SHOW YOUR COLORS

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The object of this game is to compile a list of different words -- each related to its predecessor to form a compound word or familiar phrase -- and have this chain begin and end with the same word. Our theme is 'Color' and, to keep the exercise interesting, we ask that your chains be no fewer than fifteen, nor more than twenty-five words in length. This will eliminate a simple BLUE-sky-BLUE combination ... and it conserves on paper by keeping your lists from stretching to infinity.

If you're not familiar with this type of game, it's simple: just start with RED head cheese cake walk ..., and keep going until you wind up back at ... hog wild cherry RED! And remember to keep your chains between fifteen and twenty-five words.

1. RED 5. WHITE
2. BLUE 6. GOLD
3. BLACK 7. GREEN
4. YELLOW 8. BROWN

My suggested chains can be found in Answers and Solutions at the end of this issue.