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## From the Editor

Hi there! Welcome to a sample issue of P&A Puzzle Magazine. Each issue of P&A Puzzle Magazine features a connected series of puzzles tied together by a central puzzle or "metapuzzle."

This sample issue is intended to give you a taste of what is in each issue of P&A Puzzle Magazine. The first puzzle ("The P&A Sampler Sampler") is the metapuzzle for this issue. Each of the other puzzles has a one- or two-word answer. When combined with the solution to the metapuzzle, you'll get a three-word answer to this question: "What will you say when finished with this sampler?"

Normally, answers are given in the following issue. Answers are given on the pages 11 and 12, but, to avoid spoilers for this sampler, are printed upside down. If you get stuck, check out the hints on the P&A Puzzle Magazine website (<http://www.pandamagazine.com>).

In addition to the main set of puzzles, each issue of P&A Puzzle Magazine contains several other puzzles of different types, including cryptograms, quotation puzzles, crosswords, and logic puzzles. Issues are \$10, and a 6-issue subscription is available for \$50.00. Back issues are available as well.

Dig in and enjoy! If you have any comments or questions, e-mail me at [editor@pandamagazine.com](mailto:editor@pandamagazine.com).

Note: These puzzles were originally written in 2009, and may reflect some pop culture elements from that time.

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## ■ The P&A Sampler Sampler

What would a sampler be without a puzzle about a sampler? Can you determine where each chocolate goes in the grid below?

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>
<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>

1. No two of the three chocolates with nuts (almond, peanut, and walnut) are in the same row or column.
2. No two of the three chocolate confections (honey, coffee, and milk) are in the same row or column.
3. No two of the three chocolates with fruit (cherry, raspberry, and orange) are in the same row or column.
4. The almond and orange chocolates are in opposite corners from one another.
5. The raspberry chocolate is in the row above the honey chocolate, which is in the row above the peanut chocolate.
6. The coffee and walnut chocolates are not adjacent to one another.
7. The milk chocolate is not in the left-most column.



# ■ Just Tell 'Em Foggy Sent You!

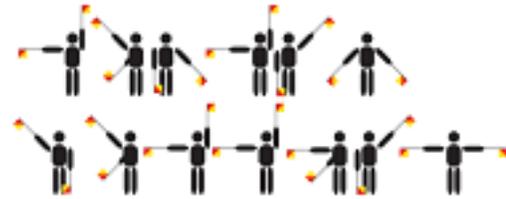
P&A Magazine includes cryptograms with all sorts of clever variations! Below are a sample of the standard cryptographic techniques we've used!

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99 97 110 32 77 97  
110 117 97 108 32  
65 108 112 104 97  
98 101 97 116

ZBELFR PBQR

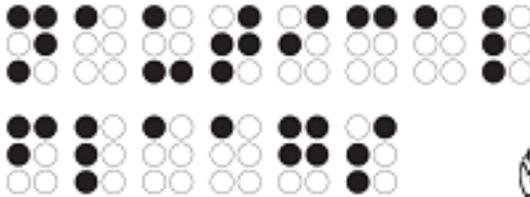


U O F J G L E O



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Alpha Sierra Echo Charlie India India



# ■ What's Black and White and Read All Over?



P&A Magazine is always a colorful experience, as the clues below show!

Precious bucks, we hear

4->3 (?)

Provider of equipment drops some inventory to be more limber

7->6 (?)

Like creeps hiding in circumspect rallies

8->7 (?)

Like some courses about media leverage, at first

8->7 (?)

Horse with hesitation after good pun

7->6 (?)

Hates servile crackpot

7-6 (?)

??????

6->5 (R)



# ■ Become A Member Today!

We wrote the book on quality, interconnected puzzling...just ask someone who knows!

