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The Alex Gow Super Puzzle Book

Crosswords, Wordsearch, Code Cracker, Sudoku & Trivia

April - June 2017
WE’VE BEEN HELPING QUEENSLAND FAMILIES SINCE 1840

Whilst the history of our business dates back to 1840 as the first ever funeral business in Queensland, it was not until 1909 when Alexander Gow acquired the remaining shares from his partner Walter S. Barrett, that the Alex Gow brand would become Queensland’s first and oldest funeral business.

Four generations of the Gow family have worked in the business and today Alexander’s grandson Alistair and his children continue the tradition of family ownership and the high standards set by their predecessors. We believe that by being family-owned we are able to give a more personal service and be more flexible to the individual needs of our clients.

We live for our business and everything we do reflects our on-going commitment to providing affordable, quality services to our community. With four locations across SE Queensland Alex Gow Funerals is close by to assist you and your family 24hrs a day.

It doesn’t matter if your need is immediate or you’re just thinking ahead, the wonderful staff at Alex Gow will be there to guide you through all the options. Call us anytime at all on 07 38517800.

We hope you enjoy our free puzzle book. It’s a great opportunity to test your skill and knowledge and keep mentally active. It’s also a lot of fun.

Alex Gow puzzle books are supplied free as part of our ongoing commitment to community service. The book is broken up into monthly sections and answers for each month will be published on our website.

PLAYING SUDOKU
To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in:
- Each of the nine vertical columns
- Each of the nine horizontal rows
- Each of the nine 3 x 3 blocks
Remember no number can occur more than once in any row, column or 3x3 block.

PLAYING CROSSWORDS
Crosswords are one of the greatest word association puzzles of all time. Our 15x15 crosswords are easy to do in one session or complete over time. Using the clues provided fill in the answers moving left to right and top to bottom. Work with a friend if you want as sometimes two heads are better than one when solving a crossword puzzle. The more puzzles you do, the more familiar you’ll be with standard puzzle clues and answers.

PLAYING WORDSEARCH
Find all the words listed hidden in the grid of letters. They can be found in straight lines up, down, forwards, backwards or even diagonally.

PLAYING CODE CRACKER
Each number represents a different letter of the alphabet. Work out which number stands for which letter to complete the crossword. We’ve given you two letters to start. All words are from a dictionary and no proper nouns are used. All letters of the alphabet are not always used. When you have cracked the code fill in the answer in the boxes at the bottom.

PLAYING TRIVIA
Trivia is a great way to test your memory for general knowledge and history. Simply write your answers beside the questions and check to see how many you got right. Great to do with friends or on your own.

COLOURING FOR ADULTS
Like painting and craft, coloring offers a great source for focus and creativity. It has been shown to have stress-reducing benefits and helps with anxiety in people of all ages. It is a great fun social activity it also produces a similar calming effect on the brain to meditation.

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WIN A COLES $100 GIFT CARD
When you visit the puzzle answers page on our website you can enter to go into our monthly draw to win a Coles $100 gift card.

PLUS, you’ll find bonus questions there giving you another opportunity to win!

Full details on page 17
Crossword No:18

ACROSS
1. Runs after
5. From Cornwall
9. Harder to find
10. Sidestep
11. Surpass
12. Mooring hooks
13. Of the kidneys
15. Recording ribbons
17. Britain’s Scilly ... 
20. Rile
21. Carry
23. Monastery superior
27. Black playing card symbol
30. African scavenger
32. Wait-listed, on ...
33. Harsh metallic sound
34. Bleated
35. Underwriter
36. Wax pencils
37. Feeble with age

DOWN
1. Mulls over
2. Flush
3. Undo (envelope)
4. Spiritualist meetings
5. Hurricane
6. Most uncommon
7. Polar covering
8. Killer’s schedule (3,4)
14. Inquired
16. Steel or brass
17. Irish group (1,1,1)
18. Tennis shot
19. Take a chair
22. Spirit medium
24. Cooks in juices
25. Instructed
26. Beach midge
28. Country, Saudi ...
29. Alaskan native
30. Half-breed
31. Pass (of time)

