

# FUN IN THE SUN

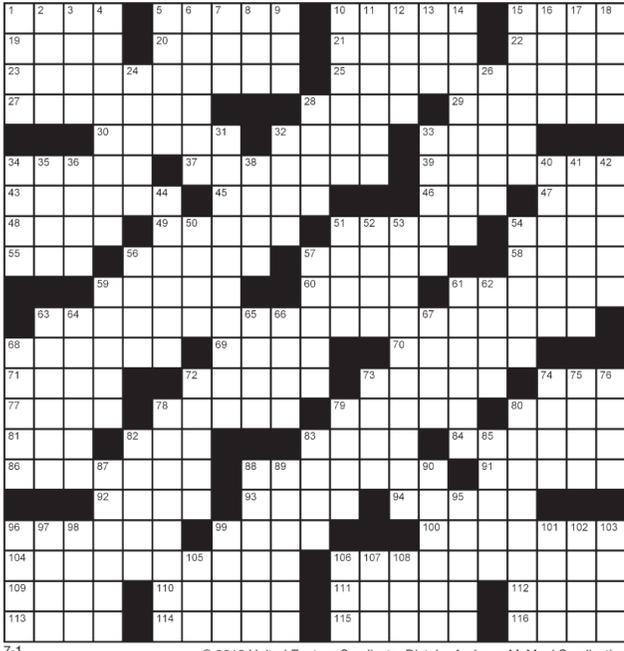
## THEME CROSSWORD

## SIXES AND SEVENS

By James Barrick

- ACROSS**
- 1. Primrose —
  - 5. Having a rounded shape
  - 10. Mea —
  - 15. Using speech, not writing
  - 19. Jai —
  - 20. A pachyderm, for short
  - 21. Charged particle
  - 22. Ceremonial garment
  - 23. Revolver: Hyph.
  - 25. Salome's Dance of the —
  - 27. Allowance
  - 28. Third prime number
  - 29. NFL team
  - 30. Bitter
  - 32. Big cat's thatch
  - 33. Pedestal part
  - 34. Dress shape: Hyph.
  - 37. A semiconductor
  - 39. Refutations, in logic
  - 43. Clapboard
  - 45. Cousin to a stoa
  - 46. —de-lance
  - 47. Held
  - 48. Entreaty
  - 49. Fashionably dated
  - 51. Pondered
  - 54. Pep or poison
  - 55. Part of SSS: Abbr.
  - 56. Swim
  - 57. Cartridge's correlative
  - 58. The pyinkado, a tree
  - 59. Elaborate songs
  - 60. Tel —
  - 61. Legendary king
  - 63. Birthdate of a nation: 3 wds.
  - 68. Reason
  - 69. A state: Abbr.
  - 70. Not on your life! 2 wds.
  - 71. Marine plant
  - 72. Employers
  - 73. River in Germany
  - 74. Lease
  - 77. Mild oath
  - 78. Pay out
  - 79. Put on ice
  - 80. Wraparound garment
  - 81. Professional org.
  - 82. Sass
  - 83. Stimulate
  - 84. Covered with a woolly material
  - 86. Pastry mold
  - 88. Entrances
  - 91. Prophet of note
  - 92. Pitcher
  - 93. Shades
  - 94. Hardware item
  - 96. Part of medieval Spain
  - 99. Be too fond
  - 100. Rescues, in a way
  - 104. Playing card: 3 wds.
  - 106. — Adventist
  - 109. You said it!
  - 110. Uncanny
  - 111. Like an overgrown wall
  - 112. Frigg's husband
  - 113. Wan
  - 114. Respond
  - 115. Sweets
  - 116. Anglo-Saxon laborer

- DOWN**
- 1. Ticket of a kind
  - 2. Dismounted
  - 3. Pedicab cousin
  - 4. Old name for the Iberian Peninsula
  - 5. U. of Maine's home
  - 6. — scholar
  - 7. Piece
  - 8. Dir. letters
  - 9. Opera's "Coo —"
  - 10. Vegas attraction
  - 11. Inconsistent
  - 12. Dwell
  - 13. American poet
  - 14. Toughened, as steel or glass
  - 15. The Beaver State
  - 16. Make turbid
  - 17. Competent
  - 18. Arithmetic word
  - 24. Hunt or Hayes
  - 26. Darth —
  - 28. Actuality
  - 31. Special mental power: 2 wds.
  - 32. Kind of Japanese soup
  - 33. Postpone
  - 34. Reptiles
  - 35. "Munsters" matriarch
  - 36. — of March
  - 38. Orpheus' instrument
  - 40. Fashionable
  - 41. Big toe
  - 42. Goldbrick
  - 44. Unclear, in a way
  - 50. Coup d'—
  - 51. Budge
  - 52. Part of UNLV: Abbr.
  - 53. — of Rome
  - 54. Fall guy
  - 56. Harte or Mavertick
  - 57. Assignments
  - 59. Of our feathered friends
  - 61. As you please: 2 wds.
  - 62. "Saving Private
  - 63. Sausage
  - 64. Memory trace
  - 65. Paradise
  - 66. Old ointment
  - 67. Christmas
  - 68. Nasser's successor
  - 72. Shoe part
  - 73. Mother of Zeus
  - 74. Thailand neighbor
  - 75. Gaelic
  - 76. Connections
  - 78. Muffling device
  - 79. Deletions
  - 80. Bear-paw
  - 82. — diminishing returns
  - 83. Liberate
  - 85. Calkin
  - 87. Get out
  - 88. Fearful
  - 89. Start
  - 90. Long speech
  - 95. Quaid or Travis
  - 96. Right away! Abbr.
  - 97. Ottawa —
  - 98. Jump in skating
  - 99. — mater
  - 101. Bettor's concern
  - 102. Pipe
  - 103. New Year's word
  - 105. Shelter
  - 106. — passim
  - 107. A Gabor
  - 108. Coq au —



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### SCIENCE IS COOL

by Colin Close

Did you know...the first son in Earth's history, the Hadean, begins with the Earth's formation? About 4.5 BILLION years ago the Earth was formed out of debris and gasses surrounding our young star. There was no life and temperatures were extremely hot, with lots of volcanic activity. The moon was also formed around this time — most likely by colliding with another early planet about the size of Mars.

