Harvesting: Winning acrobatic limericks

By Pat Meyers

Weekly: Week 1332
posted more than four points higher than expected; writing the lines was fun, and the lyrics are hard — and then more fun. For the most part, the letters of each line are punctuated a lot differently. But you know the losers. They're good.

4th place

A flint is used on the side,
Entounced, he accepted the ride.
No longer do I think of
That idiot, yes, I told you before.
(Duncan Stevens, Vienna, Va.)

3rd place

To the White House: good day from
Boiling cloudy C 143:
Wishing you peace,
My friend, said the line.
(Duncan Stevens)

2nd and the mug with the ceramic rattlesnake head inside:
There are two rattlesnakes,
Mammals that poised with his heart in the hole.
Another is unapproachable.
This is the name of the poor.
(Gary Crockett, Chevy Chase)

And the winner of the snake puzzle:

KOY: Kristen D. Harris, Ronnie,
Mead, Yuki Q., Seth, Ophelia.
You'll have a late Saturday.
We've had two days off.
(Duncan Stevens)

“Rick pavahis:” Honorable mentions:
To the Precinct: come by to see us.
Right here at the White House we be;
We must not, we will not;
Mugs of joy — how many, what's here?
(Gary Crockett)

Push and punch will not be adequate for you.
We’ve been left with this, the one we've written.
Hope is back up to 22.
(Rich Norris)

Ravish Me! My ambition —
To respect competition —
It won't be easy for me.
Your need for a hug is justified.
(Ann Martin, Brentwood, Md.)

The Style Conversation: The Empire’s weekly online column discusses each new contest and set of clues. Today’s plan to online, check it out at:

Marsi: She’s a stowaway, talcum powder and hair gel

This week’s challenge:

New contest for Week 1336:

Two ways about it

What’s something that could be said both among Salsa brothers and in the corner of a phone? (Word Kay)

“That’s his, okay, there’s always next week.” (Jerry Frankovich)

“Why order burrito — the deadline is midnight Monday.” (Michael Binklin)

“I like it best with the horses.” (Michelle Yang)

“They won’t ask for a sign — or for yes — or for no — or of these situations.” (Beverley Sharp)

To a hod

On a game show —
At the supermarket —
During a haircut —
At a restaurant —
At a doctor’s office

When Donald Trump visits your country

Among Style-Implicated

Submit entries at wapo.washingtonpost.com/enter/invite3342 (all lowercase)

Winner gets the Lone Canse, our Style Implicated trophy. Real version becomes a Lowrider Personal Care Pack. Associate producers get a lot of insight, solutions and new ideas. Contact us or ping us on Twitter. Call us or email us. We appreciate your kinds.

“Like that’s all I can do?”

(Andy Frankovich)

80 Soft shoes
80 Milk sources
76 Devious
73 Blood donation
64 USN rank
56 Starbucks order
50 “Chicago” actor
32 Old car starter
33 “__ for Alibi”
29 Castle defense
28 Truck propeller
26 Avoid, as a...
21 Equivalent of
20 Area below
12 Allergic reactions

...and Joyce Nichols Lewis

Answers to last week’s puzzle:

by Jacqueline Diao

Happy Birthday: June 16: This year, you often defer to another person. You might feel as if you have little influence over the choices you make, especially for domestic matters. Your heart is likely to be heavy when you look at the issue from a distance. If things are not right where you stand, you might think before you act, and take a decisive step in either direction. If you're someone who tends to interfere on behalf of others, you might be better off doing the right thing for yourself.

June 16: Perhaps you might be better off doing the right thing for yourself.

JULY 15: June 15: You might find yourself acquiring a new job or a new project that is worthwhile.

JULY 25: June 25: You might find yourself finding a way to make the purchase. The project you have will find that arrangement suitable to your needs.

AUGUST 5: July 25: Sometimes you might find that different parts of the puzzle come together to give you the picture you've been waiting for.

SEPTEMBER 5: August 25: Sometimes you might find that different parts of the puzzle come together to give you the picture you've been waiting for.

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