

Getting ready to sell your home?
Have it show-ready with our **Home Sellers Enhancement Services**

AFFORDABLE PACKAGES STARTING AT \$495

Intentional decluttering, cleaning, minor fix-ups and home décor enlivening to enhance the "showability" of your listing.

Contact Koren for further information:
Phone/Text 780.264.5881
SellersEnhancements@outlook.com

jerry forbes
Centre for Community Spirit

HOME FOR 25 CHARITIES & NON-PROFITS

93,000 SQ. FT. OF SHARED SPACE
SERVING OVER 200,000 ALBERTANS

Dear Edmonton, We're having a great time and the people here are amazing. You should come for a visit!

Sincerely, JFC

jerryforbescentre.ca

SAVE YOUR FAMILY memories

Transfer your old film, VHS, DVR, & reels to a digital format.

For more information & pricing email: info@thecreativehive.ca

780.996.7510 www.hive-media.com

PROVIDING THE GREATEST RETURN ON YOUR GREATEST INVESTMENT!

SELLING YOUR HOME?

Invite me over for a coffee. I'll give you real estate advice and a **FREE** market evaluation.

Your Community Realtor
GEORGE VAN DE WALLE
780.982.4247 **RE/MAX**

Can't get to your Coffee News® each week?

Check out our PDF editions online!
New editions are posted every Monday

Sign up here to receive email notifications of new editions.

Now you never have to miss your weekly dose of good news!

www.coffee-news.ca/editions

When YOU Get Paid We Get Paid

We're Here To Handle The Legal Complexity For You!

Braithwaite Boyle Injury Law 800-440-8298

It's The Only Law We Do - Since 1986

Free Initial Consultation

Offices in: Edmonton, Red Deer, and Calgary

WIN one of three \$400 prepaid Visa cards awarded monthly

Scan Once Weekly for Max. Entries

For contest rules and recent winners, visit www.accidentinjurylawyer.com/coffeenews

IS ADVENTURE ON YOUR BUCKET LIST?

Learn to Scuba Dive
Ask about our Buddy Special

Discover Snorkeling
1-Hour Lesson at the Pool!
Snorkeling Sets for the Family

The Dive Outfitters
Scuba Diving & Snorkeling
780.483.0044
11781-156 St., Edmonton

www.thediveoutfitters.ca

SCUBAPRO | SHERWOOD | GARMIN | SHEARWATER | AKONA | HENDERSON | SEALIFE | TUSA

FREE! **New Issue Every Week!**

Coffee News®
"News To Be Enjoyed Over Coffee"

North West Edmonton Edition

780-220-6397

www.coffee-news.ca

Est. 1988

Vol. 20 No. 17 April 24, 2023

Everybody's Talking

Inside a fairy tale: Today's children, and adults, can thank Danish author Hans Christian Andersen (1805-1875) for "The Little Mermaid," "The Princess and the Pea," and many other fairy tales. Soon the author's fans will be able to visit a museum built in his honour in Odense, Andersen's hometown. Rather than displaying artifacts, this immersive museum uses new technologies to make visitors feel like they are inside a fairy tale. Designed by 12 international artists, the exhibits in H.C. Anderson's House mirror the famous stories. "The Little Mermaid" exhibit has a glass ceiling, above which is a pool of water, so visitors can feel like mermaids looking up into another world.

Big vehicle: Imagine owning a two-story sport utility vehicle. Sheikh Hamad Bin Hamdan al Nahyan of the United Arab Emirates has such a car. Known as the Rainbow Sheikh, he commissioned the Hummer H1 X3, which is three times larger than a regular Hummer H1. This gigantic SUV has four diesel engines and is 6.6 metres (21.6 ft.) high, 14 metres (46 ft.) long and 6 metres (19.6 ft.) wide. Inside, a bathroom is on the first floor, and the second floor has a 360-degree view in a sitting room where guests can relax. A member of the UAE royal family, the avid collector owns a large assortment of 4x4 vehicles.

Writing method: Back in the 1800s, writing letters was one of the only ways to communicate across the miles. However, with writing paper scarce and postage expensive, people found a frugal way to get their points across: they practiced cross-writing, which is writing in different directions on a piece of paper. When they finished writing in one direction, they'd turn the paper 90 degrees and write over top of what was already on the page. Some would even write diagonally. Looking at vintage letters from the era, one wonders how the puzzling script could have been legible, but apparently people grew accustomed to deciphering it.