All Australian Trivia 40-42

40. In which field were William Bragg and his son awarded the Nobel Prize in 1915?

41. On which Australian decimal banknote was the portrait of Henry Lawson?

42. Who was the first chairman of the ABC?

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Sudoku No:7 Level 1

All Australian Trivia 43-46

43. In which state would you find jarra forests?

44. Which other coin was made in the production of the holey dollar?

45. Originally, whose home was Vaucluse House??

46. Who was the first Australian politician to broadcast on radio?

Code Cracker No:6

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All Australian Trivia 50-53

50. What is Broken Hill’s nickname?

51. At the mouth of which river does Cooktown lie?

52. What is the ‘capital’ of the Torres Strait Islands?

53. What is a bustard?

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Crossword No:20

ACROSS
1. MasterCard or Visa (6, 4)
2. Brazilian dance, bossa ...
6. Hired hands
10. Liner refurbishment
11. Hired hands
12. Casual
14. Steers off course
16. Deeply desired
18. Cry out
20. Mail sack
22. Washed-up singer (3-4)
23. Share transaction
25. Removes obstruction from

DOWN
1. Sure thing
2. Pixie
3. Lead-in
4. Blended (butter & sugar)
5. Repel
7. Too fat
8. Evaluation
9. Finds guilty
13. Comes closer to
15. Feel compassion, ...
with
17. Aristocrats
19. Know-all, smart ...
21. Confectionery sugar
22. Natural home
23. College test
24. Scent
26. Gapes at
27. Equipped with horseshoes
30. Immense time span

Crossword No:21

ACROSS
1. Issue (from)
5. Travel cheats, fare ...
9. More inventively humorous
10. Aircraft
11. Female hormone organ
12. Casual shoes
13. Register for membership
15. Soft shine
17. Body fluid lumps
20. Mock playfully
21. Ignited
23. Mummy & ...

DOWN
1. Slipped by
2. Romantic fling
3. Also (2, 4)
4. Ocean/river region
5. Illustrious
6. From one side to the other
7. Enclose
8. Slaughtering
14. Circle (Earth)
16. Greeting word
17. Cash on delivery (1, 1, 1)
18. Section of grass & soil
19. Asian sauce
22. Trudged
24. Pure white animals
25. Bishop's district
26. Sparkled
27. Smells
29. Vendor
30. Golden-haired lady
31. Took (baby) off bottle

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The Government has announced changes to the Age Pension Assets Test that will apply from 1 January 2017.

An investment in a Sureplan Gold funeral bond may help if you are affected. Sureplan Gold is a secure and reliable funeral investment plan and a contribution up to $12,500 may be exempt from the Assets Test.

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Find all the answers and solutions to our puzzles at www.alexgowfunerals.com.au and each month you can go in the draw to win a Coles Voucher valued at $100.

It’s so simple! Once you have finished your April puzzles, simply log onto the website and click the PUZZLE Answers & Solutions button. Once you’re on the puzzles page just click on April Answers & Solutions icon. Just by logging in you’ll go into the draw to win a $100 Coles shopping voucher and get access to all the puzzle answers for that month.

You’ll also find 2 online bonus questions. Answer them correctly and you will receive an extra entry in the $100 Coles voucher draw. It’s all so easy. HINT: the answers to the bonus questions can be found on our website.

The same applies to May and June puzzle answers. Just click on the icon and all the answers will be there for you. Answers & Solutions will all be published on the 1st of each month and added to the website.

• April Answers & Solutions – published on 1st April 2017
• May Answers & Solutions – published on 1st May 2017
• June Answers & Solutions – published on 1st June 2017

Coles voucher winners will be drawn on the 7th day of month immediately following entry. Winners will be notified via email or phone based on nominated preference. Winners are drawn randomly by Alex Gow staff and all decisions are final. No correspondence will be entered into. Winners agree to have their photo and image published to verify their win.

Do you need an extra Puzzle Book for a friend or relative? They can be downloaded or printed from the Puzzle Page on the website www.alexgowfunerals.com.au.

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**Historically Speaking No:3**

The North Brisbane Burial Ground, now Suncorp Stadium.

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**AN OLD BURIAL GROUND WITH A NEW LEASE OF LIFE**

When a “ring-road” involving Hale Street was proposed in 1987, Brisbane residents, many of them for the first time, became aware that Suncorp Stadium, now synonymous with epic State of Origin battles, was once a burial ground.

Yes, the North Brisbane Burial Ground was established around 1843-44 on the site of what is to be the State’s proud new stadium, in response to concerns that the so-called Old Burial Ground, located near the river, might have been contaminating the city’s water supply.

