

## RHS Word of the Week #38

**Cynosure** [sahy-nuh-shoo r, sin-uh-] (n):

1. something that strongly attracts attention by its brilliance, interest, etc.
2. something serving for guidance or direction.

**Used in a sentence:** *Peter Jackson's epic movie trilogy The Lord of the Rings was the **cynosure** of Hollywood in 2003.*

## Bonus Words

**Superluminal** [soo-per-loo-muh-nl] (adj.):

appearing to travel faster than the speed of light.

**Used in a sentence:** *The Flash and Superman are **superluminal** superheroes.*

**Brontide** [bron-tahyd] (n):

a rumbling noise heard occasionally in some parts of the world, probably caused by seismic activity.

**Used in a sentence:** *The earthquake's **brontide** was more terrifying than the actual shaking of the ground.*