1R	2I	3P	4R	5C	6N	7Q	8K	9L	10A	11F	12E	13B	14F	15A	16H	17E	18Q	19A	20O
21G	22N	23D	24O	25M	26L	27Q	28I	29D	30S	31H	32J	33F	34L	35K	36M	37P	38Q	39S	
40Q	41E	42B	43O	44M	45J	46O	47I	48B	49F	50K	51D	52K	53A	54J	55G	56F	57B	58R	59Q
60N	61G	62P	63C	64O	65A	66L	67S	68R	69E	70S	71M	72K	73H	74F	75J	76B	77N	78M	
79J	80G	81G	82J	83E	84D	85C	86H	87M	88P	89S	90O	91I	92S	93L	94J	95P	96I	97O	
98G	99N	100M	101I	102D	103K	104C	105Q	106E	107H	108G	109R	110P	111C	112B	113L	114H	115L	116D	
117B	118S	119A	120C	121N	122H	123R	124P	125A	126K	127F	128E	129N	130I	131R	132C	133D			

A. Kansas city

10 119 19 65 15 125 53

K. Make fun of

126 103 72 52 50 8 35

B. Lacking in restraint (2 wds)

112 48 42 76 57 117 13

L. A gajillion

34 115 93 113 66 26 9

C. Italian spice

120 104 132 111 63 85 5

M. Charity event

25 87 100 71 44 78 36

D. Small bit of chocolate

133 23 84 29 116 51 102

N. Restrict

129 121 77 99 60 6 22

E. Greek letter

83 128 69 106 17 12 41

O. Bespectacled Muppet

97 90 46 43 64 24 20

F. Kind of eyes

14 127 56 74 33 11 49

P. BU athlete

124 62 37 88 110 3 95

G. Place on top of (as a transparency)

81 98 80 61 108 55 21

Q. Where the Pope is (2 wds)

105 40 27 38 7 18 59

H. Strange person

73 86 31 16 114 107 122

R. Take a close look at

123 109 58 4 68 131 1

I. What a detective might look through

96 101 91 2 28 47 130

S. Emoticons, often

92 70 89 118 30 67 39

J. Traditional 15th anniversary gift

32 54 75 45 79 94 82



## ■ What Others Are Saying!

Just check out what other individuals have said! In the word search grid below, people can be found starting in a square and moving north, south, east or west, but never diagonally. (You can change directions several times mid-name.) No letter is used more than once.

- “Eat my shorts!”
- “Just one more thing...”
- “Dear Diane”
- “Don’t make me angry...”
- “You’re fired!”
- “Respect mah authority!”
- “Aaaaaaaaay!”
- “Hey now!”
- “I love it when a plan comes together.”
- “Dude...”
- “The tribe has spoken.”
- “Here it is, your moment of zen.”
- “Who loves ya, baby?”
- “You rang?”
- “Would you believe...?”
- “Let’s get ready to rummmmmmmble!”
- “Live long and prosper”
- “One of these days Alice...”
- “Just the facts, ma’am.”
- “Let’s be careful out there.”
- “De plane! De plane!”
- “Up your nose with a rubber hose.”

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



## ■ Have A Puzzlin’ Good Time

It’s all about having a great T-I-M-E...and more!

- Science fictiony energy
- The act of taking off the last letter
- Give credence to, make okay
- McCarthy dummy Snerd
- Print, video, Internet, etc. collectively
- Like Y or *Attack of the Clones*
- Feeling or emotion
- Excite one’s senses
- Suzanne Somers exercise product
- Brin Londo of the Legion of Super-Heroes
- Proved victorious





## ■ Common Connections

It's really important to find connections among puzzle answers, and figure out what's missing, such as the final, four-letter answer to this puzzle (which was written prior to a specific event in 2009).

