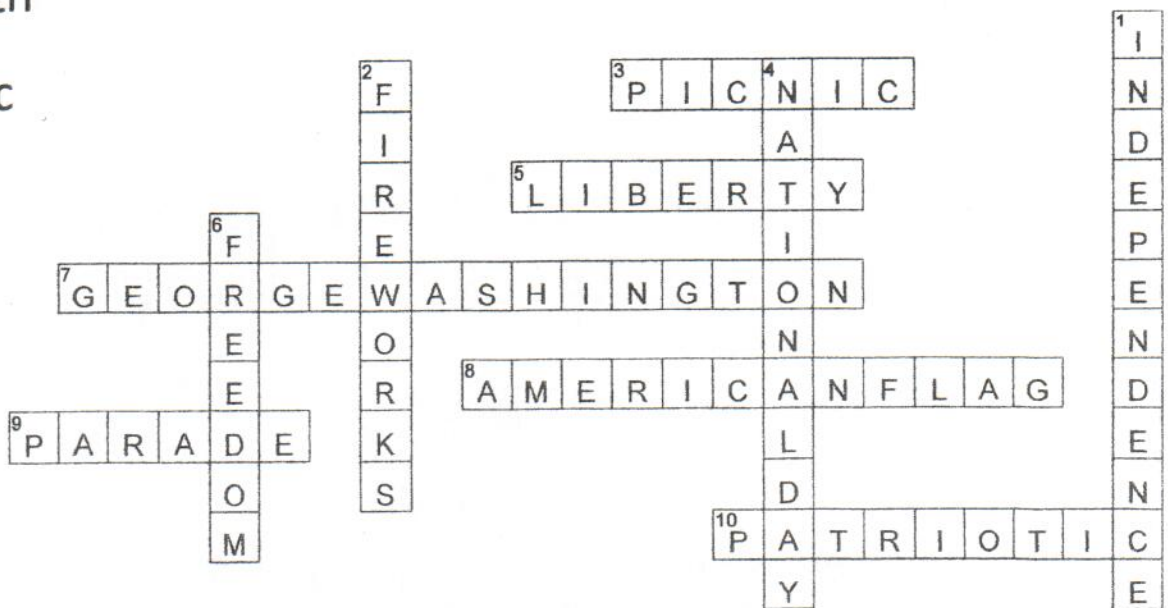
Parade

Independence

Stars

Fourth

Picnic



FISHING WORD SCRAMBLE

answers on last page

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mowr

koho

lpeo

erbobb

klea

onmwin

JULY WORD SCRAMBLE

Answers on the last page

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Word scramble #1

Fishing word scramble

Sunburn

tackle

Mosquitoes

shore

Gardening

cast

Sunflower

license

Shade

carp

Lemonade

pond

Fireworks

sinker

Mud races

worm

Thunder storm

hook

Parade

pole

Fishing

bobber

Sweating

lake

minnow

SPOONERISMS

No tails = toe nails cack of pards = pack of cards

Damp stealer = stamp dealer cop porn = pop corn

4th Of July Word Jumble

Unscramble the letters to form a vocabulary word associated with 4th of July.

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|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. OTIDLAACREN _____ | 11. UEITDN _____ |
| 2. UELB _____ | 12. TEYLBIR _____ |
| 3. ARTYP _____ | 13. WTHEI _____ |
| 4. SGIN _____ | 14. IAMCEAR _____ |
| 5. LINCESOO _____ | 15. UORFTH _____ |
| 6. CORATTPII _____ | 16. DPAREA _____ |
| 7. KNIG _____ | 17. UQBREBAE _____ |
| 8. EROSFWKIR _____ | 18. ADBN _____ |
| 9. NEMTAH _____ | 19. XATES _____ |
| 10. TSPEIRS _____ | 20. IICCNP _____ |

anthem	colonies	liberty	sign
America	declaration	parade	stripes
barbeque	fireworks	party	taxes
band	fourth	patriotic	united
blue	king	picnic	white

July sCRAMBLE

1. PREADA

2. CPCIIN

3. FWEKORRSI

4. FLGA

5. IYMLAF

6. IRCPOATIT

7. DPEDENCNEENI

8. MRFDEOE

9. WLNAEMTROE

10. RESKLPSRA

11. RAESC

12. AIFR

13. TSRA DLSGPNEA ENBRNA

14. MAGBRHUERS

15. POAOTT ALDAS

Answers to word scramble;

Parade

Picnic

Fireworks

Flag

Family

Patriotic

Independence

Freedom

Watermelon

Sparklers

Races

Fair

Star spangled banner

Hamburgers

Potato salad

JULY THROUGH HISTORY

DATE	YEAR	EVENT
1	1862	Lincoln signed first income tax bill
1	1843	Pres. Cleveland had rubber jaw implanted
2	1788	The US Constitution ratified by congress
2	1881	Pres. Garfield mortally wounded
2	1964	Pres. Johnson signed Civil Rights Act
3	1775	Washington took command of Continental Army
4	1776	Declaration on Independence approved
6	1885	Pasteur gives 1 st successful rabies inoculation
7	1898	Hawaii annexed by U.S. as a territory
9	1868	14 th amendment gave equal rights under the law
10	1943	Allied invasion of Italy
10	1941	Yeltsin becomes 1 st elected president of Russia
16	1769	San Diego founded as a mission
16	1945	Experimental atomic bomb set off in NM desert
16	1999	John F. Kennedy Jr. died in plane crash
18	1848	Beginning of women's rights movement in U.S.
20	1969	Neil Armstrong 1 st man to walk on the moon

- 21 1898 Guam ceded to U.S. by Spain
- 23 1934 Bank robber John Dillinger killed by FBI
- 24 1945 Churchill, Truman, and Chinese representatives demanded Japan's unconditional surrender. Unaware of the atomic bomb, Japan refused.
- ? 1917 Puerto Rico becomes a territory of the U.S.
- 26 1944 US Army desegregates training camps
- 27 1953 Korean War ended after three years of fighting
- 30 1975 Last sighting of James Hoffa, Teamster boss
- 31 1790 US Patent Office first opened its doors

“May we think of freedom, not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to do what is right.”

Peter Marshal

“Life without liberty is like a body without spirit”. Kahlil Gibran

U.S. Citizenship Quiz

(answers are on the last page)

1. What is the supreme law of the land ?
2. What do we call the first 10 amendments to the constitution?
3. How many amendments does it have ?
4. What are the three branches of government?
5. How many U.S. senators are there?
6. How many years does a U.S. senator serve?
7. Representatives are elected for how many years ?
8. What is the name of our Vice President?
9. If the President and Vice President cannot serve, who becomes President?
10. How many justices in the Supreme Court?

11. What is the political party of our current President?
12. How old must one be in order to vote?
13. Who was President during WWI ?
14. Who did the U.S. fight in WWII ?
15. Name 2 Indian tribes of North Dakota ?
16. What ocean is on the west coast of the United States ?
17. Name one U.S. territory.
18. Where is the Statue of Liberty ?
19. How many stars on the U.S. flag? Why?
20. Who is the governor of North Dakota?