Unfamiliar bill: A 37-year-old Canadian \$5 bill didn't pass the recent scrutiny of a young employee in a Sudbury, Ontario, coffee shop. Customer Irene Nizzero tried to pay for her beverage with the bill that had been printed in 1986. At that time, bank notes were made from a different type of material than they are today, and the employee was unfamiliar with the look of the bill. Not to raise a fuss, Nizzero paid with a newer \$20 bill. But she came back the next day to show the old bill to the manager, who confirmed that it would be an acceptable form of payment in the shop.

Quoteable Quotes

"Never pay attention to what critics say. Remember, a statue has never been set up in honour of a critic."
—Jean Sibelius

"Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands, but... you choose them as your guides, and following them, reach your destiny."
—Carl Schurz

What's Happening

Apr 29-30 - Melodies at the Manor Join the South East Edmonton Seniors Association as they present Melodies at the Manor on the 29th 7pm and the 30th 1pm. Visit seesa.ca for more information

Ongoing - Abbotsfield Rec Centre The Youth Gym is for kids 12-17 years old to play their favorite sports, get physically active, and make friends! This event takes place every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 4-7pm. For more info please contact 780-239-8523 or visit beverlytown.com

NON profit organizations may submit events for FREE at www.coffee-news.ca

Hidden Coffee News Guy ADVENTURE

To enter, visit www.coffee-news.ca

Submit your birth date and we'll send you a birthday card with valuable offers on your special day!

\$400* Prize Package
*Coffee News Bucks
Over 150 participating sponsors!

4 winners (\$100 each) will be drawn on the 15th of each month from all correct entries

Trivia

1. What was the "Drama in the Bahamas"?
2. Mycroft Holmes, brother of fictional detective Sherlock, was a member of what club?
3. The Shinano (Chikuma) River is the longest in Japan—T/F?
4. In what year was the iPhone introduced in the U.S.?
5. What is the Greek name for sisters Alecto, Megaera, and Tisiphone?

(Flip bottom of page for answers)

© Published with Permission by Capital Marketing Ltd

(Over)

Concerned about your Health Care? Let us help!

Giterman Health Care Advocacy

Health Care Advocates provide support and advocacy for patients, working to promote and protect their rights while improving the quality of care they receive.

Services We Provide:

- Patient Navigation
- Education, Guidance, and Clarification
- Personal Assistance with Medical Documentation
- Aid with Administrative/Legal Tasks
- Facilitating Appointments with Health Care Professionals

Contact Dr. Daniel Giterman at **825.461.1525** or visit www.gitermanhca.ca for more information

THIS SPACE FOR RENT

780-220-6397

Reliable Service for 25+ Years

Expert repairs, maintenance and installations on any residential or commercial plumbing or HVAC equipment.

RBA MECHANICAL INC.
780.474.7481

Limited Time Offers • Quotes

www.rbamechanical.ca

Running for office?

Give your campaign a kickstart with **Coffee News®!**

Call for opportunities in your local community.

STOP STREAMING! IT'S FUNNIER LIVE AT THE COMIC STRIP

BOURBON STREET, WEST EDMONTON MALL

PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE AT thecomicstrip.ca

Rick Bronson's **THE COMIC STRIP**
DRINK • DINE • LAUGH

Exclusive offer for Facebook and Google Ads

Get **FREE** set-up (up to a \$500 value!)

We are a local digital marketing agency specializing in paid ads.

Contact us today for your **FREE** no obligation consultation!

Frontline 780.760.6922

We help people purchase their homes

Broker: **Nikole Rolof**

brokeryeg.ca

If you liked Gold Canyon Candles, you are gonna love Sunset Scents!

They are creating candles that have a strong scent throw and the cleanest burning scented candles out there!

PSC Prairie Scented Candles

Sunset Scents a RAY of Fragrance

prairiescentedcandles@gmail.com
www.prairiescentedcandles.com

Jennifer Miles, Agent
125-15 Circle Dr
St. Albert AB T8N 3Y7
780-460-2279
www.jmilesinsurance.com



Desjardins Insurance

Desjardins Insurance refers to Certas Home and Auto Insurance Company, underwriter of automobile and property insurance or Desjardins Financial Security Life Assurance Company, underwriter of life insurance and living benefits products. Desjardins, Desjardins Insurance and related trademarks are trademarks of the Fédération des caisses Desjardins du Québec, used under licence.

inogen

FREEDOM. TO BE YOU.

Call 1-888-998-6714 for a free consultation.



BLUE BLOODS

MON - THURS 9:00

yesTV



WINTER CLEARANCE

Save Up To

50%

Off Our Already Low, Low Prices

Direct Workwear Ltd.

