RiverCalendar

Sept. 8

A free wine-tasting event featuring **Wines for Tailgating** will be held at Vino 100 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Vino 100, 5222 State Road 64 E.

Sept. 9

The Crowley Museum will hold **"Nature Crafts for Kids"** at 10 a.m. Kids will make fun crafts using materials from nature. RSVP required. $6 per child, $3 per Crowley child. For information, call 322-1000.

Sept. 11

The 5th Tribute to Heroes Memorial Service will be held from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Emergency Services Memorial in Rossi Park along Bradenton's waterfront. A luncheon will follow at 11:30 a.m. at the Bradenton Municipal Auditorium at City Centre at 1005 Barcorrota Blvd. in Bradenton. **Chris Malloy**, retired director of nursing at St. Vincent's Hospital in New York, will be the speaker. Tickets for the luncheon are $30 per person and can be purchased at the Bradenton Fire Department. For more information, call 708-6233.

Sept. 12

The Braden River Branch Library will hold an afternoon book discussion on **Earlene Fowler's "The Saddlemaker's Wife"** at 1 p.m. For information and other discussion events, call 727-6079.

Sept. 13

The Braden River Branch Library will hold a **"Tot Time"** for children ages 0 to 3 at 10 a.m. and a **"Hi-Five Storytime"** for children ages 3 to 5 at 10:30 a.m. For information and other storytime events, call 727-6079.

Sept. 15-17

As part of the **"September Celebrates Sarasota and Her Island's Museums,"** the Crowley Museum is offering free admission. A guided nature walk will be offered at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 16. For information, call 322-1000.

Sept. 16

Manatee Glens will hold the 4th Annual **"Walk for Life: Walking for Suicide Prevention and Support for Surviors"** at 9 a.m. at Sutton Park in Palmetto. The cost is $10. Proceeds will benefit Manatee Glens' Suicide Prevention programs. For more information, call 782-4272 or 782-4211.

Sept. 19

Phyllis Gilreath, extension agent for the Agricultural Museum in Palmetto, will be presenting a **Vegetable Gardening at Home seminar** at 10 a.m. at the museum. The program will help home gardeners be successful at planting their own vegetable garden. For reservations, call 721-2034 to register. The Ag Museum is located at 1015 6th St. West in Palmetto.

The Braden River Branch Library will hold an afternoon book discussion on **Jacqueline Winspear's "Birds of a Feather"** at 6:30 p.m. For information and other discussion events, call 727-6079.

September Museum Specials

Historic Spanish Point Museum has partnered with five other museums and attractions in Sarasota County to offer discounts to the public during September, which is Museum Month. The Museum Month participants are:

• **The Historic Spanish Point Museum:** Free during the week of Sept. 18-24. 337 N. Tamiami Trail, Osprey. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Information: (941) 966-5214.

• **The John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art:** Two-for-one admission during all of September. 5401 Bayshore Road. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily. Information: 359-5700 or www.ringling.org.

• **Mote Aquarium:** Buy one admission, get one free for the entire month. 1600 Ken Thompson Parkway, City Island. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Information: 388-2451.

• **Marie Selby Botanical Gardens:** Two for one admission for Florida residents for the entire month. 811 S. Palm Ave. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Information: 366-5731, ext. 221 or www.selby.org.

• **Crowley Museum and Nature Center:** Free admission during the weekend of Sept. 15-17. 16405 Myakka Road. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday-Sunday. Information: 322-1000.

• **G.WIZ, The Hands-On Science Museum:** Free admission every Friday night in September from 5 to 8 p.m. 1001 Boulevard of the Arts. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 6 p.m. Sunday. Information: 309-4949.

Sept. 21 – Nov. 9

Manatee Community College will hold an eight-week, noncredit review course for those seeking to become a **Certified Legal Assistant** or **Certified Paralegal** from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursdays at MCC's Traffic Safety Institute in Sarasota. The course fee is $100. For more information, call 752-5656.

ManateeSudoku

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

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Answer on Page 6

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit www.sudoku.org.uk.