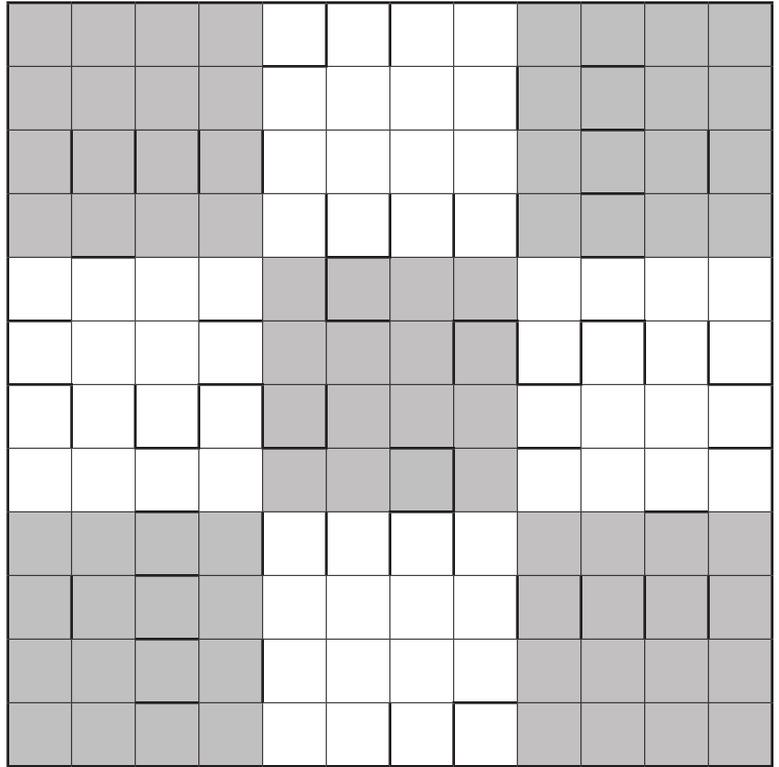
1. The capital of this fictional planet was taken by a supervillain scientist and placed inside a bottle.  
L. Harpsichord  
B. Columbia  
P. Grumpy  
O. Spinnet
2. Anatole who was a Nobel laureate for literature  
I. Good Housekeeping  
R. Doberman Pinscher  
N. Neptune  
Y. Sneezy
3. Band responsible for the lyrics "He just smiled and gave me a vegemite sandwich."  
U. Knight  
O. Chihuahua  
O. Ununoctium  
O. Ugli Fruit
4. First in a series of documentary films whose subjects include Bruce Balden and John Brisby  
G. Papaya  
O. Harvard  
Y. Bridge Out  
N. Family Guy
5. Company founded by the inventor of the Pin tumbler lock  
E. No Entry  
B. The X-Files  
I. Poodle  
G. Jai Alai
6. Honey Roy Palmer in *Diggstown*, Walter Gulick in *Kid Galahad*, or Butch in *Pulp Fiction*  
B. Lacrosse  
P. Mountain Dew  
M. Cherry  
P. Dopey
7. Three-letter extension for a Word file in Microsoft Windows  
X. Lincoln  
G. German Shepherd  
U. Saturn  
T. Germany
8. Versions of this plant include Hubbard, spaghetti, and patapan.  
I. Tab  
E. Jupiter  
D. Sports Illustrated  
E. American Idol
9. Company responsible for M&M, Bounty, and Milky Way, as well as its own eponymous bar  
I. Falling Rocks  
G. Radon  
W. Atlantic Monthly  
D. U-Turn Prohibited
10. Term for a shrub that is also a transdeletion of SHRUB  
V. Earth  
R. Dartmouth  
Q. Bishop  
E. Dulcimer
11. Last name of the author whose short story collections include *Everything is Eventual* and *Four Past Midnight*  
P. A&W Root Beer  
R. P&A Puzzle Magazine  
Y. Switzerland  
U. Baseball
12. Heron's formula concerns this type of polygon.  
S. RC Cola  
A. Lemon  
I. Andorra  
E. Rook
13. Thackeray novel that takes its name from a location in the 17th century work *Pilgrim's Progress*  
W. Princeton  
Y. Volleyball  
A. Norway  
E. Pawn
14. Company that gave us the Performa, the Quadra, and the Newton  
N. Xenon  
S. Married...with Children  
H. Bashful  
I. Eisenhower
15. British government has one of these for commons, one for lords, and one for representatives.  
C. Clarinet  
R. Neon  
N. Reagan  
N. Coolidge



## ■ Good Griddance

*P&A Puzzle Magazine leads the way in an ongoing journey to explore new forms of crosswords.*

In this puzzle, the grid is divided into 4x4 sectors. Clues lead to answers that are either partially or entirely found in that sector. When finished, five unclued entries will need to be completed. Four are related, the fifth is what they have in common. This commonality will be your puzzle answer.



