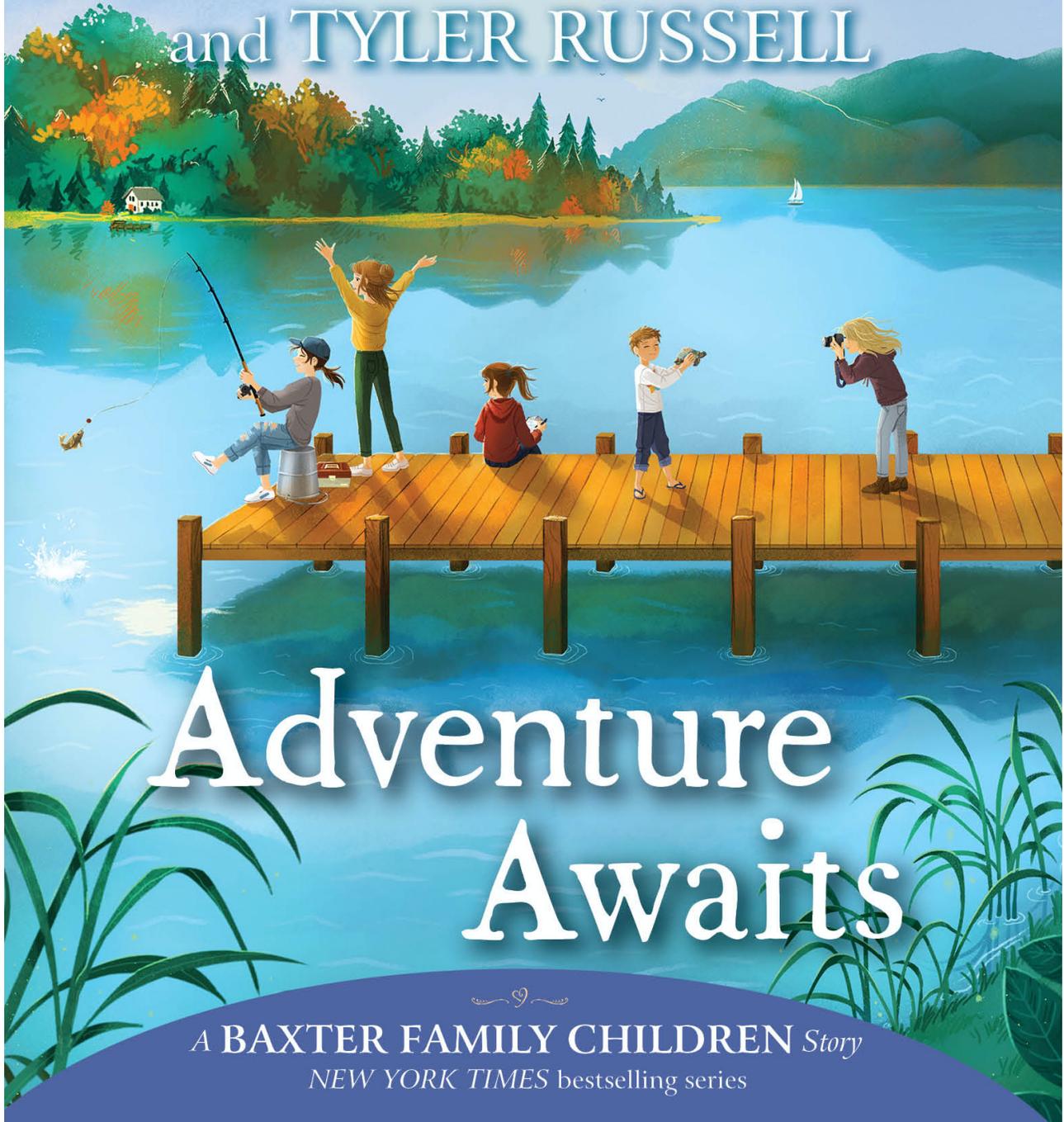


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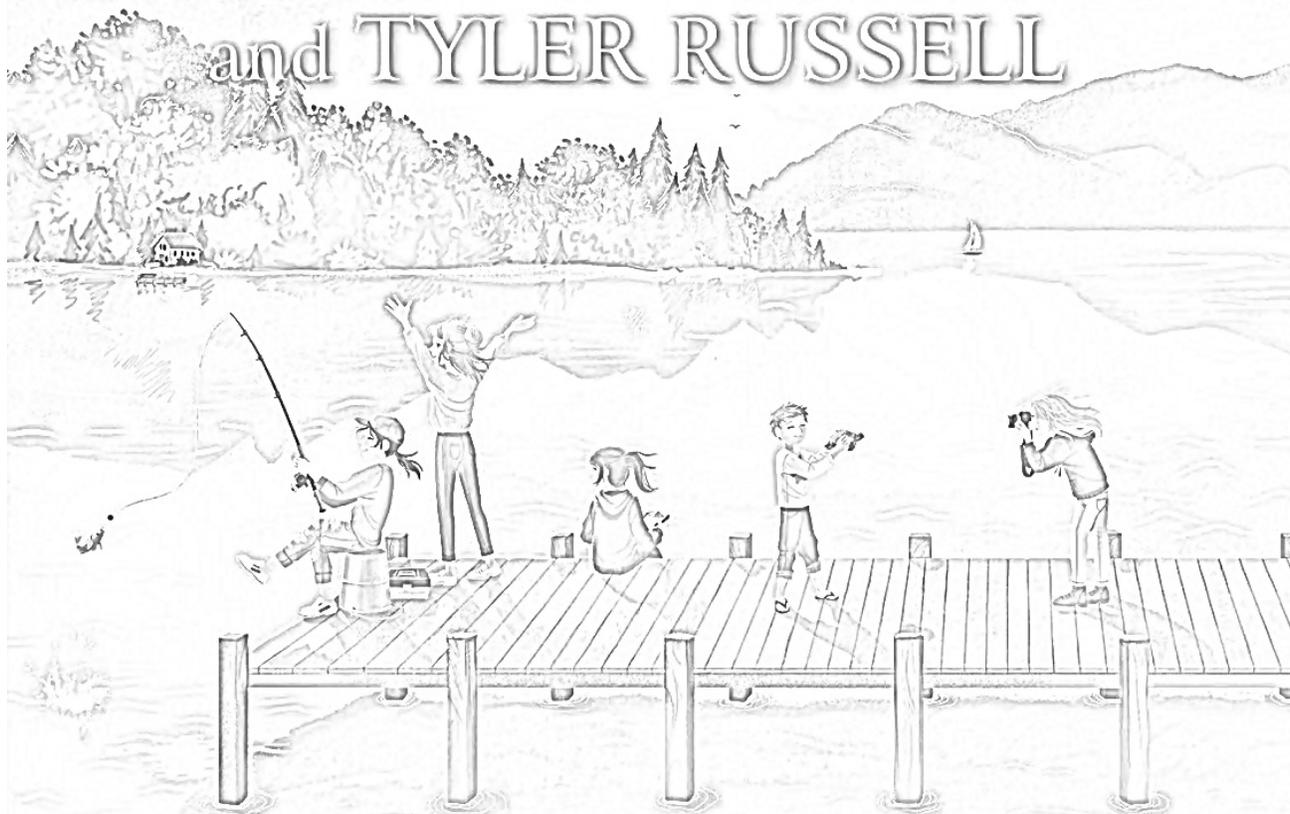
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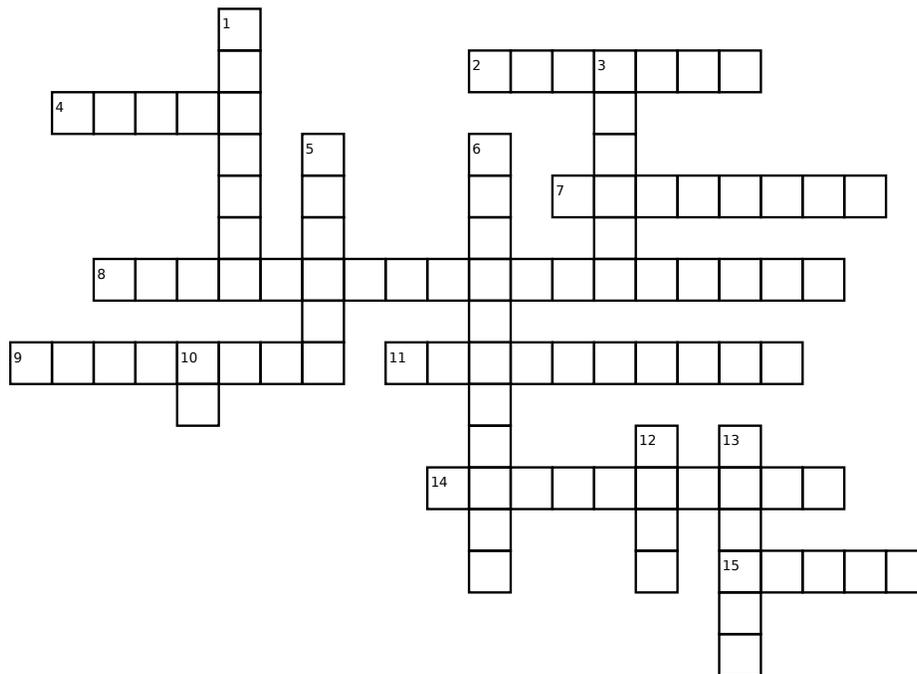


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ADVENTURE AWAITS CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Down:

1. What was one activity the Baxter Family did at Lake Monroe?
3. What did the Howard's go on for vacation?
5. Who is the Bible character Ashley's Sunday school class learns about?
6. Where are Ashley and Kari's class going?
10. Who was the fictional alien Ashley wrote about in her gift to Elliot?
12. The name of Ashley's pet worm.
13. Where did the students sleep at Science Camp?

