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Townships on track to follow reopening plan

By Gordon Lambie

The morning after Premier François Legault announced the province's reopening plan for the coming summer months, regional Public Health Director Dr. Alain Poirier affirmed that things in the Eastern Townships are on the right track to follow the proposed schedule.

"We're already on the way back down," Poirier said, noting that although the local numbers began to head upwards at the same time that the rest of the province was starting to improve, the situation now appears to be stabilizing.

The Estrie administrative region reported 43 new cases, no additional deaths, 19 hospitalizations, and only four patients with COVID-19 in intensive care on Wednesday. The number of active cases in the region dropped to 434, still primarily concentrated in Sherbrooke (134) and Granit (148).

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Ultramar to stop selling gas, focus on repair and towing shop



MICHAEL BORIERO

By Michael Boriero

When people drive through Lennoxville, there aren't many options to gas up before heading to the 410 West, or circling

through the roundabouts towards Waterville, other than an Esso and an Ultramar that looks like something out of a bygone era.

But starting this weekend, the Ultramar will be no more, as owners

Delly, Laurent and Larry Paradis have decided to move on from the gas station business after nearly 50 years. The pumps will be out-of-service by Saturday and cleared out early next week.

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The Last Picture Show?



LINDA KNIGHT SECCASPINA

If you're like me watching a movie has now come down to sitting back in my easy chair and watching the Netflix pick of the week. Honestly, if movie theatres opened back up I don't know if I would miss that 5 second lap dance you give someone moving to your seat in the middle of the movie theatre.

We have to reason with ourselves that turning the corner in the pandemic doesn't guarantee long lasting life for theatres. Offering luxurious experiences doesn't mean audiences will show up in droves every week. Instead, will some wonder how long films will be shown in theatres before going online to save a buck or two?

In my youth there was always the Princess Theatre on Main Street in Cowansville, Quebec. Noreen Duross once told me that her father's uncle, Carl Brock, owned the Princess Theatre in the 1940's and 1950's and her Dad, Fred Pettes, operated the camera when he was a teen. When the film broke (which happened fairly often) he

would have to splice it to get it going again. In the 1950's she worked at the popcorn counter, so between the start of the movie and before and after intermission, she got to watch the movies for free.

For years the Princess Theatre was a safe haven for me. Every Saturday afternoon I would go to the matinee and become whomever was on the screen. Growing up in a small town you did what you could for entertainment. My limited picks were the local swimming pool, neighbourhood kids, and the Princess Theatre for movies. Because the theatre was small we seemed to get the big movies later than the rest of the world - but 50 cents and a bag of popcorn was a sure fire way to put a smile on your face.

The Princess Theatre was where I first saw Edgar Allen Poe's The Pit and the Pendulum, which scarred me for life. Seeing The Sound of Music was the closest I ever came to seeing my Grandmother enjoying her own personal hootenanny while caterwauling along to the songs in the film. She was way before her time in what we now call "Sing-A-Long Sound of Music events".

Small town gossip spread quickly among the rows of that theatre and for weeks one summer we heard rumours about the local minister being told not to laugh so loudly at the risqué antics in the film Carry On Doctor. A few weeks later Doris Day showed up to the Princess Theatre one evening to watch the rushes of a movie she was filming nearby. The town of course went wild. Apparently she still had her theatrical makeup on and looked cheap, the citizens said.

Drive-Ins were illegal in the province of Quebec as the Catholic Church deemed them pits of sin that could take you halfway to Hell. Had they only looked at the balconies of the Princess Theatre I swear that place would have been shut down in a Cinerama moment. Summer romances began on the second level and continued into the colder months, and sometimes there was more steam coming out of the balcony than there was on the screen.

The whole idea of going to that theatre was to see something magical and amazing. Some old theatres have gone by the wayside, but the memories have lasted in our hearts. But now since the pandemic began we have learned to live without movie theatres. I don't think Hollywood can deliver the massive profits of a successful worldwide theatrical release. It has been clear to anyone who has watched the relentless and impressive weekly showings of Netflix and other streaming companies where it's going.

Honestly, I will always be missing that awkward moment when I finished a medium popcorn before the opening credits. Memories of paying \$47.50 for in house snacks and walking over floors full of popcorn, soda and melting chocolate still fill my memories. However, word forever is a long time, and nothing seems like it lasts anymore and time has a way of changing things. As they say on some movie signs- "Now showing- nothing!- coming soon?-who knows"

Favourite movie quote-*"By all means, move at a glacial pace. You know how that thrills me."* - Miranda Priestly, The Devil Wears Prada.



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While a person waited for their gas to be pumped into their car, they could talk to the employee, or head inside to have a conversation with Delly and Laurent.

Ultramar

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"Yesterday I had a customer come in and he stood there and talked with us for, I would say, about half an hour and the same thing this morning, a long-time customer came in and told us he was going to miss us," Delly told The Record.

She and her husband, Laurent, opened the gas station 48 years ago, back in 1973. Their son, Larry, started working there at the same time. He was still a student, though, and only became a partner in the business 10 years later.