5361 Gateway Blvd NW, Edmonton AB
Open 7 Days A Week



ELECTRICIAN FOR HIRE

Residential
Light Commercial
Electrical Repairs and Renovations

Art de Leon **Master Electrician**

780.932.3858 Cell
ajdeleon63@gmail.com



COLD SHOT
A DIVISION OF BALWARIA EMPIRE PVT. LTD.

PASSENGER & PARCEL SERVICES

SHIP BY BUS

GET YOUR REWARD CARD TO GET A FREE TICKET!

Parcel Website: www.coldshotca.com
Passenger Website: www.coldshot.ca

TICKETS: 587-557-7719 | PARCEL: 587-557-7718

SERVING ALBERTA'S BUSINESS COMMUNITY SINCE 2005



Need ONE More Reason to Join?

- You don't have an up to date will
- You don't understand the difference between a trust and a will
- The CRA selects you for an audit
- You need a letter written on your behalf by a lawyer
- You receive a speeding ticket
- You need a lawyer's advice on any matter

Call **LLOYD KENNEY**, Independent Associate, to find out how LegalShield can help you!

LegalShield 1-877-579-9449



FREE ROLLING TRAY

WHEN YOU PRESENT THIS COUPON

LIMIT 1 PER CUSTOMER - SEE IN STORE FOR DETAILS

BUBONIC KRONIK
420 ECIGS • VAPORIZERS • BONGS

8060-167 AVE. NW
EDMONTON 780.371.0106



Your Weekly Horoscope

ARIES
(March 21 - April 20)

In matters of love, you may be acting from your head rather than your heart. If so, is this an unconscious reaction to pain from an old relationship wound? Lucky numbers: 2, 3, 12, 13, 41, 46.

TAURUS
(April 21 - May 21)

An unexpected event may happen this week that could provide an opportunity for you to break free from your routine. What do you want to do differently from now on? Lucky numbers: 7, 15, 20, 34, 43, 46.

GEMINI
(May 22 - June 21)

The next few weeks may be busy and stressful for you. Despite this, you may find an opportunity for progress if you communicate to others clearly and from your values. Lucky numbers: 11, 12, 16, 17, 21, 30.

CANCER
(June 22 - July 22)

You may be feeling out of sorts at the beginning of the week. If you retreat into your shell, you may miss an opportunity to connect more deeply with a partner. Lucky numbers: 3, 25, 33, 35, 45, 46.

LEO
(July 23 - Aug. 23)

The natural enthusiasm and childlike joy of Leo is highlighted at the end of the week. Enjoy these few days while you can, as your normal routine may soon return. Lucky numbers: 13, 22, 27, 29, 41, 44.

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)

By the end of the week, your emotions may be heightened. Then you might have to decide if this dynamic will lead you to success or leave you feeling uncertain. Lucky numbers: 5, 7, 17, 21, 24, 28.

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favour Leo winners with the luckiest number being 27.

Did You Know...

Headache harbinger: Triggers for a migraine headache vary from person to person. However, research has identified some common triggers, including caffeine, artificial sweeteners, aged cheeses, and stress.

Grunge rocker: Musician Kurt Cobain (1967-1994) was the leader of Nirvana, the grunge rock band based in Seattle, Washington (U.S.). In the mid-1980s, before Nirvana, he was in a band called the Melvins.

Lucky leaves: Four-leaf clovers have long been considered a lucky charm to anyone who finds one. The primary reason is that they are rare. A shamrock, on the other hand, is a three-leaf clover.

Tree dwellers: The tree kangaroo lives in Papua New Guinea, Indonesia, and Australia. In trees, they move around with great agility, but can be clumsy on the ground. Like terrestrial kangaroos, they can leap, but they do so from branch to branch.

Early role: American actor Henry Winkler knew from an early age that he wanted to be in show business. When he was in eighth grade, he played the lead role in his school play, *Billy Budd*. Later, he became well known as Fonzie in the TV series *Happy Days* (1974-1984).

On the Lighter Side

How did the history book do in school? It past.

Silly: "I'm thirsty."
Sillier: "I'm Friday. Come over Saturday for a sundae."

Of all jobs, a mirror inspector is one I could see myself doing.

Sign at a tire shop: "Invite us to your next blowout."

Knock! Knock! *Who's there?* Beehive. *Beehive who?* Beehive yourself!

