

Vetrun Extra – April 8

Jig-saw puzzles.

SOME people have problems with these.

Rob Shand

A lot of people are taking up jig saw puzzles and big ones too, thousands of pieces. What happens, when, after a week or so of inserting pieces into the right spot, you find that with three spaces to fill you only have two pieces left!

Vic Waters

What would be worse is having three pieces left and only two spaces,

Rob Shand

Ignoring totally my wise comment, above, perseveres:

In the case of an absent piece would you:

See if someone else in the house is doing the same puzzle?

Look on the small print on the box to see if there is a guarantee that the right numbers of pieces were packed?

Empty the vacuum cleaner bag?

Anything else?

Vic Waters

To preserve marital harmony in the Shand household, I suggest you wash your hands, then:

1. Take a picture or photograph with which you are bored.
2. Paste onto a piece of cardboard.
3. Turn it over and meticulously draw a very small jigsaw pattern on the blank side.
4. With sharp scissors or a knife cut out the pieces.
5. Jumble them up. Do the puzzle.

Other Things to Do While You Can't Go Out

1. Wash your hands
2. Rack your brains for items to include in *Vetrun Extra* when nobody is sending in submissions.

3. Make a list of things to do while you can't go out.
4. Wash your hands.
5. Clean the keyboard using cotton buds to get in between the keys.
6. Find the needle-nose pliers you know you saw somewhere – out in the shed,* perhaps? - and use them to extract pieces of cotton bud from between the keys. Tweezers can also be used for this purpose. If you have neither order some online.
(*After you've searched the shed, wash your hands.)
7. Wash the shed; then your hands.
8. Check the soles of your shoes and remove any small stones that are stuck in the treads. Do this with all your the shoes in the house. If you have a bike, or a car, do the same with the tyre-treads.
Use the needle-nose pliers, etc (see 6.)
9. Wash your hands after performing each extraction from each tyre, shoe, etc.
10. While online ordering pliers or tweezers, buy more soap.
11. Forward one of the countless funnies that are circulating on the internet to half the people in your address book. Count the days until it comes back to you. Then send it to the other half.
12. Beat yourself up for wasting precious band-width (or whatever it is) on trivia.
13. Vow to learn more about technology.
14. Yeah, you guessed it; wash your hands.

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