

**SUDOKU**

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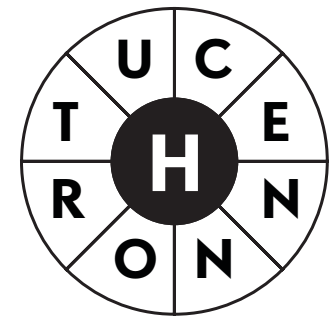
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**MINDFOOD WHEEL WORDS**

Create as many words of four letters or more using the letters once only, but always including the centre letter. Do not use proper names or plurals. There's one nine-letter word using all letters.

**SOLUTION:**

ECHO, ETCH, HERO, HONE, HORN, HOUR, HUNT, HURT, OUCH, TECH, THEN, THOU, CHORE, CHURN, CHUTE, COUTH, HERON, NORTH, NOTCH, OCHRE, OTHER, RETCH, RUCHE, TENCH, THORN, THROE, TORCH, TOUCH, HECTOR, HORNET, HUNTER, TECHNO, THRONE, TRENCH, RETOUCH, TOUCHER, UNTHRONE.

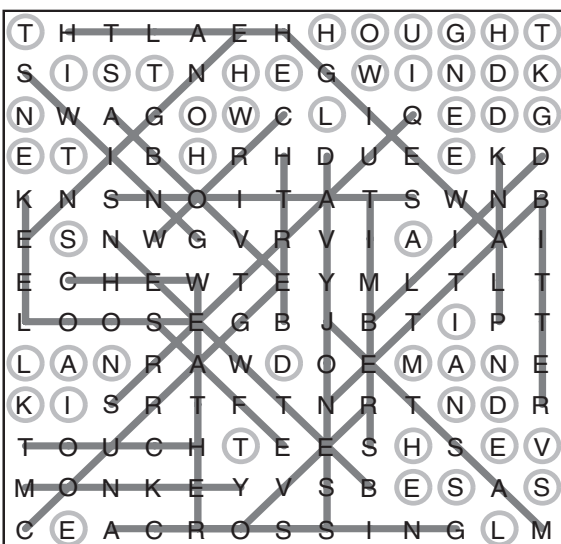
**9-LETTER WORD:**

TRUNCHEON.

**FIND-A-WORD**

**HEAVE HO!**

Landlubber, or sea dog? Search for the missing words from these phrases found heading to all eight points of the compass across the sea of letters. Revealed in the offing will be a quote by Augustus Hare on which to reflect.



1. A shot ... the bow
2. ... board
3. Anchors ...
4. As the ... flies
5. ... down the hatches
6. ... the devil and the deep blue sea
7. Brass ... weather
8. ... the fat
9. Clean bill of ...
10. Close ...
11. ... the line
12. ... locker
13. Dutch ...
14. Flotsam and ...
15. Give a wide ... to ... cannon
17. No room to ... a cat
18. On an even ...
19. ... a barrel
20. Panic ...
21. ... haven
22. Shiver my ...
23. The ... room
24. To the ... end
25. ... and go
26. Turn a ... eye
27. Under the ...
28. Walk the ...

**Lovatts**  
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