Answers

AUSTRALIA

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Going 'down under'

- 2 1 Sydney 2 Melbourne 3 Perth 4 Alice Springs 5 Cairns
- **3 1** Neil **2** Kerry **3** Kerry **4** Jordan **5** Gavin **6** Sian
- 4 1 Queensland 2 Sydney 3 Queensland 4 Alice Springs5 Melbourne 6 Sydney
- **5** 'Strine' is an abbreviation for 'Australian' (if you say it quickly in an Australian accent!).
- 6 1g 2o 3d 4t 5p 6i 7c 8n 9q 10e 11h 12a 13k 14l 15b 16s 17f 19m 20r

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An Aboriginal legend

- 1 1 serpent 2 rainbow 3 sun 4 beach 5 fish 6 forest 7 dingoes 8 path 9 palm trees 10 rocks
- **2** 1a 2b 3a 4c 5c 6a 7b
- **3** they should be careful ... they shouldn't go ... might eat them ... to go to the beach ... might catch them ... they go to the sea. ... they came back before dark ... would know

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Steve Irwin, 'The Crocodile Hunter'

- **1** 1d 2a 3h 4c 5e 6g 7f 8b
- Reptiles: crocodile, lizard, iguana, snake, komodo dragon 2 a50 b6 c1,000 d115 e70
- **3** 1d 2f 3c 4a 5e 6b

Page 12 Schools of the Air

- 2 1 True 2 False 3 True 4 False 5 False
- 4 1 logs on 2 real time 3 interact with 4 audio 5 email6 satellite 7 distance learning

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Australian films and actors

1 1d 2a 3b 4a 5c

- 2 A Heath Ledger B Nicole Kidman C Russell Crowe D Cate Blanchett E Mel Gibson
- **3** The correct answers spell the name of BOB DYLAN. Cate Blanchett and Russell Crowe are both in a film about his life.

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Australian Rules football

- 1 1d 2c 3g 4a 5h 6f 7e 8b
- 2 spectacular
- **3** 1 oval, not rectangular
- 2 two sets of goals at each end of the pitch
- **4** a3 b5 c1 d4 e6 f2
- Answer Possum (a kind of animal)
- 5 1 work 2 weekends 3 football 4 fight 5 angel 6 eye 7 fly 8 score 9 goal 10 devil
- 6 Sydney Swans 2 Adelaide Crows 5 West Coast Eagles 1 Western Bulldogs 3 North Melbourne Kangaroos 4 Brisbane Lions 6

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Surfing in Australia

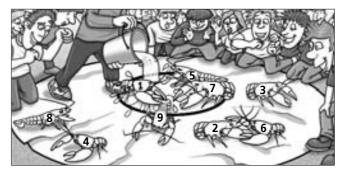
- 1 1c 2b 3c 4c 5b
- 3 1 Never try and drop in on another surfer.2 Always call out which way you are going to ride the wave.
 - 3 Don't snake.
 - **4** Always hold on to your board.
- 4 1 board 2 leash 3 rash vest 4 wetsuit

Page 20 Australian bush tucker

- 2 1 emu 2 kangaroo 3 possum 4 crocodile
- 4 The correct order is 1, 2, 6, 3, 5, 4.
- 5 1j 2e 3a 4h 5g 6i 7c 8b 9f 10d

Page 22 **Bizarre festivals**

1 1D **2**C **3**A 4B **2** 3, 4, 4, 1, 2 **3**



4 1 spectators 2 crawl 3 jockey 4 shell 5 bet

CANADA

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Canada – second largest country in the world

- 1 1f Nunavut 2i Edmonton 3d Vancouver 4e Lake Manitou 5a Calgary 6b Montreal 7c Ottawa 8h Toronto 9g Haskell Free Library and Opera House 10j Moncton
- 2 1 Vancouver 2 Calgary 3 Ottawa 4 Moncton
 5 Edmonton 6 Haskell Free Library and Opera House
 7 Toronto 8 Montreal 9 Lake Manitou 10 Nunavut
- **3** 1 toboggan 2 basketball 3 Superman 4 zipper 5 snowmobile 6 kayak

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The Inuit of Canada

- 1 1 islands
 2 Temperatures
 3 igloos
 4 stilts
 5 frozen
 6 hunt
 7 stores
 8 snowmobiles
 9 kayak
 10 anorak
- 2 1c 2b 3a
- 3 1 sealskin 2 rifle 3 people 4 ice hockey 5 caribou 6 Iqaluit 7 huskies 8 skidoo 9 tundra 10 snow

