

# Murphy's Law

Murphy's law - an adage that means "Anything that can go wrong will go wrong." It seems our lives here at the Sims house has been working with this motto for the past few weeks. Everything that has been planned has had to be re-planned and new arrangements made. It began with my daughter's husband becoming critically ill. I am the "in house babysitter" for all of my grandchildren so I was called on to step into the live-in governess, house keeper role. I moved in with all my paraphernalia. I cannot travel without my phone and my I-Pad as I read and write almost all the time. Then there is my



## Peggy's Take

make-up and my nighttime regiment, my sugar free snacks and drinks, special goodies I know the boys enjoy, my companion, Bella, my body wash and shampoo, my pillow with the satin pillow case, plus clothes and my medicinal arsenal. My grandsons asked how long I was planning to stay and I said, "As long as my equipment last." I believe the thought it would be weeks if not months. Now, not that I am old, but bedtime for my husband and me is usually about 8 P.M. every night. When the time changes it may be 7 P.M. These two 'night-owl grandsons' have no bedtime. This first

night was a weekend night and no curfew was strictly imposed so it was whenever! I know that this night was the first midnight I had seen in years. At 3 A.M. I remember screeching out "It's getting late!" But you see when you have earphones covering your ears listening to someone on the other end playing Fortnite, and it could be in another state or country, that earphone person will not hear you. Or at least ignore you. I believe they may have seen the sun come up on that next day.

To make matters more complicated, the Central MS Fair was here during this time and they had been promised an outing to the festivities. Well, I had not been to this event in over ten years but I broke my absence on Friday night. Not only my grandsons but two other friends were my buddies for the fun times. For the most of it, they stayed close so that I did not have to use my rope tethers to keep them

contained. However, I did have them in my purse. Thank goodness my son-in-law has come home from

the hospital and I have been re-coop to level out my sent home. The whole episode made me a little more scatterbrained than usual and I have had to rest and

# Pritchard named Central Holmes 2018 Homecoming Queen



Senior ladies of the Central Holmes Christian School 2018 Homecoming Court pictured above are (from left): Shelby Lindsay, Jordan Pritchard, Lanie Davis, and McKenna Polk. (Photo by David Irby)

25th September

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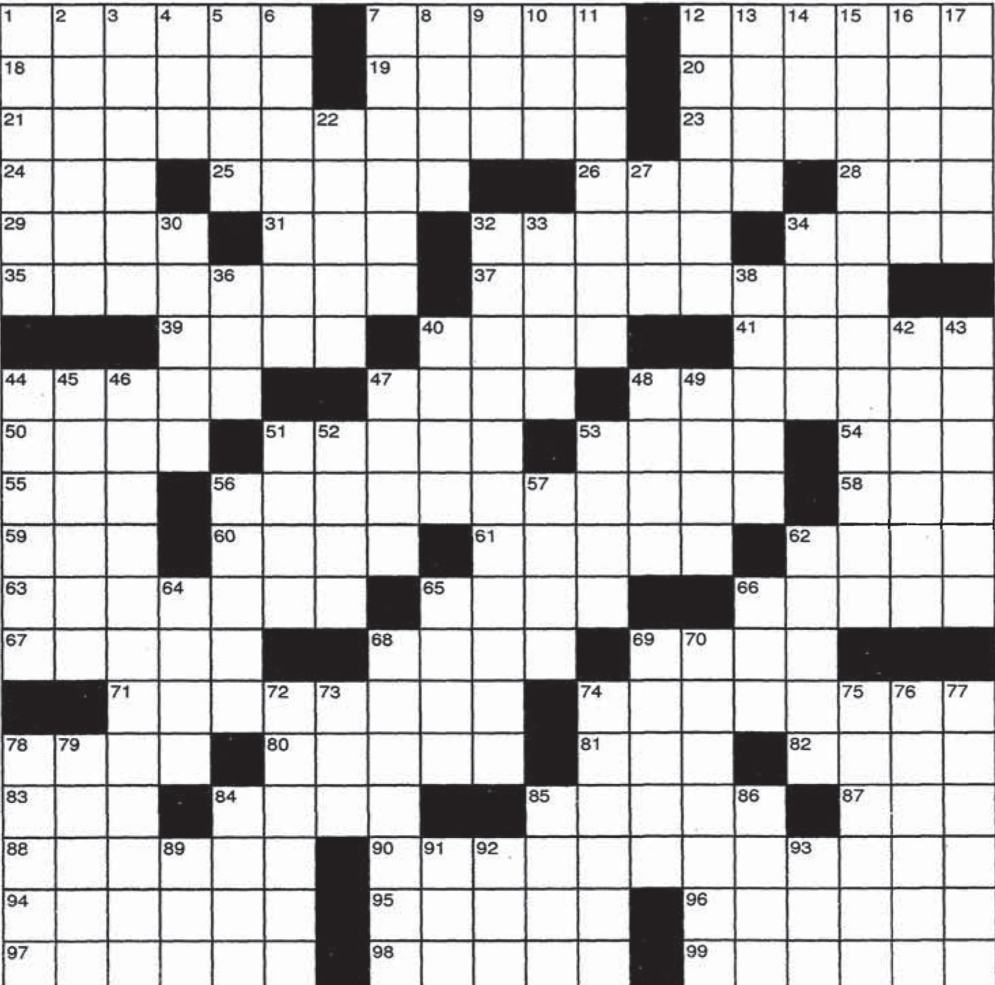
- 1 Actress Mary et al.
- 7 "\_\_\_ Wait to Meetchu" (Macy Gray song)
- 12 Dr. Seuss's real name
- 18 "Do You Know \_\_\_ to San Jose?"
- 19 Veep Garner's middle name
- 20 In conclusion
- 21 Groening's antihero
- 23 Manger visitor, e.g.
- 24 "Alley \_\_\_"
- 25 Olden lab burners
- 26 Walks in socks
- 28 Wind dir.
- 29 Bearing
- 31 Part of Canada: abbr.
- 32 With merry glee
- 34 School gps.
- 35 Student, e.g.
- 37 Gregory Peck,