For answers look on the last page of this paper.

Answers to the Citizenship Quiz.

1. The Constitution
2. The Bill of Rights
3. 27
4. Executive, Legislative, Judicial
5. 100
6. 6
7. 2
8. Kamala Harris
9. Speaker of the House
10. Nine
11. Democrat
12. 18
13. Woodrow Wilson
14. Japan, Germany, Italy
15. Mandan, Sioux, Lakota
16. Pacific
17. Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam
18. New York
19. 50; one for each state
20. Doug Burgum

HERE AND THERE

Buffalo Soldiers Day; July 28

Buffalo Soldiers were African American soldiers who mainly served the western frontier after the Civil War. There were 6 all black regiments of cavalry and infantry. They helped capture rustlers, and thieves, and protected the settlers, stage coaches, and railroad crews. They were given the name "Buffalo Soldiers" by the native Americans.

Yellow Pig Day; July 17

Originating in the 1980s, this is now an important part of the academic calendar, celebrated with cakes, carols, and art. Yellow Pig Day celebrates the wide array of bizarre holidays in the U.S. Artists are assigned a holiday and they then create an art work based on the theme.

Wayne Chicken Days; July 10-12

This is a celebration of chickenhood held in Wayne, NE. Chickens were chosen because everyone is familiar with them, they can be humorous, and they provide artistic material. Henoween, or All Hen's Eve, is celebrated with costumes. There is also an 'Egg-normous" parade, a dance, games, and contests. It was founded in 1981.

THE LIGHTER SIDE OF LIFE

I do my exercises every morning in front of the television; up, down; up, down; up, down; 25 times.
Then I do the other eyelid.

Americans are too proud of the Grand Canyon.
After all, it was that way when they found it...and it
wasn't too hard to find.

My therapist told me the way to achieve inner
peace was to finish what I start. So far I've finished
2 bags of M&Ms and a chocolate cake. I feel better
already!

How come Miss Universe is only won by people
from Earth ?

Hedgehogs... Why can't they just share the hedge?

My Gran is great. She'd give me \$5.00 and say'
"Don't tell your mother". I'd ask why not and she'd
say, "It's hers".

A few decades ago we had Johnny Cash, Bob Hope,
and Steve Jobs. Now we have no cash, no hope, and
no jobs. Please don't die Kevin Bacon !

Red sky at night, sailors delight.

Blue sky at night..... day

SMILE!

An elderly man was having hearing problems so he went to a specialist. The doctor gave him hearing aids that brought his hearing back to full strength. After a few weeks the man went back to the doctor for a check-up. The doctor said, "Everything seems perfect. Your family should be delighted you can hear everything again."
"Oh, no." the man responded. "I haven't told them. I just sit quietly. Listening. I've changed my will four times!"

On an over seas flight, a lawyer sat next to an elderly man. To pass time, the lawyer asked the man to play a game. "Here's how it works", said the lawyer. "I'll ask you a question. If you can't answer it, you give me one dollar. Then you ask me a question and if I can't answer it, I'll give you \$20.00." The lawyer asked the first question. "How far apart are the earth and the moon?"
The elderly man reached in his pocket and gave the lawyer a dollar. Then he asked the lawyer, "What walks upstairs backward and downstairs forward?"
The lawyer thought and thought but couldn't answer so, he gave the man \$20.00 and the elderly man pocketed the money and went to sleep.
The lawyer couldn't stand not knowing the answer so he woke the elderly man and asked him, "What goes up the stairs backward and downstairs forward?" The senior reached into his wallet, gave the lawyer a dollar and went back to sleep.

A couple in their 90s were having short term memory losses. Their doctor suggested they start writing things down. One evening the husband gets up and asks his wife, "Would you like something from the kitchen?"

"Bring me some vanilla ice cream. Write it down."

"I don't need to write it down I'll remember ice cream."

"Put some raspberries on top. Should you write that down?"

"I'll remember. Ice cream and raspberries."

"And chocolate sauce too. Maybe you should write it down now."

"I'll remember. Ice cream, berries, chocolate."

The husband left and returned in half an hour with a plate of scrambled eggs and ham and gave it to his wife. She looked at the plate a few seconds and says, "You forgot the toast."

Three seniors are out for a walk.

One of them remarks, "It's windy isn't it?"

Another replies, "No. It's Thursday."

The last one says, "Me too. Let's go have a lemonade".

RAT CATCHERS DAY; JULY 22

Rat catchers' day commemorates the myth of the Pied Piper of Hamelin, Germany. The myth tells of a rat infestation in Hamelin. The villagers hired the piper to rid them of the rats. He played a musical pipe and lured the rats to the river where they all drown. The village refused to pay the piper all he was owed so he took his revenge. The piper returned to the village, dressed all in green, while the village adults were all in church celebrating a saints day mass. This time the piper lured 130 children from the village and to a cave and they were never seen again.

Today you might hear a gentle warning of one being required to "pay the piper" for their questionable activities.

MOON DAY; JULY 20TH

IN 1971 President Nixon proclaimed July 20th to be "National Moon Day" to commemorate the anniversary of man's first moon landing in 1969. Our moon is $\frac{1}{4}$ the size of Earth, has only .16 the gravity of Earth, and has a temperature range of less than -280 to more than +289. The moon is 238,655 miles away from Earth and yet its weak gravitational pull produces the ocean's tides. Twelve men have walked on the moon, all American. The moon, unable to protect itself from assault due to its weak gravity, is constantly pummeled by asteroids, meteors, and comets. They have ground the moon's surface into a rubble pile of charcoal gray powdery dust and rocky debris. The moon moderates the Earth's wobble on its axis leading to our relatively stable climate. Without the moon, Earth as we know it would not exist. Think about that the next time you are moon gazing.

July 20 is moon Day
ALL ABOUT THE MOON

Scientists believe the moon was formed when the primitive earth was hit by another object breaking off a large chunk that became the moon.

The moon has a very thin atmosphere so a thick layer of dust (and a footprint) can last for centuries!

Since there is so little atmosphere, heat is not held near the planet. Daytime temperatures have reached 273 degrees and nighttime temperatures have reached minus 243 degrees!

The moon's gravity pulls on the earth causing the rise and fall in sea levels known as tides

The moon gets 3.8 centimeters farther away from the earth each year.

The moon is larger than Pluto and has been called a planet by some.

MORE THAN YOU CARED TO KNOW

ABOUT SNAKES

OPHIDIOPHOBIA; the fear of snakes

Snakes are critical for controlling disease carrying pests such as mice and rats.

Snakes are an integral part of the food web. They eat rodents, insects, frogs, eggs, and small birds, and in turn are themselves eaten by birds of prey, foxes, and other snakes.

Snakes help maintain the biodiversity of Earth. Their services promote a healthy ecosystem.