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Northern stars: Jim Carrey and Keanu Reeves

- 1 1 KR 2 JC 3 JC 4 KR 5 KR 6 JC 7 KR 8 JC 9 IC 10 KR
- 3 from left to right The Matrix, Bram Stoker's Dracula, The Mask

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Working in a ski resort

- 1 a ski instructor, Nakiska b chalet host, Whistler Blackcombe Mountain Village c nanny, Mystery Mountain d ski lift operator, Lake Louise e ski patroller, Le Massif
- 2 snow groomer
- 3 1 slopes 2 smooth 3 solitude 4 resort 5 run 6 groom

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Canadian Pop Music

- 1 1 hit 2 single 3 ukelele 4 soundtrack 5 album 6 lyrics 7 trombone 8 duet
- 3 1 Celine 2 Nelly 3 Celine 4 Nelly, Avril 5 Celine 6 Nelly 7 Avril, Nelly 8 Nelly 9 Avril 10 Celine 11 Nelly

Page 34 Canada's favourite sport

2 ice hockey

- 4 1c 2a 3b
- 5 curved, disc, ice rink, break, bodies, block, punishment
- 6 a slashing b tripping c holding d elbowing e hooking
- 7 1 Potvin 2 Gretzky, Chelios, Roy 3 Quintal 4 Thibault, Richer 5 Thibault

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White water rafting – an exciting water sport

- 1 1 helmet 2 life jacket 3 raft 4 paddle 5 harness
- 2 1 Season 2 Essential equipment 3 Suggested items to bring 4 Clothes 5 maximum number of people 6 Equipment provided by us 7 Directions
- 8 Accommodation 9 Meals 10 Guides 11 Weather
- **3** a swimming costume **b** hat **c** camera **d** shorts **e** water bottle f sunglasses g mattress h pillow i sandals j sunscreen k towel I change of clothes m socks n washbag o trainers p sleeping bag

They still need to get a tent, a torch, insect repellent and raincoats.

4 1 raincoat 2 torch 3 tent 4 insect repellent Extra item: chocolate

Page 38 Thanksgiving in Canada

- 1 1b 2a 3e 4d 5c
- 2 a green bean casserole b baby carrots with maple syrup c cranberry relish d roast turkey with cornbread stuffing e mashed sweet potatoes f salad g pumpkin pie

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The Calgary Stampede

- **1 a2** steer wrestling **b4** bull riding **c1** bareback riding d3 barrel racing
- 2 1 False 2 True 3 False 4 True 5 False 6 False 7 False 8 True
- 5 1 saddle 2 wagon 3 rope 4 barrel 5 bull 6 horns

NEW ZEALAND

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New Zealand – Land of the Long White Cloud

- **3** a Abel Tasman b The Lord of the Rings c All Blacks d sheep e Helen Clark f Kiri Te Kanawa g Sir Edmund Hillary h Kiwifruit i Kia ora j Elizabeth II, Queen of England
- 5 1 Milford Sound 2 Franz Joseph Glacier 3 Ninety mile Beach 4 Ruapehu volcano

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A Maori legend

- 1 How the kiwi saved the forest
- e1 g2 c3 b4 a5 h6 d7 f8
- 2 Pictures: 1 Tui 2 Kiwi 3 Pipiwharauroa 4 Pukeko

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Sir Edmund Hillary

- **1** b
- 2 1C 2F 3E 4D 5B 6A
- 3 1b 2a 3g 4e 5c 6f 7d
- **4** Chomolungma

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A new life in New Zealand

- 2 1 Liz and Rashad 2 Andy 3 Rashad 4 Judy and Mike 5 Judy and Mike 6 Liz and Rashad 7 Andy 8 Mike
- 3 outdoor lifestyle and good weather

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The Lord of the Rings

- **1** 2, 5, 6, 7, 8
- 3 1 filming 2 sets 3 location scouts 4 scene 5 locations 6 director 7 launch 8 cast
- 4 1T 2T 3F 4F 5F 6T 7T 8F

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Rugby – New Zealand's favourite sport

