## **REBUS REMIX - HOME EDITION by Dart**

In Rebus Remix, players use tiles to spell the answers to clues.

The tiles themselves are either letters, or icon tiles which represent words. The icon tiles have drawings, and they represent words of <u>approximately</u> three letters. Rebus Remix does not deal in sounds; icon tiles represent the letters in the word they represent. Once you know what an icon's meaning is, that meaning never changes.

All the answers to the clues are single, uncapitalized words in 11C, though they may be clued in a capitalized form. They are also at least four letters long and at least two tiles long. For example, the tiles at the right answer the clue "Actor Nicolas". This answer is four letters long and two tiles long,





and the name also appears uncapitalized in 11C as a word. All words must use an icon tile.

There are details of the tiles worth looking for. Although the **AGE** tile above shows an entire birthday cake, there are red arrows pointing to the aspect of the picture that you should pay attention to.



Some tiles show two opposites side by side. One side has the normal white background and a green checkmark under it, and the other is shaded out and has a red X. This tile represents the unshaded half of the picture.



The exclamation point speech bubble indicates that a creature is saying something, and it is that word that should be used as the meaning for the tile.



A speech bubble with a flag image in it tells you that the meaning of the tile is as the image would be described in that part of the world. Note that speech bubbles may appear on tiles that are neither exclamation points nor flags; these simply represent speech.

If you do a lot of these puzzles, some tiles may become familiar to you, but be careful! Some icons tiles may look similar, but they can be different in important ways. Look closely.

In the first round of this game, there are three point levels. For the one-point puzzles, use only the tiles that are available in the main part of the box at the right of the clues. For the two-point puzzles, an isolated letter appears after the clue; you must use that letter as an additional letter tile in answering the clue, but that letter is only available for that clue. For the three-point puzzles, one of the extra icon tiles in the shaded area of the tile box is added; you must use that tile in answering that clue, and again you'll only have each icon for one clue. These tiles appear in the correct order in the shaded box.

In the second round of the game, a modifier tile was introduced: the Sounds Like tile. This tile turns the word that the icon tile to its left represents into any possible homonym of that word. For example, the tiles on the right answer the clue "Origami bird".







Note that the resulting homonym need not be a word itself. Only two clues in each set will use the Sounds Like tile.

This .pdf contains Game #9 of Rebus Remix, which appeared at the 2011 NPL convention in Providence. I hope you enjoy the puzzles.

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#### REBUS RACE 2.0 GAME MARGARINE TILE SET

Use at least one icon tile to answer these clues.

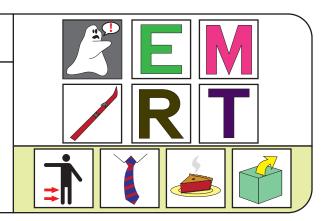
1 point It has less fat than 2%

Rude person who's "crashing" Former QB Esiason Comical bit of burlesque 2 points Fishtail [D] Beyond the pale [A] sex [U]

Smelling more like It may be jettisoned mid-launch [S]

3 points

Concert recording. sometimes [1] Knitting project [2] Covering less [3] Border [4]



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#### REBUS RACE 2.0 MARINE TILE SET

Use at least one icon tile to answer these clues.

1 point Apple trash Extraterrestrial Reason to return to the stage

aforethought

2 points Badmouth [G]

Task [H]

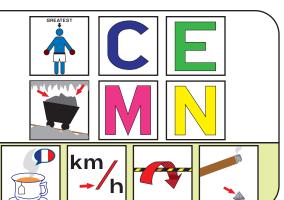
the time [F] Movement of documentarystyle filmmaking [S]

3 points

Mathematical assertion [1]

Head jurors, about half It engages your brake pads [2]

...And another thing! [3] Michael's destination? [4]



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### REBUS RACE 2.0 MARIGOLD TILE SET

Use at least one icon tile to answer these clues.

1 point Stack of paper or laundry

It goes with blood, sweat & tears Boneless piece of fish Nursery need [O]

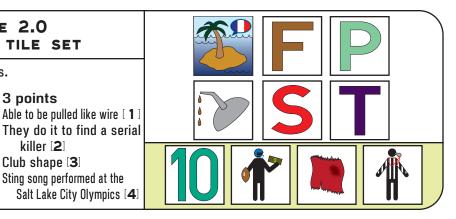
Wrecked

2 points

Seethe [B] Like all films before April 1923 [N] Ineffective [U]

They do it to find a serial killer [2] Club shape [3] Sting song performed at the Salt Lake City Olympics [4]

3 points



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#### REBUS RACE 2.0 MAROON TILE SET

Use at least one icon tile to answer these clues.