Delly said her youngest son initially joined the family business, but ultimately decided to part ways to start his own towing company. He ran a successful operation for 30 years, she said, before retiring due to health issues.

All the while, Delly, alongside Laurent and Larry, ran the show at the Ultramar, not only providing gas, but also acting as a general repair, tune-up, welding, and towing shop for residents in the area.

"I can remember in the beginning we used to have lineups way past the motel here coming in for gas," Delly said, pointing down the street towards Motel La Paysanne.

While the gas station isn't as busy as it was back then, the Paradis family has kept it open 363 days out of the year for nearly five decades. They only close for Christmas Day and New Year's Day. According to Larry, it was about time to shift gears.

He is almost 64 years old now. Delly is 82 years old, and Laurent turned 90 years old on Tuesday. Everyone is getting older, Delly said, and it is exhausting, working almost every day, pumping gas for customers, and running a repair shop.

It is still quite bittersweet for Delly,

though, knowing that they won't be seeing the same people rolling through the gas station every other day. They aren't like the Esso, either. They are a full-service station, which is rarely seen these days.

"The companies don't want service, they want self-service with a dépanneur, car wash, Tim Hortons, A&W, and you put a manager in there and let them run it and that's that," said Larry.

This is how they were able to make bonds with many people in the Lennoxville community. While a person waited for their gas to be pumped into their car, they could talk to the employee, or head inside to have a conversation with Delly and Laurent.

The family have strong ties to the Eastern Townships. Laurent grew up in Albert Mines, and they also previously owned a gas station on College Street, over a decade before taking over the Ultramar. And they have made their fair share of memories.

But one memory stood out to Delly. When the business was just getting on its feet in the early days, they had an incident with their flatbed truck, which their youngest son had named Smokey. The truck went missing, only for the police to discover it a couple days later.

"We had a flatbed, and somebody stole it, and they took off with it," Delly said. "The police called us a day or two later, they found the flatbed and it had a safe in it; they used it to rob a bank."

Larry said the robbers used the truck to break down a wall in order to get inside the building. When the police contacted the family, Larry jokingly asked the police to keep the truck and instead hand them the safe full of cash. Unfortunately, he had to settle for the truck.

While they close a chapter on the Ultramar, the family business, Service G.L. Paradis Inc., will continue to provide other necessary services. There will be mechanics there every day, Larry said, and residents can always call them if their car needs to be towed.

The next step is replacing all of the signs, but other than that it will be business as usual for Larry. However, for Delly, there is a slight sadness, losing

out on the opportunities to speak with community members, and connect on a personal level.

"I'm going to miss talking with the customers, you know, when they come in and put their credit card through if they are in a hurry, it's just a 'good morning' and 'goodbye, have a great day,' but if they have time, they'll chit-chat and I'm going to miss that," said Delly.

Ed sector protests continue

Record Staff

Members of the Syndicat des professionnelles et professionnels de l'éducation de l'Estrie (SPPEE-CSQ) formed a picket line outside the École secondaire du Triolet Wednesday morning exercising another half-day strike. The union, which is part of the Fédération des professionnelles et professionnels de l'éducation du Québec (FPPE-CSQ), is upset with the lack of movement from the Quebec government, as they have yet to provide an attractive offer at the sectorial and intersectorial table. This comes just a day after teachers' unions accepted the government's sectorial settlement proposal. SPPEE-CSQ President Martin Côté (far left) told The Record that he is worried about causing a divide between teachers and professionals. "The risk we're living right now is that if you give more to the teachers, who



MICHAEL BORIERO

deserve every penny, you risk creating an imbalance with other groups who have similar education backgrounds," said Côté. Professionals are tired, he continued, there are few resources available, and people are leaving the public sector for better positions in the private sector. Another strike with members from the same union was held at Richmond Regional High School.

Reopening plan

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There were still more than 50 individual outbreaks being tracked across the townships on Wednesday, but Poirier pointed out that the protocol is for an outbreak to remain under observation for 14 days after its last reported case, explaining the large number listed as being "in progress" without reporting any new cases. Among the five new outbreaks reported was one at Princess Elizabeth Elementary School in Magog, where fewer than five linked cases have been reported to date.

Recognizing that some might take the announcement of reopening measures as license to dive right in, the public health director stressed the fact that the region remains under red zone restrictions for the time being, but he pointed out that there is no reason why the alert status couldn't move to orange earlier than the set date of May 31 if the situation improves enough. As to the question

of whether the emergency measures in the Granit sub-region will have an impact on the status of the rest of the Townships, Poirier said that it is still under discussion.

Regional vaccination campaign director Jean Delisle shared that as a whole, the Estrie region has now passed the halfway point when it comes to the administration of first doses. As of Wednesday morning, 50.6 per cent of the adult population of the region had already received a first dose, with that percentage increasing to 62 per cent if those who have appointments are included in the figure.

Looking at individual sub-regions, Delisle pointed out that coverage in the Haut-Saint-François and Coaticook areas in particular is lagging behind at closer to 45 per cent, and he encouraged those who have yet to make an appointment in those areas to do so as soon as possible.