Snakes are cold blooded. They never stop growing and their life span in captivity is 25 years.

Snakes have no eyelids and no outer ears but they have a great sense of smell thanks to their forked tongue. The tongue gathers scent particles that are transferred to an organ in the roof of the mouth.

Some snakes have heat sensing vents that allow them to detect less than a 0.01 degree difference in temperature.

The U.S. has 21 varieties of venomous snakes and between 7,000 and 8,000 people are bitten each year. Of those, 4 to 7 will die.

North Dakota is home to 10 species of snakes; The Common Garter Snake (western ND), the Plains Garter Snake, (local), the Terrestrial Garter Snake, the Racer, The Red Bellied Snake, The Smooth Green Snake (we called this a Grass Snake), the Bull Snake, the Hog Nosed Snake, The Western Milk Snake (Mon./SD borders), and the Prairie Rattlesnake.

A snake's skin is covered with scales that protect it and help it retain water. Snakes shed their skin once a new layer of scales form. A liquid is secreted between the layers to help the snake slither out of the old. This liquid also causes the snake's eyes to temporarily turn blue.

“A rattlesnake loose in the living room tends to end all discussion on animal rights.”

World Snake Day is July 16;

There are 3,458 known species of snakes in the world. Just since 2008, 309 new species have been described. They are of major importance in pest control. Without snakes the world would soon be overrun with rats and mice.

The Reticulated Python has produced the largest known snake at 28 feet long. This snake lays 15 to 80 eggs in one clutch. She coils around her eggs to protect them from predators and she contracts and relaxes her muscles to produce an incubating warmth. This muscle activity is called "shivering".

Common snakes in ND include the Garter Snake, Gopher Snake, the largest at up to 6 feet long, Rattlesnake, the only venomous snake, Bull Snake, the only constrictor snake in ND, Hognosed Snake, and Green Snake.

Independence Day Trivia

Americans consume 150 Million hot dogs on the Fourth of July, every year !

Americans spend \$211 Million on fireworks each year!

Over 74 million Americans will have cookouts on the Fourth of July

July Fourth was declared a national holiday in 1941

America's independence was actually gained on July 2, 1776, but the Presidents declaration came 2 days later.

July 4, 1826, on the fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, both John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died, only hours apart.

Only 2 men actually signed the Declaration of Independence on July 4th.

There were 200 printed copies made of the Declaration of Independence. Only 26 are accounted for. One was found in back of a picture frame purchased at a tag sale. It sold for \$8.14 Million to TV producer Norman Lear

The United States is the only country with a known birthday!

SO, YOU KNOW YOUR ICE CREAM ?

(July is National Ice Cream Month)

President Ronald Reagan declared every 3rd Sunday in July to be National Ice Cream Day and July to be National Ice Cream Month.

Baskin-Robbins began by claiming 31 flavors, one for each day of the month. They now have over 1,000 flavors !

Vanilla is the most popular flavor in the U.S.

A patent for the first hand cranked ice cream freezer was issued to Nancy Johnson in 1843

The US consumes 23 liters of ice cream per person each year, just ahead of New Zealand with 20 liters per person and Australia with 18.

India is a leading producer of Ice Cream, most being consumed domestically

China has Black Sesame and Red Bean flavored Ice Cream

MOSQUITOES

Mosquito is Spanish for “little fly”

Mosquitoes have been around for over 70 million years and there are over 3,500 species world wide.

They find their prey by feeling their heat, smelling chemicals from their breath and sweat, and by seeing the contrasting colors of clothing vs. background, especially if you move !

Mosquitoes are sugar eaters, sucking the nectar of flowers. The female also needs blood to develop her eggs. A female could lay eggs 4-5 times in her 2 week life span.

Mosquitoes transmit diseases to over 700 million people a year in Africa, Asia, and Central & South America.

Shark Awareness Day; July 14
A BIT ABOUT SHARKS

There are over 400 types of sharks. Many are named for how they look; Hammerhead Shark, Whale Shark, Reef Shark, etc.

Sharks are timid animals. Human bites mostly result when a shark mistakes a human for another type of prey like a seal.

Sharks keep our oceans clean by eating weak or sick animals.

They range in size from a few inches to over 60 feet! That would be the Whale Shark.

Sharks feed on everything from plankton (plant life) to seals. A Whale Shark has 3,000 teeth (!!)

but does not use them for chewing.

Sharks are hunted for their fin and their numbers are declining; that's bad for our oceans.

Two men can fit in the mouth of a Whale Shark.

SPOONERISMS

William H. Spooner, an English clergyman, is the first known individual to actually recognize these “mistakes” in verbal language.

Our shoving leopard	Our loving shepherd
Is the bean dizzy?	Is the dean busy?
Our queer old dean	Our dear old queen
Nosey little cook	Cozy little nook
Fighting a liar	Lighting a fire
Go help me sod	So help me God
This is the pun fart	This is the fun part
Bedding wells	Wedding bells
Belly jeans	Jelly beans

YOU SOLVE THESE ; ANSWERS ON LAST PAGE

No tails	Damp stealer
Cop porn	Cack of pards

Carousel Day July 25th.

The word "carousel" means "little battle". It originated around 500 AD with riders on real horses practicing for combat. The Turks and Arabs made a game of it called "Carousel". They used scented balls tossed one to another. Anyone missing the catch was identified by the perfume they were doused with when the ball broke on impact. In France the "carousel" became an exhibition of many types of horsemanship such as spearing a ring at full gallop. Later wooden horses without legs were attached to a movable platform adding interest to the games. The device proved popular with women and children and the carousel merry-go-round was born. The carousel was not popularized in America until the 1800s. The years 1880 to 1930 were the Golden Age of Carousel. Today there are less than 200.

JULY TRIVIA

July was originally the fifth month of the calendar and its name was Quintilis.... Meaning “5”.

The Roman Senate moved the month to the seventh spot and changed its name to July in honor of Julius Caesar

July is the hottest month in our northern hemisphere and also the “buggiest”!

The full moon on July 25th is called the “Buck Moon” by some native Americans because this is when the new antlers of the buck deer begin to appear. It is also called “Thunder Moon”.

There will be a solar eclipse on July 11 visible in the southern hemisphere.

INDEPENDENCE DAY QUIZ

1. What was the colonists major objection to be being ruled by the British ?
2. Who headed the committee formed to compose the Declaration of Independence ?
3. In what year was Independence Day first celebrated ?
4. What called the citizens together to hear the reading of the Declaration of Independence ?
5. In what year was a national flag first adopted ?
6. Thomas Jefferson and John Adams both died in 1826 on what auspicious date ?
7. How many individuals signed the Declaration of Independence ?
8. The names of the signers of the Declaration of Independence were kept secret for 6 months. Why?
9. Samuel Wilson, a meat packer who provided meat to the US Army in 1812, is believed to be the inspiration for what well known patriotic character ?