### Upper Left Sector

- Game Phillip W. Sergeant writes about
- Oscar-winning film dealing with racism
- Emulate Peggy Fleming or Wayne Gretzky
- California or Maine

### Upper Sector

- Dropping off drycleaning and picking up dinner at the Colonel's, e.g.
- Three successes (or what Oddjob does in Bond movies?) 2 wds
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pieces
- Dead Sea \_\_\_\_\_

### Upper Right Sector

- One might worship from here, in private
- Literally, music played (rather than sung)
- What a mortarboard might be
- Slang for one's bottom

### Left Sector

- In a general fashion (2 wds)
- Sherbet alternative (2 wds)
- A certain type of paint (2 wds)
- They may result from lying in bed too long

### Center Sector

- Thing of major importance (2 wds)
- Moby Dick narrator
- Giraffe relative
- "Now or never" or "Birds of a feather", e.g.
- South African currency

### Right Sector

- Cherish
- One to whom property is transferred
- Sixth largest French city
- Avenger played by Patrick Macnee

### Lower Left Sector

- Give away for free
- Most like the Sahara
- Emulate the king of the jungle
- Baseball ref

### Lower Sector

- Rickets or chicken pox, e.g.
- A beat or pulsation of the heart
- Hangs around without a purpose
- Language spoken in Pakistan and India

