News Break Scavenger Hunt

Sunday’s News Break challenges you to hunt through the Sunday, June 13, 2021 print replica of The Seattle Times to find answers to the following questions.

1. TODAY IN HISTORY: President Lyndon B. Johnson nominated Solicitor General Thurgood Marshall to become the first Black justice on the U.S. Supreme Court. What year did this take place? (MAIN)

2. How much would you pay to go to space with Jeff Bezos? For at least one person, the answer is $______ million, a sum that won a live auction Saturday for a seat on the first human spaceflight for Bezos’ Blue Origin space company. (MAIN)

3. The airline industry’s recovery from the coronavirus pandemic passed a milestone as more than ____ million people streamed through U.S. airport security checkpoints Friday for the first time since early March 2020. (MAIN)

4. Leaders of the world’s largest economies unveiled an infrastructure plan Saturday for the developing world to compete with China’s global initiatives, but they were searching for a consensus on what? (MAIN)

5. China’s famed wandering elephants are on the move again, heading southwest while a male that broke from the herd is keeping his distance. It remains unclear why the elephants embarked on their trek, although Evan Sun, wildlife campaign manager with World Animal Protection, said possible reasons could include what three things? (MAIN)

6. On Tuesday, Betz Family Winery wrote to supporters with news it called “brutal.” The company would not be releasing a 2020 vintage. The culprit: last summer’s wildfire smoke. “Our team has been hopeful since harvest, yet after countless hours of sensory analysis, we decided that this was our only option,” wrote the owners of the winery near Woodinville. The smoke had done too much damage to the grapes, last September. Wineries are worried about “smoke-taint.” What is smoke taint? (BUSINESS)

7. Nearly half of adults in the United States who have not received a coronavirus vaccine are concerned about missing work as a result of side effects from the shot, according to a Kaiser Family Foundation poll released last month. The findings highlight a key obstacle to vaccination, particularly for the ____ % of American workers who do not have any paid sick leave. (BUSINESS)

8. One common measure of fast versus slow carbs is the glycemic index (GI), which ranks carbohydrates on a scale from zero to 100 based on how eating 50 grams of the carbohydrate in a specific food affects what? (THE MIX)

9. During the pandemic, the home transformed into everything — office, school, gym, asylum. The backyard’s status became more exalted, a safe space where we could gather. McAleer’s business doubled this year even as scarcity of building materials forced prices up ____%. He completes
125 decks a year at an average cost of $_____________. (AT HOME IN THE NW)

10. __________________ are appealing because they “lie at the intersection of gardening, arts, craft and science,” Jones said. “They are literally living art.” (AT HOME IN THE NW)