

The Pitch, edge of town

SUNDAY · 6 CLUES · 5 GUESTS

The Pitch, edge of town. 5 Seekers at the table, and Auntie wants to know who ate which dish. Nobody is lying today.

 **Untangle the caravan: fill in every ●**

	Tart	Roast	Wurst	Stew	Hash
 Ida					
 Gwen					
 Nell					
 Rowan					
 Zeph					

Mark each cell: ✕ ruled out · ● confirmed.

The clues

 **AUNTIE PEARL’S LEDGER: THESE FACTS ARE ALWAYS TRUE**

- Nell and Zeph ate the Tart and the Hash, in some order.
- Ida, Nell, and Gwen ate the Stew, the Hash, and the Roast, in some order.
- Rowan, Ida, and Nell ate the Hash, the Wurst, and the Stew, in some order.
- Ida didn’t eat the Wurst.
- Ida didn’t eat the Roast.
- Nell didn’t eat the Wurst.

Answer: The Pitch, edge of town

 A gentle day: no culprit. Full solution below.

	Tart	Roast	Wurst	Stew	Hash
 Ida	X	X	X	●	X
 Gwen	X	●	X	X	X
 Nell	X	X	X	X	●
 Rowan	X	X	●	X	X
 Zeph	●	X	X	X	X

Step-by-step proof

1. From clue 1: only Nell and Zeph can have the Tart and the Hash. Rule those out for everyone else.
2. From clue 2: Ida didn't eat the Wurst, Gwen didn't eat the Wurst, Nell ate the Hash, Rowan ate the Wurst, and Zeph ate the Tart.
3. From clue 3: Ida ate the Stew and Gwen ate the Roast.