RiverCrossword

Name Game

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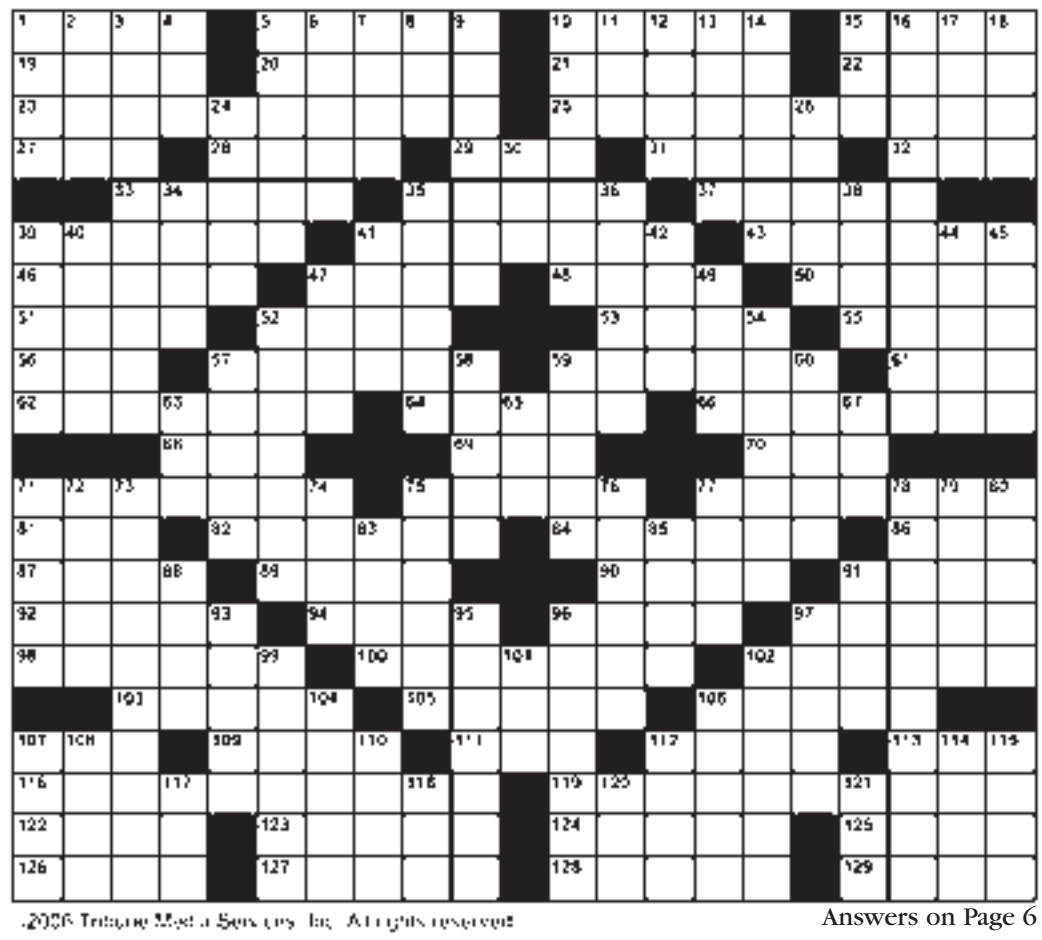

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ACROSS

1 Jason's ship
5 Fished for lampreys
10 Clerical vestment
15 Not quite closed
19 Give off a stench
20 Bump the pot in poker
21 Former Thai coin
22 Feeling resentment
23 Before and after Louise
25 Before and after Howard
27 Gettysburg to Lancaster, e.g.
28 Confused
29 Like
31 Westernmost
32 Lord of comedy
33 "Criminal" or "Germinal"
35 Happenings
37 Disbanded alliance acronym
39 Sour ale
41 Worked the dough
43 Scours thoroughly
46 Sacks reed
47 Love or love follower
48 Cheer up
50 Shake or keg
51 "The Last ___ Saw Paris"
52 Around: prefix
53 Scarlett's home
55 German river
56 Grammar fund
57 Events
59 Pays the bill
61 Black bird
62 Submits for payment
64 Consumer advocate
66 "Gone With the Wind" locale
68 Meal or cake starter
69 ___ Ia-ioe
70 Urban music style
71 Ladybugs, for instance
75 Beg to differ
77 Black leopard
81 "___ the King's Men"
82 Disturbed the nocturnal quiet
84 Plant or animal anachronism
86 Bibl. battalion
87 Stringed instrument
89 Percussion instrument
90 Pub order
91 Very small quantity
92 Decorate
94 Art school subj.
96 Wine's companion
97 Mummy's tomb protector?
98 One of greater rank
100 Shooting from ambush
102 St. George to the dragon
103 Farm units
105 Cattle muncher
106 Region or sphere
107 Ampersand
109 Civil agents
111 Filipino language
112 Equipment
113 Batman's sound
116 Before and after Leslie
119 Before and after Marie
122 Singing and dancing girl
123 Scene of the crime
124 Typewriter type
125 First rate
126 South African Bantu
127 Dutch cheeses
128 Rajah's wife
129 Wear away, as by hil

DOWN

1 Comedian Johnson
2 Check or restrain
3 Before and after Barry
4 Russian river
5 Classroom adjunct
6 Atelier fixture
7 Manx
8 Canter follower
9 Deduces or infers
10 Ministers to
11 Russian community
12 Summer desserts
13 Wine options, in France
14 Funeral orations
15 Inquire
16 Before and after Laura
17 Code or rug
18 Depend
24 Vichy collaborator Pierre
26 Hall of Hollywood
30 Large New Zealand parrot
34 Curved moldings
35 Annapolis graduate
36 Wobble
38 Verifiable
39 Essence of rosins
40 River to the Bay of Biscay
41 Broadway's ___ Theatre
42 Performs massage
44 Actor George of "42nd Street"
45 Country south of Turkey
47 Hawaiian garlands
49 Eris
52 Forecast
54 Fascinate
57 Business transactions
58 Grafted completely
59 Happen again
60 Special point of view
63 Polka follower
65 Not clear and distinct
67 Quick to learn
71 Semiprecious stone
72 Escape detector
73 Before and after Lord
74 Rail bird
75 Require
76 Complain
77 Cone cleaner
78 Before and after James
79 Irregular, as if worn away
80 More ready for harvest
83 Operates
85 Ending for sap or duck
88 Anagram of rice
91 Twofold
93 "___ the Hotspur of the ___ Snakes"
95 Long humanities
96 Pulitzer
97 ___ Bow, the "It Girl"
99 Film take
101 Accessory
102 U.S. Navy construction man
104 Stitched
105 French income
107 Noted Greek warrior
108 ___ condenso
110 Zola heroine
112 Acquisition
114 Capital of Yemen
115 Small merganser
117 Teachers org.
118 Bar offering
120 Highest note of Guido's scale
121 Faulkner ad