# **ACTIVITY PACK 3**

Thanks to the City of Prince Albert Lifeguards for creating this activity pack! Available at www.citypa.ca!



### Don't Break the Ice Story

Read about how Ethan rescued a boy who fell through ice!

## Don't Break the Ice!

It was a beautiful day for hockey. Ethan and his buddy set out to the supervised skating area of the pond with their warm clothes and hockey sticks. They checked the hole that their dad had chopped in the ice to make sure that the **thickness** was at least 10cm (4"). Then they checked around to make sure that all of the ice was clear hard, new ice. They had learned in school that clear hard new ice is the **safest ice** and that **unsafe ice** is covered in snow, is **slushy** or is near moving water.

Just then they noticed someone walking on their own, outside the **supervised** skating area. It was near the current and the ice was **slushy**. The boys knew to avoid this area.

All of a sudden the boys heard a big crack! They saw the person fall through the ice. The boys grabbed their hockey sticks to use as a **reaching assist** and called for someone to get **help**! Then they ran over to get a closer look at what was happening.

They told the boy to relax and not to panic. They yelled out the following instructions: "Put your wet glove on the ice. It will **freeze** to the ice and give you something to pull on. Kick your legs slowly and pull forward on your stomach until your hips are at the edge of the ice. Now roll away from the hole. Do not stand up until you are far away from the hole."

They reached their sticks out and the boy grabbled on and let them pull him to safety. He was very cold. When the body loses heat faster than it can produce heat, it is called hypothermia, and this can be very dangerous.

They gave the boy their coat to help him to **get warm**, as they were afraid he would lose too much body heat and get **hypothermia**. They knew they must immediately take the boy to get warm, dry clothes and a blanket and they tried their best to **huddle** close to him, under the blanket, to help bring back his body heat. Slowly they walked with him, to their house that was close by, to get **help**.



### **Don't Break the Ice Crossword**

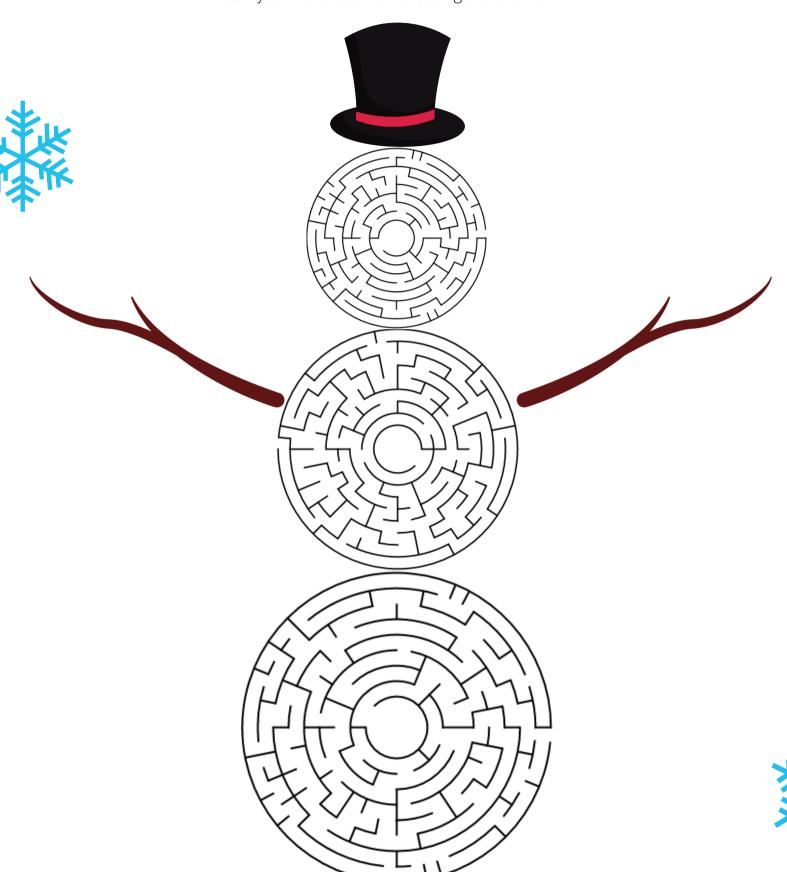
Solve the crossword using the clues from the story!