Independence Day Quiz; answers

1. Taxation without representation
2. Thomas Jefferson
3. 1776
4. The Liberty Bell
5. 1777
6. July 4th
7. 56
8. Signing the declaration was an act of treason
9. Uncle Sam

Word Scramble; answers

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|------------|----------------|
| Sunburn | Thunder Storms |
| Mosquitoes | Parade |
| Gardening | Fishing |
| Sunflowers | Sweating |
| Shade | |
| Lemonade | |
| Fireworks | |
| Mud Races | |

The Roman senate named this month
July in honor of Julius Caesar.

The stone for July is the red Ruby.
July's flower is the Water Lily.

The Japanese and Chinese had a "clash" that
led to World War II, July 7, 1937.

Food for the Fourth

There is a 1 in 6 chance that your barbeque
beef came from Texas.

Chicken on your grill probably came from
Georgia, Alabama, or North Carolina.

Your fresh tomatoes most likely came from
Florida or California.

Potatoes for your salad may well have come
from Idaho or Washington.



Independence Day



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B	I	R	C	N	F	H	N	I	G	F	T	J	Y	R
E	N	H	L	D	I	G	O	T	O	R	I	M	T	I
R	O	T	O	E	R	J	I	A	D	E	N	Q	I	R
T	L	R	C	P	E	E	T	R	T	E	U	E	L	E
Y	O	U	U	E	W	F	U	A	O	D	V	E	A	E
E	C	O	N	N	O	F	L	L	H	O	X	C	U	T
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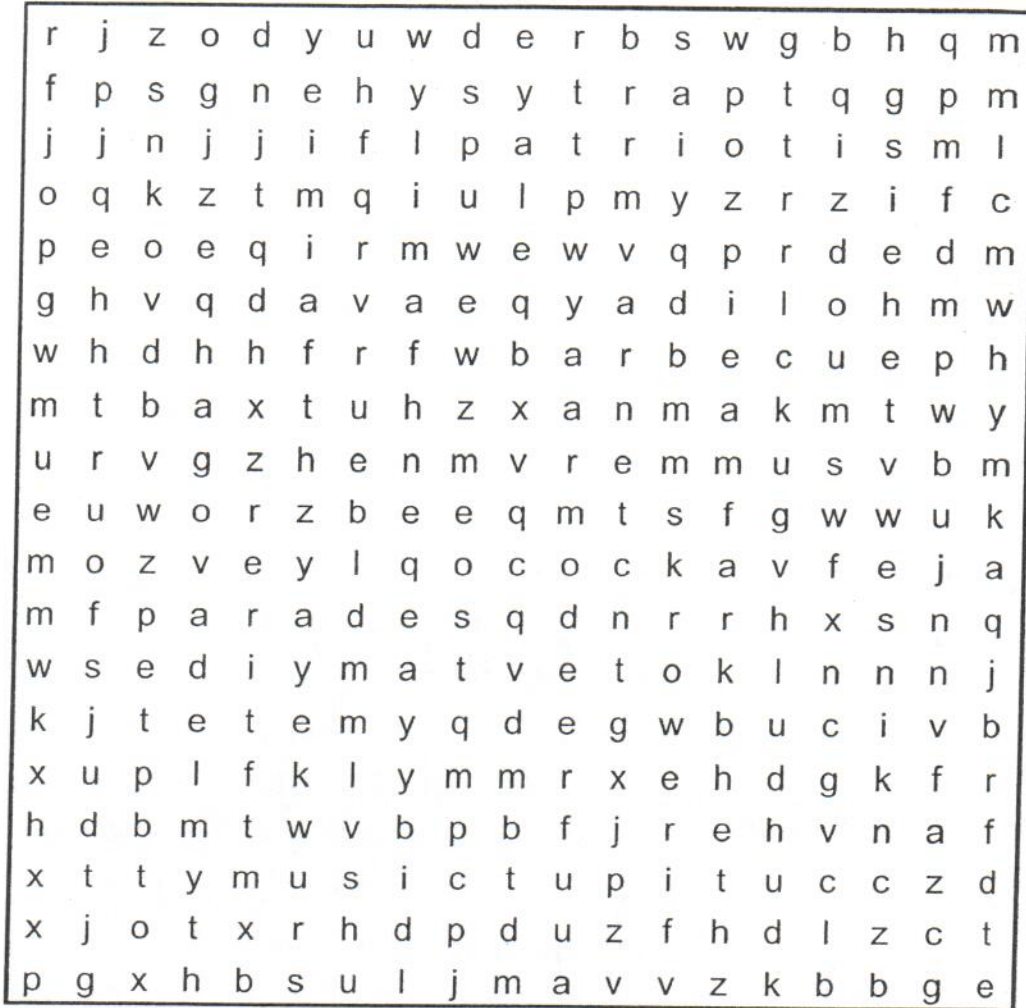
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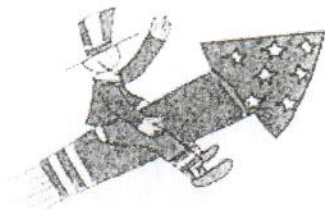
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Fourth of July Word Search



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| night | barbecue | patriotism | party | fourth |
| music | parades | family | summer | freedom |
| holiday | fun | | | |