- in "Spellbound," e.g.
- 39 Groundbreaking tools
- 40 "Mila 18" author Leon
- 41 Jerk
- 44 "One Step Beyond" sponsor
- 47 Concordes
- 48 Sheep fat
- 50 Catcall?
- 51 Just baked
- 53 Stenson of jazz
- 54 Picks out of a lineup
- 55 Spike, once
- 56 Synchronized swimmer's production
- 58 Country singer Bandy
- 59 Become compost
- 60 Aphrodite's lover
- 61 Crock pot brand
- 62 Sinister side, aseas
- 63 Gullies
- 65 "Stagecoach" director
- 66 Caravan rest

- stop
- 67 Reeves of "Speed"
- 68 Anita who created Lorelei Lee
- 69 Cars in the country club lot
- 71 Place to keep corncobs and meerschaums
- 74 Paula of "He & She"
- 78 "Norma Rae" director Martin
- 80 "Groundhog Day" director Harold
- 81 Charged bit
- 82 Hathaway of "Rachel Getting Married"
- 83 UK record label
- 84 Experimental filmmaker Deren
- 85 Warm-water sharks
- 87 Editor's disclaimer
- 88 Dwellings
- 90 Profitable
- 94 Crescent-shaped
- 95 Five: Sp.

- 96 Dishonored
  - 97 Engages gears
  - 98 Eccentrics
  - 99 Fling
- DOWN**
- 1 "\_\_\_ in Mitford" (Jan Karon novel)
  - 2 One certain to win
  - 3 \_\_\_ tantrum
  - 4 Have creditors
  - 5 Still pink
  - 6 Heart contraction
  - 7 Attica resident
  - 8 Mushroom lids
  - 9 RSVP
  - 10 Cpl., e.g.
  - 11 Bowling game
  - 12 "Sesame Street" cow
  - 13 Bridge designer James
  - 14 Film speed letters
  - 15 Prom-goers transports
  - 16 Novelist Castedo
  - 17 Harps' ancestors
  - 22 Writer Hammond \_\_\_
  - 27 Tavern tippie

- 30 Not by any means
- 32 Chris Gaines's "secret" identity
- 33 Author Kingsley or Martin
- 34 Spanish guitarist De Lucia
- 36 Mauna \_\_\_
- 38 "Once \_\_\_ Enough"
- 40 Leningrad's land: abbr.
- 42 Japanese violin prodigy
- 43 Beginnings
- 44 Acela runner
- 45 Lost love of "The Raven"
- 46 Gizmos
- 47 Bishops' districts
- 48 1961 Anouk Aimée film
- 49 First shepherd
- 51 Reno game
- 52 U.S. 1 and 66, briefly
- 53 Address abbr.
- 56 Two thumbs \_\_\_ (enthusiastic Siskel & Ebert summary)
- 57 Haughty facades
- 62 It used to be called spaghetti
- 64 "Check \_\_\_" (Beyonce)
- 65 Central points
- 66 Hold one's \_\_\_
- 68 French naturalist
- 69 Insolvent
- 70 Hanukkah illuminator
- 72 Obliterates
- 73 Walston or Milland
- 74 Ferrante and Teicher's instruments
- 75 Refuse to take "no" for an answer
- 76 Whine
- 77 Withdraw
- 78 Kingly domain
- 79 Inspire with feelings
- 84 Boundary
- 85 Mire
- 86 Elephant Boy portrayer
- 89 Morse-code syllable
- 91 Between A and U
- 92 LP connector
- 93 Sailor



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<b>2018 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE</b>			
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
August 31	M.S. Palmer	Away	7 p.m.
Sept. 7	Northside High	Home	7 p.m.
Sept. 14	Niceville High	Niceville, FL	7 p.m.
Sept. 21	Neshoba H.S.	Away	7 p.m.
Sept. 28	Canton	Away	7 p.m.
Oct. 5	Germantown	Home	7 p.m.
Oct. 12	Cleveland Central (HOMECOMING)	Home	7 p.m.
Oct. 18( Thurs)	Callaway	Away	7 p.m.
Oct. 26	Ridgeland	Away	7 p.m.
Nov. 2	Vicksburg (Senior Night)	Home	7 p.m.

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