



SOLUTION: Talking in Circles

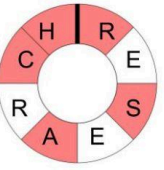
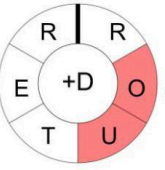


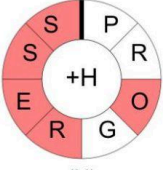
This is a metapuzzle with four feeders:

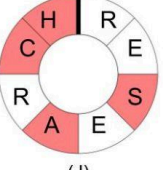
Heated Rivalries	POINT
Jampacked	RESEARCH
Moving Boston's Tartarean Abominations	ROUTER
Milestone	PROGRESS

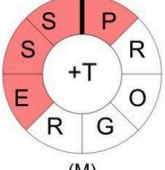
As demonstrated with the example circle, the central mechanic of this puzzle is anagramming the highlighted letters after your feeder is entered, clockwise, starting at the bold bar on top. After the blank(s) in the clues are filled correctly, each is answered by a phrase that contains some sort of "circular" word, with that "circular" word being included in the circle of the enumeration. Each phrase's initials are also included, in alphabetical order, in a box, to help disambiguate between multiple possibilities.

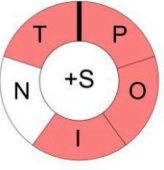
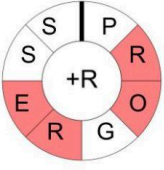
After identifying these phrases, the extraction is done by writing each phrase into the larger circular grid, in the same fashion as the feeders, and reading the highlighted letters, clockwise, going down from 1 to 9. This gives the final answer **THEY'RE PHRASING HELL**.

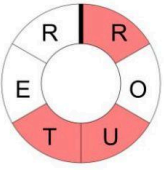
1)  a  , perhaps 5 **5**

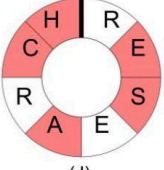
2) Moving  5-2- **5**

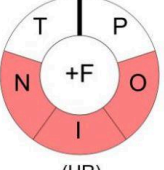
3) Song by  **4** 2 4

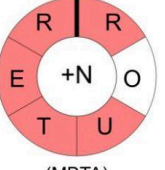
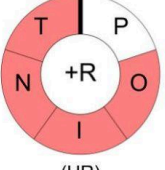
4) Complete tedious  4 7 **5**

5) It's used when you  in  **8** 9

6) Something done when in a  8 4 **6**

7) On an endless  7 2 **7**

8) Having lots of  2 3 **4**

9)  to the  , maybe 4 4 **6**

#	Full clue	enum	Answer	Index 1	Index 2	Letter 1	Letter 2
1	CRASH a DUO, perhaps	5 5	THIRDWHEEL	1	2	T	H
2	Moving HORSES	5-2-5	MERRYGOROUND	2	5	E	Y
3	Song by CASH	4 2 4	RINGOFFIRE	9	10	R	E
4	Complete tedious STEPS	4 7 5	JUMPTHROUGHHOOPS	4	6	P	H
5	It's used when you POSIT in ERROR	8 9	CIRCULARREASONING	9	11	R	A
6	Something done it in a RUT	8 4 6	SPINNINGYOURWHEELS	1	3	S	I
7	On an endless CHASE	7 2 7	RUNNINGINCIRCLES	3	7	N	G
8	Having lots of INFO	2 3 4	INTHELOOP	4	5	H	E
9	RETURN to the INTRO, maybe	4 4 6	COMEFULLCIRCLE	7	8	L	L