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Bear Essential News' March edition is here, and these Worksheets augment this month's issue. Use the newspaper or online versions at *BearEssentialNews.com* to complete these activities!

News Highlights & In the Spotlight (page 3). Basketball phenom Caitlin Clark continues setting all-time college scoring records. Answer these questions and come up with your own:

What Midwestern team does Clark play for? _____

As the Hawkeyes compete in the NCAA Women's Basketball Tournament (March Madness), do you think Clark will be able to keep up her 32-point scoring average? Why or why not?

If you got the chance to interview Clark, what question would you like like to ask her?



Boomer Bear's 2024 Summer Camp Guide (pages 15-18 Phoenix, pages 15-22 Tucson)



1. Read the first few paragraphs of the introduction to Bear's Summer Camp Guide. What do you think the top three benefits of going to camp would be for you?

2. What two camps in the guide interest you the most? Why?

Arizona Milk Producers: Shamrock Smoothie (Back Cover)

1. Smoothies can be fun, refreshing and good for you! Which of the ingredients do you think are healthiest?



2. If you were to concoct a smoothie, what ingredients would you put in the blender?



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VOCABULARY

Power Word & Festival of Books Word Search

Power Words appear capitalized and in bold face each month. Find the five Power Words & then the bookfest words—forward, backward, up, down and diagonally!

After that, write definitions for the Power Words that appear below the word search.

Power Words to Find:

- EXTRACT**
- DISTINGUISHED**
- BIODIVERSITY**
- EMISSIONS**
- RESOLUTION**

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

Tucson Festival of Books

Words to Find:

- FESTIVAL OF BOOKS**
- READING**
- ILLUSTRATORS**
- AUTHORS**
- BIG FUN**
- PERFORMANCES**
- SCIENCE CITY**
- GAMES**
- STEM**

extract: *v.* — _____

distinguished: *adj.* — _____

biodiversity: *n.* — _____

emissions: *n.* — _____

resolution: *n.* — _____