1 point This planet Seat A French pastry Consortium, for oil, maybe

2 points The author [O]

News piece [T] Tendency, to be obvious, maybe [L] Marker made of stones [C]

3 points

Do [4]

Politician's favourite part of the country? [ 1 ] Dampen [2] It can be violated in wartime [3]



#### REBUS REMIX GAME SKI TILE SET

1 point Close by

Mass times acceleration It's in your skull It's around your skull

3 points

Cook slowly in juices

Bring in Genuine

Hofstadter subtitle word

**2 points** Prepare for impact Henry's car company

Expensive Kind of evidence

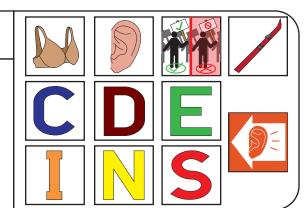
4 points

Climate

Applejack and grappa

Open up more

Bow



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#### REBUS REMIX ORE TILE SET

1 point

Love to death

Support from the congregation, maybe Some people are afraid of it

Fix

3 points

Kind of health or image

**Advertise** Deadly Dirge

2 points

Add to, or take away from

Folk history

Wake-up call?

Battle preparation process

4 points

Conical mushroom Wrenched Kind of walkway Set aside for a purpose

















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### **REBUS REMIX** ILE TILE SET

1 point Yellow bird

Christmas

Unoccupied Innermost planet

3 points

Projectile poison Supporting beam

Former Geo/Chevy compact SUV Concrete must do it to dry

2 points

He uses a whip and a chair

Parabola or limaçon

Expose A spice mix

4 points

Come back

British term for a lake or a pool

Commercial Obscure

















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#### REBUS REMIX AIR TILE SET

1 point

Push, as a button Metric unit of volume Soviet flag image Supervillain's home?

3 points

Moore doc title Divisive topic

Bread-and-butter or cornichon Skirt feature, sometimes

2 points

Four-ten, in bowling Not as high Job for a mechanic Steamed coffee

4 points

Patience Wind-deposited soil Snowball's chance?

Decorum























## **SOLUTIONS**

## MARGARINE

1 PT 2 PT 3 PT
SKIM SKID BOOTLEG
BOOR TABOO BOOTIE
BOOMER MUSKIER SKIMPIER
SKIT BOOSTER OUTSKIRT

### MARINE

1 PT 2 PT 3 PT CORE MALIGN THEOREM ALIEN CHORE CALIPER ENCORE FOREMEN MOREOVER MALICE NEOREALISM ASHORE

### MARIGOLD

1 PT 2 PT 3 PT
PILE BOIL TENSILE
TOIL SILENT PROFILE
FILET FUTILE TREFOIL
SPOILT TOPSOIL FRAGILE

### **MAROON**

1 PT 2 PT 3 PT
EARTH DART HEARTLAND
CHAIR ARTICLE IMPAIR
ECLAIR FLAIR AIR SPACE
CARTEL CAIRN HAIRSTYLE

## SKI

1 PT 2 PT **3 PT 4 PT** NEAR BRA CE **BRAISE** SKIES FOR CE FOR D EAR N **BRANDIES** BRAIN SINCERE **BROA** DEN DEAR SKIN FOR ENSIC BRAID FOR E

### ORE

1 PT 2 PT **3 PT 4** PT MOREL ADORE A-/E-MEND MENTAL LORE **TORE A**MEN MARK ET ARC ADE DARK ALARM MOR TAL MEN D ARM A MEN T LAMENT E ARM ARK

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2 PT 1 PT 3 PT **4** PT CANARY TA MER CURARE RECUR MER RY **CUR VE** CANTILE VER MERE VA CAN T REVEAL TRACKER MERICANTILE MER CURY CURRY CURE ARCANE

### **AIR**

1 PT **4** PT 2 PT 3 PT PRESS SPLIT SICKO SOLIT AIR E LITER/RE LESS POLITIC S LOESS SICKLE REPAIR PICKLE PR AYER (\*) LAIR ESPRESSO SLIT POLIT ESSE