

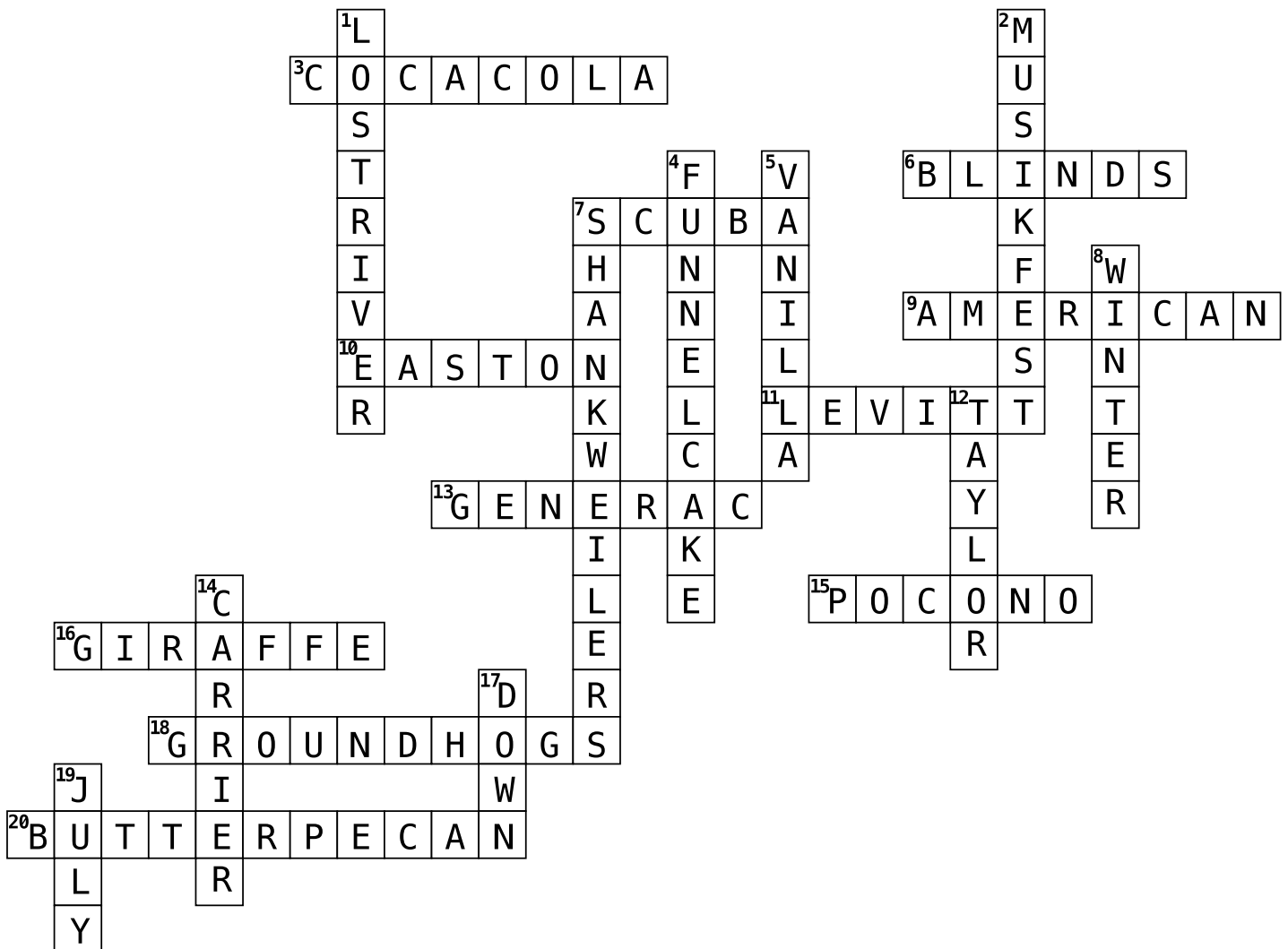
PUZZLE ANSWERS

JUNE 2025



CrossWise PUZZLE

SUMMER Smarter
Than Others!



ACROSS

3. All-American brand of refreshment and namesake of the Allentown home park for Lehigh Valley IronPigs AAA baseball action all summer long: **COCACOLA**
6. Hot house? Simply closing these during summer days can reduce your indoor temperature by 10 degrees or more: **BLINDS**
7. At over 100-feet deep, Lake Hydra (formerly known as Dutch Springs) in Northampton County is a leading site throughout the Eastern US for training both sport and rescue divers in this underwater activity: **SCUBA**
9. What is the first word of the USA-made brand for central air conditioning systems that meet Deiter Bros.' tough standards for energy efficiency, durability and value?: **AMERICAN**
10. On July 8, 1776, the Declaration of Independence was publicly read in the town square of this Lehigh Valley city. It was one of only three places in the colonies to have this historic honor. (The other two were Philadelphia and Trenton.): **EASTON**
11. SteelStacks Summer Concert Series welcomes all to South Bethlehem for live music performances at the _____ Pavilion: **LEVITT**
13. When summer storms knock out electrical power, what's the leading brand of back-up generators Deiter Bros. provides to keep customers empowered whatever the weather?: **GENERAC**
15. Revved up on auto racing? NASCAR Race Weekend comes to this neighboring raceway on June 20-22: **POCONO**
16. Okay, it's a stretch, but what is the tallest and heaviest animal in the Lehigh Valley?: **GIRAFFE**
18. Popping up all over the Lehigh Valley this summer, these robust rodents were called "grundsows" by our region's German forbears. What do we call them?: **GROUNDHOGS**
20. What is America's FOURTH favorite flavor of ice cream?: **BUTTERPECAN**

DOWN

1. Summer's coolest underground adventures are found, not lost, at this cavernous site deep below Hellertown, PA: **LOSTRIVER**
2. America's largest free, non-gated music festival will welcome over a million guests to Bethlehem for 10 days from August 1 to 10: **MUSIKFEST**
4. Not a cake in anything but name, but for sweet eats at summer festivals all over the Lehigh Valley region, there's none better than this Pennsylvania Dutch treat: **FUNNELCAKE**
5. What is America's #1 favorite flavor of ice cream?: **VANILLA**
7. Drive-in theatres are American icons of summer night movies, magic and memories. In continuous operation since 1934, this classic in Orefield, PA is the oldest drive-in theatre in America: **SHANKWEILERS**
8. When the Earth is closest to the Sun, which of the four seasons is it — Summer, Autumn, Winter or Spring?: **WINTER**
12. America's 249th birthday is on July 4th. What's the last name of the Lehigh Valley patriot who signed the Declaration of Independence?: **TAYLOR**
14. This American invented the first electrical air conditioning unit in 1902. His name carries on today: **CARRIER**
17. During the warm months, should ceiling fans be set to turn clockwise to LIFT air, or counterclockwise to push it DOWN?: **DOWN**
19. With an average temperature around 85 degrees F., this is the Lehigh Valley's hottest month: **JULY**