

WINTER CROSSWORDS

Test your knowledge of DuPage in winter, and see how many of the squares you can fill in below! (The answers are on Page 2.)



1 Across

Many anglers like to ice _____ this time of year.

1 Down

_____ forms when moisture in the air freezes onto plants, windows and other surfaces.

2 _____ do not hibernate but can spend months in their dens in bad weather.

3 _____, also called groundhogs, are one of the few DuPage mammals that hibernate.

4 Across

Snapping and other _____ spend winter under the ice or mud.

4 Down

You can tell which animals have been in your yard by looking for their _____ in the snow.

5 Tree squirrels survive on nuts and seeds they _____ in fall.

6 Flocks of dark-eyed _____ from the north winter in DuPage.

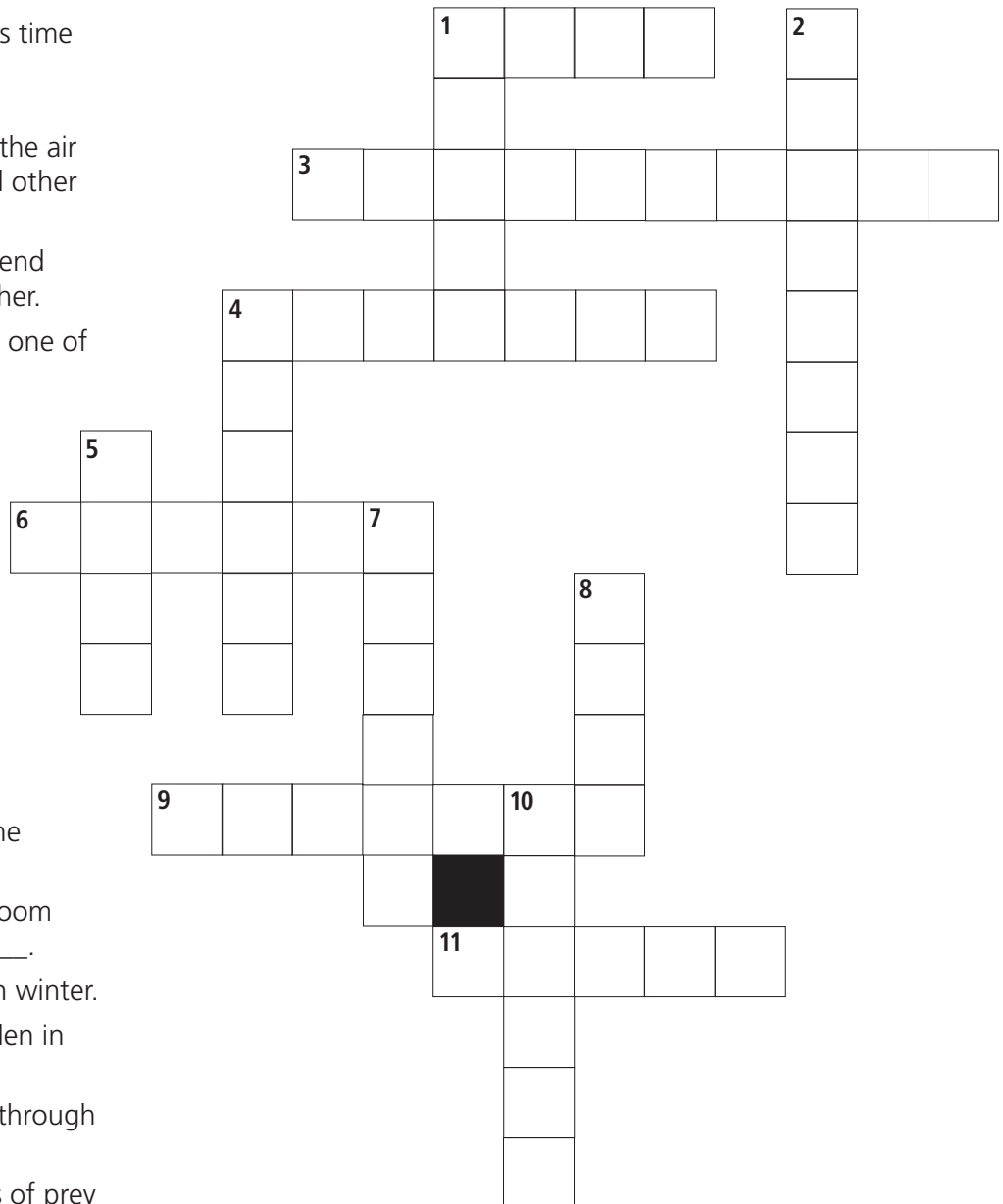
7 Forest Preserve District rangers groom snowy trails for cross-country _____.

8 Great-horned _____ start to nest in winter.

9 Voles move around in winter hidden in _____ they excavate in the snow.

10 Many oak trees keep their _____ through winter.

11 Red-tailed _____ and other birds of prey hunt for birds and small mammals even in cold weather.



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Answer Key