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TK	8. Put a wet glove on the ice. It will and give you something to pull																	
	9.		Skate in a area.															
	10.		Avoid ice near moving water that is or covered in snow.															
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	1 is clear, hard, new ice.																	
	2. It is important to by getting dry clothes and a blanket.																	
	3. When your body loses heat faster than it can produce it, it is called																	
	5. Chop a hole in the ice to measure																	
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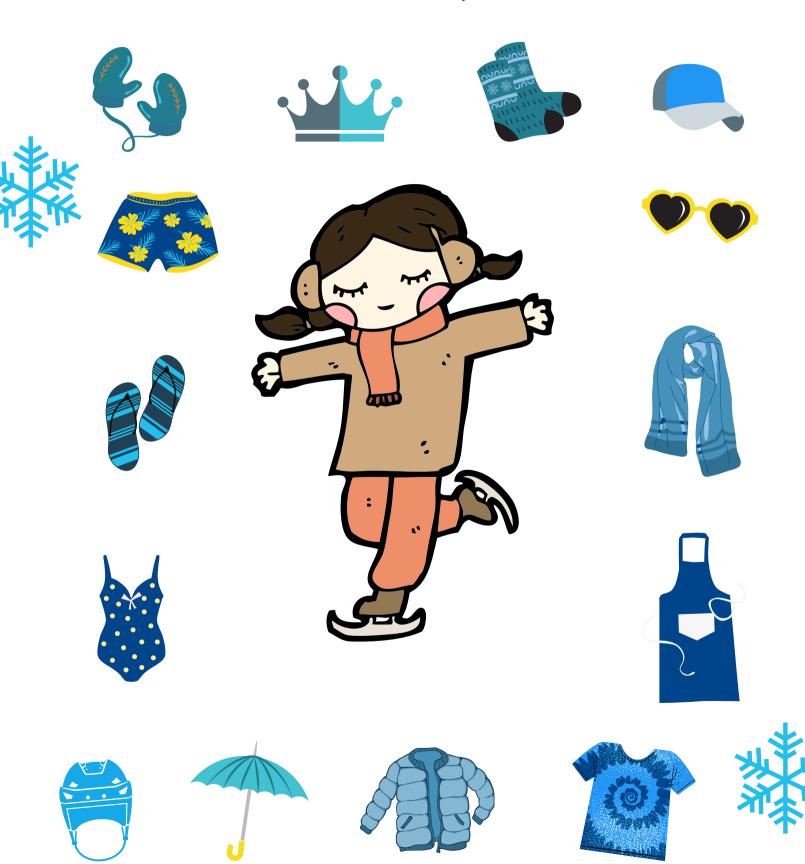
### **Snow Man Maze**

Can you find the center of each giant snowball?



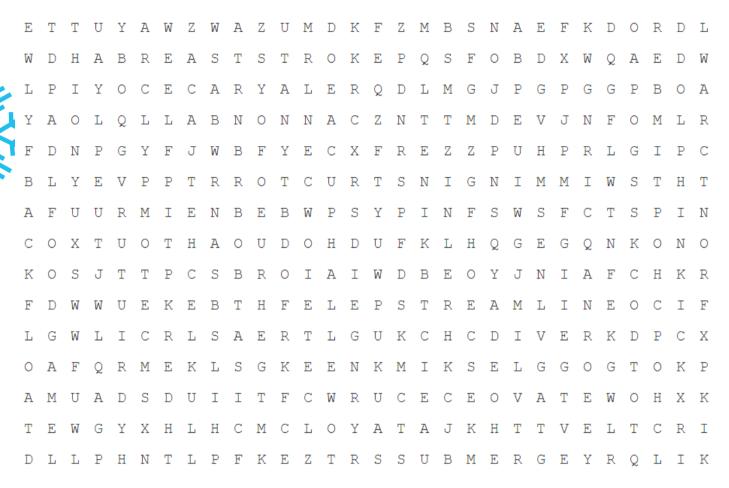


**Staying Safe Outside**Circle what this skater can wear to stay safe outside on ice.



### **Swimming Lesson Word Search**

What do you miss about swimming lessons?



