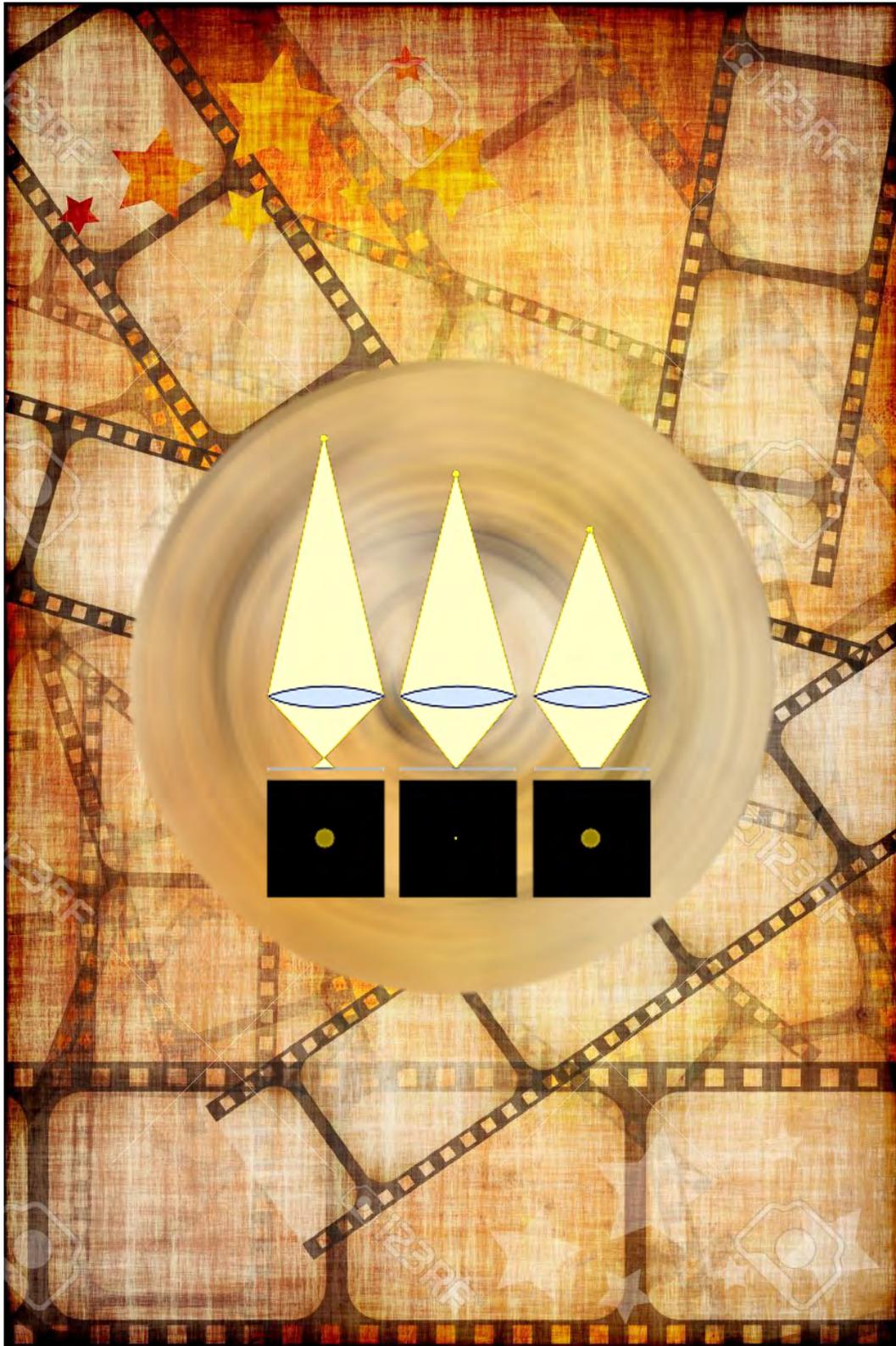
