
THE NORTHSTAR CHRONICLE

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To Start Your Day Off Right...



"I licked it, so It's mine!"

"Weird is a side affect of being awesome."

"Good friends don't let you do stupid things... alone..."

Hello Chronicle readers! Last month, quite a few people followed the Bible verse program. This month should be close to the same as last month. We'll be working on Matthew Chapters 1–14. I realize it's a little Christmas-y but bear with me!! I'm still working things out as I go. I'd love to hear your feedback on this program to make it better! There's 2 attached websites, one for feedback and the other for the outline. Enjoy!

Matthew 6:33-34

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

[Click here](#) to give Feedback

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Jacobs Jokes

Did you hear about the mathematician
who's afraid of negative numbers?
He'll stop at nothing to avoid them.

How many times can you subtract 10
from 100?
Once, then you'll be subtracting 10 from
90.

Why don't skeletons ever go trick or
treating?
Because they have no-body to go with

Why do ghosts go on diets?
To keep their ghoulish figures.

What kind of music do mummies listen
to?
Wrap music

What do you get when you cross a
snowman and a vampire?
Frostbite

Why don't mummies take time off?
Because they are afraid to unwind.

Why did the teddy bear say no to
dessert?
Because he was stuffed.



Cinderella's Camper
~Kate Fersovich

New Webpage!

This month I've finally completed our webpage! Please feel free to poke around on there and let me know if there needs to be a change. It's taken me quite a few months to compile so feedback is appreciated! [Click here](#) to go to the page!

The Hollyburn Chairlift

The Hollyburn area consisted of a group of homes up on Vancouver's Black Mountain, where the modern-day Cypress Mountain ski resort is located. In the 1950s however, there was a group of cabins, clustered on the high reaches of the mountain. These cabins were only accessible by a few logging roads that could often be treacherous to drive on. So, in 1951, the homeowners purchased a Riblet single chairlift, the second chairlift in the Vancouver area (the first one was on Grouse Mountain, built in the 1940s). Alongside the top terminal of the lift, a brand-new ski lodge was constructed, dubbed "Hi-View Lodge". The lift would whisk homeowners on a 12-minute ride up the mountainside, where they could easily access their cabins for the weekend, without having to navigate the treacherous roads.

The chairlift and the lodge were a success and drew many people to ride the chairlift up the mountain, have lunch at the lodge, and ride down. However, on December 26, 1962, an incident happened to the chairlift, which sealed its final fate. The main cable slipped the bottom bull wheel, and the entire lift was de-tensioned. While there were no injuries, many people were stuck on the chairlift for hours in freezing temperatures. And then, on June 6, 1965, the "Hi-View Lodge" mysteriously caught on fire, completely burning down, and seriously damaging the top terminal of the chairlift. While the lift might have been salvageable, it would never operate again.



The following year, new roads were installed, making it easy for people just to simply drive up the mountain to access their cabins. The remains of the lift were taken down soon after. In 2012, the lodge was rebuilt on the old site of the original lodge and operates to this day. While the Hollyburn chairlift and ski slope is long gone, Cypress Mountain, just up the road, is a thriving ski area with multiple chairlifts, and ski runs. So, thus continues on the legacy of the Hollyburn chairlift.

~Benjamin Widish

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Chocolate Zucchini Cake Recipe

Here is a recipe for Chocolate Zucchini Cake which my Oma used to make and my mom does now. The name of the cake sounds weird considering it has Zucchini in it. However, the vegetable is practically tasteless when you add it all in, what it does is keeps the cake very moist and spongey. The overall chocolate flavor is not affected.

Ingredients

½ cup of soft margarine (or butter)
½ cup of vegetable oil
1 ¾ cups of sugar
2 eggs
1 tsp of vanilla
½ cup of sour milk (adding vinegar or lemon juice sours the milk)
2 ½ cups of flour
4 Tbsp of cocoa
1 tsp of baking soda
½ tsp of baking powder
½ tsp of cinnamon
½ tsp of cloves
2 cups of zucchini (grated)
¼ cup of chocolate chips
Topping: ½ cup of brown sugar, ½ cup of chocolate chips



Directions

Sift flour, cocoa, baking soda, baking powder, cinnamon, and cloves together and set aside. Cream margarine(butter), sugar and add eggs one at a time. Add vanilla. Slowly add oil and continue beating. Remove from beater with wooden spoon. Alternately fold flour mixture and sour milk into creamed mixture, starting and finishing with flour mixture. Fold in zucchini and chocolate chips. Spread into well-greased 9x13in pan and sprinkle the top with brown sugar and chocolate chips. Bake at 350F for 40 minutes.

~Sean Umbsaar





Golden Luck
~Michaelyn Redgewell

Turner Valley Alberta

Turner Valley is a small town close to Calgary with a population of 2,559 people. It is most commonly known for being one of the first places in Alberta to have an oil boom. In 1914 on the banks of the Sheep River in Turner Valley Alberta. Two wells ushered in the first of Alberta's major oil booms, which saw the drilling of hundreds of wells and the establishment of a number of communities in the Turner Valley region.

At its peak during the Second World War, Turner Valley produced more than 95 per cent of Canada's oil and was the most productive oilfield in the British Empire.

~Naomi S

Current News

Which for some of you is the later news, this month's topic "Influence and Powers".

Right now, I think everyone knows that Covid-19 is raging around the world, some are done with it and others are keeping up with the stats on a daily basis. So, with that elephant out of the room lets dig into some other crisis case's around the world you may or may not have heard of this year.

Presidential Debates, Protests, Riots, Natural Disaster- Yes, the USA has taken a heavy tole this past year. Everyone has watched and some taken action too, influence of speaking up, and inspiration for changes in power would be nice ways to dress up the situations.

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All around the world the Black Lives Matter, All Lives Matter campaigns have taken up arms, voices and made their opinions and rights reminded and known. Many have supported these campaigns and others fear it, as some gain a sense of pride and unity, while others may say arrogance.

In Thai land Protests and Riots have broken out for a change in politics, this fire had been fueling a lot over the past spring and summer and now has started hitting hard. The people are speaking up for proper individual freedom and a democratic government. The government has tried preventing these protests by shutting down some transportation and hide these protests from the news.

Tension has risen all around the world as governments have been tested for the "interest of the people", it almost seems that the world might all switch to the same or similar government formats. This may not be such a bad thing in some eyes, however there is a lot of uncertainty and lose of security in many nations that could change circumstances.

As humans it is in our nature to be bias, as much as I try to lay out the facts of what has happened around the world; my words will still be viewed as an opinion. But let's agree to disagree and have healthy conversations on what we believe in rather than trying to force our opinion on someone.

That's all for the October edition.

-Naomi Kitchen

"A Social Distancing Walk about Leaves" With Gen Z Students

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Note from the ‘Chronicle Team’

Hello NorthStar! I hope you enjoyed the completed October Chronicle! Thank you to the Chronicle team for working so hard this month! I hope you appreciated all the stories, comics, and activities everyone worked so hard to submit this month. If you would like to contribute anything to the Chronicle or have feedback, email me at leah.brown@nsaschool.ca Also, don't be afraid to check out our webpage! The link is at the bottom of the page if you click N.S.A!

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