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# Everybody's Talking

Saved iPhone: An American man thought he'd lost his iPhone forever. Zach Siggelkow of St. Anthony Village, Minnesota, was vacationing with family members at Waikiki Beach, Hawaii. On his last day there, he went kayaking. But after a few hours of fun, he was swamped by a large wave. The iPhone vanished, along with his sunglasses, or so Siggelkow thought. More than a month later, he received a message from Dr. Karl Brookins, who had found the phone during a scuba diving expedition and was able to get into the phone and reach Siggelkow by email. The honest diver sent the phone to its original owner, and the phone still worked!

Magical place: In London, England, magic reigns at The Magic Circle, a society of magicians founded in 1905. Its current headquarters opened in 1998 and is open to the public for prearranged tours and shows. Magicians must apply to become members of what The Magic Circle calls the world's premier magic society. Members are required to pledge not to reveal the secrets to magic tricks, and the membership list includes professionals like David Copperfield, and others like TV personalities, teachers, and even King Charles III. Visitors can browse the headquarters, officially called The Centre for the Magic Arts, which contains magical artifacts from over the centuries, and they can watch tricks performed by members of The Magic Circle.

Expensive treat: Ice cream is always a yummy treat, but a serving of byakuya ("white night") may be the most decadent ever, not to mention the most expensive. The Japanese company Cellato calls it a gelato, and a serving costs JP¥880,000. The treat is made from white Italian truffles from a specific region of Italy, along with Parmigiano Reggiano, sake lees (a by-product of sake), egg yolks, milk, and gold leaf. Complex in taste and smooth in texture, a serving can be shipped to consumers and comes with instructions for eating the creation with the accompanying hand-made spoon. Who needs a vacation when you can savour a bowl of something like this?

Living alone: In the name of research, an athletic mountaineer named Beatriz Flamini lived in a cave in Granada, Spain, for 500 days. Although she was alone the whole time, a team of scientists remotely monitored her to investigate how isolation affects people's minds and bodies. She entered the cave November 21, 2021. When she emerged, she had missed all the news of the world. However, she claims to have loved her time alone, during which she read many books, exercised, knitted, and recorded videos. The team delivered food to a collection point, but made no contact with her. She recorded video footage for an eventual documentary about her experience.

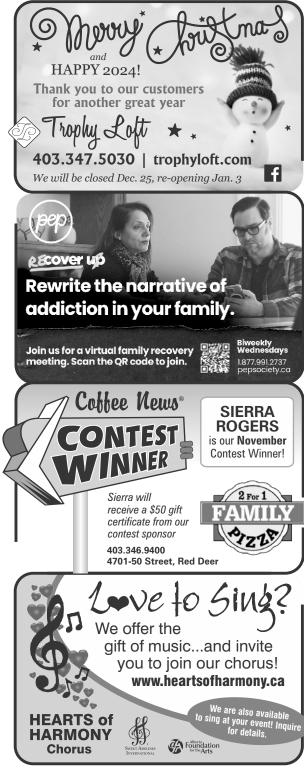
# Quoteable Quotes

"All things must pass." ~ George Harrison "Always do right. It will gratify some and astonish the rest." ~ Mark Twain

What's Happening

Non profit organizations and charities - promote your upcoming event here free of charge! Complete our event submission page at www.centralalbertacoffeenews.com. Please provide three to four weeks' notice

The Red Deer Zone of Canadian Adaptive Snowsports is looking for volunteers for weekly adaptive lessons taking





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place January 12-February 16 at Canyon Ski Resort from 7 to 9 p.m. Intermediate and experienced skiiers and snowboarders, please call 403.391.6735 or email cadsreddeer@gmail.com.



## Irivia

- 1. Lamborghini, Sergio, or Giovanni is an Italian car company?
- 2. A proton or a neutron is a positively charged particle in an atom's nucleus?
- 3. The body of water between Florida and Cuba is the Keys Strait - T/F?
- 4. Reconstruction of London's Globe Theatre was completed in 1896, 1950, or 1996?
- 5. A trapezoid, or trapezium, has four sides, and at least two are parallel - T/F?