July Fourth Word Search

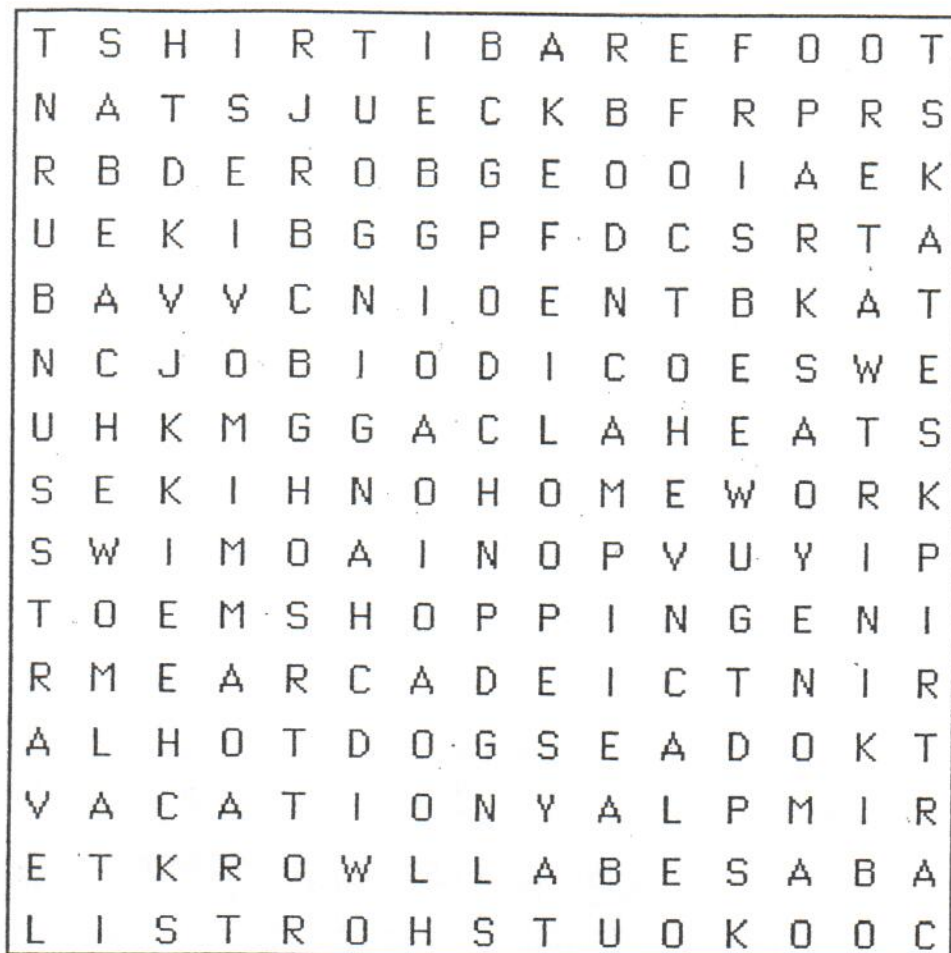


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Summer



ARCADE
BAREFOOT
BASEBALL
BEACH
BIKE
BIKINI
BORED
CAMP
CAR TRIP
COKES
COOKOUTS
FRISBEE
GOOF OFF
HANGING OUT

HEAT
HIKE
HOT DOGS
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JOB
LEMONADE
MONEY
MOVIES
MOW
NO HOMEWORK
PARKS
PICNIC
PLAY
POOL

SHOPPING
SHORTS
SKATES
SLEEPING OVER
SUNBURN
SWEAT
SWIM
TAN
TRAVEL
T SHIRT
TV
VACATION
WATER
WORK

Fourth of July

Find and circle all of the words that are hidden in the grid.
The words may be hidden in any direction.

N L I S G D Y R O T S I H A G I
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AMERICA
BALLOONS
BARBECUE
BASEBALL
CARNIVAL
CELEBRATION
DEMOCRACY

FIREWORKS
FLAG
FREEDOM
GREAT BRITAIN
HISTORY
HOLIDAY
INDEPENDENCE

NATIONAL ANTHEM
PARADE
PATRIOTISM
PICNIC
RED WHITE BLUE
STREAMERS

Thirteen Colonies - Alphabetical Order

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____

New Jersey	Delaware	New York	Pennsylvania
Massachusetts	North Carolina	Maryland	
South Carolina	Georgia	Rhode Island	
Connecticut	Virginia	New Hampshire	

4th of July WORD SEARCH

INDEPENDENCE

FLAG

JULY

FIREWORKS

UNITED

FREEDOM

LIBERTY

RED

WHITE

BLUE

PARADE

CONSTITUTION

GEORGE

JEFFERSON

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4th of July Word Search

CONGRESS
CONNECTICUT
DELAWARE
ENGLAND
FIREWORKS
FLAG
FREEDOM
GEORGIA
JULY
KING
LIBERTY
MARYLAND
MASSACHUSETTS-BAY
NEW HAMPSHIRE
NEW JERSEY
NEW YORK
NORTH CAROLINA
PARADE
PENNSYLVANIA
RHODE ISLAND
SOUTH CAROLINA
STATES
TAXES
UNITED
VIRGINIA

P N A I N I G R I V D A M W
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G G B S W T R I I U H A R X
N P T E J V B U C Q K B Y U
E A P X E E K I N G F S L I
W R L A R U T Z O I L T A D
Y A W T S C L M R J T T N N
O D Y H E S O E T N O E D A
R E V N Y D W T H Z W S D L
K A N I L O R A C H T U O S
C O N G R E S S A R W H G I
C S A K L F T M R C G C E E
E U S D B A P F O S O A O D
A H Q J T S N C L W V S R O
Q A D E H J M D I A K S G H
N N S I Z U U Z N B G A I R
Q L R D E L A W A R E M A J
P E N N S Y L V A N I A N H

Gone Fishin'