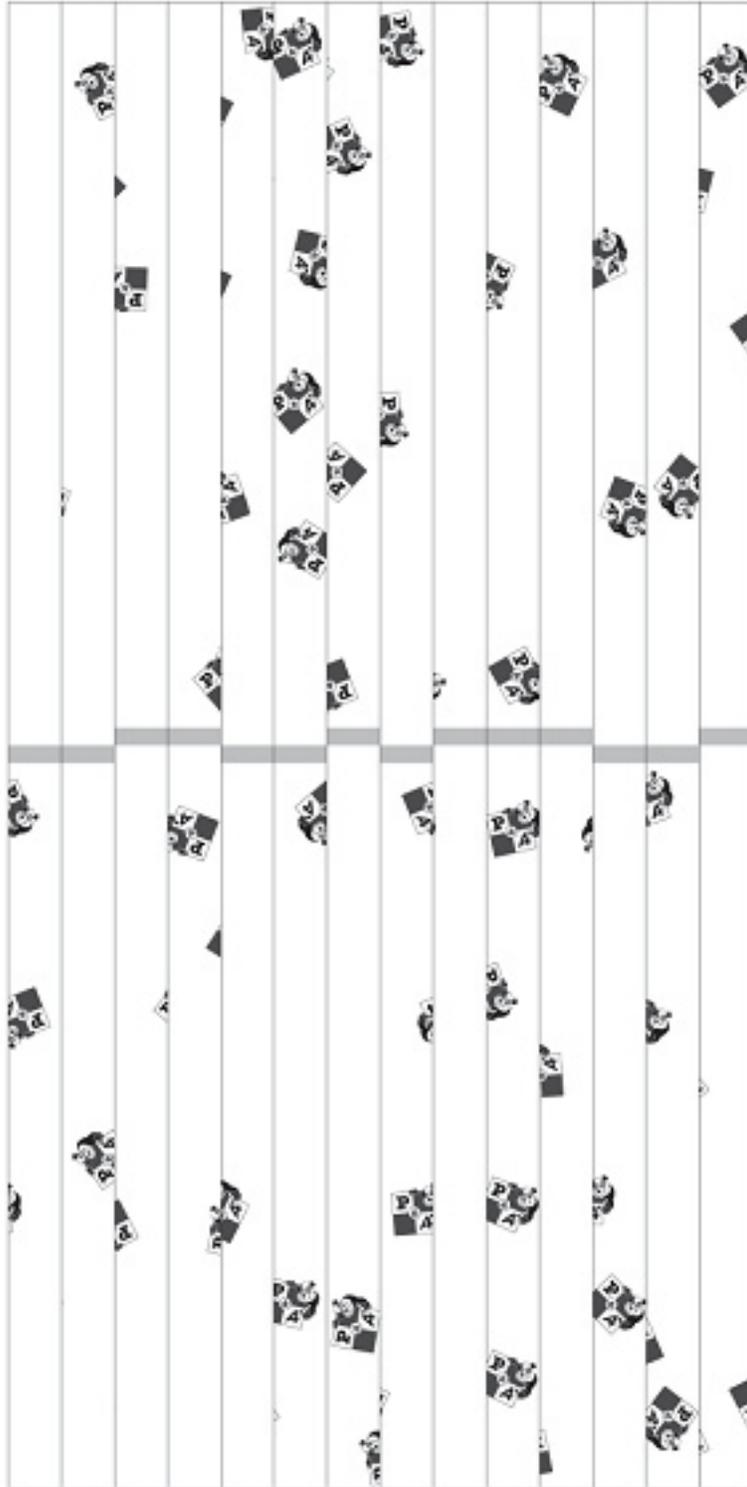
### Lower Right Sector

- Skilled
- Typed in
- Summon via a beeper
- 15, at an R-rated movie



## ■ Cutting-Edge Fun

*Just follow the pencil for fun on the cutting edge!*



# Answers for the Sample Issue

## Have a Puzzlin' Good Time

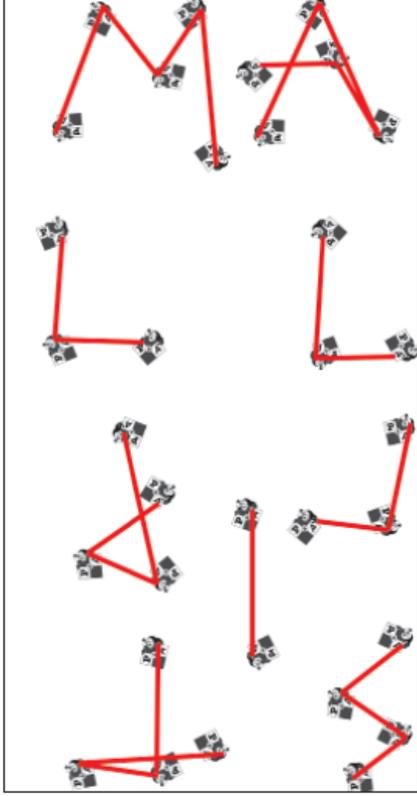
T1-M-E in order. Clocks have replaced the letters T1-M-E plus one other letter. The clocks replacing these other letters number 1 through 11. Ordering the clues this way makes the other letters spell

### STOPWATCHES

- antimatter: T (7)
- curtailment: C (8)
- legitimize: E (10)
- Mortimer: O (3)
- multimedia: A (6)
- penultimate: P (4)
- sentiment: S (1)
- stimulate: S (11)
- Thigmaster: T (2)
- Timber Wolf: W (5)
- triumphed: H (9)

## Cutting Edge Fun

Assembled correctly, the strips make the image shown. Follow the pencils to trace out letters STRIP MALL. (Fold along the gray line to get the letters to be in the proper orientation.)



