

## Scavenger Hunt

**Sunday's News Break** challenges you to hunt through the **Sunday, December 6, 2015 e-Edition** of The Seattle Times to find answers to the following questions.

1. Some farmers in the Yakima basin are pushing for the installation of huge pumps that could provide an additional 16 billion gallons of water by next year's growing season by pumping water from where? **(NW Sunday)**
2. Michael Phelps set the world record in the 200-meter butterfly in what year and with what time? **(Sports)**
3. How many countries have been working to negotiate a global agreement to fight climate change in Le Bourget, France this week? **(Main)**
4. What film production company did George Lucas co-found with fellow USC graduate Francis Ford Coppola? **(NW Arts & Life)**
5. What is a ticker symbol? **(Business)**
6. Out of the top 25 solar-powered companies in the U.S., where does GM rank? **(NWAutos)**
7. The Spanish galleon San Jose sank on June 8, 1708 as it was trying to do what? **(Main)**
8. Earthwatch Institute, an international environmental organization, allows travelers to arrange travel through them and do what? **(NW Traveler)**
9. Each "Local and Lejos Karongo Basket" sold supports cooperative artisans in what country? **(Shop NW)**
10. In 2013, how many people did game developers, hardware makers and related companies directly employ in Washington state? **(Main)**
11. What percent of decline has there been in the electric power generation industry in the U.S. from 2001 to 2014? **(Jobs)**
12. Charitable contributions made by December 31 can be deducted on itemized income taxes as long as you have what? **(Business)**
13. Currently the Washington state GET program is frozen. What type of plan is the committee that runs the state's college savings program asking the Legislature to allocate money to pay the start-up costs for? **(NW Sunday)**
14. When was Seattle Repertory Theatre founded? **(Pacific NW)**
15. What Beatles memorabilia did Indianapolis Colts owner Jim Irsay purchase at auction on Friday and how much did he pay? **(Sports)**

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### **News Break Scavenger Hunt Answer Key for Sunday, December 6, 2015**

1. Kachess Lake **(B1)**
2. He set the world record in 2009 with a time of 1:51.51. **(C10)**
3. 195 countries **(A2)**
4. American Zoetrope **(H1)**
5. A ticker symbol is a short identifier for a company's stock. **(D2)**
6. GM ranks number 20 out of 25. **(G1)**
7. As it was trying to outrun British warships. **(A4)**
8. They allow travelers to assist scientific researchers. **(I2)**
9. Rwanda **(E2)**
10. 17,400 people **(A19)**
11. 42 percent **(F1)**
12. As long as you have the receipts. **(D1)**
13. A traditional 529 college-savings plan. **(B2)**
14. It was founded in 1963. **(Pacific NW page 12)**
15. He purchased Ringo Starr's first Ludwig drum set at auction for \$1.75 million. **(C6)**