Asked how the province can claim

that all residents in long term care homes have received a second dose when the local figures show second-dose coverage resting at just over 65 per cent, Delisle shared that the figure is about 11 per cent higher when you include those individuals who got the virus and a first shot. Recognizing that 76 per cent still falls short of the 94.1 per cent who received a first dose, however, the vaccination campaign director said that teams will be checking back in with the various residences in the region to confirm that everyone who needs a second dose has, in fact, received one.

On the other end of the age spectrum, the campaign director said that he expects to hear directives from the government Thursday on how to proceed with vaccination of 12 to 17-year-olds. Although Health Minister Christian Dubé has made multiple references to a first-dose delivered through the school system for this

age range before classes end for the summer, the practical details of that plan have yet to be announced.

The Province of Quebec reported 584 new cases of COVID-19 on Wednesday, bringing the total number of people infected to 364,980, and decreasing the number of active cases to 6,535.

Eight new deaths were recorded, for a total of 11,058 since the start of the pandemic, while the number of hospitalizations decreased by 18, to 466, and the number of people in intensive care decreased by five, to 113.

The total number of vaccination doses administered across the province increased to 4,543,365, bringing first-dose coverage to 50.5 per cent across the province. Taking into account people who have received either two doses or a single dose and who contracted the virus itself, Quebec's public health institute the INSPQ identified 4.6 per cent of the population as "adequately vaccinated."

2022 Genesis G70



Genesis G70 first drive: not earth-shattering, but then again, just a little

Photo: D.Boshouwers



By Derek Boshouwers

Though it was open to interpretation, I took it as a portent when an earthquake hit our region at just about the precise moment a Genesis representative delivered a brand-new 2022 G70 sedan to my door for a socially distanced first test drive. So, did this mean the revised edition of the automaker's sportiest model was an earth-shattering departure from the previous edition? Was Mother Earth celebrating its arrival on my street? Or had it earned the wrath of Poseidon (yes yes, god of the seas but also of earthquakes!)?

The answer of course is none of the above. The quake was pretty mild. Also, while, the 2022 Genesis is noticeably updated visually, particularly with a view to bringing it into line with the visual signature seen on other current and new models by the Korean automaker like the G80 sedan, GV80 SUV and upcoming GV70 crossover, it's not a radical departure either. Just like it did before, it offers a high level of comfort and luxury inside; and just like before, the Sport version I test-drove has a powertrain with plenty of gumption and a mildly sporty attitude. There are enhancements but they're more incremental than earthquake-inducing. Perhaps the biggest change has to do with the brand's attitude in regards to its name. The Hyundai spinoff, now a stand-alone brand, has since its inception toiled in relative obscurity compared to the big boys from Germany. Now, the brand wants to trumpet its presence more loudly than before. Maybe they got tired of being asked "What make is this car?". And so you get big GENESIS lettering on the back below the small spoiler, instead of the previous hard-to-read winged logo (still found on the front of the hood), and almost no clutter to distract from the name.

In the front, the grille has been redesigned and its g-matrix pattern is repeated on certain elements inside. You also now find the quad lamps that are a major centerpiece of Genesis' updated athletic elegance visual signature. The fascia contains a wide opening flanked

by two smaller ones, like before but all are now larger. The effect of it all is that this Genesis sedan is much more recognizable on the road, whether you're behind it or in front of it.

For its silhouette, the G70 inherits two horizontal lines (top and bottom) that add to the muscular character of the design. You'll also notice two functional side air extractors, designed to improve air flow and thus efficiency. The new G70 also gets redesigned wheels.

Genesis brought some updates and improvements to the interior as well, namely involving the driver display screen; if you've seen the one serving the new GV80, it's the same here. There are new connectivity options, the new multimedia system is accessed via the 10.25-inch screen placed atop the centre console, and the interface itself is frankly a marvel of intuitiveness, responsiveness and resolution. The wireless smartphone charging pad has also been updated to accommodate larger phones, because those things never stop growing.

Making the thing go is one of two engines, depending on the version you choose from the blessedly simple product offering (a Genesis trademark). Neither is new, but both are good. The 'base' model comes with a 2.0L 4-cylinder turbocharged engine (252 hp and 260 lb-ft of torque) while a 3.3L twin-turbo V6 (365 hp and 376 lb-ft of torque) delivers some real muscle. Our tester was the G70 Sport with that V6 engine. All versions sold in Canada come out of the box with all-wheel drive included.

Pricing is just as straight-forward. There are three trims with the smaller engine (Select, Advanced and Prestige), and three with the bigger mill (Advanced, Sport and the limited-run Launch Edition). Pricing goes from \$45,000 CAD to \$61,000. And that's it, that's all you need to know. There's no endless list of options, packages and whatnot that could make the final bill skyrocket.

On the road

Our drive on this day lasted a few hours in warm weather under a gorgeous sun and took us on a variety of road types, from city streets to highways to winding country roads. Default mode is Comfort (self-explanatory), but really once you leave town you'll want to shift the rotary button on the lower console to Sport. It awakens a mild but pleasant grumble from the engine, and away you go. The 365 horses from the V6 are plenty for this compact sedan and make acceleration hearty, passing a cinch.

