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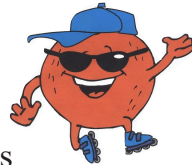
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### A Larger Turkey

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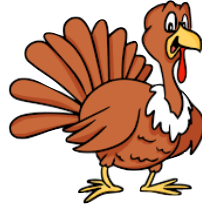
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**They suspected fowl play**

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Before you hibernate, you're supposed to eat yourself stupid. I could deal with that, too.

If you're a mama bear, everyone knows you mean business. You swat anyone who bothers your cubs. If your cubs get out of line, you swat them too. I could deal with that.

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*I wanna be a bear!*

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**Pretty Smart**

The two ladies were sitting in the living room, waiting for their hostess, who was slightly delayed. The daughter of the family was with them, on the theory that she would keep the visitors occupied during the wait. The child was about six years old, snub nosed, freckled, buck-toothed and bespectacled. She maintained a deep silence and the two ladies peered doubtfully at her.

Finally, one of them muttered to the other, "Not very p-r-e-t-t-y, I fear," carefully spelling the key word.

Whereupon the child piped up, "But awfully s-m-a-r-t!"

Every time someone in my house  
leaves an empty box in the freezer or panty,  
I'm going to wrap it up in Christmas paper  
and put it under the tree with their name on it.

**Pie Manners**

In a country home that seldom had guests, the young son was eager to help his mother after his father appeared with two dinner guests from the office.

When the dinner was nearly over, the boy went to the kitchen and proudly carried in the first piece of apple pie, giving it to his father, who passed it to a guest. The boy came in with a second piece of pie and again watched his father give it to a guest.

This was too much for the boy, who said, "It's no use, Dad. The pieces are all the same size."

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**Worried**

Two kids are talking to each other.

One says, "I'm really worried. My dad works twelve hours a day to give my family a nice home and plenty of food. My mom spends the whole day cleaning and cooking for me. I'm worried sick!"

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*I laughed so hard  
I had tears running  
down my legs*

*Its exahusting being this hilarious  
I don't know how we do it.*

*Forget two peas in a pod  
We're more like two nuts in a tree.*

### Roughing It .....

A friend and his wife were considering traveling to Alaska -- a trip that the husband had long dreamed of taking. He kept talking about how great it would be to stay in a log cabin without electricity, to hunt moose, and drive a dog team instead of a car. "If we decided to live there permanently, away from civilization, what would you miss the most?" he asked his wife.

She replied, "You."

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~Thanksgiving Dinner on the run. A woman called to find out how long it would take to roast her turkey. To answer the question, the Talk-Line home economist asked how much the bird weighed. The woman responded, "I don't know, it's still running around outside."

~Tofu turkey? No matter how you slice it, Thanksgiving just isn't Thanksgiving without turkey. A restaurant owner in California wanted to know how to roast a turkey for a vegetarian menu

*I'm wearing black today to morn  
the death of my  
**MOTIVATION.***

### Concept is Lost.....

When the company I worked for had an employee-suggestion competition, I told my staff to submit entries that would save money for the firm.

The winner was a man in my department who suggested we post corporate memos on bulletin boards, instead of printing 200 individual copies for distribution. He got a helium balloon with the company logo and one share of stock.

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Pass It Along

My husband, Michael, and I were at a restaurant with his boss, a rather stern older man. When Michael began a tale, which I was sure he had told before, I gave him a kick under the table. There was no response, so I gave him another poke. Still the story went on. Suddenly he stopped, grinned and said, "Oh, but I've told you this one before, haven't I?"

We all chuckled and changed the subject. Later, on the dance floor, I asked my husband why it had taken him so long to get my message.

"What do you mean?" he replied. "I cut the story off as soon as you kicked me."

"But I kicked you twice and it still took you awhile to stop!"

Suddenly we realized what had happened. Sheepishly we returned to our table. The boss smiled and said, "Don't worry. After the second kick I figured it wasn't for me, so I passed it along!"

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What is blue and covered with feathers?

A turkey holding it's breath!

What happened to the turkey that got into a fight?

He got the stuffing knocked out of him.

Why did the turkey play drums in the band?

Because he already had drumsticks.

What vegetables would you like with your Thanksgiving dinner?

Beets Mel!