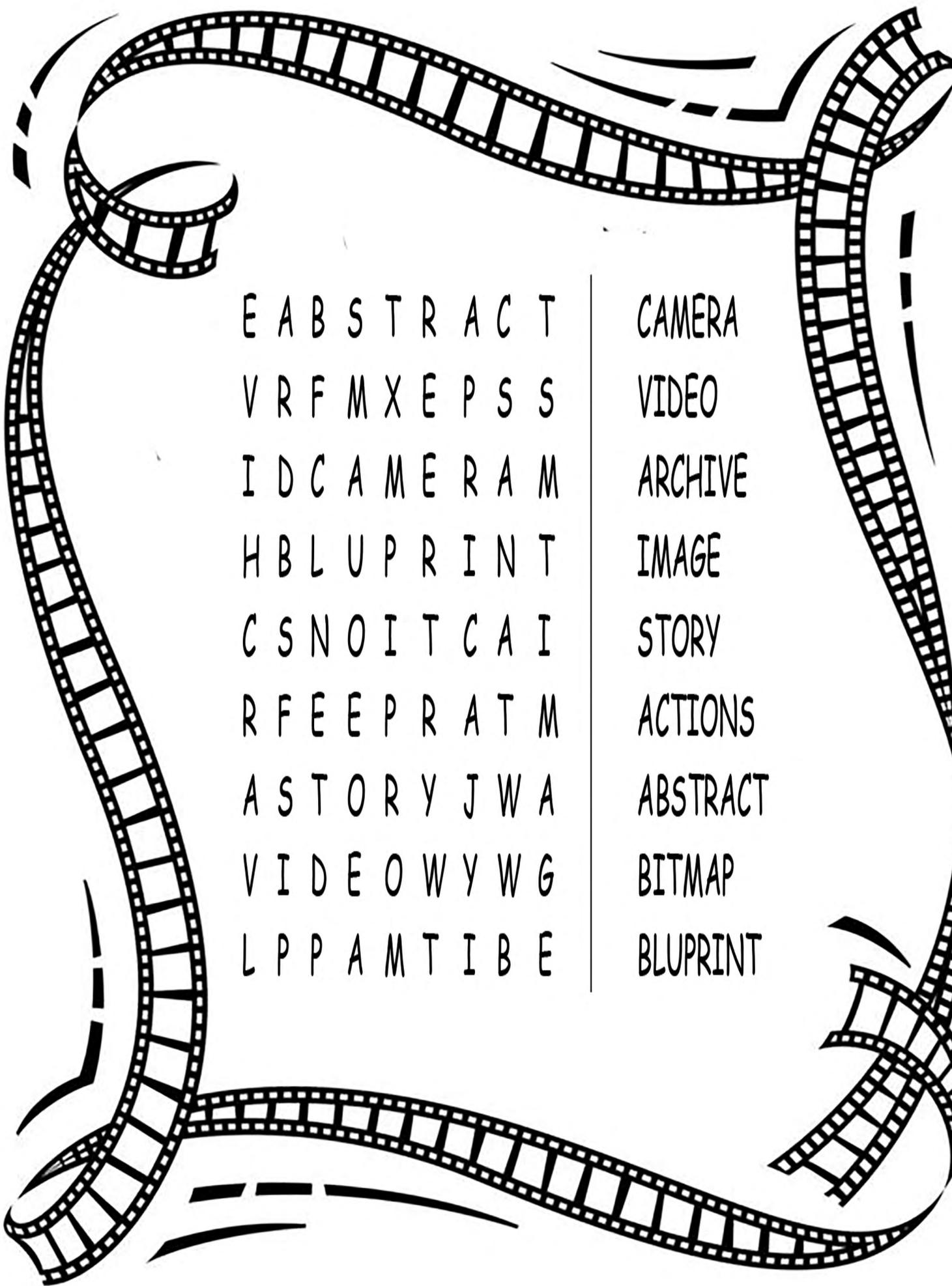