Tom Petrie, son of the founder of Petrie’s undertaking establishment - now Alex Gow Funerals, had recalled that remains were lifted and moved in the 1840’s from the Old Burial Ground.

The contamination of the water supply had been a topic of conversation since around 1829, when Governor Darling expressed a wish that Brisbane be moved closer to the sea, to escape a fouled water supply and thus alleviate the sickness which was rife in the colony at the time.

Brisbane, however, stayed where it was.

Around 1911, remains and memorials were moved to the adjacent Church of England and to Toowong Cemetery.

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**Crossword No:23**

**ACROSS**

1. Boiled fruit conserves
2. Bovine baby
10. Polar vessels
11. Minuscule amount
12. Beaten by tennis serve
13. Maple or poplar
15. Wordless play
17. Behold
18. Wood thickness
20. Bushranger, ... Kelly
21. Capture (criminal)
23. I am, we...
24. Doleful
26. Blend
27. Fashion
29. Peace Prize city
31. MP’s electorate
32. Bucket down
33. Repeat
35. Obstructive protest (3-2)
37. Story
39. Imitate
41. Gran
42. Niggle
43. Fling
44. Pop concert
45. Reproductive cells
47. Mountain goat
50. Racist group, Ku Klux...
52. Snow monster
53. Mellow
54. Large-wingspan birds
55. Ritual
56. Cruel Roman emperor

**DOWN**

1. Fastens
2. Fingerless gloves
3. Wound blemish
4. Gifted
5. New Years Eve conviviality
6. Scud (of clouds)
7. Stuff
8. Rises
9. Paled
14. Dwindle
16. ... & outs
18. Stroking (dog)
19. Crying in pain
22. Greek fable writer
25. Main artery
26. Adversary
27. Crack task force (1,1,1)
28. Two or more eras
30. A solitary
34. Environment
36. Cuts to fit
38. Mentally anguish (over)
40. Make last, ... out
42. Nothing
43. Veneer
46. Of hearing
48. Digestive fluid
49. Yuletide
50. Snog
51. Prayer ending

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Crossword No: 24

ACROSS
1. Inexactness
6. Handle
10. EU currency units
11. Snow slippage
12. Escorting
14. Lingered (on)
16. Continually (2,3,2)
18. Measure of loudness
20. Within house
22. Shows up
23. Asian narcotic
25. Prisoner’s shackles (3,5)

DOWN
1. Decorates (cake)
2. Wealthy LA suburb, Bel...
3. Indian social system
4. Reconfigure
5. Rushed headlong
7. Recess
8. Short-winded
9. Disadvantage
13. Newspaper rack
15. Keeping track of
17. Threshold rugs
19. Physical strength
21. Hushed stillness
22. Fishermen
24. Incite to action
26. Roof junction
27. Invasive plant
30. Abdominal muscles

ACROSS
28. Weakness
29. Beef dish, steak ...
31. Coat with gold
32. Re-evaluated

Down
1. Decorates (cake)
2. Wealthy LA suburb, Bel...
3. Indian social system
4. Reconfigure
5. Rushed headlong
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8. Short-winded
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All Australian Trivia 54-56

54. In which year did Douglas Mawson lead Australia’s first expedition to the Antarctic?

55. What is ‘The Gulflander’?

56. Who founded the Bulletin?

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Sudoku No:9  Level 2

Code Cracker No:8

All Australian Trivia 57-60

57. Where was the Batavia wrecked in 1629?

58. What was blackbirding?

59. What was Ben Chifley’s full name?

60. What does the C stand for in the organisation CWA?

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**Crossword No:25**

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<td>5. Risque</td>
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<td>10. Plough (into)</td>
<td>4. Endurance</td>
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<td>11. Guild</td>
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<td>12. First letter of word</td>
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<td>13. Amassed, ... in</td>
<td>7. For each person, per ...</td>
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<td>15. Crave, ... for</td>
<td>8. Opening mouth wide</td>
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<td>17. Pointed teeth</td>
<td>14. Slipped up</td>
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<td>21. Radio frequency (1,1,1)</td>
<td>17. Back &amp; forth, to &amp; ...</td>
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<td>23. Unhealthily overweight</td>
<td>18. Formerly named</td>
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<td>24. Dear</td>
<td>19. Take legal action</td>
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<td>25. Exhibitionist (4-3)</td>
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<td>30. Casual garment (1-5)</td>
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<td>31. Consume (alcohol)</td>
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**Adult colouring-in No:5**

