



The one where Chandler performs some careful calculations...

Statistical analysis and data reconfiguration. That was Chandler's job (who knew!?), and it's your job too in the grid below. Think: word search for number crunchers. Hidden among a plethora of incalculable nonsense, are twelve straight truths – some longer than others. As is the case in word searches, these arithmetic truths might read in any direction. And though these truths are distinct and different, look for their **commonalities**.



$$22 = 4 \times 6 = 8 + 15 + 4$$

$$= 12 - 26 = 2 \times 7 = 24 \wedge$$

$$1 = 4 \wedge 1 = 12 = 2 / 3$$

$$= 3 + 3 = 7 / 6 \times 3 =$$

$$9 = 19 + 21 - 3 + 8 = 24$$

$$- 23 = 12 \times 2 = 5 - 2 \times$$

$$12 = 18 = 3 - 5 + 20 \wedge 2$$

$$= 21 + 16 = 19 - 2 = 3 =$$

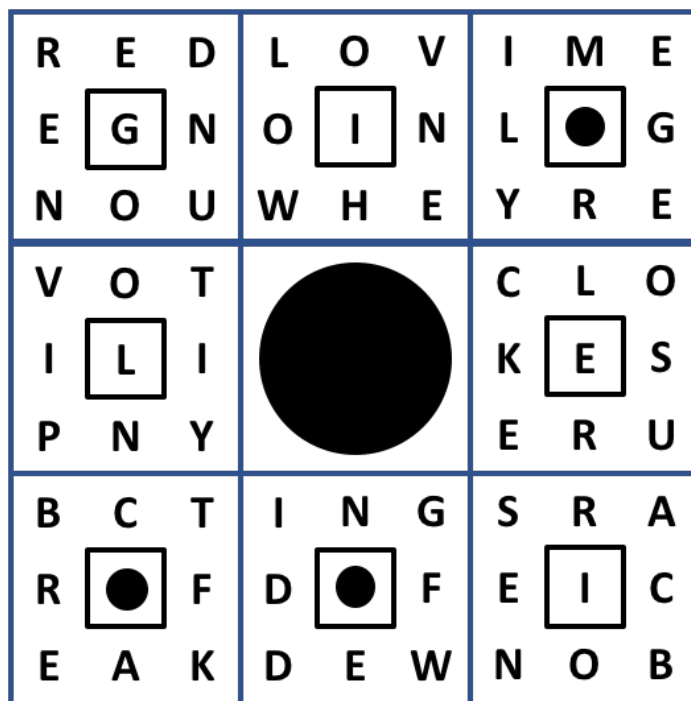
$$5 + 13 = 15 - 1 + 20 / 5$$

$$/ 2 - 26 = 2 + 5 + 5 \times$$

$$15 + 8 = 16 / 2 + 8 + 9$$

The one where Ross and Rachel are unable to move the relationship forward....

If Ross and Rachel showed us anything, it was that relationships can **get messy**, and one can start to feel a little **confined**. So, **pick: pen** or pencil, and find seven words for seven letters - plus one metaletter? That'll do, pal.



What a paleontologist might have on their coffee table as a rock-solid ice-breaker when a date comes over.

"On a _____" = relationship pause (or "_____ up" = relationship end).

What everyone needs when an open relationship ends.

If one were marrying poet Dickinson or actress Blunt, for example, one would hopefully remember to speak this name during one's vows and NOT someone else's.

Rotate or twist as one might do to a sofa being carried up a flight of stairs.

The opposite of being totally over someone is being totally _____ them.

Popular type of chapels in Vegas.



The one where Phoebe contemplates her future...