ANGLER

BAIT

BOAT

CASTING

CREEL

DEEP-SEA

FLIES

FLOATS

GEAR

LEADERS

LICENSE

LURES

NET

PLUGS

POLES

RIVER

SINKERS

SPORT

STREAM

TACKLE

TROLLING

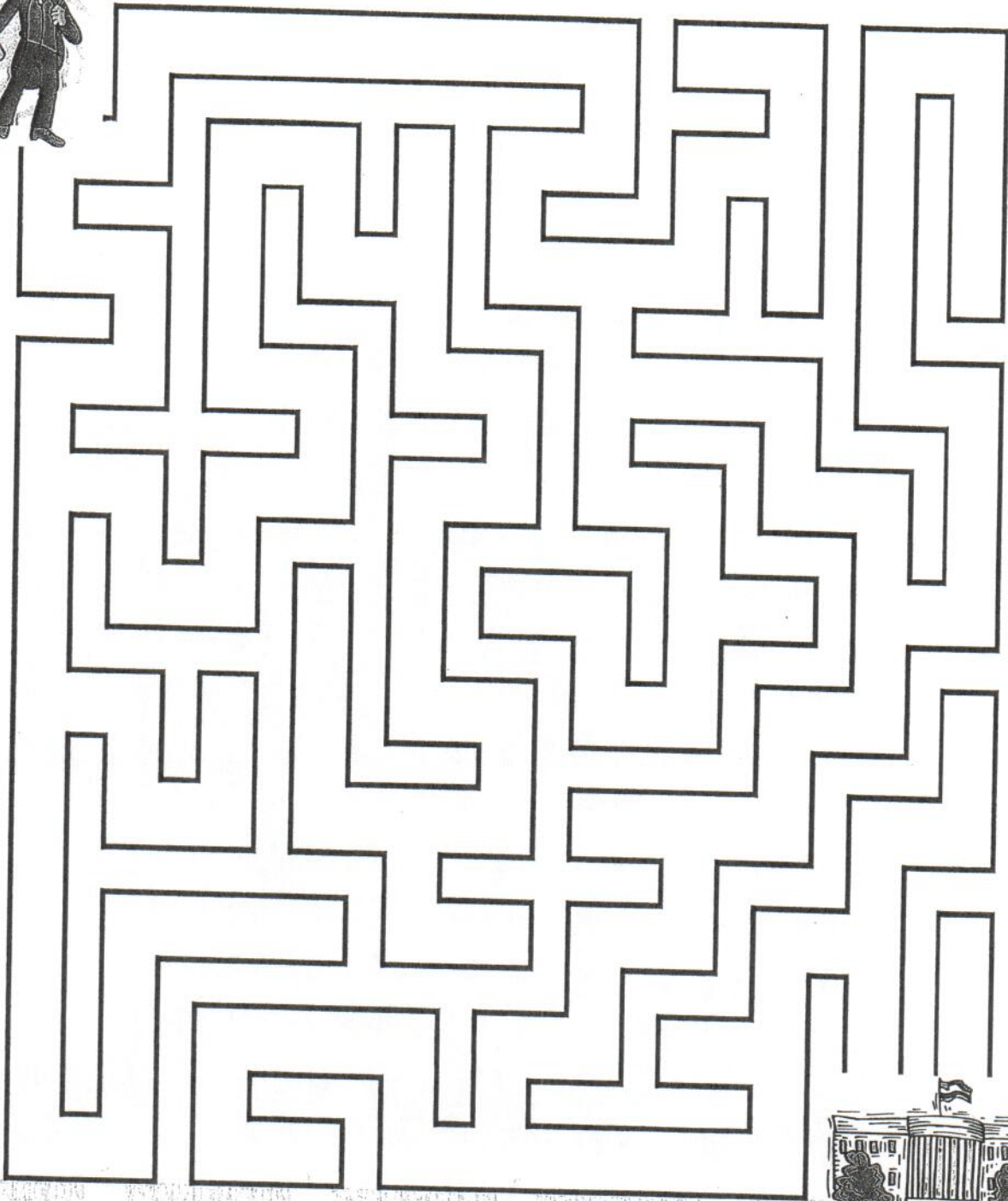
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