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LIBRA

(Sept. 23 - Oct. 22)

13, 18, 40, 46, 47. **SCORPIO** 

(Oct. 23 - Nov. 21)

Early this week, you

may be called upon

to use your skills to

resolve an issue for

At midweek, you may

receive an important

insight to aid you in

achieving your goals.

You may have been

very busy over the

perhaps including a

Do you have your

plans set for 2024?

This first week of the

Aquarians sometimes

are trying to achieve

once. For the next

On New Year's Day,

social, but instead

reserved and distant

past few weeks,

yourself or others. Just be sure

Trust your intuition and don't

sav about the matter. Luckv

**SAGITTARIUS** 

**CAPRICORN** 

33, 42.

**AQUARIUS** 

22, 24, 41, 48.

PISCES

(Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)

(Dec. 21 - Jan. 19)

(Nov. 22 - Dec. 20)

numbers: 3, 7, 14, 23, 31, 44.

breakdown in communication,

machinery, etc. The situation

could start to improve. Lucky

numbers: 8, 18, 20, 30, 31, 46.

to get a jump start on those goals.

Luckv numbers: 12, 18, 24, 32,

month, however, focusing on

completing a smaller goal might

from others. Consider taking this

deepest self and purpose. Lucky

numbers: 4, 10, 12, 15, 18, 41.

be best. Lucky numbers: 9, 14,

(Feb. 19 - March 19)

worry about what others have to

the agreement is fair to everyone,

ARIES

(March 20 – April 19) At the end of the week, you may run into a challenge to what you want to achieve.

Overcoming this obstacle may require you to confront an old issue. Lucky numbers: 2, 8, 11,

18, 21, 22. **TAURUS** (April 20 - May 20)

Thomas Fuller said, "Seeing is believing but feeling is the truth. Adjusting your view-

point this week may encourage you to see a new truth about yourself and your life. Luckv numbers: 5, 7, 17, 26, 34, 39. **GEMINI** 

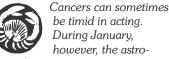
#### (May 21 - June 20)

For the past few weeks, you may have been very busy and struggling to keep so

many balls in the air. That dynamic could begin to ease this week. Lucky numbers: 10, 11, 22, 25, 43, 46.

#### CANCER

(June 21 – July 21)



logical energy encourages you to come out of your crab shell and go after what you want. Lucky numbers: 1, 6, 16, 27, 39, 40. LEO

#### (July 22 - Aug. 22)

Have you had trouble finding enough motivation to complete

energy pattern this month could help you buckle down and do so in a timely manner. Lucky numbers: 6, 9, 17, 29, 36, 41. VIRGO



gearing up for forward motion over the next month. Use this time to get your ducks in a row. time to get in touch with your Lucky numbers: 7, 17, 32, 34,

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favour Capricorn winners, with the luckiest number being 33.

### Did You Know...

Butterfly migration: In the winter, the oyamel fir trees about 100 km from Mexico City fill with monarch butterflies. The Monarch Butterfly Biosphere Reserve provides a perfect environment for the beautiful insects from the north.

Peanut treat: Marcellus Gilmore Edson, who hailed from Bedford, Québec, is credited as the first to make an early type of peanut butter. Patented in 1884, Edson's product was called "peanut-candy."

Needs help: An animal or bird species whose young are born unable to look after themselves is called "altricial," from the Latin for "needing nourishment." They can't get food without help from their parents.









your endeavours? The

### (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)

The astrological aspects for the first week of this new year is

37.42.

Clean laundry: Many condos and other housing developments have rules against hanging laundry outside. Not so in the state of Vermont, where regulations that prohibit this practice are illegal.

Popular fabric: Breathable and wind- and water-proof, GORE-TEX fabric is popular among outdoor lovers. It was developed by W.L. Gore and Associates, established in 1958 by husband and wife Wilbert L. and Genevieve Gore.

# On the Lighter Side

Knock! Knock! Who's there? Itch. Itch who? Itch been a long time! Why is the sky so high? So the birds don't hit their heads. Two houses next to each other fell in love. It was a lawn distance relationship.

Children truly do brighten a home - they never turn out the lights!

Teacher: "You promised you'd give 100% effort this week." Student: "Monday 35%, Tuesday 25%, Wednesday and Thursday 15%, Friday 10%."

# Answers

4. 1996 5. True Irivia answers: J. Lamborghini 2. Proton 3. False

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