Across:

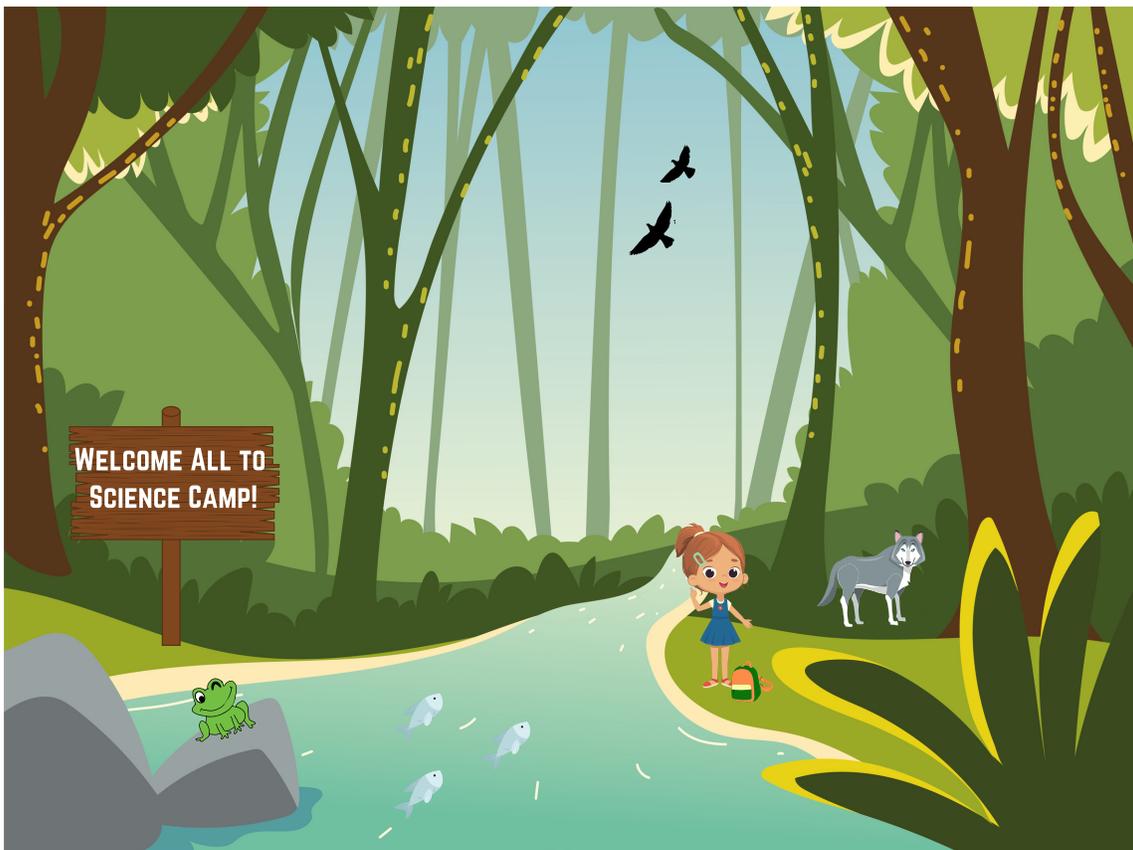
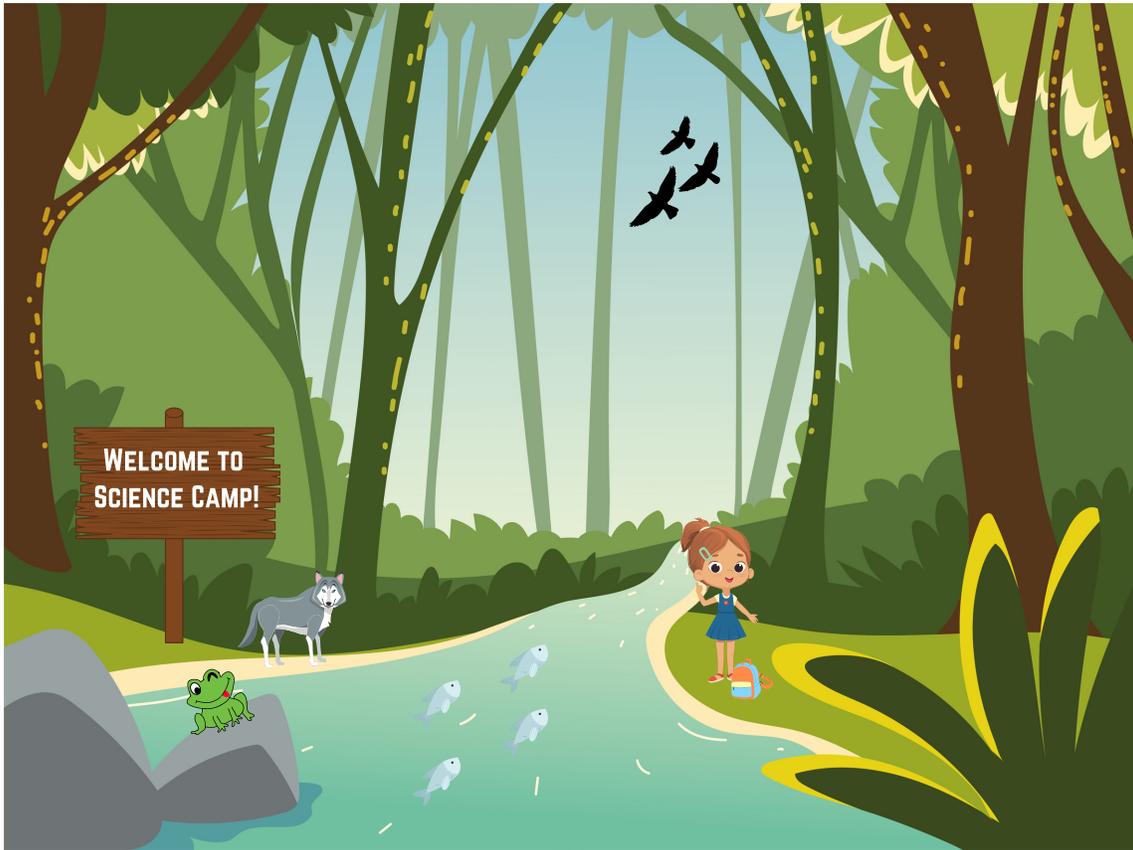
2. What did Ashley want to see at Science Camp?
4. What did Ashley forget at home?
7. What did Ashley add to the noodles to give the family dinner more pizzazz?
8. Kari's class spent a lesson outside in the cold learning about this historic event.
9. A bird Ashley had never heard of; Brown Headed ...
11. What did the students look at the creek water through?
14. What sport is Kari's PE class learning?
15. Where was the Pratik family from?

