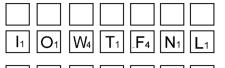
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**Directions:** Make a 2 to 7 letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word using scoring directions at right. 7 Letter words get 50 point bonus. "Blank" used as any letter have no point value. All the words are in the Official SCRABBLE players Dictionary, 4th Edition.

#### **Bridge**

South dealer N-S vulnerable

> NORTH **♠** J 4 ♥ J 10 3 ♦ KQ 10 6 4 ♣ 7 6 5

WEST **♦** K 6 5 ♥ Q 9 6 5 2 **♠** Q 9 8 7 ♥ K 8 ♣ I 10 9 8

SOUTH ♠ A 10 3 2 ♡ A 7 4 ◇ J 9

West North South East 1 **4** 2 NT 3 NT All Pass

Opening lead — ♥ 5

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"Simple Saturday" columns are meant to help aspiring players with basic technique and logical thinking.

You're East, defending against 3NT. South's 2NT shows a balanced 18 to 20 points. If he has 18, he will have a fivecard suit, attractive high-card structure or good intermediate spot cards. West leads a low heart, and dummy plays the jack. Plan your

A defensive principle is to play "third hand high." By sacrificing a high card, you hope to promote high cards in your partner's hand. But "third hand high" is a tendency, not a rule, and even rules are made to be broken.

If you play the king, South will win (the deck has too few points for West to hold the A-Q) and force out your ace of diamonds. He will be able to reach dummy with the ten of hearts to take the good diamonds.

To prevent that, play low at the first trick. When South starts the diamonds, you will hold up your ace once, relying on your partner's "count" signal, and South will go down.

#### **Word Force**

RACK 3

#### TAXIDERMY

From the word or phrase above, form AT LEAST 27 five-letter words, without using more than one form of the same word. For example, drink or drank (not

ANSWERS IN MONDAY'S POST Yesterdav's word:

**PENTAGRAM** 

agent anger

arena grant grape grate **great** meant

pager pater range tamer taper tramp

#### Wonderword

**How to play:** All the words listed below appear in the puzzle horizontally, vertically, diagonally, even backward. Find them and Circle their letters only. Do not circle the word. The leftover letters spell the Wonderword.

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To solve a Su Doku, you must put a number from 1 to 9, in each empty box.

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## For more Su Doku puzzles see tomorrow's **New York Post**

**Solutions on Page 35** 

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## Mick Crossword

#### **Across**

1 Diagnostic aid 13 ESPN game show where four expert panelists com-

pete debate-style
15 "42" subject
17 Water
18 Gets ready to eat, in a way
19 Key of Beethoven's Sym.
No. 7 No. 7 21 Clipped affirmative

23 Other: Pref. 25 Scary story sound 28 One of a prohibitive septet 31 Industry bigwigs 32 Hide out, with "down"

34 School offering belts

36 Get
37 Rihanna album whose title
is a common prefix
38 Cosmic balance
40 Analogy part
41 An ace is under it
42 Desert bordering the Altai
Mountains

Mountains 43 Mitt with ten fingers

45 "Luck Be \_\_": "Guy Dolls" song 47 Smoking evidence 49 Shuffles, say 50 Firming (up)

52 Italian recipe word 54 User of recording devices

54 Oser of recording devices called quipus
55 WWII conference city
58 Home of MLB's Redbirds
61 Learn
65 Early U.S. Navy flag motto
66 Likely to be returned

Down
1 Persian for "crown"
2 Subjects of IRS Pub. 590

3 Belt 4 Japanese hot pot dish 5 Athlete's wear, for short 6 Idyllic settings

7 Toys with strings? 8 "I see now" 9 "Leave!"

9 "Leave \_\_!" 10 Trey Anastasio's band 11 Chaney of the screen

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12 Imitation 14 Unequivocal rejection

14 Onequivocal rejection 16 Told 20 Alcott's "Little Men" sequel 22 \_\_ out a victory 24 Prefix with tourist 25 Indian flatbread

26 Words with a dismissive

wave
27 Unable to look away
29 Actor Elba of "The Wire"
30 French handle?
33 "Citizen Kane" studio
35 Shake up
39 Old hoops org.
40 Thick paint applications
42 OB/
44 Sautéing substance

