



PURE PUZZLER

week 2

#1: Initial Diagnoses

Five answers are represented in initial form below.
The theme is "Threesomes".

Example: TBM **Answer:** Three Blind Mice

J, J and C _____

G, F and M _____

L, C and M _____

N, P and SM _____

L, L, L _____

#2: Think-a-Link

Figure out the theme of each of the word groupings. It could be straight forward (ha!), a more subtle connection, have something to do with parts of the words, etc..

Example: apple, banana, pear **Answer:** fruits

Example: gala, came, main **Answer:** words formed with state abbreviations (GA LA, CA, ME, MA, IN)

1. George, Cat, Benjamin Button

2. School Bus, Goodwill Hunting, Tiger Woods

3. Sylvester Stallone, Tom Skerritt, James A. Garfield

4. Fred Sanford, Ray Charles, Stuart Little

5. Herald, Alcatraz, A kick

#3: Star Crossed

Use the five crossword style clues to find five people of note. They could be actors, authors, athletes, historical figures, etc.. It could be first name first, then last name or in reverse order. The resulting answer may need to be adjusted to match a real name as the clues may only lead to a phonetically correct answer or one slightly misspelled or shortened.

Example 1: Steal again? **A:** Rob Moore

Example 2: Additional Lowe footage? **A:** Moore, Rob

A founding father wins another game of statue?

Day off for a goat? _____

Out of control sesame street native? _____

Cooling off the Black Hills? _____

Orange Blossom _____

#4: Rhyme Time

Five clues below whose answer is in the form of a rhyme. **Example:** Feline headwear? **Answer:** Cat hat

Cool Chair? _____

Unwise Rancho La Brea furnishing?

Bee's behind? _____

Some triathlon contestants some of the time?

Gynecologist punched a patient?



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#5: Movie Title Mash

The answers to the clues below are “new movies” in the form of two complete real movie titles combined. It may be as simple as putting one title after another or interweaving or sharing each title’s words.

1. Zoltar grants the March Sisters’ wish

2. That’s one crazy pig! _____

3. Poltergeist IV: The frozen food aisle

4. John Dunbar does the Lambada with Two Socks.

5. The story of several passengers is interwoven on a bus that actually obeys the laws of physics.