No, this is not a pure sports car, but it is sporty of spirit - unless and until the GV70 comes along and proves otherwise, this is easily the sportiest member of

the Genesis clan. You can feel a trace of the luxury-boatness of the G80 and G90, but only a trace. This is a solid compact performance sedan, one that sticks to the road with purpose and delivers tight steering, agile handling and sharp braking on demand. But it's not on the crazy train scale. The suspension gets firmer in Sport mode but not to the point of discomfort, far from it. And if you stick it in Comfort mode and ferry your kids around town, the G70 feels made specifically for the job.

I would add one caveat to that, mind you, and that is, if those kids are tall, their space will be somewhat limited in back. The seats are comfortable enough but even incredibly average 5'9" me found my head tickling the top of the door opening when getting in. Once seated I was OK, but I'm not 6'plus. Just don't expect the kind of headroom - or legroom - you'll enjoy in a larger sedan or compact SUV...

Beyond that, visibility out back is decent but no more; as with the headroom, blame the sloping roofline that gives the sedan its pleasing silhouette.

Lastly, on a day of mixed driving I racked up a combined fuel consumption figure of 9.4L/100 km, which isn't - sorry - earth-shattering, but is within acceptable limits for a V6-propelled performance sedan. Besides, by getting a G70 instead of a much costlier BMW or Audi equivalent, you'll be ahead of the game financially and probably won't mind if you do pay a few pennies more at the pump.

Conclusion

For 2022, Genesis has made its compact sedan more attractive, more confident and more up-to-date technologically, and that's all to the good. The model's powertrains, especially the V6, are pretty exceptional on the road with this vehicle. To take the G70 out on a hilly, winding country road is to experience the car in its happiest state; its impressive acceleration, handling, road-grip and steering qualities merge for a massively pleasant driving experience.

Remains the same issue that has proved a challenge for Genesis since its inception: for those who value the status that a brand can bring, the Korean automaker's brand doesn't - yet - deliver enough of that. Aggressive pricing, generous equipment, an innovative retail approach and simplified product offering will take you some distance to overcoming the cache of a BMW, but not the whole way. However, kudos to Genesis for sticking with its game plan - and for continuing to put time, effort, resources and belief into the sedan genre.

Local rehab centres concerned about new Lennoxville project

By Gordon Lambie

A plan to establish a private rehabilitation centre on the site of the former White Fathers monastery on Cardinal-Lavigerie road in Lennoxville has become a cause for worry and frustration from similar centres across the Eastern Townships. Jean Defonvieille, executive director of the Maison Nouvelle Vie Centre in St-Joseph de Ham Sud, told The Record that he and his counterparts have concerns not just about the introduction of duplicate services into a saturated market, but of unbalanced decisionmaking on the part of the city and the local healthcare establishment.

"All of our centres, within the last three years, have had visits from the certification team from the CIUSSS to discuss and verify that the right people were in the right bed with the proper approach," Defonvieille said, referring to the nine local centres whose directors co-signed a letter to the city of Sherbrooke that shares their fears about the new facility.

Before the opening of the new centre in Lennoxville, Defonvieille said that the centres within the townships have a total of 530 beds available for different forms of rehabilitation services.

"The Ministry of Health and Social Services already considers this too many," he said, explaining that the pressure from above comes from the idea that the region is already being over-served.

That being the case, the centre director asked why it is that a new centre is being authorized.

Defonvieille was insistent about the fact that the signatories to the letter of opposition are not opposed to the idea of helping more people, but instead suggested that the opening of a centre which duplicates existing services rather than adding to serve known needs in the community, like services for the homeless, runs the risk of increasing struggles that all the centres have with finding qualified personnel and resources.

The city of Sherbrooke is currently taking feedback on a zoning change proposal that would allow the former religious building to be used as a rehabilitation centre and, lacking other viable directions to voice their concerns, Defonvieille said that he and his colleagues have been reaching out to the residents of neighbouring zones to try to have them block the change.

The proposed zoning change adds two possible usages: Temporary accommodation for the purposes of convalescence, and supervised accommodation resource for reintegration, to the existing agricultural and religious purposes already authorized on the site. Although Defonvieille made reference to a rumour that the project would also include a housing development, the proposed zoning does not permit such a project and a representative of the Fondation Robert Piché told The Record that there is no plan to alter the natural environment of the lot at all.

The proposal further notes that no substantial modification to the existing building is planned, and expressly notes that this kind of change does not allow for a change to the buildings' existing footprint or height.

Any opposition to the project is due to be presented to the city council on June 7.

Asked about the certification of a new centre on the territory in light of Defonvieille's statements about regional capacity, CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS media relations representative Geneviève Lemay said that the number of spaces available in rehabilitation resources across the region has no bearing on the certification process for a new or existing resource.