Answers

Trivia answers: 1. Muhammad Ali boxing match
2. Diogenes Club 3. True 4. 2007 5. Furies

For available franchise opportunities - visit coffeenewscanada.com
© Published with Permission by Capital Marketing Ltd

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)

You may have an opportunity this week to strengthen a romantic relationship. While conversation with your partner is necessary to the process, try to avoid the temptation to over-analyze details. Lucky numbers: 6, 18, 34, 37, 40, 48.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)

People sometimes find a Scorpio's intense nature intimidating. You have the potential now to consider how to adjust your interactions with others while still being your authentic self. Lucky numbers: 10, 13, 18, 27, 37, 48.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 23 - Dec. 21)

Are you finding it difficult to communicate to others about what you need? Over the next few weeks, you may have an opportunity to adjust your communication style to be more effective. Lucky numbers: 9, 12, 13, 23, 37, 45.

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 22 - Jan. 20)

At the end of the week, you may find yourself in conflict with someone. You might want to avoid further interactions for a few days or risk damage to the relationship. Lucky numbers: 4, 5, 17, 23, 45, 46.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)

Your mind and heart may be out of sync. This could be a good time to figure out why, and find a compromise that you can live with down the road. Lucky numbers: 1, 3, 20, 23, 31, 35.

PISCES
(Feb. 20 - March 20)

Pisces is undergoing a two-year process that provides the opportunity to be more grounded. This week that dynamic is highlighted. How do you want to work with this energy? Lucky numbers: 8, 9, 19, 26, 43, 48.

In need of dentures? We can help.

NAIT's Dental Clinic has been providing quality, low-cost denture services for nearly 50 years. Get superior dentures at an affordable rate while giving our students valuable hands-on experience.

To book an appointment, call 780.471.7786 or email dentalclinic@nait.ca



Recipe of the month

Tuscan-Style Roasted Asparagus


1-1/2 pounds fresh asparagus, trimmed	1 teaspoon kosher salt
1-1/2 cups grape tomatoes, halved	1/2 teaspoon pepper
3 tablespoons pine nuts	1 tablespoon lemon juice
3 tablespoons olive oil, divided	1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese
2 garlic cloves, minced	1 teaspoon grated lemon zest

Prep Time: 20 min. Bake Time: 15 min. Yield: 8 servings

- Preheat oven to 400°. Place the asparagus, tomatoes and pine nuts on a foil-lined 15x10x1-in. baking pan. Mix 2 tablespoons oil, garlic, salt and pepper; add to asparagus and toss to coat.
- Bake 15-20 minutes or just until asparagus is tender. Drizzle with remaining oil and the lemon juice; sprinkle with cheese and lemon zest. Toss to combine.

This versatile side dish can be served hot or cold.

Source: <https://www.tasteofhome.com>



Congratulations to March's **Coffee News Guy** contest winners!

Your prizes are in the mail!

Sophie Sakousky
Ashley Lewis
Harvey Lafond
Roberta Drummond

Enter today for your chance to win at www.coffee-news.ca



Love Coffee News?

Send a selfie of yourself with your weekly edition of the paper, and your picture may appear here!

Send your selfie to contests@coffee-news.ca
Please put "Readers" in the subject line.

Please include:
 1 Your name
 2 Your phone number
 3 Your address
 so that we can send you some **cool prizes** if your photo is chosen to appear in the paper!

Reader of the Month
Lida Higham Sparrow from Edmonton

Coffee News Fun Reading. Serious Advertising.



Creating Smiles That Last A Lifetime...

BECAUSE YOUR SMILE DESERVES IT!

- General Dentistry • Cosmetic Dentistry
- Restorative Dentistry • Botox Treatments

Dr. Derek Fika Family Dentistry

Call today to book your appointment:
587-760-4227
www.drderekfika.com
Visit us at 12943-97 Street NW, Edmonton

FREE TAKE HOME WHITENING KITS
WITH EVERY ANNUAL EXAM AND MAINTENANCE VISIT



ATHENS Concrete Service Ltd.

Call 780.995.1924

PROUDLY SERVING THE GREATER EDMONTON AREA SINCE 2007

Sidewalks
Driveways
Steps • Garage Pads
Basements • Exposed
Shop Floors • Stamped
Bobcat Services

Residential & Commercial Service
WCB Coverage Fully Insured



one bite technology

587.290.0200
www.onebitechology.ca

Retail store now open!
22A Muir Drive, St. Albert

We are your Apple experts!

- Mac & PC Repair, Tech Support
- iPhone & iPad Repair
- Used Apple Device Sales
- Upgrades, Repairs, and (Used) Sales

