



Wood-Fired Bagel Cafe

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“Just as the world cannot exist without water, so it cannot be without wisdom,” wrote Rabbi David Kimhi in the 1200s. He could not have imagined what some of our waterways look like eight centuries later. Through our lack of wisdom, we’ve ruined many of our major waterways. If you’d like to take up the cause of clean water, just donate \$50 to thewaterproject.org, and we’ll give you a dozen free bagels.

ACROSS

- 1 Egyptian beetle amulet
- 7 Drone
- 10 Lower body ailment
- 14 Enchilada accompaniment
- 15 LA school where Pete Carroll coached
- 16 Flatten
- 17 Program for loved ones of drinkers
- 18 Waterway so polluted that Dr. Seuss made it a rhyme of “dreary,” “weary,” and “smeary”
- 20 River whose biodiversity was devastated by the Three Gorges Dam
- 22 Political liaison
- 23 Some Blu-Ray players
- 24 Arena where the Storm plays
- 27 Acgy. created 69 days after the 9/11 attacks
- 28 Words heard by Brutus
- 30 Program that attacks computers
- 31 With 39-Across, colossal gyre of debris between Asia and the Americas
- 35 Very old
- 38 Steamy 1992 Madonna song/album
- 39 See 31-Across
- 41 File extension for digital books
- 42 Huxtable or Kojak of TV
- 43 Progressive spokeswoman
- 46 Raphael Ravenscroft’s featured instrument in the song “Baker Street”
- 47 ___ de boeuf (French stew)
- 50 Designer favored by North Korean first lady Ri Sol Ju
- 51 Heavily polluted waterway after far more than tea was dumped in it
- 54 One of the world’s most radioactive waterways due to contamination from the Sellafield Nuclear Plant
- 57 Spur to action
- 58 Ally of Thor in *The Dark World*
- 59 Oft-insured items
- 60 It merged with Coors
- 61 Construction toy brand
- 62 Be rude to, slangily
- 63 \$1, for many CEOs

Crosswords of Wisdom

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This Week’s Wisdom: TREAT YOUR WATER WISELY

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DOWN

- 1 Inhabit, perhaps temporarily
- 2 French town closest to England
- 3 Starlet Bynes
- 4 Where bows get drawn
- 5 Tons
- 6 “You say you wanna get in my ___?” (“Baby Got Back”)
- 7 Explode with rage, a la Dr. Banner
- 8 Speedsteer Bolt
- 9 *Anchorman 2* director Adam
- 10 Recently baseball Hall of Fame electee Maddux
- 11 One found in a lifeboat
- 12 Israeli submachine gun
- 13 Golf shop purchase
- 19 Some printing measures
- 21 It can be left to others
- 24 Annan of the U.N.
- 25 Holder of the Attorney General’s office
- 26 Its HQ is in Geneva
- 28 “And ___ man hath power to say ‘Behold!’” (*A Midsummer Night’s Dream*)
- 29 Slangy adjectival phrase for the largest U.S. currency note
- 30 Dating
- 31 Surname of the “Stayin’ Alive” brothers
- 32 Drab female courted by a male’s colorful fanning of feathers
- 33 1960s comedian Johnson
- 34 Conan O’Brien, to his “teammates”
- 35 Matures
- 36 Vintner’s valley
- 37 Centerpoint
- 40 WWII vessels for a dozen or more crewmen each
- 43 It’s part of a calf’s anatomy
- 44 Less constraining
- 45 Model of the solar system
- 47 Word from Homer
- 48 Syrian president Bashar Al-___
- 49 Wombs
- 50 Dryly witty
- 51 Vitamin found in meat
- 52 Overactors
- 53 “Habanera,” for one
- 54 Kind
- 55 Harry’s confidant
- 56 Kyle’s baby brother on *South Park*