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Lampe-Phelps Helps award for perseverance

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It's that time of year again, everyone! The Lampe Foundation and Phelps Helps are once again teaming up to bring you two \$100 awards to students who participate, or have participated, in any of Phelps' programs. These students will need to be in level 5 and planning on attending post-secondary education in the fall. Winners must demonstrate leadership, perseverance, and be active within the community.

Last year, we had two recipients for the Lampe-Phelps Helps Award. Noah Bishop was one of the original Phelps participants from when our high school tutoring program first began. He is currently working toward a bachelor's degree in order to achieve his goal of becoming a CEGEP teacher. Our other recipient, Derek Wood, was a participant in both our High School Tutoring and Compass programs.

He is studying at CEGEP in order to achieve his dream of becoming a police officer. We are extremely proud of their accomplishments thus far and hope to add many more names to this list!

The LAMPE foundation is a community-based non-profit organization dedicated to supporting education. They encourage qualified students from the Eastern Townships by providing financial assistance through their many different scholarships. Since 1973, CFUW Sherbrooke & District members have put aside funds for educational awards and the name 'Lampe Foundation' was established in 2010. We feel honoured to work alongside them to help local youth achieve their goals and build a stronger community.

We are now accepting applications for these awards, check out our



COURTESY

Phelps staff with two past recipients of the Lampe-Phelps Helps Award.

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FRONTIER ANIMAL SOCIETY

Featured pet: Homer

Three-year-old Homer (in picture on right) is just one of over 20 cats and kittens who came to us when their elderly caretaker had to be moved into a senior's residence. Although without question, their former owner had far too many cats for a single household, they were well looked after in terms of their overall health and all are very sweet. Arriving in mid-April, they are now sterilized and vaccinated and many have already found wonderful, loving forever homes.

Homer is a good-natured and handsome tuxedo but being a little shy, at least until he becomes more familiar, he tends to be overshadowed by the more confident and social cats who vie for the attention of potential adopters. If you seek him out and spend even just a few minutes quietly stroking him, he will respond with affection. Once Homer gets to know you, he will readily come to you for attention and admittedly,

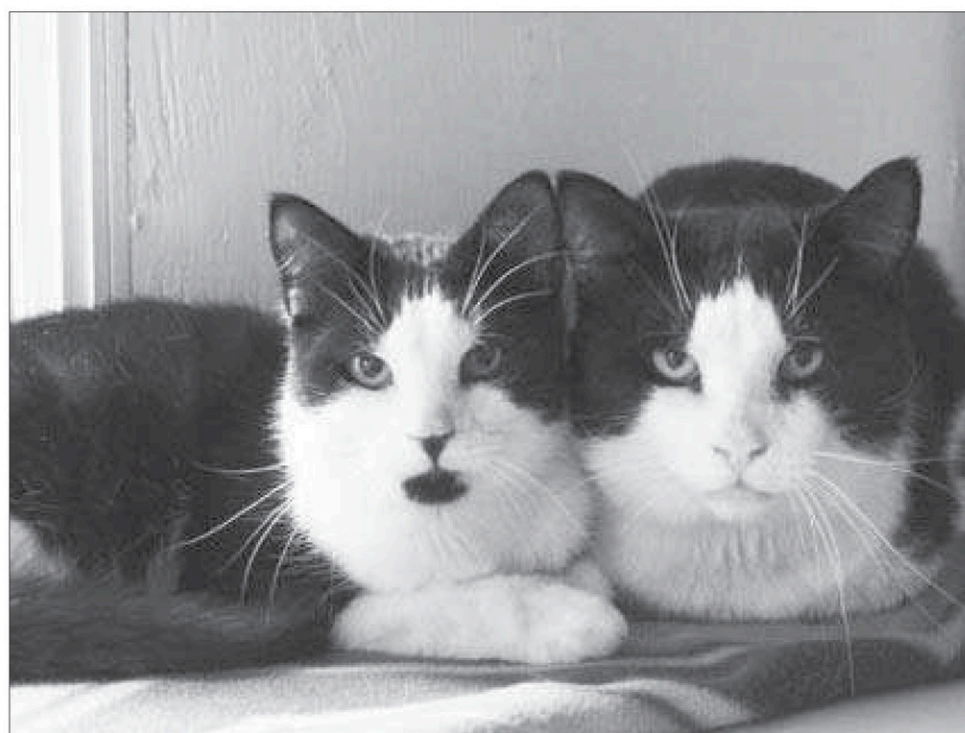
we all have a soft spot for this gentle and quiet cat.

Calm and easy going, Homer is very tolerant of the other colony cats, even those who tend to be a little more dominant. Homer does, however, have one special friend—a younger cat named Jasper who we believe might be his son. They aren't bonded and can be adopted separately but they make for a dapper duo so if you have room for two, it would be nice if they stay together.

Homer will probably do best in a quieter setting and should do well sharing his new home with another friendly cat or two. He is certainly used to living in a clowder.

If you are looking for an impressive and lovable companion, please consider Homer.

To find out more about Homer and/or Jasper, please give our cat adoption coordinator, Linda a call at 819-868-2684. Please note that visits to the shelter are by appointment only.



