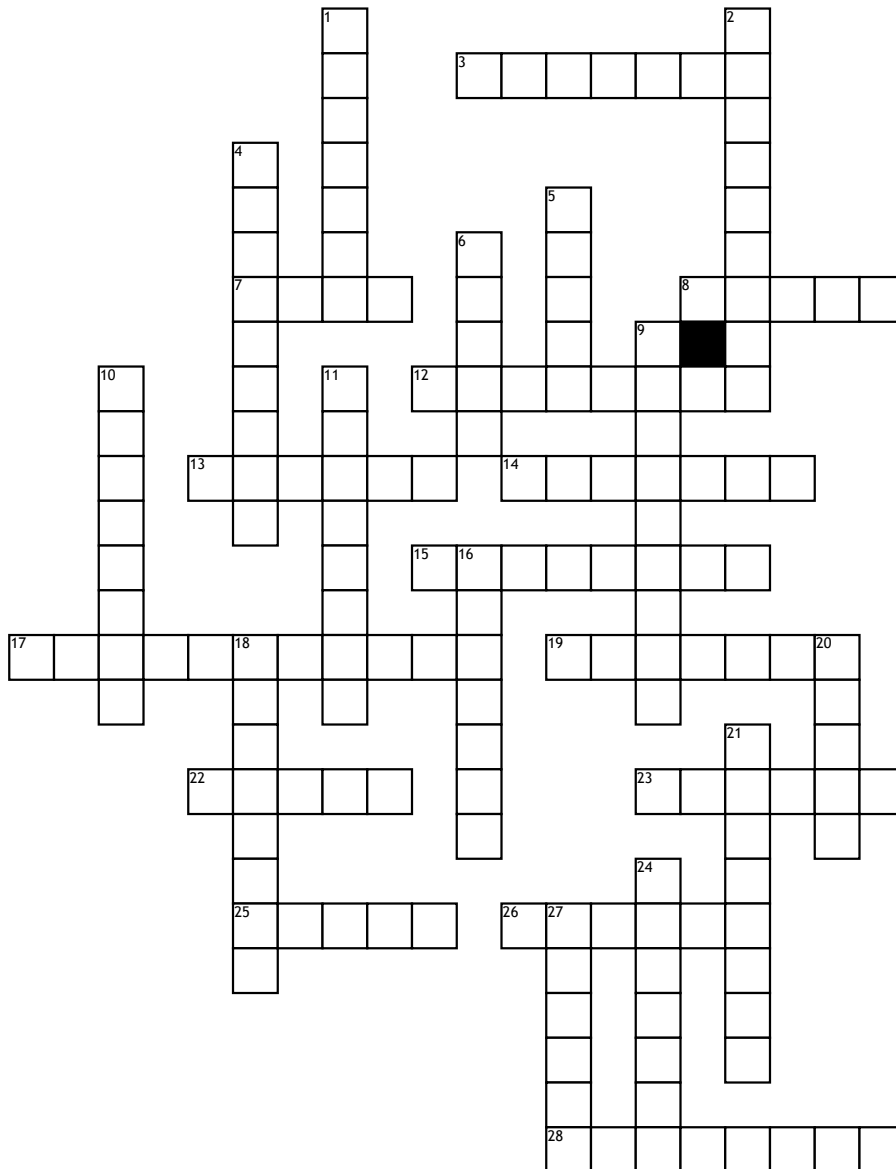


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# WARM UP TO WINTER CROSSWORD PUZZLE



## Across

- 3. Festival featuring African-American culture celebrated between Christmas and New Year's
- 7. Tall plant specially cut down to put in your home
- 8. Holiday greetings sent in the mail
- 12. Shortest day of the year (or longest day of the year)
- 13. Santa's preferred mode of transportation
- 14. What you put on your hands to keep warm
- 15. Object to hang from a tree
- 17. Sweetbread formed into cookies shaped like humans
- 19. Treat made with dough and often decorated
- 22. Heavenly creature with wings

- 23. Name of famous snowman with the button nose
- 25. Santa helpers
- 26. Sweet drink made with egg and possibly spiked
- 28. Jewish winter holiday that lasts 8 days

## Down

- 1. Greedy, stingy employer who later reformed
- 2. Sweet striped minty stick to suck on and stir your hot chocolate with
- 4. Where Santa's dwelling is located
- 5. The historical individual whose birthday is celebrated on Christmas
- 6. Special hot winter drink
- 9. A plant under which you may kiss someone

- 10. Clothing hung at the fireplace that you will never wear
- 11. Winter storm
- 16. The most famous reindeer
- 18. Animals enlisted by Santa to pull his sleigh
- 20. Pudgy guy who laughs a lot and likes to share gifts
- 21. Carriage you slide down a hill on
- 24. Creature made of snow, carrots, buttons, coal, etc who wears very little clothing
- 27. Krampus-like creature who hates Christmas and children