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Big Lee's Beach Bar
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(27 de febrero)

LAS ROCAS

Los Tres Cocos

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**SEPT
10**



This full Moon name is attributed to Native Americans because it marked when corn was supposed to be harvested.

Well, with the weather this hot, at least I know what's in store for me when I die.



TODAY'S QUOTE:

"You can't make everyone happy. You are not a plane ticket."

**DEAR WEATHER
STOP SHOWING OFF
WE GET IT,
YOU'RE HOT!**

Sometimes lawyers really do have the best responses. The following is just one example.

Rebuilding New Orleans after Katrina often caused residents to be challenged to prove home titles back hundreds of years. That is because of community history stretching back over two centuries during which houses were passed along through generations of family, sometimes making it quite difficult to establish a paper trail of ownership.

A New Orleans lawyer sought a FHA rebuilding loan for a client. He was told the loan would be granted upon submission of satisfactory proof of ownership of the parcel of property as it was being offered as collateral. It took the lawyer 3 months, but he was able to prove title to the property dating back to 1803. After sending the information to the FHA, he received the following reply.

(Actual reply from FHA)

"Upon review of your letter adjoining your client's loan application, we note that the request is supported by an Abstract of Title. While we compliment the able manner in which you have prepared and presented the application, we must point out that you have only cleared title to the proposed collateral property back to 1803. Before final approval can be accorded, it will be necessary to clear the title back to its origin."

And here is the great letter the lawyer responded with: (Actual response):

"Your letter regarding title in Case No.189156 has been received. I note that you wish to have proof of title extended further than the 206 years already covered in the present application.

I was unaware that any educated person in this country, particularly those working with real property, would not know that Louisiana was purchased by the United States from France in 1803, the year of origin of title identified in our application.

For the edification of uninformed FHA bureaucrats, the title to the land prior to U.S. ownership was obtained from France, which had acquired it by Right of Conquest from Spain. The land came into the possession of Spain by Right of Discovery made in the year 1492 by a sea captain named Christopher Columbus, who had been granted the privilege of seeking a new route to India by the Spanish monarch, Queen Isabella.

The good Queen Isabella, being a pious woman and almost as careful about titles as the FHA, took the precaution of securing the blessing of the Pope before she sold her jewels to finance Columbus's expedition. Now the Pope, as I'm sure you may know, is the emissary of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, and God, it is commonly accepted, created this world.

Therefore, I believe it is safe to presume that God also made that part of the world called Louisiana. God, therefore, would be the owner of origin and His origins date back to before the beginning of time, the world as we know it, and the FHA.

I hope you find God's original claim to be satisfactory. Now, may we have our damn reconstruction loan?"

The loan was immediately approved.

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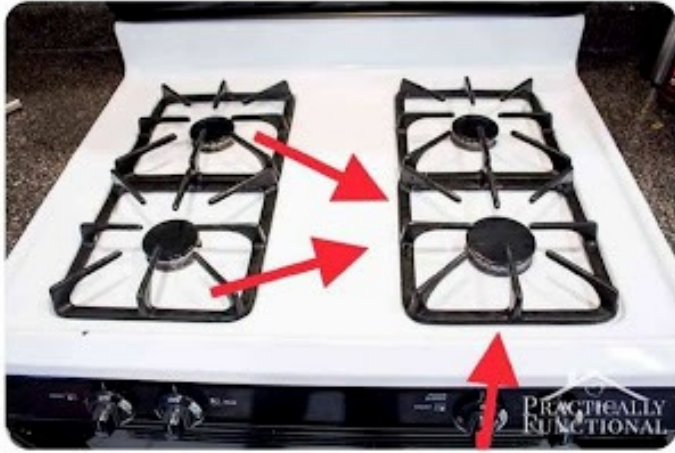
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One of the weirder things about being an adult is having a favorite stovetop burner, yet nobody talks about it.



Only a Dog could
Go to a party,
Speak to no one,
Steal food,
Fall asleep and
Still be the most
Popular Guest.

I'm jealous of toddlers and their lack of social norms. Imagine seeing someone you don't want to talk to, and the second they open their mouth, you just scream "NO" in their face and run away.

When I type "I'm ducking mad" this is what I mean 🤪

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Do you ever feel like your body's "check engine" light has been on and you're still driving it like "nah it'll be fine"?

Husband: "Why do you keep buying plants when you just end up killing them?"
 Wife: "Just to remind you what I'm capable of."

I don't know how to use TikTok, but I can write in cursive, do long division and tell time on clocks with hands... so there's that.

My entire life can be described in one sentence...
 "Well, that didn't go as planned."



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APC DIRECTORS MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT AUGUST 2022

Here are the APC initiatives continuing during the summer:

Please ensure your current email address is provided to the APC office. Please email your info to apcmaintenance@yahoo.com;

Consider installing security cameras at your property or apartment/condominium complex. To join the APC Security Monitoring system, you will need the correct DVR. Please contact the Security Committee (Jack Cameron at jackflor@aol.com); or William (Junior) Blandino, the Principal of Nutecom, at (809) 586-6883, or by email at info@nutecom.com.do;

The Security Committee is fundraising for a new motorcycle for the security guards. So far, close to 50,000 pesos have been donated and pledged. Please contact Jack Cameron at jackflor@aol.com to make a donation - as always, thank you very much for your support;

We continue to welcome contributions for upgrading the APC office. The APC office is looking great, and has become the main meeting place for all APC business. A little more furniture, and some new office equipment will add the finishing touches;

The APC is selling COSTAMBAR RESIDENT car decals for 500 pesos each. Currently, they are available only to APC members, and to new members. Drop by the office to get your sticker - Monday to Friday, 9 to 3; and Saturday 9 to 12;

The APC will clear overgrown, vacant lots in Costambar. Please contact APC if you see or own an empty lot that could use some care - for 2,000 pesos, APC will clear of grass and brush;

The APC will apply larvicide regularly to neglected pools. If you see one of those pretty green, or half empty swimming pools, tell APC. We will add it to the list for regular treatment. We can work together to reduce the health hazard those pools generate.