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All Australian Trivia 61-63

61. What was William Cox known for?

62. What was the full name of C. J. Dennis?

63. How long can giant earthworms grow?

64. In which year did TV begin transmission in Australia?

65. Which officer led the Rum Rebellion?

66. In which town is the oldest continuously used bridge in Australia?

67. Who was the first woman to be elected to the Australian House of Reps?
ACROSS
1. Accept
7. Incursion
10. Minor quake (5,6)
11. Nights & ...
12. Small tick
13. Church song
15. Adversaries
17. August zodiac sign
18. Science room
20. Poorly
21. Straggle
23. Hotshot
24. Decimal number
26. Judge
27. Additional
29. Hideous
31. Boxing session
32. Nobleman
33. Astute
35. Shy
37. Foreboding
39. Meddle
41. Scam
42. Typist’s ailment (1,1,1)
43. Exclamation, ... whiz!
44. Cardiac monitor (1,1,1)
45. Gossip
47. Social group
50. Steer off course
52. Memo
53. Anger
54. Identification
55. Large pitcher
56. Mares & foals farm

DOWN
1. Tsunami, ... wave
2. Door aperture
3. Simple
4. Oliver Hardy & ...
5. Belly
6. Actor, ... Daniels
7. All roads lead to ...
8. Emerging
9. Reside
14. Big cup
16. Select, ... for
18. Garden screen
19. Tooting
22. Yellow shade
25. European coins
26. US shares index, ...
27. In or ...
28. Aid agency, ... Cross
30. Craving
34. Ghost
36. Jeering
38. Settler from abroad
40. The U of IOU
42. Wild grass
43. Magic lamp spirit
46. Baker’s loaf
48. Sleazy grin
50. Show of hands
51. Greek love god

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EARLY EDUCATION AT ‘THE NORMAL SCHOOL’

It was called The Normal School, a curious name for a distinguished institution which was part of Brisbane’s educational landscape from 1860 through to 1927, when it was demolished to make way for the Edward Street buildings in the State Government’s Anzac Square complex.

Keen historians walking up Edward Street today will spot a plaque on the side of the building, now restored as gracious, upmarket apartments. The plaque, surrounded by stones from the original school, records the site of this place of learning and training as teachers for many of its senior students.

The school was built to the design of architect, Christopher Porter, for the Board of Queensland Education by Andrew Petrie, whose family founded the business which today still operates as Alex Gow Funerals. It’s been suggested The Normal School’s unusual name was a Scottish affectation, relating to schools where teachers were trained. Records show the school’s first headmaster was John Rendall. Mr. Rendall was the head teacher of the Drayton National School near Toowoomba before becoming the first head teacher of the Normal School.

ACROSS
1. Baby duck
5. Actress, ... Kidman
9. Wanders
10. Satisfy
12. C American nation
13. Army doctor
14. Command to stop horse
16. Rejections
19. Envious
21. Whirlpool
24. Desert plants

DOWN
1. Injure
2. Man’s neck scarf
3. Spoon
4. Meditation state
6. Pakistan metropolis
7. Intermittently (2,3,3)
8. Morning walk
11. Impartial
15. Larrikins
17. Actor, Samuel ...
18. Drug
20. Nauseous
21. Facilitates
22. Layers
23. Squirm in pain
26. Ethiopia’s Addis ...
ACROSS
1. Listen to
7. Hair-wave treatment
10. Stealthy thieves (3,8)
11. Damage
12. Europe’s tallest volcano
13. Elects
15. Eyelid inflammation
17. Crowd
18. Head of wheat
20. CD brand (1,1,1)
21. Battery size (1,1,1)
23. One-spot card
24. Author, ... Clancy
26. Vehicle
27. Baker’s stock-in-trade
29. Italian sparkling wine
31. Actor, ... O’Neal
32. Pucker
33. Dagger handle
35. Take (test) again
37. Hindu sect, ... Krishna
39. Ooh & ...
41. Father’s boy
42. Computer key
43. U-boat
44. Yank
45. Olympic Games body (1,1,1)
47. Plough animals
49. Fix with hammer
50. Former US president, Gerald ...
51. Spate (of)