Things that used to hurt my back:

- Jumping off of garages
- Crashing my bike
- Falling out of a tree
- Diving in the shallow end
- A day of full contact football

Things that hurt my back now:

- Sneezing
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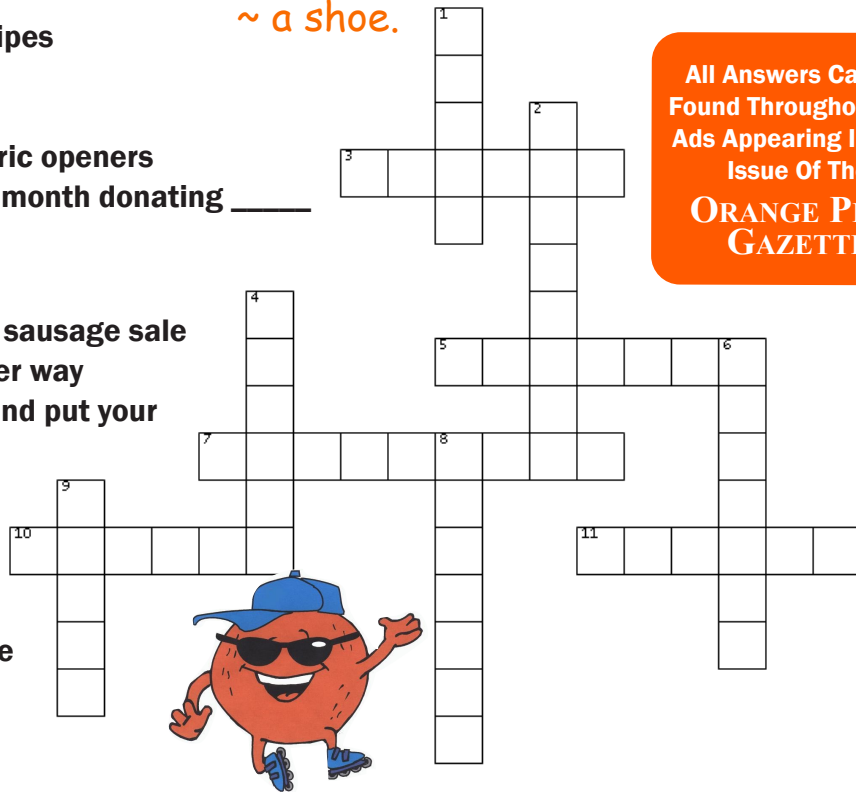
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**Game of Chess**

A group of chess enthusiasts checked into a hotel and were standing in the lobby discussing their recent tournament victories. After about an hour, the manager came out of the office and asked them to disperse.

“But why,” they asked, as they moved off.

“Because,” he said, “I can’t stand chess-nuts boasting in an open foyer.

**How to Turk Your Carvey**



- Step 1. Buy a turkey
- Step 2. Have a glass of wine
- Step 3. Stuff turkey
- Step 4. Have a glass of wine
- Step 5. Put turkey in oven
- Step 6. Relax and have a glass of wine
- Step 7. Turk the bastey
- Step 8. Wine of glass another get
- Step 9. Hunt for meat thermometer
- Step 10. Glass yourself another pour of wine
- Step 11. Bake the wine for 4 hours
- Step 12. Take the oven out of the turkey
- Step 13. Tet the sable
- Step 14. Grab another wottle of bine
- Step 15. Turk the carvey!

**When does hibernation start because I am 100% participating in that!**

**Conversation overheard in a garage....**

Father: "I expect they'll be raising the gas prices again soon."

Teenage Son: "Won't affect me. I always put in just \$20 worth."

**Just a Thought**

I find it helps to organize things into three categories: First, things I won't do now; second, things I won't do later; and third, things I'll never do.

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## Mr. Turkey's Detour

As I was walking down the street one day, I heard some people talking and I had to get away! They were talking about eating turkey on some holiday...

If Thanksgiving is tomorrow, then I'm outta here! They can have their corn and pumpkin pie! Pour their gravy on potatoes or just eat 'em dry! Stuff themselves without blinking an eye!

But I'll flap my wings, keep it moving, see ya later, bye bye! When your cousin asks why I'm not on his plate, tell him veggies are important for a healthy weight! He should be grateful and celebrate for Mr. Turkey has taken a detour, not a minute too late.

Thinking back to when  
"a new hip joint" meant  
someplace I wanted to go  
on Friday night.

## Appreciated

A famous football coach was on vacation with his family in Maine. When they walked into a movie theater and sat down, the handful of people there applauded. He thought to himself, "I can't believe it. People recognize me all the way up here."