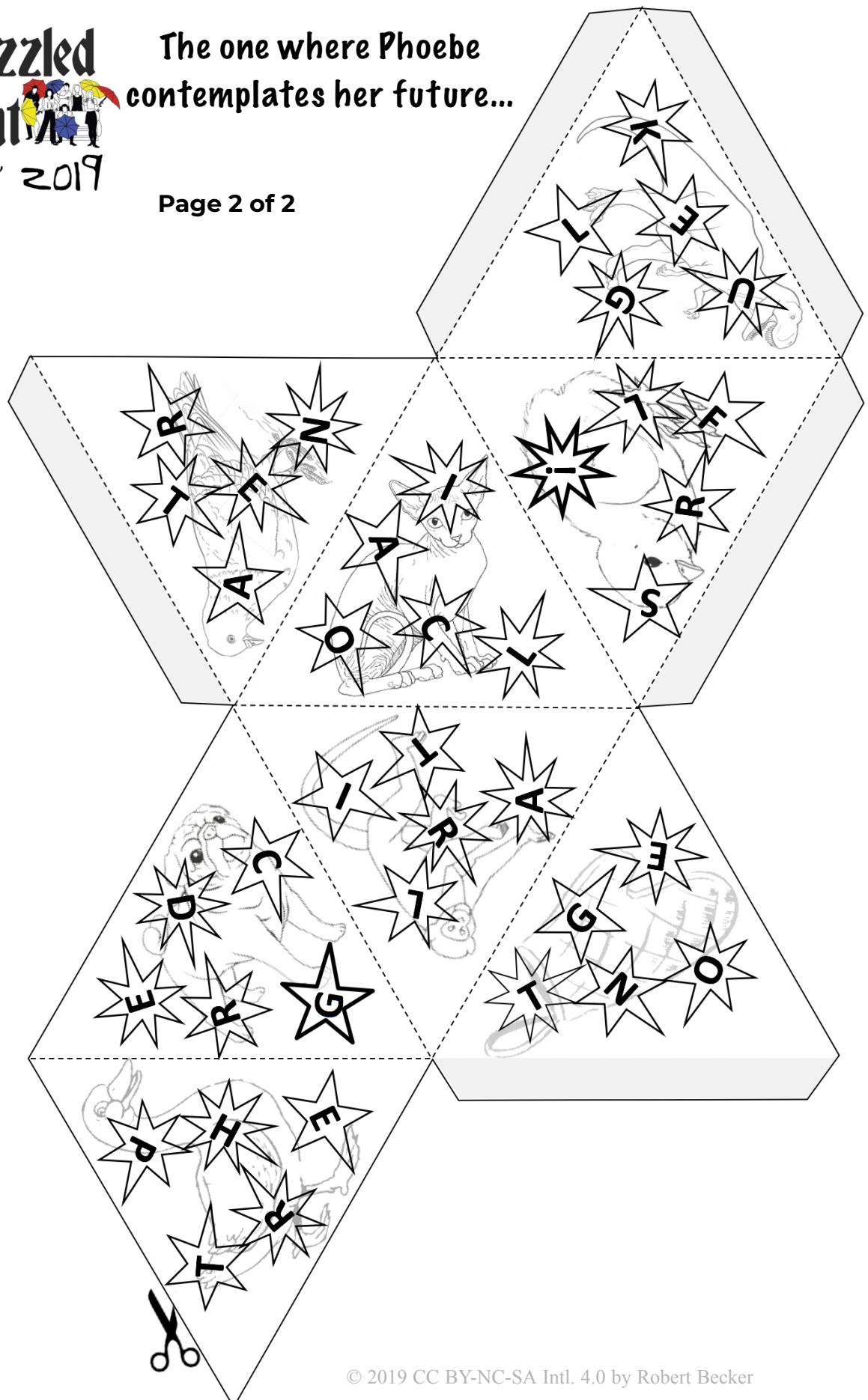
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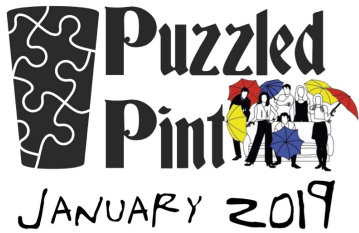
Ms. Buffay, always the spiritual one in the group, is a major enthusiast of both crystals and astrology and their mysterious predictive powers. Make an octahedron; then starting with the right front paw in the Pugusus Constellation, visit each star just once, and end in the brilliant Alpha Exclamus in the Chicapoea Galaxy. Let each star's biggest point direct you to the next stop on your voyage. It may help to know that in each constellation, you will visit the stars in order from dimmest to brightest (pointier = brighter). Be aware that you may pass through some constellations 2 or 3 times before visiting others for the first time. Once you have the stellar sequence, extract one letter from each word to derive the solution.

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

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contemplates her future...

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The one where Joey determines whether or not he's fit to be a sailor...

Remember the time Joey accidentally bought a yacht at a silent auction? That was all part of his journey, and now your journey is about to begin. Before you set sail, be aware that all nine legs of your trip (8, 4, 8, 4, 7, 10, 8, 7, 3) will have something important missing. To get you started, begin in the middle (F) and head due north. After that, you're on your own, and your options may seem overwhelming. After all, each ending is a new beginning...

And once you've solved the puzzle, as a little side-challenge, try to discover the significance of the eight "corner letters" - the letters where one word ends and the next begins.

- Paying a foreign friend one of these used to take months.
- Place to purchase a "My parents went on a cruise, and all I got was this lousy T-shirt" T-shirt.
- Long before Starbucks served up this drink, Starbuck served as first mate on the Pequod.
- Fruit that floats.
- Fishy antecedent.
- First ahoy! This bush is one of the first to bloom each spring.
- The adventures at sea are awesome, but all that swabbing and hoisting is exhausting.
- The number two deck.
- What an indelicate seaman is likely to use in conversation.

E Y F T C E R B M A N G R O I N G I N
 V C I E N E O A P I O I N A L O R O O
 R A G E L V P L L T F F N I H E N V I
 Y R A U T S E T H Y A T E S H S N R T
 T C T I P Q X X R S S S I T M T I Y E
 H O N E A A P E T R I O A O K R E R J
 N M E T V R L S L O O P K E M O N M B
 G N I L L F E E R F R A P P U C C N O
 R O C E A V T N L F L T I N I P T F V
 N O R T I C I A D O U A O T A O F O R
 D P I C I O V A L E G G M N N P X Y T
 M L C E D O R I G D A E N I R I H Z U
 A O H R R F U W I R H E V I N N R I R
 S T A N O O S A E T H A N K I G G T N
 S H G L A R D L Y N O G N L G N O T S

(Check your answer with a 90 degree turn to the left)



META:

The one where Monica obsesses about neatness...

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One thing about Monica – she always had **all the answers**, and she knew just how to **fit them in** to any conversation. She fit her answers in FIRST, before doing anything else! And she loved her craft projects – as long as everyone was neat and careful with their cuts and folds **twenty-four hours a day** – come on people: one cut, then four folds, then three more cuts. Are we having fun!?

The main take-away: when all is said and done, these six quirky characters formed a pretty tight circle, and they were always there for one another – not just in words, but in actions too.



