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# Everybody's Talking

Colourful field: People driving by a field of leeks at night near the town of Lelystad, Netherlands, have been known to stop and gawk. This is not because leeks are an amazing vegetable, but because the field is glowing with blue, red, and purple light. The ultraviolet glow comes from a lighting system designed by Dutch artist Daan Roosegaarde. In addition to being beautiful, the project, called GROW, has a practical purpose: the artist and his team are experimenting with light to see how different wavelengths can enhance plant growth.

Airport home: For three months, the O'Hare International Airport in Chicago, Illinois (U.S.), became the unauthorized home of a man named Aditya Singh. Apparently, the trespasser didn't want to get on a plane to go back to his home state of California. He managed to steal an airport employee's identification badge and then proceeded to hide out, undetected, in a secure area of the transportation hub. Finally, staff members asked for his ID, only to discover the badge produced by Singh had been reported missing months earlier. Police were called, and Singh was charged with trespassing.

Sympathy for owner: Russell Jones of London, England, broke his ankle, was outfitted with a cast, and came home with canes to help him walk, with a temporary limp, of course. While out for an evening stroll, he noticed that his dog, a Lurcher named Billy, also started to limp. Jones took the dog to the vet and, after paying  $\pounds 300$ for the vet bill, discovered there was nothing wrong with Billy's leg. Jones and his wife, Michelle, think that Billy faked his limp in order to commiserate with his owner. They thought this because when Jones wasn't home, Billy would run around the yard with no limp at all!

**Boar trouble:** Police in the city of Moro, Sindh, Pakistan, had to deal with an unusual incident that did not include arresting thieves or any other type of human criminal. Animal intruders invaded their police station, causing panic and fear until the situation was brought under control. The trespassers turned out to be two wild boars that somehow got inside the station, and the place had to be evacuated. Wild boars are large, intelligent animals, and can be dangerous, so a plan had to be put in action to get the big pigs back outside. One of the pair was driven out, and the other was cornered inside the station, to the relief of everyone involved.

# Quoteable Quotes

"Accursed be he that first invented war." — Christopher Marlowe "Opinions cannot survive if one has no chance to fight for them.' -Thomas Mann

# What's Happening

Nov 21- SCARS Christmas Gift Market Shop with more than 100 local vendors - more than 90 handmade - in support of Second Chance Animal Rescue. Find us at the Alberta Aviation Museum, 11410 Kingsway NW. We are open from 11:00am to 4:00pm. We are following REP regulations.

Dec 9 to Jan 17-Online Classes open for registration-Adults **50 plus** Learn something new! Classes start January 17- something for almost every interest. Non-credit classes in sciences, humanities, leisure. ELLA offers education, affordable, fun, non-credit arts courses for adults. Register now MY\_ELLA.COM.

Dec 12-Devon Christmas Arts Market Come check out our local artists, craftspeople and artisans each month at the Devon



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1. The sinking of the Titanic took more than 1,500 lives. How many passengers survived?

2. What is the bottom number of a fraction called?

- 3. The male orangutan arm span may reach 7 ft.—T/F?
- 4. What is the purpose of a windsock?
- 5. Which "Lisa" is housed in The Louvre in France?

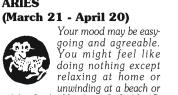
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Your Weekly Horoscope

LIBRA

**SCORPIO** 

41, 42.

**SAGITTARIUS** 

7, 12, 19, 22, 24, 36.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 - Jan. 20)

**AQUARIUS** 

PISCES

(Nov. 23 - Dec. 21)

(Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)

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A chance meeting may

excite you and offer you a different outlook. But a

clock may be ticking and

before you commit, you

might need to ensure

Take advantage of oppor-

tunities on social media

to spread your message.

Emotional gestures may deeply touch your heart.

Positive reactions could

You may be feeling very

sensitive or vulnerable.

You might be imagina-

tive, but first you might

need to rejuvenate vour-

self, especially with some

You may be motivated

and interested in probing

far beneath the surface.

Your research might

enable you to understand

the underlying causes

Friends may seek your

expertise for guidance. Your help could prove to

be very lucrative. Giving

of yourself in this gen-

erous way might prove

A change of scenery may

be positive. You could

soon realize that if you

are not happy in some aspect of your life, you

might need to make

that you have the best plan. Lucky Numbers: 9, 13, 17, 21, 26, 29.

prevail. Lucky Numbers: 9, 20, 24, 27,

rest and relaxation. Lucky Numbers:

behind an event or behaviour. Lucky

that your motives are genuine. Lucky Numbers: 2, 9, 14, 21, 27, 35.

significant changes. Lucky Numbers: 14, 19, 21, 25, 27, 48.

(Feb. 20 - March 20)

Numbers: 4, 14, 22, 28, 30, 47.

(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)

a lake. Lucky Numbers: 2, 8, 10, 15, 16, 39 **TAURUS** 

### (April 21 - May 21)

ARIES

Financial opportunities may present themselves at social gatherings. Your current personal status could be altered for the better. You may

need to listen to your heart. Lucky Numbers: 9, 11, 16, 18, 19, 32. **GEMINI** 

#### (May 22 - June 21)



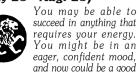
easy conversation in comfortable settings that could help you unravel some mysteries. Lucky Numbers: 3, 15, 32, 40, 42, 44. CANCER

#### (June 22 - July 22)

Family relationships may reveal your sensitivity and bring forth your sympathetic reactions. You might reflect on the past and decide to dedicate

vourself to resolving these issues. Lucky Numbers: 2, 7, 12, 17, 43, 45. LEO

#### (July 23 - Aug. 23)



and now could be a good time for a competitive endeavour Lucky Numbers: 4, 11, 17, 22, 32, 41. VIRGO

#### (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)

Your desire for harmony and good connections may be stronger than usual. You might be inclined to use your charm, in more than a

direct way, to achieve your goals. Lucky Numbers: 2, 10, 28, 32, 43, 44.

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favour Aries

### Did You Know...

Famous Swede: One of Swedish actress Ingrid Bergman's first film appearances was in Munkbrogreven in 1935. She went on to become famous in movies such as Casablanca and Murder on the Orient Express.

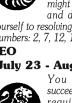
Twitchy problem: Most people have experienced having an eyelid twitch, but may not know that this is called "blepharospasm." The cause is unknown, but thought to be related to being tired or stressed.

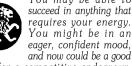
Healthv hors d'oeuvres: Someone who wants to indulge in low-calorie appetizers should stick to foods like grilled veggies and salads, while staying away from high-calorie dishes, such as fried chicken wings, cheese-topped fries, and spinach artichoke dip.

Stony situation: Gravel consists of small rocks. Often used in roadwork and to provide landscaping, gravel can be naturally formed, but can also be manmade using rockcrushing equipment.









winners with the luckiest number being 8.



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Useful animal: Domesticated yaks are bovines found in Tibet, other areas of South Central Asia, and Mongolia. They are often used as beasts of burden. They also are kept for their milk and meat, and their hair can be spun into yarn.

On the Lighter Side

What do Alexander the Great and Winnie the Pooh have in common? They both have the same middle name.

I was a musical prodigy. At three I composed an opera. At four I wrote a minuet. At five I wrote a complete symphony. And at five-thirty, as usual, I went down and had a cup of tea.

What has a spine but no brain? A book.

Teacher: "Didn't you hear me call you?" Pupil: "Yes, but you said not to talk back."

What has to be broken before you can use it? An egg.

### Answers

<sup>4</sup>. Indicates speed and direction of wind 5. "Mona Lisa" Trivia answers: Over 700 2. Denominator 3. True

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