- **1** Because they wore plain black kit.
 - 2 In Warwickshire, England

3 When the British came to New Zealand over a century ago, they introduced the game to the local people.

- 4 Before a battle.
- 5 It was performed for the Rugby World Cup in 1987.
- 2 puff out the chest, bend the knees, (photo 1) stamp the feet (photo 2)
- 3 d1 e2 b3 f4 a5 c6



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Great Walks in New Zealand

- 1 1i 2c 3f 4i 5d 6a 7e 8h 9b 10g
- 2 Whakapapa to Mangatepopo Hut, past Soda Springs, up to Red Crator, down to Emerald Lakes, to Oturere Hut, on to Old Waihohony Hut, to Taranaki Falls, along the lower track past the forest back to Whakapapa.

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Some New Zealand specialities!

- 1 1 kiwifruit 2 lemon 3 vanilla 4 peach 5 cream 6 strawberries 7 toffee 8 egg whites 9 spring water 2 A vanilla, toffee B lemon
- C egg whites, peach, strawberries, kiwifruit
- 4 1b 2c 3d 4a

Page 58 The bungee-jumping capital of the world!

- 1 1 Thrillseekers Canyon 2 Auckland Harbour Bridge 3 Auckland Sky Tower 4 Nevis Highwire 5 Kawarau 6 Pipeline Bungee
- 2 1F 2F 3F 4F 5F 6T 7F 8F

SOUTH AFRICA

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South Africa – 'the Rainbow Nation'

- 1 1b 2b 3c 4c 5a
- **2** a6 b8 c1 Cape Town d3 e4 Johannesburg f5 Soweto g2 Durban h7
- **3** 1 sharks 2 whales 3 surfing 4 Table 5 prison 6 springboks

South Africa is famous for: safari

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Legends of the Cape

- 2 T1 H2 U3 N4 D5 E6 R7
- **3** 1 sailor **2** storm **3** voyage **4** listen **5** upright **6** waves 7 ghost 8 died 9 gun 10 disappeared

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Nelson Mandela: world leader and hero

1 a1 f2 d3 c4 h5 e6 q7 b8

2 1 21 2 feet 3 mind 4 blind 5 ANC 6 blind 7 deaf 8 21 9 blind 10 deaf 11 speak

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A day in the life of a ... ranger

- 1 1d 2a 3b 4g 5e 6c 7f
- **3** 1 giraffe 2 rhino 3 elephant 4 leopard 5 zebra 6 springbok 7 lion 8 hippo
- 4 The route starts at the springboks, then lion, leopard, giraffe, rhino, elephant, zebra, hippo.

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The Sounds of South Africa

- 2 1 Rebecca Malope 2 Hugh Masakela 3 Ladysmith Black Mambazo 4 Zola
- 3 Kwaito
- 5 urban city

youth - young people mixes - combines sexist - negative towards women supporters - fans ghettos - townships way of life - lifestyle tunes - melodies fashionable - cool

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Mad about sport

- 1 1 11 2 batsman 3 bowler 4 hit 5 run 6 fielders 7 catch 8 three sticks (stumps) 10 runs
- 2 The protea
- 3 1 stumps 2 wicket 3 scoreboard 4 fielders 5 bowler 6 bat 7 bowler
- 4 1 What made you decide to take part in this extreme competition?

2 What training do you do to get ready for the race? 3 How long did it take you to complete each part of the race?

4 What would you say is the worst and easiest part of the race?

5 How did you keep your energy levels up?

6 What did you do when you finished the race? 7 What advice would you give to someone attempting

the Ironman for the first time?

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Whale watching in Hermanus

- 1 He's a whale crier (someone who looks for whales and then tells the public)
- **4** The route starts at Fick's Pool and continues to Roman Rock, New Harbour, Kwaaiwater, Voëlklip, Old Harbour, Preekstoel.
- 6 a1 b3 c4 d2

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South Africa's favourite food

- 1 1 meat 2 sugar 3 sausages 4 corn on the cob 5 chilli 6 curry powder
- 2 1 braai 2 peri-peri chicken 3 bunny 4 biltong 5 koeksisters 6 mieliepap
- 3 1b 2h 3f 4e 5d 6a 7c 8g

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Diving with Great White Sharks

- 1 Where 5 When 3 The trip 6 The cage 1 FAQ 2 Share your stories 4
- 2 1F 2F 3T 4F 5F 6F 7F 8F 9T
- 3 sandpaper