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A Message From Archivus, Circler of Confusion

These are the days my friends. Foolishness beyond our comprehension reigns in the unlikeliest places of all. And as many of us would hope for or wish for an end to it, be assured that that will happen, soon enough. Time is fugit, tempus flees us, like suds in the beer glass. As the newly installed, soon enough to be the ex-incumbent leader of our Foolship, my head already lies heavy with the uneasy weight of the crown. I ponder the traditions and rituals of the Guild's past and believe them to be joyously and necessarily irrelevant, now more than ever. Art must never become dispensable. As all things that be are destined to become what were, I encourage each and every one of us to celebrate each day with the energy and creative grace of our artistry. This tribe of associates, friends and lovers is sustained and linked together by its multi-faceted talents and it's decades-long history. This year, indivisibly, let's celebrate the absurd and party like it's 2018. I salute all the stalwart fools who have maintained our core group and encourage those of you who have slipped away to your quietly desperate lives to come back and participate in the events of the coming year. And is it too crazy to contemplate admitting a few new fools into our midst? Make yourselves known to us! Let our light be a beacon in the current darkness. To paraphrase, "What mortals these fools be!" We may be Fools, but we ain't dead yet!

Great Moments in our Foolish History!

SPACE PIRATES RETURNING FROM BURNING MAN,
HAUNTED HOLLYWEIRD, FOOLS PARADISE LUAU, INTO THE MYSTIC,
AREA 51 LOUNGE, SHAGADELIC '60s, BOLLYWOOD, HEROES & VILLIANS,
PROM OF THE DEAD, AFTERFAIRE AFFAIR FEAST OF FOOLS,
SPACE PIRATES RETURNING FROM BURNING MAN, MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S REVELS,
SUMMER OF FUN, DR SEUSS, BIG TOWN, JEAN LAFITTE'S' MASKED BALL.
ALL FOOLS NIGHT, NEW YEARS ON THE TITANIC, HAUNTED FOREST,
GRIMM FAIRY TALES, 50's HIGH SCHOOL REUNION, SPRING LOVE-IN, MID-
SUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, PUTTIN' ON THE RITZ, **CREOLE VAMPIRE
BALL**, UNDER THE SEA, BEDOUIN BASH, COME AS WHAT YOU'RE NOT, NEVERLAND, WHITE TRASH
WEDDING, CHEESE, LAST CHANCE LOUNGE, RAT PACK OF FOOLS,
HALLOWEEN IN HELL, DEAD CLOWN BALL, RITUAL OF THE FOOL,
O YOU ANIMAL, FEAST OF FOOLS NIGHTMARE CIRCUS, CARNIVALE OF VEN-
ICE, FOOLS IN SPACE NIGHT AT THE GALACTIC ZOO, HORSIN' A-ROUND, **CASINO
ROYALE**, BACCHANNAL, PSYCHADELIC 60'S, FORBIDDEN CITY, NYE IN HAVANA, ROYAL
FLUSH CLUB 47, SECRET AGENT/JAMES BOND, VAUDEVILLE IS DEAD. MAD HATTER'S TEA PARTY,
MIDNIGHT AT THE OASIS, DEN OF INIQUITY, OSCAR WILDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,
WILD THINGS, BIRTHDAY PARTY, SHIP OF FOOLS, **AT THE HOP**, CAP'N SALTY'S PIRATE PARTY,
PROF. PAGLICACCI'S MUSEUM OF HUMAN ECCENTRICITY,
SKULL ISLAND, OSCAR AWARDS, **SECOND COMING**, ONCE UPON A HALLOWEEN

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My first party was Magnanimous I's Bedouin Bash in 2006. The first time I brought a camera to record us was Roger's Jean Lafitte party when ex-Rex Venus Creamus did her infamous snake dance. Since then I've been fortunate to bear witness to coronations, parades, parties and myriad manners of foolishness. That stockpile of video forms the basis for the project at hand, an attempt to tell the story of the Fools in our own words, actions and our spirit. But the story goes back much farther than what I have. I'm looking for your historical videos (any format) and still photos (especially from the early days and the original Guild Hall). If you have images or stories to share, contact Ken at archivus@yahoo.com

