

# Hidden Bottle Hunt 2023

Explanations for Zone 1W Clues



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## CLUE 1

All aboard the hidden bottle show!  
Connect the clues and bask in finder's glow!

From the icy streets of Europe's #2 city  
She was the first to em-Bark, although her end, a pity

A one way trajectory didn't fare well for her  
Keep west of the place where her name endures

## SOLVE 1

Solve is to stay west of Laika Film Studios in Hillsboro, OR. Laika was a street dog from Moscow who was the first living being in space orbit. Laika Studios in Hillsboro is a successful stop motion animation studio, named for the ill-fated astro-pup.

## CLUE 2

Vaya con dios, father of Bonzo  
In a fifty-year storm he was gone-zo  
Swells in bells were really shot at this spot  
Stay north to win the hidden bottle jackpot.

## SOLVE 2

Solve is to Indian Beach, Oregon. The final scenes of the movie Point Break were filmed at Ecola State Park, Oregon. Indian Beach stood in for Bells Beach, Australia. Patrick Swayze's character was a surfing bank robber, who wore a Ronald Reagan mask (Reagan starred in "Bedtime for Bonzo") while robbing banks. Keanu Reeves, an FBI agent, wished Swayze "Vaya Con Dios" as Swayze went out to surf in the giant waves of a 50 year storm at Indian Beach. Stay north.

## CLUE 3

With a 1,000 foot reel they caught it all  
The crimps, the love, the rescue and brawl  
Jennie's young heart was set on JT  
Back in '09 in this town by the sea

## SOLVE 3

Solve is the town of Astoria, OR. The very first commercial movie filmed in Oregon was The Fisherman's Bride. It was filmed in 1909 in Astoria by Selig Polyscope Company on 1,000 feet of film.



#### **CLUE 4**

Seek the path of celluloid  
To a trail with a stop for a quinary droid  
No parachute needed to get to this place  
Just a strike of inspiration to win the treasure hunt race

#### **SOLVE 4**

Solve is to the Oregon Film Trail marker for the Astoria-filmed movie Short Circuit. Robot Johnny 5 (the “quinary droid”, who is brought to life by a lightning strike, parachutes off the Astoria-Megler Bridge. There is an Oregon Film Trail marker for the movie in Alameda Park, just west of the Megler bridge.

#### **FOUND!**

#### **CLUE 5**

Cullen ignited a dangerous plan  
But was foiled by an academic muscle man  
Not far from where he met his final demise  
The hidden bottle on public Field lies  
Take a seat by Leif and watch the pop flies!

#### **SOLVE 5**

Solve is under bench in Columbia Fields Park outfield (or to fencing along tennis courts?). Cullen Crisp is the villain in Kindergarten Cop, which was filmed in Astoria at John Jacob Astor Elementary School. Columbia Field park is adjacent to the school. Arnold Schwarzenegger played an undercover cop/ kindergarten teacher. There is an Oregon Film Trail marker for the movie on the Astoria Riverwalk just across Leif Erikson Drive from Columbia Field park.