## Become A Member Today!

- Boxer [O. Chihuahua, R. Doberman Pinscher, G. German Shepherd, I. Poodle. Category is dog breeds; other member is Corji]
- DOC [H. Bashful, P. Dopey, F. Grumpy, Y. Sneezy. Category is dwarves; other member is happy]
- Squash [U. Baseball, G. Jai Alai, B. Lacrosse, Y. Volleyball. Category is team sports; other member is Rugby]
- Mars [V. Earth, E. Jupiter, N. Neptune, U. Saturn. Category is planets; other member is Venus]
- Bush [N. Coolidge, I. Eisenhower, X. Lincoln, N. Reagan. Category is Republican presidents; other member is Nixon]
- King [Q. Bishop, U. Knight, E. Pawn, E. Rook. Category is chess pieces; other member is queen]
- Triangle [C. Clarinet, E. Dulcimer, L. Harpsichord, O. Spinet. Category is instruments; other member is cello]
- Vanity Fair [W. Atlantic Monthly, I. Good Housekeeping, R. P&A Puzzle Magazine, D. Sports Illustrated. Category is magazines; other member is Wired]
- Apple [M. Cherry, A. Lemon, G. Papaya, O. Ugli Fruit. Category is fruit; other member is mango]
- House [B. The X-Files, N. Family Guy, E. American Idol, S. Married...with Children. Category is long-running Fox shows; other member is Bones]

## Just Tell 'Em Foggy Sent You!

Several different common types of encoding are shown...each spelling out another type of encoding plus one extra letter.

- Morse Code spells out SEMAPHORE + S
- Semaphore flags spell out PIGPEN CIPHER + P
- Pigen Cipher spells out BRAILLE + E
- Braille spells out NAUTICAL FLAGS + A
- Nautical Flags spell out NATO ALPHABET + K
- NATO Alphabet spells out ASCII + E
- ASCII numbers spell out AMERICAN MANUAL ALPHABET + A
- The American Manual Alphabet spells out ROT+THIRTEEN + S
- The ROT Thirteen text spells out MORSE CODE + Y

The added letters spell **SPEAKASY**.

## What's Black and White And Read All Over?

Each answer word is a transaddition of the same color used for the clue.

- DEAR (hom.) = RED+A
- SUPPLIER = PURPLE+S
- SPECTRAL (hidden) = SCARLET+P
- RE+MEDIAL+L = EMERALD+I
- G+ROAN+ER = ORANGE+R
- REVELS (anagram) = SILVER+E.

These extra letters spell ASPRE, which is a transaddition of **SEPIA**.

## Common Connection

- A. Wichita
- B. hog wild
- C. organo
- D. shaving
- E. epsilon
- F. bedroom
- G. overlap
- H. oddball
- I. keyhole
- J. crystal
- K. lampoon
- L. umpteen
- M. benefit
- N. inhibit
- O. scooter
- P. terror
- Q. Holy See
- R. inspect
- S. smileys

None of the options are correct. Each question can be answered with a word or phrase that can also fall under a different category. Among all of the incorrect choices are four other examples in that category. Take the other four examples alphabetically, and the four letters marking those choices reveal yet another member of that category minus one letter. Read in question order yields ALLEN CARSON LENO. The missing member is **PAR**.

The missing member is **PAR**.

- Krypton [R. Neon, G. Radon, O. Ununoctium, N. Xenon. Category is noble gases; other member is Argon]
- France [I. Andorra, T. Germany, A. Norway, Y. Switzerland. Category is European countries; other member is Italy]
- Men At Work [Y. Bridge Out, I. Falling Rocks, E. No Entry, D. U-Turn Prohibited. Category is road signs; other member is yield]
- 7-Up [P. A&W Root Beer, P. Mountain Dew, S. RC Cola, I. Tab. Category is soft drinks; other member is Pepsi]
- Yale [B. Columbia, R. Dartmouth, O. Harvard, W. Princeton. Category is Ivy League universities; other member is Brown]

## OPRAH WINFREY Book Club.

The first letters of the answers spell WHOSE BOOK CLUB IS THIS. These are all selections from the *Million Little Pieces*

- S. smileys
- The Poisonwood Bible, *Cry the Beloved Country*, *Song of Solomon*, *Paradise*, *Breath Eyes Memory*, *White Oleander*, *Icy Sparks*, *Vinegar Hill*, *Night*, *A*