ADVENTURE AWAITS WORD SEARCH

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SPOT THE 6 DIFFERENCES



Did You Know?

- Scientists have found that one teaspoon of river water can have millions of bacteria.
- The average cruise ship can hold 3,000 passengers.
- Brown-Headed Nuthatches primarily eat spiders and insects such as cockroaches, beetle larvae, and egg cases during the warmer months. In the colder months they eat mostly pine seeds.
- More than \$1 billion in bank deposits were lost due to bank closings during the Great Depression which lasted from 1922-1933.

Questions for Around the Table

1. What kind of adventure would you like to go on?
2. Have you ever been to science camp or something similar? What was it like?
3. When was a time you tried something new, like Kari did with basketball? Were you scared? How did you conquer your fear?
4. Joseph was sold by his brothers to work as a slave in Egypt (Read Genesis 37-50 in the Bible for more info). Even though the circumstances were terrible, God used it for good. Joseph ended up getting a high ranking position where he was able to help so many people. What is your reaction to this story?
5. If you could go to science camp, what experiments would you want to do?
6. Elliot had a Super-Duper Birthday Bonanza. What kind of party would you want to have for your birthday?
7. If you could try a new activity, like dance or basketball, what would it be?

Activities With Your Family and Friends

1. With an adults permission, get out paper, markers, tape, and other craft supplies. Create your own indoor cruise, or similar adventure. Use your imagination. There is no wrong way to do this!
2. Find a place to go for a hike. This could be a local lake, park, or even in your neighborhood. Spend time being quiet and taking in the sounds of nature. Or make up a silly song. You could even play a game of iSpy. Endless options in the great outdoors!
3. Plan a night to cook a meal together, assign different jobs to each person.
4. Go to the library at your school or in your community and find a book on science. Write down five or more facts that you never knew before.
5. Using paper, and colored pencils, create your own comic book - like the one Ashley made for Elliot. Use yourself, a friend, or family member as the main character, and write out their story. Be creative and have fun!
6. Have a dance class in your living room. Put on music, spin around, stretch, and dance like no one's watching!
7. Work on your basketball skills! Recreate the drills in Adventure Awaits (pg.163). Keep your eyes up and the ball under your hand. While you're at it, find a friend and practice passing.

Answers for Crossword Puzzle: **ACROSS:** 2. Volcano 4. Shoes 7. Cinnamon 8. The Great Depression 9. Nuthatch 11. Microscope 14. Basketball 15. India **DOWN:** 1.