Homer (pictured on the right) with his friend Jasper



EDITORIAL

How many false starts do we need to experience before we realize it's too early to break out the champagne?

What could possibly go wrong?



TIM BELFORD

It was nice to get some cheery news from Premier François Legault earlier this week. In a press conference on Tuesday Legault released the latest stats on COVID cases across the province, noting with some pleasure that the trend was in the right direction: down!

The Premier also pointed out that with an increasing number of Quebecers vaccinated, at least once, the province will be able to ease many of the restrictions that helped reduce the rate of infection in the first place.

Now, I don't want to be a 'doubting Thomas,' or in this case a 'doubting Timothy,' and I most certainly don't want to rain on the Premier's parade but really? How many false starts do we need to experience before we realize it's too early to break out the Champagne? I'm all for optimism but there were still 549 new cases reported the day of Legault's pep talk.

Yes, the government's vaccination program is working well and numbers are actually ahead of what was expected. The goal of having 75% of adults receive at least their first shot has been moved up to June 15. This will allow earlier second shots and youngsters 12 to 17 will be able to get both shots before they head back to school.

The Premier also announced a new time-line for getting 'back to normal.' I've taken the liberty of including an 'annotated' version for your edification and enlightenment:

May 28: the curfew ends, restaurant terraces can open, outdoor meetings with up to eight people from different residences allowed with social distancing, and inter-regional travel allowed. (The curfew was touted as a solution, eight people will turn into fifty after the second beer, the people who caused a lot of the problems never 'social distanced' in the first place, and will you really want to travel after this is over?)

May 31: majority of regions move to orange, secondary three and four students back full time and restaurants fully reopen. (Nobody ever knew the difference between orange, red or green in the first place, students will be back but will the teachers all have their two shots? What difference will three days make for a restaurant with a terrace and one without?)

June 11: bars will open terraces, outdoor sporting activities with up to 25 people permitted. (Why are bar terraces opening two weeks after restaurants? How did they come up with 25 people playing sports? Does that mean football is okay with no substitutions? Will it be against the rules to have 2 golfers tee-off from 18 different holes?)

June 14: majority of regions move to yellow zone. (What will that decision be based on?)

June 25: people who have had both shots can meet inside homes without masks or distancing. (Who's going to check? Remember all the people who were meeting in secret in the middle of the pandemic?)

June 28: majority of regions move to green and up to ten people from three residences can meet. (What do you want to bet that up to ten people from ten different residences have already been meeting?)

Finally, by the end of August, Mr. Legault says 75 per cent of Quebecers from the age of 12 and over will be fully vaccinated and we'll be able to dump the masks for good. All we need is for Quebecers to be vigilant, cautious, vaccinated and to obey the guidelines.

What could possibly go wrong?



Letters

Re: Owl's Head development project

TO THE EDITOR:

Too bad Mother Nature wasn't consulted as she would have said Man has never been a good Custodian of Nature, and if she had her way Man would be asked to leave the landscape alone.

DON MARTIN
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Re: BILL 96 and bilingual municipalities

At least 15 of 18 "bilingual" municipalities in the Eastern Townships will lose their status to communicate in English with citizens due to Bill 96. I use bilingual in brackets because it is not true English-French bilingualism for small municipalities in Quebec. There are only limited rights under Bill 101's s.29.1 to use another language than French if the population of a municipality is over 50 percent mother tongue English-speaking. A town could actually decide to use Chinese or Italian if they wanted.

Of note, no French-speaker would have less rights to French services in a bilingual town, nor an Anglophone or Allophone, to French or English language services.

The mother tongue aspect of 29.1 makes it nearly impossible to maintain the status, with outmigration, decline and diversity of the English-speaking community.

The Town of Brome Lake, Lennoxville, Bury, Bolton-East, Hatley, Newport, Stanbridge East, Ogden, Township of Hatley, Potton, Stanstead Township, Ulverton, Ayer's Cliff, North Hatley, Sutton will lose its status under Bill 96, but can use its council to indicate it wants to keep it until the next census. If it's not done in 120 days, you lose your status forever.

For boroughs like Lennoxville, they will have to rely on the city council to pass their resolution.

Bill 96 confines "bilingual" municipalities on a straight line to oblivion.

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A new director at the Phoenix

Record Staff

The Sherbrooke Phoenix has announced the appointment of Josée Desjardins as the new Executive Director of the club.

Desjardins joins the Phoenix with a strong background in management and business development.

Having worked at the Breakfast Club of Canada for more than 10 years, including as Vice-President of Business Development and Government Affairs, she helped to build an impressive network across Canada.

"It is a real honor for us to be able to count on someone as qualified as Josée," commented Denis Bourque, President and shareholder of Sherbrooke Phoenix in a press release. "Her impressive track record, her extensive experience in business development and her bilingualism will undoubtedly be an asset to our organization. She arrives with many relevant skills, a set of fresh eyes, and a willingness to pull up her sleeves and help the club to rise further," Bourque said. f

The world of hockey is nothing new to Desjardins. She spent almost five years working for the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League (QMJHL) as Marketing and Events Director. During her time at

the QMJHL, her main responsibilities were in marketing, sponsorship and events. In addition to having worked at the QMJHL, Desjardins has always kept close ties to the world of hockey, which she considers one of her first loves.