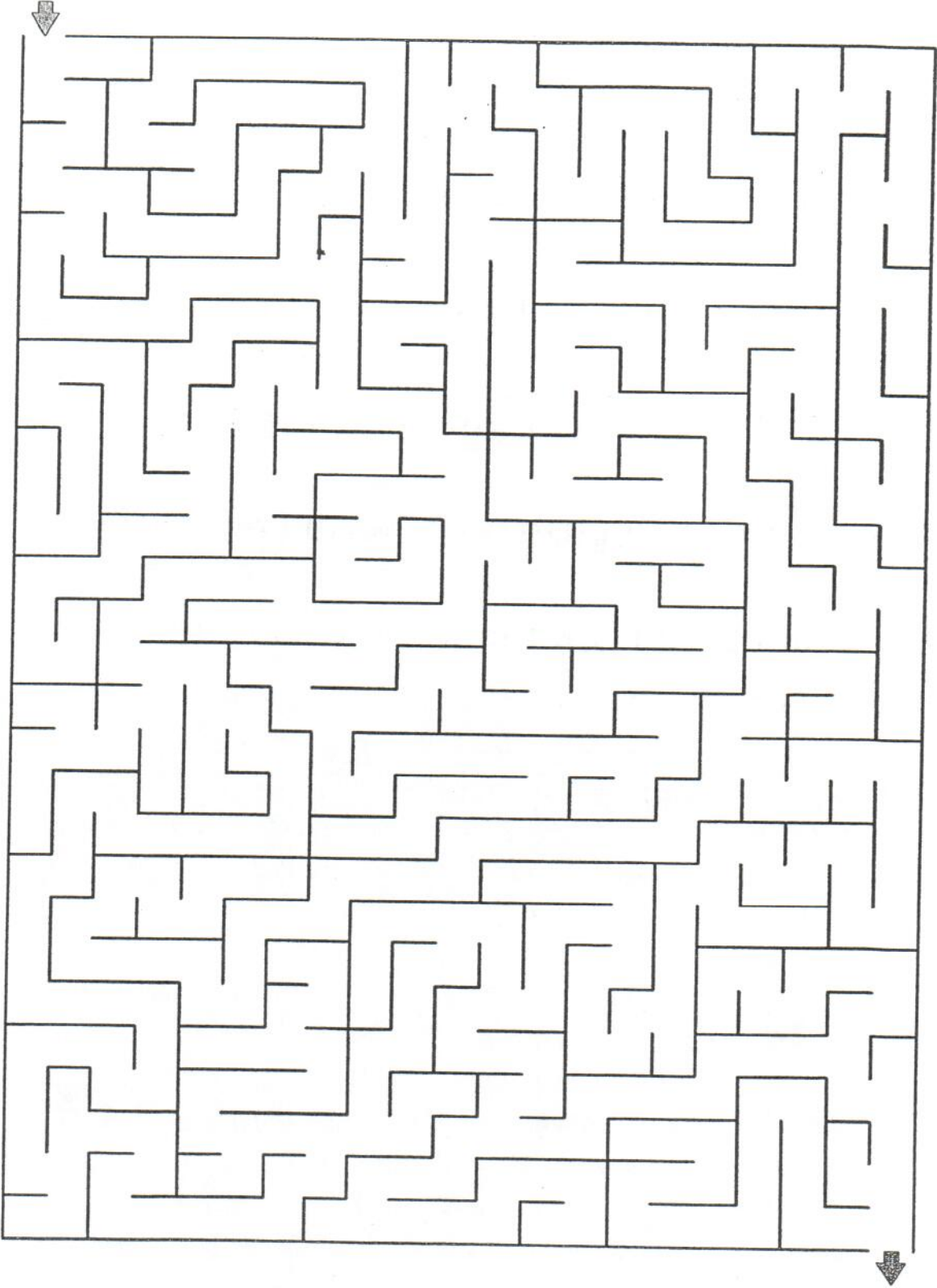
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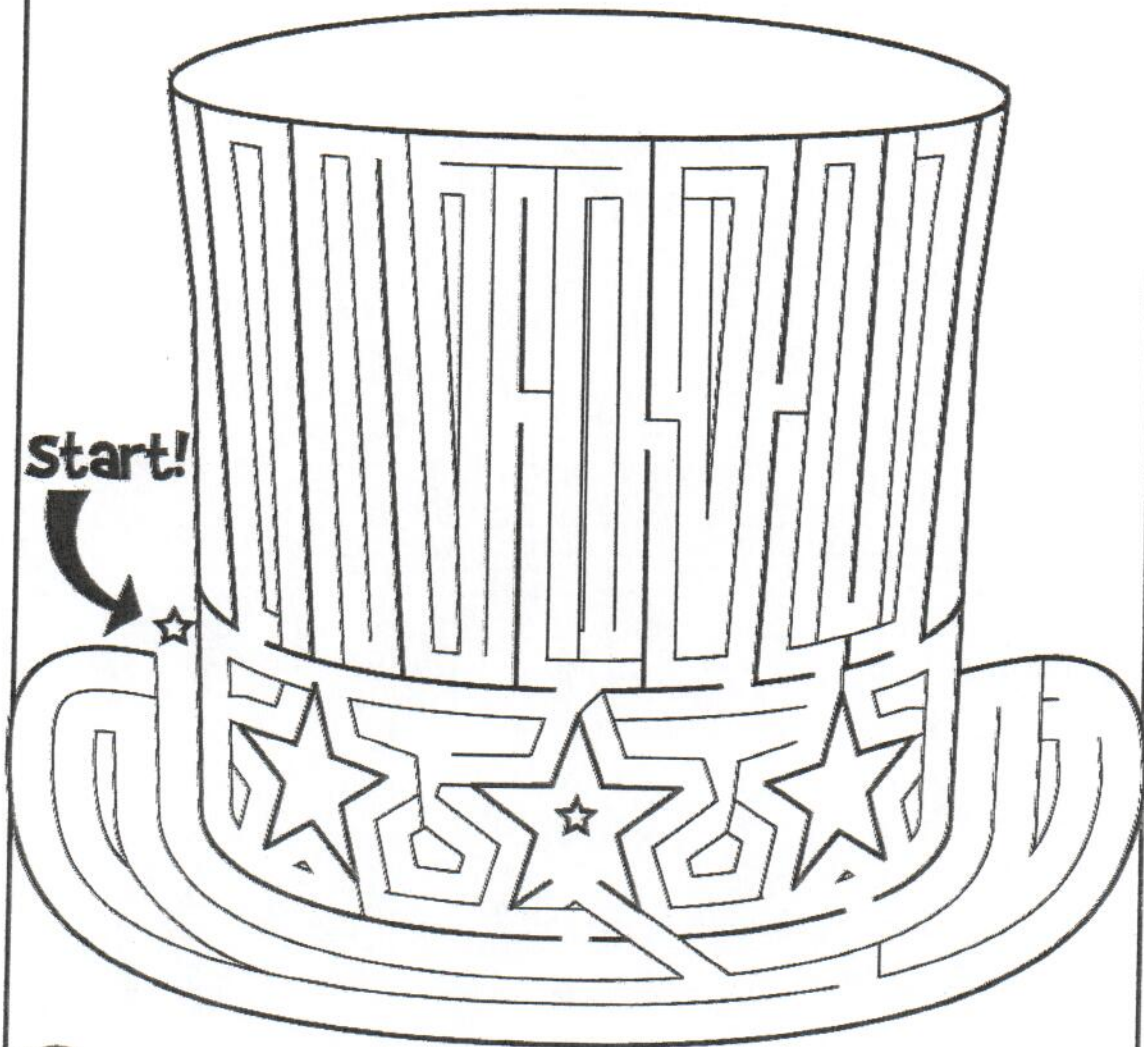
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Help Thomas Jefferson get to the White House

