

**December 2021
Edition**



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Big News



December Observances

National Impaired Driving Prevention month

Dec 3rd –21st : Christmas Ships

Dec 7th: National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day-80th Anniv

Dec 10-17th: Human Rights Week

Dec 20th: It's a wonderful Life premiere 75th Anniversary

Dec 25th: Christmas

Dec: 31st: New Years Ever

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Portland Christmas Ships

Dec 3rd thru 21st



The Christmas Ship Parade began in 1954 with one lone sailboat from Portland Yacht Club. Today, the Christmas Ship Fleet averages about 55 to 60 boats between the Columbia and Willamette River fleets, with displays that are brightly lit and can be seen from bank to bank on each river. The boats, 14 to 65 feet long, are brightly decorated for the holiday season. The ships draw thousands of residents each night to the banks of the rivers. The privately-owned vessels come from Portland, Vancouver, McMinnville, Salem and Hood River areas. Some of the ship owners have been part of the Christmas tradition for more than 30 years.

Thank You For The Kind Words

Ray Castro

Great service as usual. Always there to meet my needs with ease and kindness. Willing to go above and beyond for the safety of customers. I highly recommend giving them a shot...you will be hooked.

R G

Very professional from the moment I called and inquired about an appointment. I took my car here after a referral from a friend when we saw the previous shop I went to was trying to overcharge me for parts alone. Du Fresnes did a diagnostic for my check engine light that was giving 5 errors and were able to attribute the problem to replacing one part where the previous shop wanted to replace every part referenced by the error codes, even my 6 month old thermostat. No BS service here. They took care of

my issues efficiently and didn't try to scare me into paying for additional services even though I know there's other issues ill need looked at soon. I'll likely bring my car back here when I can afford the next round of maintenance. I really appreciate the quality work, Du Fresnes.

Terry Rohe

DuFresne's has been taking care of our cars for 28 years. Wonderful people, and excellent automotive maintenance and repair! My recent service was prompt and efficient as always. Thank you so much.



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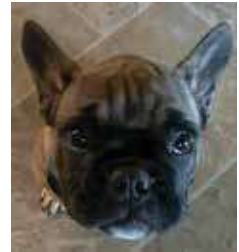
Each year on December 7, Pearl Harbor survivors, veterans and visitors from all over the world come together to honor and remember the 2,403 service members and civilians who were killed during the Japanese attack on December 7, 1941. Another 1,178 people were injured. Eight Navy battleships were among the 18 Naval ships either damaged or sunk. On Oahu military bases, 178 aircraft were destroyed.

Christmas card pet shots: Watch out for green eye

Wouldn't it make a great Christmas card for next year: Bowser in front of the fireplace wearing a Santa Claus hat?

Most pet owners, be they kitty fanciers, canine lovers or both will have great opportunities for pet photos during the holidays.

You can set up the photo just where you want it. Declutter the area so the background isn't confused. Catch your pooch in a calm mood. Ask someone else to hold a toy or a treat in order to get that special glint in your pet's eyes. But the glint you don't want is the dreaded green eye. Green eye is like red eye in human photos. With humans, light strikes the retina's blood vessels, reflecting red. But many animals have an eye membrane called tapetum lucidum that lets animals see better in the dark. When light strikes an animal's eye, the membrane can reflect green, blue, white or yellow, depending on the animal. Most dogs and cats reflect green or blue. Blue-eyed cats are the exception and they reflect red. Raccoon and deer eyes glow yellow. You get green eye when your pet's pupils are dilated at night, or a built-in camera flash shines directly into the pet's eye. To avoid green eye, distract the pet to look slightly away from the camera. You can also change your shooting angle to a slightly higher or lower position than the pet's eyes. If you are using a traditional camera with a separate flash, tilt the flash to bounce light from the ceiling or wall.



DuFresne's Auto Service Big News

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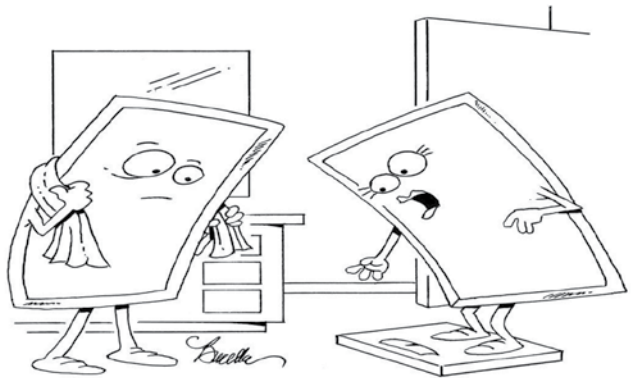
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How to solve Sudoku puzzles

No math is required to solve a Sudoku. You only need logic and patience. Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one instance of the numbers 1-9. Similarly, each number can only appear once in a column or row in the larger grid. The difficulty on this puzzle is easy.

	1	7	5	2				
	2							8
		8	3		6		7	4
	4						5	
6	5		1		4	8		
5							3	
				4	9	5	1	



"OK...starting tomorrow, I start photographing smaller portions of food."



