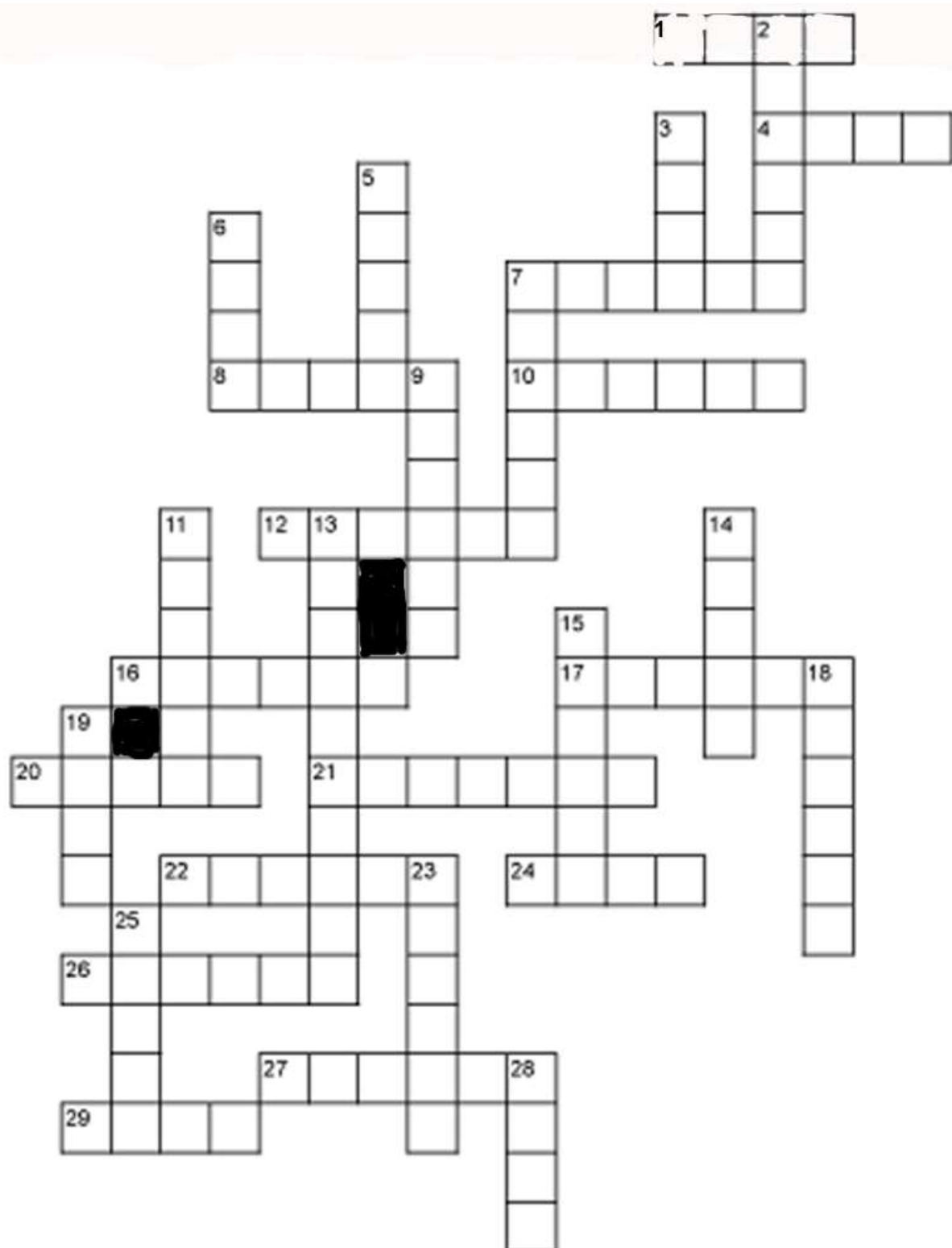


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No contact geocaching and crossword

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To solve this crossword puzzle you need to visit the 10 locations of the main feature in the following photographs.

You will need the what3words app (W3W) on your GPS device. Using your GPS device held over the main feature you then get the what3words address. You will probably have to move around to find the W3W square containing the 'word' provided.

Save all the words and eventually fit the words to the crossword grid.

There are just three crossword clues. Find these words first, then fit all the other words to the grid. There may be more than one solution.

Clues

13 DOWN ten letter word beginning with 'u'

18 DOWN run quickly

20 ACROSS begins with 'z'

The GPS on mobile phones can be imprecise. This can mean that multiple devices very close to each other might show different 3 word addresses, not because the 3 word addresses of your actual location is different but because the devices each think they are in slightly different places. Each location is a grid square 3x3 metres.

In order to help you ensure that you obtain the correct three word (W3W) address, the first word in the W3W is provided as a clue. You may need to walk around the main feature into different 3 x 3 metre grid squares to find the correct W3W address.

E.g. Let's assume that you are at a location given by the W3W address thick.verge.commented and you are told the first word of the W3W address is the word "thick". You now know you have found the right one.

Location	OS grid reference	W3W		
		First word	Second word	Third word
1	SK 24003 84277	escape		
2	SK 23959 84411	zones		
3	SK 24430 83590	action		
4	SK 25095 83019	dwelt		
5	SK 25378 83174	slower		
6	SK 25091 83000	common		
7	SK 24822 82940	maple		
8	SK 24103 82823	spared		
9	SK 24052 82888	sprint		
10	SK 24005 83340	pirate		

Each of the locations can be found on the route below. The locations are listed in order and sufficient background is included to help you triangulate your position to identify the location.



Start and finish at Stanage Plantation car park

Location 1 OS ref SK 24003 84277

Not To Be Taken Away boulder

Contains “escape”



A difficult and spectacular boulder problem requiring nerve and usually lots of mats and friends.

Location 2 OS ref SK 23959 84411

Jacobs Ladder – top bend

Contains “zones”



A well worn packhorse track.

Location 3 OS ref SK 24430 83590

Robin Hoods Cave - above

Contains "action"



Robin Hoods Cave is a well used cave and covered in graffiti going back centuries. Quite precarious to enter. A good place to sleep overnight and witness an impressive dawn over the Hope Valley from the window. Beware the steep drop below!

Location 4 OS ref SK 25095 83019

Stanage South trig point

Contains "dwell"



Location 5 OS ref SK 25378 83174

Cowper Stone – north side

Contains “slower”



The Cowper Stone appears to be slipping away from the main mass of Stanage Edge.

Location 6 OS ref SK 25091 83000

Millstones below Stanage south trig

Contains "common"



One of many heaps of abandoned millstones on Stanage.

Location 7 OS ref SK 24822 82940

Milestone by Overstones Farm – Sheffield 8 miles

Contains “maple”



The old sign posts on the turnpike were set at one mile intervals.

Location 8 OS ref SK 24103 82823

Knuckle Stone

Contains “spared”



The Knuckle Stone is a boulder placed on the summit of Carhead Rocks, Cattis-side Moor.

Certainly placed by man, probably with lots of help.

Knucklebones was a game played with five sheep's knucklebones. Using one hand you toss the bones in the air, and try to catch them on the back of the same hand as they fall.

Location 9 OS ref SK 24052 82888

Stone trough - carved in situ below Carhead Rocks

Contains "sprint"



An abandoned project.

Location 10 OS ref SK 24005 83340

Cattiside Moor – v shaped shooting butt

Contains “pirate”



Odd shape.