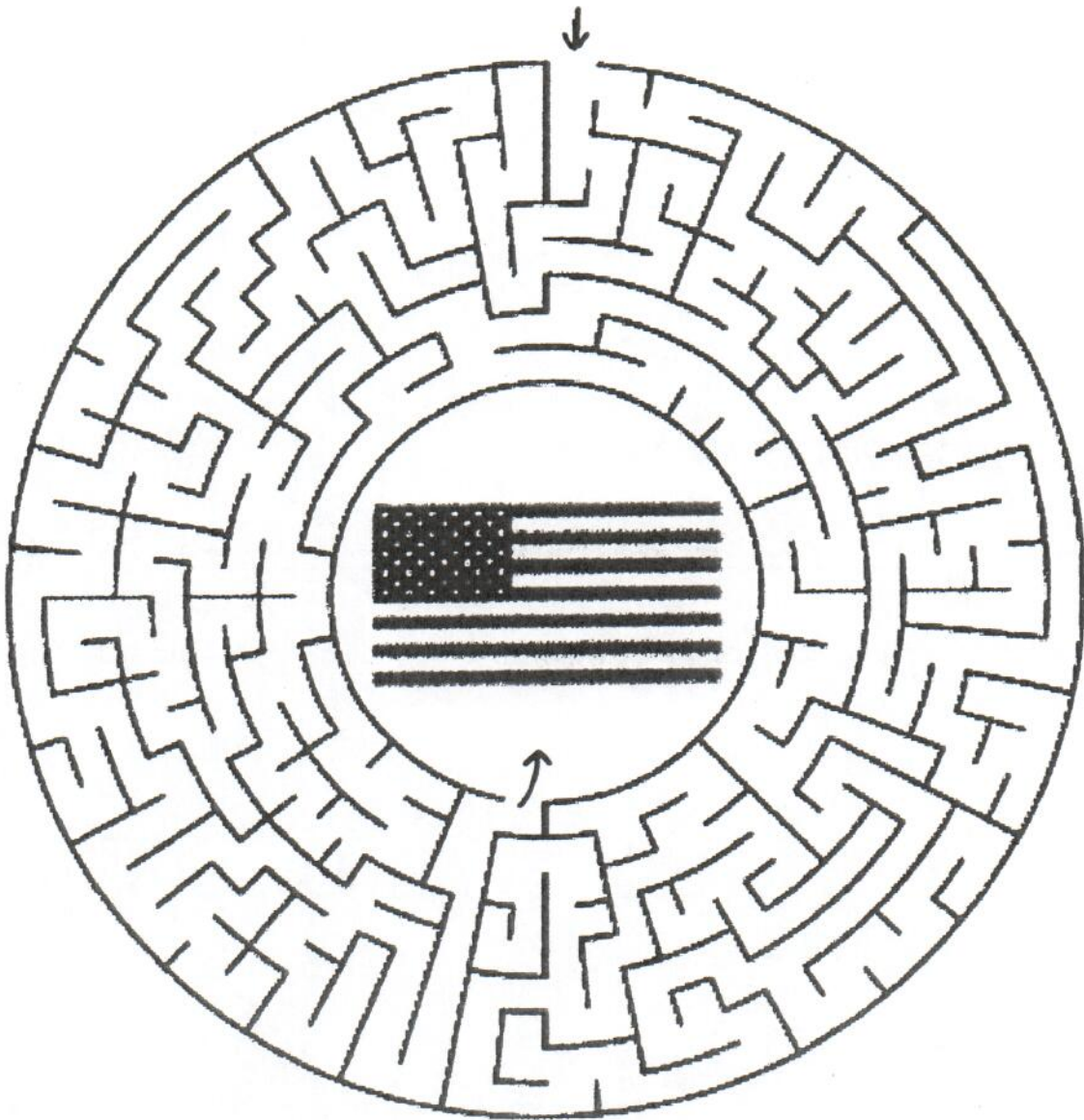


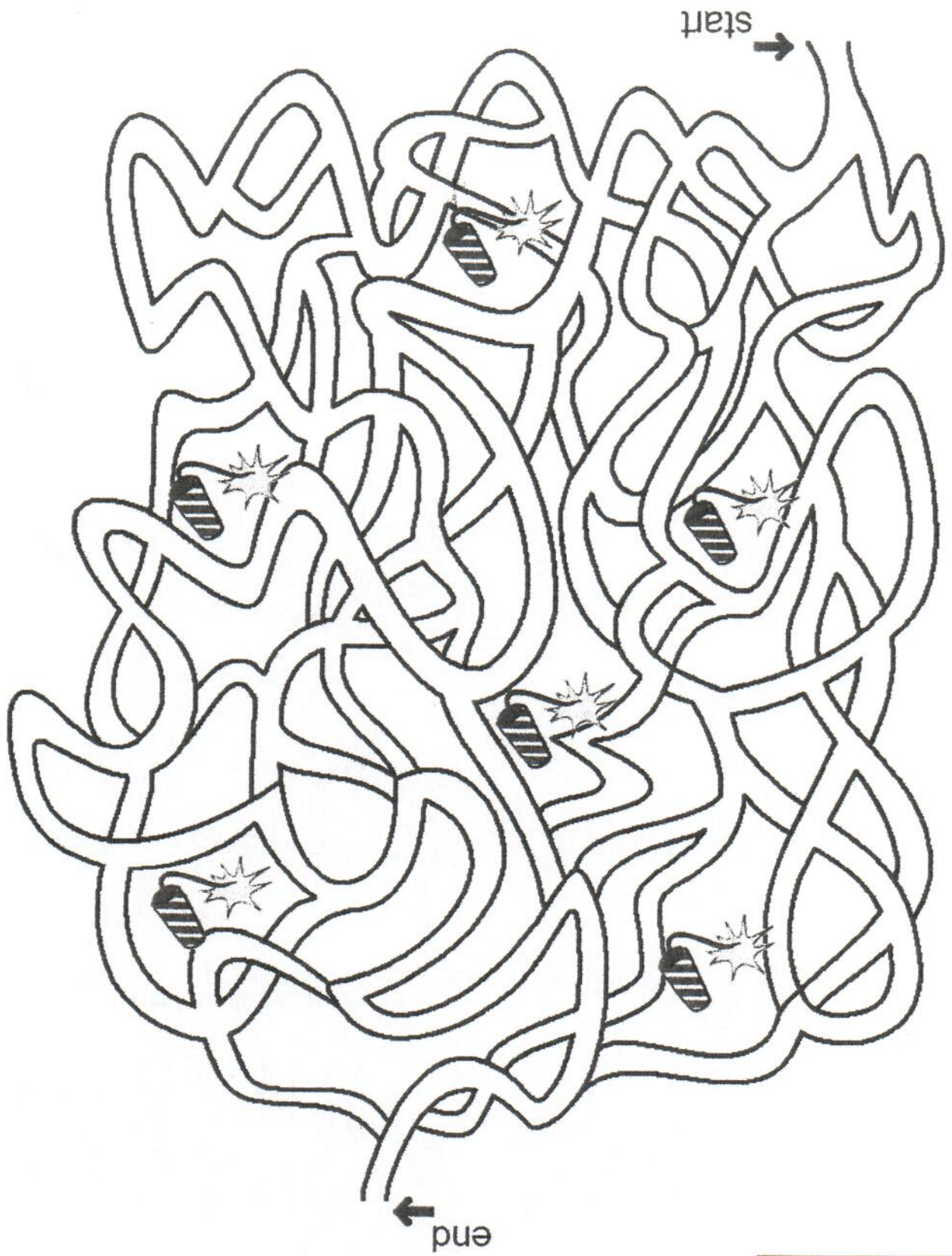


Patriotic Mazes!

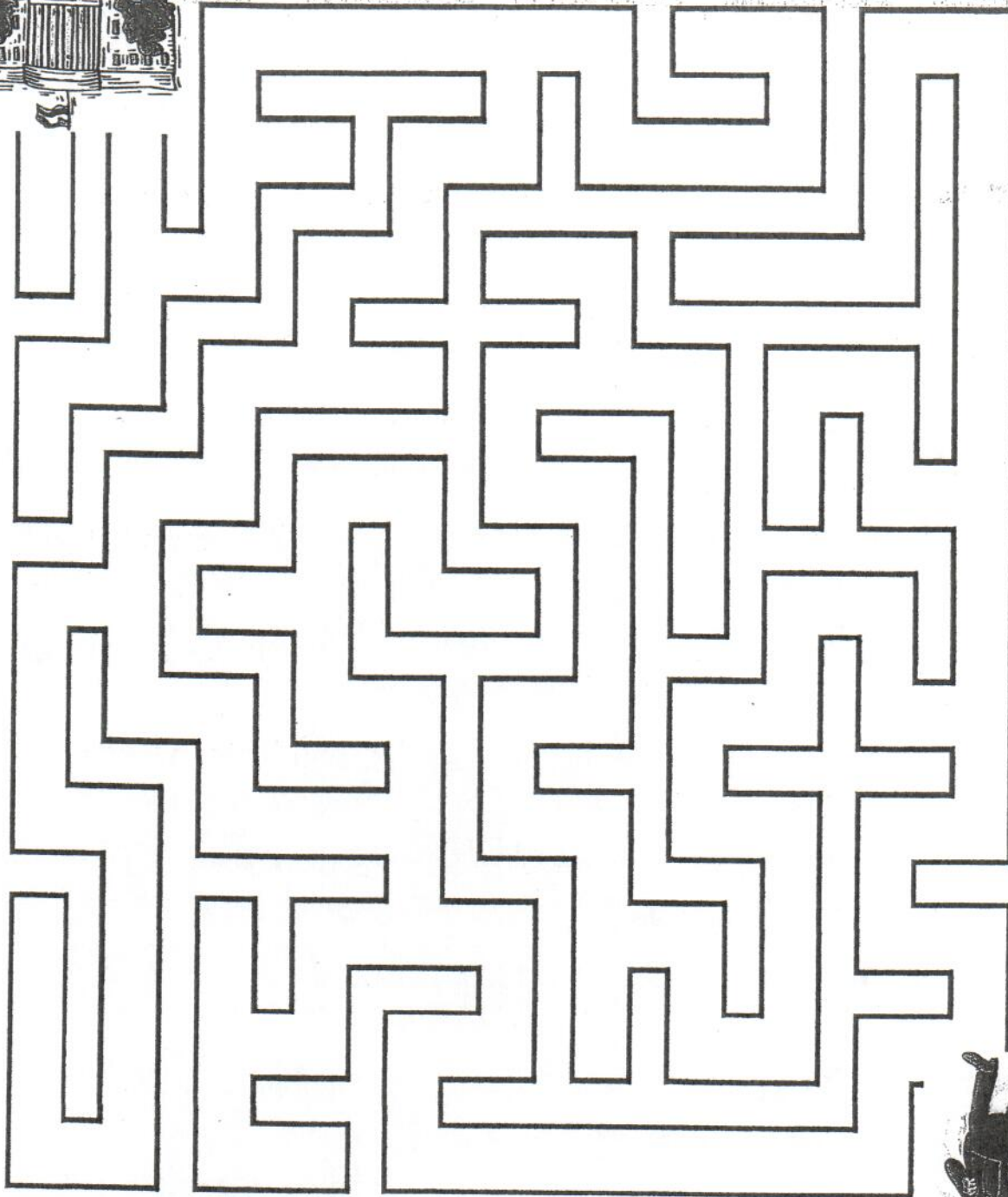
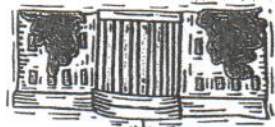


4th Of July Maze





July 4th Maze



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