BACKCRAWL
BACKFLOAT
BACKGLIDE
BREASTSTROKE
BUBBLES
CANNONBALL
CHOPCHOPTIMBER
DIVE
DOLPHINKICK
FLUTTERBOARD
FLUTTERKICK

FOODGAME
FRONTCRAWL
FRONTFLOAT
GOGGLES
HULAHOOP
JUMP
LANEROPES
LIFEJACKET
PFDS
READYSETGO
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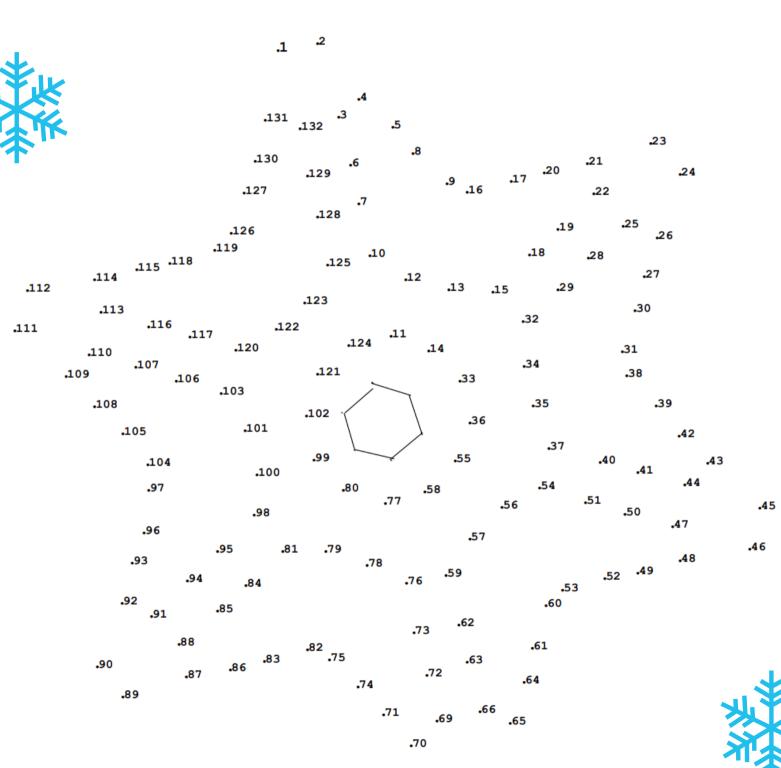






### **Connect the Dots**

Connect the dots to see what shape is hidden!





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### **Online Water Safety**

Looking for fun ways to learn about water safety at home? Check these out.





## SPLASHY MISSION

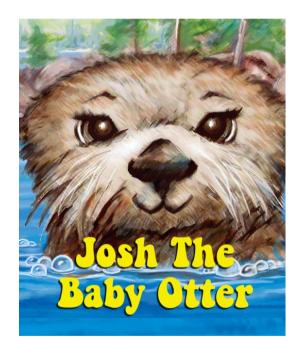
Videos and games designed for kids and parents to learn about safety in the bath, the boat, ice, and more!

From the Quebec Lifesaving Society. http://www.nagerpoursurvivre.com/games/



"Josh the Baby Otter' was created to help children learn to stay away from water unless accompanied with an adult.

Read and listen to the book online. <a href="https://joshtheotter.org/">https://joshtheotter.org/</a>





### **SUPER STEWIE**

<u>Under the watchful eye of a</u> <u>lifeguard duck, children will help</u> <u>Stewie keep baby ducklings safe!</u>

<u>Download and learn more online.</u> https://stewietheduck.org/