The APC will patch potholes, finances permitting. Drop by the office with a 500 peso note, and let Betania know which pothole annoys you the most. We can patch them for 500 pesos each - provided we can get 4-5 of them paid for at once.

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I married
my wife for her looks..
but not the ones
she's
giving me lately.

My boss, who is on vacation, phoned me today. He said, "Is everything OK at the office?" I said, "It's all under control. It's been a very busy day. I haven't stopped to take a break all day."

"Can you do me a favor," he asked.

I said, "Of course, what is it?"

"Pick up the pace a little. I'm in the foursome behind you."

One big difference between men and women is that if a woman says "Smell this", it usually smells nice.

A guy wants a divorce. He tells the judge, "I just can't take it anymore. Every night she's out until way after midnight, just going from bar to bar."

Judge asks, "What's she doing?"

The guy answers, "Looking for me."

The cashier told me "Strip Down Facing Me".

By the time I realized they meant the debit card, it was too late.

Experts:
A serving size of chips is 10 chips.

Me:
I eat 10 chips while standing in the pantry with the bag open, trying to decide if I want to eat chips.





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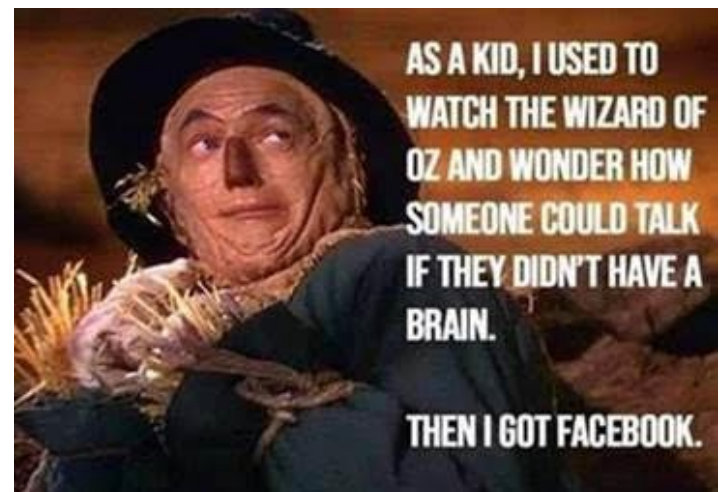
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Parenting is a lot like the bar scene:
Everyone's yelling, everything's sticky, it's the same music over and over again and occasionally someone pukes.



My luck is like a bald guy who just won a comb.

THE RAINY DAY PAGE

SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 10

SUDOKU PUZZLES

Fill in the missing numbers so every row, column and quadrant contains the number 1 through 9.

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MEDIUM

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Find and circle all of the words that are hidden in the grid. The remaining letters spell a hidden message

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| BAIT | FLOUNDER | LINE | SPOOL |
| BASS | FLY CASTING | LURE | SPOON |
| BLUEFISH | FLY FISHING | NIBBLE | STILL FISHING |
| BOAT | FLY REEL | PANFISH | STREAM |
| BOBBER | FLY ROD | POLE FISHING | STRIKE |
| CATCH AND RELEASE | GEAR | POND | TACKLE BOX |
| CATFISH | HOOK | REDFISH | TRAILER |
| CRAPPIE | JIGGING | RIVER | TROLLING |
| CRAWLER | JIGS | ROD AND REEL | TROUT |
| DAILY LIMIT | KEEPER | SALMON | |

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- Across**
- Forceful and extreme
 - Officer
 - Territorial jurisdiction of a bishop
 - Idiom
- Down**
- Resolved
 - Ancient jar
 - Circus swing
 - Permission

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Anti-Noise Department of the National Police
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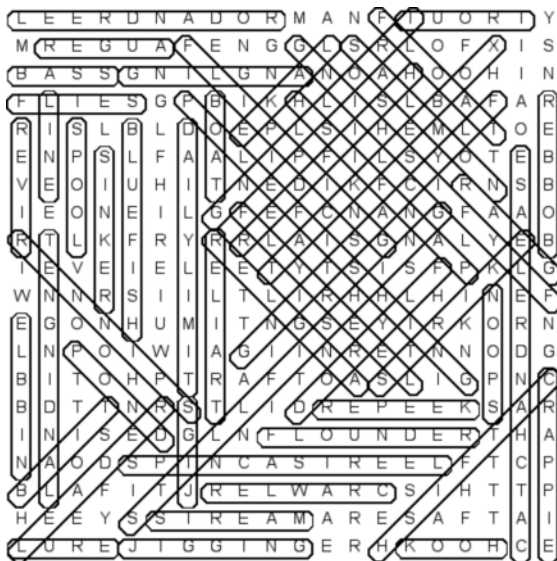


When you leave Minnesota in the spring to visit your family down south



Stop complaining — being an adult is easy: pay your bills, don't smoke meth, keep a few close friends, wear deodorant, and tip your bartender.

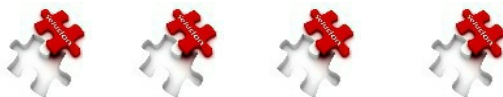
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HIDDEN MESSAGE
MANY MEN GO FISHING ALL
OF THEIR LIVES WITHOUT
KNOWING THAT IT IS NOT
FISH THEY ARE AFTER.



EASY

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