Her recent career experience, paired with her return to Quebec, rekindled her desire to return to the hockey world.

"I am extremely happy to come back to Quebec and to Sherbrooke in particular. I am delighted to join a group of highly involved and seasoned business leaders and look forward to collaborating with supporters and partners," Desjardins stated. "I intend to take up this great challenge with determination and joy!" she added.

Desjardins will officially take on her new role on June 1, just in time to help the Phoenix prepare for their 10th official season. She arrives at the Phoenix with great ambitions to expand the reach and the reputation of the Phoenix.

The arrival of Desjardins fits in perfectly with the winds of change blowing through the club, with the team having recently won the lottery draw for the next QMJHL Entry Draft and the launch of the 10th year anniversary campaign.



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Josée Desjardins will take on her new role as executive director of the Sherbrooke Phoenix starting June 1, as the team heads into its 10th year.

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Death



Pauline Bergeron Barlow
1932-2021

Died at the young age of 88 years old, loving wife of Howard Barlow (deceased), residing in the town of

Richmond. The cremation took place at Yves Houle's crematorium.

Due to today's Covid situation the funeral service will proceed at a later date (to be determined) in the Richmond Sainte Bibianne church and the burial will take place at the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Pauline Bergeron Barlow leaves in mourning her children: David (Maryse Jutras), Susan (Andre Garon), Debra (Claude D'Amour), James, Douglas, Jennifer (John Kelly).

Her 13 grandchildren and her 13 great-grandchildren.

Her brothers: Lawrence, Donald, Armand (all deceased) and her Sisters Gloria, Julie.

Her brothers and sisters in law, her nephews and nieces, her cousins and other family/friends.

Instead of flowers, please send donations to the Cancer Society which would be appreciated. Many thanks to the CHUS Fleurimont personnel for all the tremendous care and compassion that was given during her short stay.

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Death



Sara Ann Surjadinata (nee Wood)

Sara Ann Surjadinata (nee Wood) passed away peacefully in Ottawa, Ontario on May 11, 2021.

Sara was born November 21, 1938 and grew up in Washingtonville, New York. She graduated Mount Holyoke College in 1960 and moved to Canada in 1973, where she raised her three children, Debby, Jaya and Paul.

Sara's life was anchored in the United Church. There was never a time when she was not actively engaged in her congregation. Her broad life of service in her church and community was expressed through her gift of music, love of theatre and dedication to outreach ministries. She believed that her work in her church could have an impact both locally and as part of the global work of the United Church and she brought her passion for social justice and equality to her many endeavours.

From the time she was a teenager, Sara played the organ in church, and this continued her whole life - as choir director, organist, camp music director. She had a passion for all music. She found joy from accompanying and touring with The Valley Men's choral group for many years.

Sara's enjoyment of culture and traveling was established early on through a trip to Africa with Crossroads, a very unconventional choice for a young woman at that time. Sara's active and enquiring mind and concern for others led her to travel to all corners of the earth, not only as a traveler but as a student of humanity.

Sara brought her administrative skills and enthusiasm to her work as the Executive Secretary of the Ottawa Presbytery of the United Church. Upon retirement, she was able to pursue her passions and devote herself fully to the things she loved: listening to and making music, exploring ideas and books and keeping abreast of just causes. As she said on her answering machine message "How did I ever find time to work?"

Sara was beloved to many. She will be dearly missed, not only by her siblings, her children, grandchildren, and extended family, but also by her community. Celebrations of Sara's life will be postponed until in-person gatherings are permitted. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to a local food bank, and to the United Church of Canada Mission and Service.



Death

Datebook

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2021

Today is the 140th day of 2021 and the 62nd day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: In 1862, President Abraham Lincoln signed the Homestead Act, which provided Western settlers free land for farms.

In 1873, Levi Strauss and Jacob Davis received the U.S. patent for blue jeans.

In 1902, Cuba declared independence from the United States.

In 1969, the Battle of Hamburger Hill ended in South Vietnam.

In 2006, Nouri al-Maliki took office as prime minister of Iraq.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Honore de Balzac (1799-1850), author; John Stuart Mill (1806-1873), philosopher; William Fargo (1818-1881), Wells Fargo co-founder; Jimmy Stewart (1908-1997), actor; Joe Cocker (1944-2014), singer-songwriter; Cher (1946-), singer-songwriter/actress; Ted Allen (1965-), TV personality; Timothy Olyphant (1968-), actor; Tony Stewart (1971-), race car driver; Busta Rhymes (1972-), rapper; Matt Czuchy (1977-), actor; Rachel Platten (1981-), singer-songwriter.

TODAY'S FACT: In 1916, the Saturday Evening Post published its first issue featuring a Norman Rockwell painting ("Boy with Baby Carriage") on the cover.

