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Magic Cards Activity Sheet #3

Complete the crossword puzzle using the word list:

**Word list**
- backwater
- snowflake
- pond
- creek
- snowpack
- gulf
- puddle
- spillway
- surf
- whirlpool

**Across**

1. Seasonal accumulation of slow-melting packed snow
2. Passage for surplus water to run over or around an obstruction like a dam
3. Body of water usually smaller than a lake
4. Small stream, a shallow or intermittent tributary to a river
5. Part of an ocean or sea extending into the land
6. Very small pool of usually dirty or muddy water

**Down**

1. Water moving rapidly in a circle so as to produce a depression in the center into which floating objects may be drawn
2. Water backed up in its course by an obstruction, an opposing current, or the tide
3. Flake or crystal of snow
4. Swell of the sea that breaks upon the shore

**Extra credit questions:**

1. Put the word list in alphabetical order.
2. What do all the words have in common? ________________________________________
3. Which word is different from the rest? ____________________________________________  
   Explain the difference. ____________________________________________________________

**Answers**

Across: 2. spillway 4. snowflake 5. pond 7. creek 8. gulf 9. puddle

Extra credit: 2. all are words for water 3. spillway is a man-made structure