DOWN
1. Boring (2-3)
2. Circus tumbler
3. Sloped walkway
4. Curved-bill wading bird
5. Prelude
6. Sadly
7. Intended victim
8. Values highly
9. Florida resort
14. Liqueur, ... Maria
16. Explosive compound (1,1,1)
18. Sincere
19. Gathering (crops)
22. Major blood vessel
25. Vows
26. Cigar dust
27. Sandy ridge across estuary
28. Mark, polka ...
30. I have (1’2)
34. Toils
36. French egg dish
38. Sourness
40. Fuss, ... & cry
42. Self-image
43. Love at first ...
46. Indian social order
48. Yuletide
49. Fix with hammer
50. Seedy fruit
51. Spate (of)

All Australian Trivia 68-70

68. Off the Coast of which state is Kangaroo Island?

69. What was Jon Hendricks best known for?

70. In 1809, who was Australia’s first Postmaster?

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Sudoku No:11 Level 3

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4  6  2  8
9  2  5
8  9  2
9  4
3  5  6
1  7  3
8  7  4  1
6  2
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All Australian Trivia 71-74

71. Who created the Pavlova in 1935?
72. Who created the game that later turned into Australian Rules?
73. Who became the fastest man on earth in the Bluebird on Lake Eyre?
74. Where would you find the grave of bushranger Captain Thunderbolt?

Code Cracker No:10

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19  21  1  7  2  19  1  4  7  6  6  1
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Clues

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Crossword No:30

ACROSS
1. TV forecaster
6. Keenly excited
10. Pass (law)
11. Banishment
12. Shabbier
14. Misbehave (3,2)
16. Cause of downfall
18. Capital of Cyprus
20. Swindled
22. Models’ platform
23. Burglar deterrent
25. Andorran mountain range
28. Souvenir dish-cloths
29. Glowing coal
31. Snow monster
32. Persevering

DOWN
1. Bawl
2. Also called (1,1,1)
3. Loathed
4. Reciting, ... off
5. Analgesic drug
7. Bad conscience
8. Boarding ramps
9. Definite (decision) (5-3)
13. Shrub fence
15. Flaky pie base (4,6)
17. Share, have ... (2,6)
19. Urbane
21. Exhaust
22. Cadavers
24. Adjust
26. Requires
27. Steep rugged rock
30. Body mass index (1,1,1)

Adult colouring-in No:6

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Crossword No:32

DOWm
1. 40th
2. Inhibit
3. Young horse
4. Insist
5. Ancient Mexican
6. Cereal husks
7. Released (from jail) (3,4)
8. Took away
9. In current state (2,2)
10. Latent hostility
11. Stylishly
12. Electric socket converters
13. Ancient Mexican
14. Cereal husks
15. Ransack
16. Acquires
17. Light-rail vehicles
18. Forest ape (5-4)
19. Entreat
20. Apart
21. Coy
22. Sports coats
23. Unnoticed
24. Stylishly
25. Love god
26. Hired gun
27. Skillet
28. Genuinely
29. Lounger
30. Latent hostility
31. Skillet
32. Genuinely
33. Lounger
34. Love god
35. Hired gun

ACROSS
1. 40th
5. Inhibit
9. Young horse
10. Insist
12. Food sensitivities
13. Ancient Mexican
14. Cereal husks
16. Released (from jail) (3,4)
19. Ransack
21. Acquires
24. Light-rail vehicles
25. Forest ape (5-4)
27. Entreat
28. Apart
29. Coy
30. Hired gun

Sudoku No:12 Level 3

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All Australian Trivia 75-78

75. Which Australian city is renowned for its pearling industry?

76. In which year was the city of Hobart founded?

77. Which Australian town is associated with the Zig-zag railway?

78. When traveling from Sydney to Perth prior to 1970 how many train changes needed due to rail gauge differences?
Puzzles Can Help Your Brain

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- It gives you the opportunity to ensure all your personal wishes are recorded.
- Family draw great comfort in the knowledge that they are in a position to carry out your wishes.
- Looking after loved ones financially by having funds already set aside.
- It gives you peace of mind.
- By pre-paying funeral expenses, your pension is unaffected as the amount paid is not considered part of your assets. In some cases it could even help increase your pension.
- When the time does come it provides certainty for your family and gives them more time to attend to any other matters concerning your passing, rather than have them wondering about what your funeral wishes may have been.

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