# School Supply Drive Currently Underway

## Time to support students in annual 'Equipped 4 Success'

**Sun Staff Reports**

The Alameda Education Foundation (AEF) announced the launch of its annual "Equipped 4 Success" school supply drive. The drive supports Alameda low-income students by providing them with new backpacks and quality school supplies.

"Imagine having to choose between paying your bills or purchasing school supplies for your child," said AEF Executive Director Vicki Sedlack. "Unfortunately, that is the reality for many struggling Alameda families."



Photo courtesy Alameda Boys & Girls Club

Community members may make cash donations to AEF via its website at [alamedaeducation.org](http://alamedaeducation.org) or by mailing checks to P.O. Box 1363, Alameda, CA 94501.

"Cash donations enable us to take advantage of bulk orders and price breaks to get the most bang for the buck," said Sedlack. "In fact, while the average family spends more than \$100 per year per child on school supplies, we are able to support an elementary student for \$30 and a middle- or high-school student for \$40."

Since 2012, AEF has supported almost 5,000 Alameda low-income students with quality, age-appropriate backpacks and school supplies. This year, 820 students have been identified as needing help.

AEF works with community partners to identify and distribute to students who are most in need, including the McKinney-

Vento homeless program of the Alameda Unified School District, the Alameda Boys and Girls Club, the Alameda Point Collaborative, Alameda Head Start, Girls Inc. of the Island City, Operation Dignity, School-based health clinics and the Woodstock Child Development Center.

AEF will also accept donations of new backpacks and school supplies between now and Monday, Aug. 6, at the following locations:

- Alameda Fire Station No. 2, 635 Pacific Ave.
- Tucker's Ice Cream, 1349 Park St.
- Coffee and Tea Traders, 883 Island Dr.

A complete list of accepted supplies can be found at [alamedaeducation.org](http://alamedaeducation.org).

### What is a Haiku?

A Haiku is a traditional form of Japanese poetry. They consist of 3 lines. The first and last lines have 5 syllables and the middle line has 7. Showing time the lines rarely rhyme. Can you write and send us your Haiku? Email [cclose@alamedasun.com](mailto:cclose@alamedasun.com). We will print it here for everyone to enjoy.

**This Week's HAIKU**

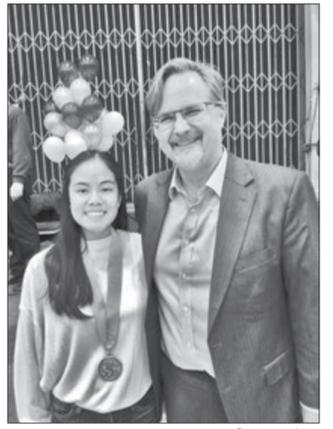
As the bottle slips, falling from her tiny grip, sleep overtakes her.

- Anonymous

## Star Scholarship Goes to Barreto

**Sun Staff Reports**

The P.E.O. International STAR scholarship was given to Ada Barreto, a graduating senior at Encinal High School, May 24 at the annual Encinal High School senior awards assembly by P.E.O. chapter president, Elizabeth Madaras. At right, Barreto appears with school superintendent, Sean McPhetridge. P.E.O. is a philanthropic organization whose women celebrate the advancement of women; educate women through scholarships, grants, awards, loans, and stewardship of Cottey College and motivate women to achieve their highest aspirations.



Courtesy photo

### Ripley's — Believe It or Not!

**WHITE CHOCOLATE** ISN'T ACTUALLY CHOCOLATE — IT COMES FROM COCOA BUTTER!

**BELIEVE IT OR NOT, THE INFAMOUS LINE "LUKE, I AM YOUR FATHER!" FROM THE STAR WARS FRANCHISE IS ACTUALLY A MISQUOTATION — THE ORIGINAL LINE IS "NO, I AM YOUR FATHER."**

**THERE IS HIGH-SPEED INTERNET ON THE MOON!**

## SUDOKU

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**HOW TO PLAY:** Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

## KidSpot

By Dan Thompson

**Rhyme time**  
In this game, you drop or add a letter in each set to make rhyming words. We did the first one to show you how.

1. You use a comb to comb your hair.  
Add a letter for you sitting on a chair.
2. The sun is very \_\_\_\_\_.  
Drop a letter for the opposite of left is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I am hungry and it's time to \_\_\_\_\_.  
Add a letter for the opposite of messy is \_\_\_\_\_.
4. We are going shopping at the \_\_\_\_\_.  
Add a letter for the opposite of big is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Red and white make \_\_\_\_\_.  
Drop a letter for a pen is full of \_\_\_\_\_.

ANS: 2. BRIGHT, 3. RIGHT, 4. NEAT, 5. EAT, 6. MALL, 7. SMALL, 8. PINK, 9. INK.

## Minute Maze

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