

A Yukon Logic Problem for Christmas

Because he is busy this time of year, Santa finds it difficult to shop for Mrs. Claus. This year, he decided to send five of his elves on shopping trips to buy presents for her. Each elf will buy a different present in a different town around the Yukon, with one visiting Whitehorse on his errand. Can you solve this puzzle by finding out which elf bought which present and in which Yukon town?

- ★ While one elf is buying Mrs. Claus new mitts for snowmobiling, Dweedle will be looking for another present and a third elf will be in Faro on his shopping trip.
- ★ Arvid, whose assignment is neither the iPad nor the cookbook, wonders why "the Boss" does not go online to purchase the gifts.
- ★ The elf shopping in Faro will not be looking for the moccasins or the used Tundra II skidoo.
- ★ The elf going to Watson Lake is not the one Santa is sending to buy an iPad.
- ★ Neither Fred nor Ule is shopping for moccasins.
- ★ The elf who hopes to sneak in a visit to Diamond Tooth Gertie's while he is in Dawson City is not Arvid.
- ★ Neither Fred nor Ule is going to Faro.
- ★ The elf Santa is sending to choose a used Tundra II skidoo for Mrs. Claus to ride around the North Pole is not Dweedle.
- ★ Ozz's shopping goal is not an iPad.
- ★ The elf who will visit Dawson City is not the one buying the snowmobile nor the one being dispatched for an iPad.
- ★ Ule is glad he is not the elf who has to pick out the new mitts for Mrs. Claus to wear skidooing.
- ★ Neither Dweedle nor the elf going to Old Crow is being sent to buy the moccasins.



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