Portland Rescue Mission

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With so many Oregonians facing income loss from recent wildfires and the ongoing pandemic the need for food is at a all time high.

Oregon Food Bank's CEO Su-sannah Morgan says during the pandemic, many families are struggling.

"It has never been this bad," Morgan said. "This is a 100-year flood of hunger."

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3	2	5	6	9	7	1	4	8
8	6	9	4	1	3	7	2	5
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7	4	3	9	8	2	6	5	1
6	5	2	1	7	4	8	9	3
9	7	1	2	3	5	4	8	6
5	8	4	7	6	1	9	3	2
2	3	6	8	4	9	5	1	7

secrets From Nancy & Tee's Kitchen



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Pesto Shrimp with Mushrooms

Ingredients

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 pound shrimp , peeled, deveined
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon red pepper flakes
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 8 ounces white mushrooms , sliced
- 3 cloves garlic , minced
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup basil pesto
- ½ cup chicken broth

Heat large skillet on medium-high heat until hot. Add olive oil - it should run without sizzling. Add shrimp, season shrimp with ¼ teaspoon salt and ¼ teaspoon red pepper flakes, cook for about 3 minutes, turning once midway, until shrimp is pink and cooked through. Remove shrimp from the skillet. Add another tablespoon of olive oil to the same, now empty, skillet. Add sliced mushrooms. Add minced garlic. Season mushrooms with ¼ teaspoon salt. Cook, stirring, until mushrooms release liquid and reduce in volume and get soft, for about a minute or two. Add back the cooked shrimp. Add ½ cup basil pesto and ½ cup chicken broth. On medium heat, mix everything to combine. Remove from heat. When ready to serve, top the shrimp with chopped fresh basil.





by [MADD Media](#) December 13, 2019 [Drunk Driving](#)

Two of the most celebrated dates in December – Christmas Eve and New Year’s Eve – are also among the most dangerous. In 2018, drunk driving crashes claimed 108 lives in those two days alone, accounting for nearly half of total traffic deaths. That is why Mothers Against Drunk Driving® (MADD) is teaming up with law enforcement agencies across the country throughout the month of December, which has been recognized as National Impaired Driving Prevention Month for the 39th consecutive year. During December 2018, 839 people died in alcohol-related crashes, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. While drunk driving deaths typically represent around a third of all traffic fatalities, that increased to nearly 50 percent on Dec. 24 and Dec. 31. On Dec. 25, 2018, 35 people died in drunk driving crashes. This is staggering. The pain caused by one person’s choice to drive impaired is often permanent. Every single death left a permanent empty seat at the table and turned a time of celebration into tragedy. And every single death was 100 percent preventable. We’re asking everyone to take personal responsibility this holiday season by making a plan for a safe ride home *before* your celebrations begin. Designate a non-drinking, unimpaired driver. Take a taxi, a bus, or a train. Use a rideshare app like Uber. If you’re a host, provide an alternative to your guests, such as festive, non-alcoholic drinks offered by our partner [Mocktail Beverages](#). You can also show your commitment to drive sober by displaying one of our Tie One On for Safety red ribbons or magnetic decals on your vehicle, which are available at our local MADD offices around the country. Drunk driving crashes increase throughout the month of December as more people travel and attend events where alcohol is served. That is why every U.S. President since Ronald Reagan has proclaimed December National Impaired Driving Prevention Month. President Donald Trump continued in that tradition this month, reaffirming his administration’s commitment to prevent tragedies by making the decision to drive sober. The proclamation also remembers victims of impaired driving, offers prayers for grieving families impacted by these tragedies and honors law enforcement who are on the front lines of the violent, preventable crime of impaired driving.



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Customer of the Month

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Emily Menges

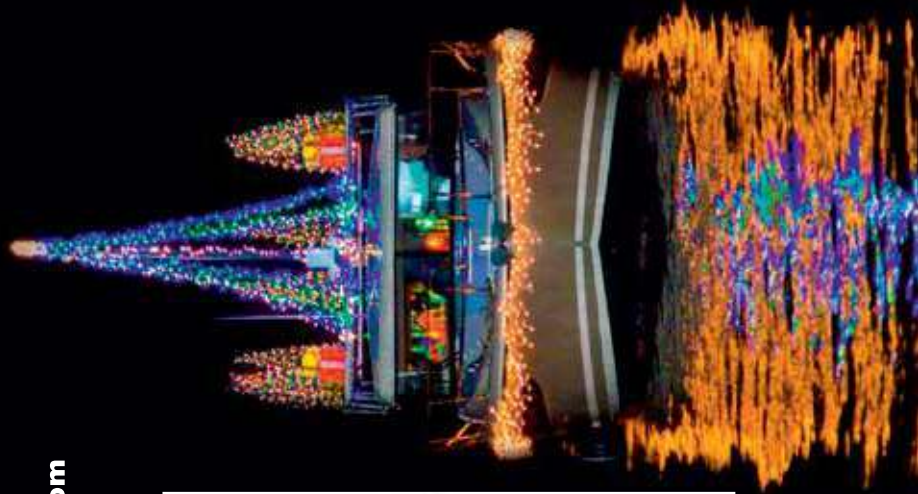
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