Then a man came over to him and said, "Thanks for coming. They won't start the movie unless we have ten paying people or more."

## Fans of the 60's

Fans of 1960's music, my 14-year-old daughter and her best friend got front-row tickets to a Peter, Paul, and Mary concert.

When they returned home, my daughter said, "During the show, we looked back and saw hundreds of little lights swaying to the music. At first we thought people were holding up cigarette lighters. Then we realized that the lights were the reflections off all the eyeglasses in the audience."

## Not a Compliment

A fellow programmer had designed some software for one of our largest accounts. He asked my help in putting it into operation. When I sat down with one woman and told her I would be showing her how to make changes to the files, she sighed with relief then remarked, "I'm so glad you're teaching me instead of him."

Surprised, I said that my colleague was far more experienced than I was. "Yes," she said, "but I feel much more comfortable with you ... I get nervous around really smart people."

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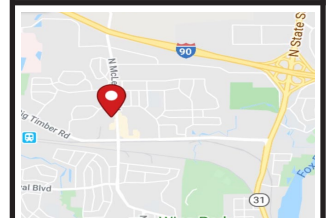
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- A. Oak                      B. Willow  
C. Maple                    D. Pine

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### \$568,000 Question...

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- A. 50                              B. 125  
C. 260                             D. 520

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One tree can absorb as much carbon in a year as a car produces while driving this many miles?

- A. 5,000                        B. 12,600  
C. 20,000                      D. 26,000

### \$570,000 Question...

An average American uses about this many pounds of paper every year?

- A. 175                             B. 385  
C. 550                             D. 750

### \$571,000 Question...

The average city tree area has a life expectancy of?

- A. 5 years                        B. 8 years  
C. 13 years                       D. 18 years

### \$572,000 Question...

The tallest tree in the country is in California's Redwood National Park. It is 369 feet tall and...?

- A. 500 years old                B. 1,000 years old  
C. 1,500 years old               D. 2,000 years old

(Answers are below) See you next issue!

Answers: \$566 - B; \$567 - D; \$568 - C;  
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5. Mount camera on tripod and focus.
6. Find puppy and take dirty sock from mouth.
7. Place puppy in pre-focused spot and return to camera.
8. Forget about spot and crawl after puppy on knees.
9. Focus with one hand and fend off puppy with other hand.
10. Get tissue and clean nose print from lens.
11. Take flash cube from puppy's mouth and throw in trash.
12. Put cat outside and put peroxide on the scratch on puppy's nose.
13. Put magazines back on coffee table.
14. Try to get puppy's attention by squeaking toy over your head.
15. Replace your glasses and check camera for damage.
16. Jump up in time to grab puppy by scruff of neck and say, "No, outside! No, outside!"
17. Clean up mess.
18. Fix a drink.
19. Sit back in Lazy Boy with drink and resolve to teach puppy "sit" and "stay" the first thing in the morning.

Threw some protein bars in the trash and now the raccoon's are bench pressing my neighbors Great Dane in the backyard.

## On Turkey Day

When Daddy carves the turkey, it's really quite a site. I know he tries his hardest, but he never gets it right! He makes a fancy show of it, before he starts to carve. He stabs in all directions, while we're certain we will starve. He yells as loud as thunder, just before he's through. For when Daddy carves the turkey, he carves his fingers too.

## How Ya Feeling?

The doctor in a small North Carolina clinic asked the weather-beaten mountaineer how he was feeling. "Well ... it's like this," drawled the man. "I'm still a-kickin', but I ain't raisin' no dust."



People wonder why I give so many compliments to strangers. I am not being fake and I'm certainly not looking for people to like me. But when I pass someone and notice something I like, I just say it: "Love those shoes," "Great hair" or "Your eyes are beautiful."

**.....WHY?**

Because LIFE IS HARD, and this world can be a downright bad place. Some people are just plain mean. You never know how much a few kind words could impact someone. You never know what they may be going through. When you put positive vibes out into the universe, YOU my friend become a happier person.

Just remember that giving random compliments may actually change your life, but more importantly... it will definitely, change someone else's as well.

**In a Fight**

I got into a fight with a really big guy and he said, "I'm going to mop the floor with your face."

I said, "You'll be sorry."

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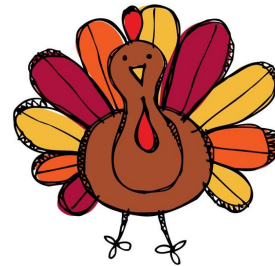
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