

THE MONTCLAIR BIRD CLUB

QUIZ 184

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Candlestick Park, where the Giants and 49ers played in San Francisco, hosted its last event in August 2014, with Paul McCartney. The demolition of the stadium was completed in September of 2015.

Candlestick Park was named for its location on Candlestick Point, which was in turn named for the candlestick bird. What is the name we use today for that bird?



Link to ponder: Crow roosts, a [short film](#).

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The area was named for the birds we know today as
long-billed curlews.



One imaginative hypothesis is that the name originated because
candlesticks are very tall, like the bird's long bill.

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