44 Sautéing substance 46 Unicellular alga 48 Abomination

48 Abolilitation 51 "Peer \_\_ Homecoming": Grieg work 53 Rapper Kendrick \_\_ 56 Mennen skin product 57 Voldemort's title

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released Friday. "It has now been determined that the deeply offensive group messaging and texts were written, sent and viewed by a distinct group within the wrestling team," the school said, a week after the texts became public. "While all team members feel a sense of collective responsibility and regret for what was said and done by some, the investigation found that the individual student-athletes who participated in the group

the season and the

2016-17 academic year,

according to a statement

chat acted on their own." Doling out punish-

By HANNAH WITHIAM

ment based on the student-athletes' level of involvement, the school has suspended other members of the team until the beginning of the 2017 semester, while clearing those not involved in the incident to compete this weekend at the New York State Championships in Ith-

aca, N.Y. "We recognize that free speech is a core value both of the University community and of our nation," the statement read. "Our students and faculty have the right to express themselves and their views, whether through their public or private communications. However, the group text messages that have been brought to light do not meet the standard of behavior we expect from Columbia."

The announcement span from 2014 until a few weeks ago, include numerous photos of female students attached to vulgar commentary.

On Monday, the uni-

Members of the wrestling team released an apology letter Thursday.

# our student-athletes at

comes one week after Bwog, a student-run news site, exposed the vulgar GroupMe chat, in which members of the Class of 2017 call Columbia female students "ugly socially awkward c--ts" and insult African-Americans, whom they call the N-word throughout, for the protests that broke out in Ferguson, Mo., in 2014 over the death of Michael Brown. The messages, which

versity announced it was suspending the wrestling season.

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## WE WILL BE CLOSED on Thursday, November 24th.

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#### **SPORTS SHORTS NFL:** K.C.'s Maclin still out

The Chiefs again will be without receiver Jeremy Maclin (groin) versus Tampa Bay on Sunday, though it's increasingly likely linebacker **Justin Houston** will make his season debut.

• Panthers middle linebacker Luke Kuechly has been placed in the NFL's concussion protocol and his status for the team's Nov. 27 game against Oakland is uncertain.

- The Packers will be missing two more starters Sunday against Washington after coach Mike McCarthy said guard T.J. Lang (foot) and linebacker Jake Ryan (ankle) would miss the game.
- Dolphins center Mike Pouncey (hip) is doubtful for Sunday's game at the Rams.

#### **NBA:** Warriors roll in Boston

Klay Thompson scored 28 points, Kevin Durant had 23 points and 10 rebounds and Warriors scored 18 points in a row in the third quarter to beat the Celtics 104-88 on Friday night in Boston.

• Anthony Davis had 38 points, nine rebounds and four blocks, Jrue **Holiday** added 21 points in his first action this season, and the Pelicans beat the Trail Blazers 113-101 in New Orleans.

#### **MLB:** Cashner heads to Texas

Right-hander Andrew Cashner is going home for a spot in the Rangers' rotation.

The Texas native and former Marlins pitcher and the team had

reached an agreement on a \$10 million, one-year deal on Friday, according to reports.

• The Royals signed veteran catcher Drew Butera to a \$3.8 million, two-year contract, keeping him as the primary backup to **Salvador** Perez. Butera will make \$1.5 million this season and \$2.3 million next

#### **GOLF:** Hughes leads RSM

Canadian rookie Mackenzie **Hughes** shot a 5-under 67 on the Plantation course Friday at Sea Island in St. Simmons Island, Ga., and built a two-shot lead going into the weekend at the RSM Classic. C.T. **Pan** shot a 64 and was two back.

• In Naples, Fla., Lydia Ko (12-under 132) shot a tournament-record 10under 62 to take a three-stroke lead in the CME Group Tour Championship. Ryann O'Toole (67) and So Yeon **Ryu** (68) were tied for second.

#### **ETC.:** Boise St. blasts UNLV

Jeremy McNichols ran for 206 yards and a career-high four touchdown to help No. 22 Boise State beat UNLV 42-25 on Friday night in Boise, Idaho. to keep its Mountain West title hopes alive

Marian Hossa's controversial goal with 2:23 left in the third period lifted the Blackhawks to a 3-2 victory over the Flames in Calgary, Alberta. Artemi Panarin's shot was deflected by Chad Johnson's glove high in the air and as the puck came down. Hossa knocked it in. Replays showed it might have been a high stick by Hossa.