TODAY'S SPORTS: In 1989, Sunday Silence beat Easy Goer by a nose in the 114th Preakness Stakes, the horse race's closest margin.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "A person may cause evil to others not only by his actions but by his inaction, and in either case he is justly accountable to them for the injury." - John Stuart Mill, "On Liberty"

TODAY'S NUMBER: 270 million - acres of U.S. land given away through the Homestead Act.

TODAY'S MOON: Between first quarter moon (May 19) and full moon (May 26).

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Wales Home News April 2021



sponsored by the St. Augustine's Church Women. Our activity department provided one-on-one visits and distributed the cards and gifts which we received. Happy birthday to everyone who celebrated.

Residents of Manning/Shaw participated in a special Easter egg hunt on April 1st. Residents of the CHSLD enjoyed some piano music with Debbie Knowles this month. They also enjoyed disc toss, chair dancing, bowling, bocci balls and manicures.

We had a few theme days this month including Happy Shirt Day, Pyjama Day, and Hat Day.

For Earth Day, we held a special planting activity that will allow residents the chance to watch some seedlings grow.

Welcome to Pierre-Yves Pepin, Harold MacDonald, and Armand Cyr.

Our sympathies are extended to the family and friends of Irene Horrocks, Sara Lebourveau, Pauline Daigneault, Joyce St-Sauveur and Karen Taylor.

If you are looking for more information, you can visit our website at www.waleshome.ca and Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/ResidenceCHSLDWales> for photos and news updates.

We'll provide you with another update next month. In the meantime, we hope that you enjoy some sunshine and beautiful moments despite the pandemic. Next month all residents in the CHSLD and Residence will be receiving their second dose of the Covid-19 vaccination. Our vaccination campaign for our employees is also continuing.

Submitted by Rebecca Taylor

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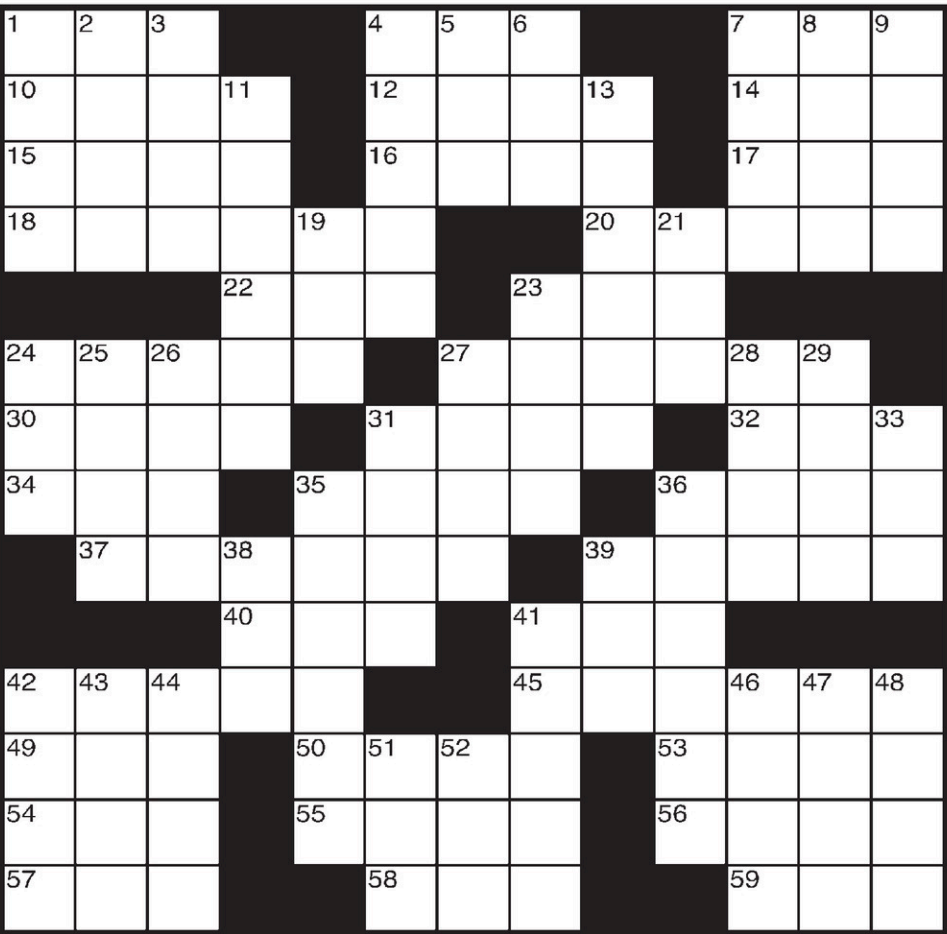
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



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 - 7 Friend of Henri
 - 10 NBA's — Monroe
 - 12 Livy contemporary
 - 14 Small untruth
 - 15 Riding the waves
 - 16 Glittery fabric
 - 17 Boxing great
 - 18 Took care of
 - 20 Hearths' contents
 - 22 Successful candidates
 - 23 Electric bridge
 - 24 Sponged up
 - 27 Jolted
 - 30 Blast furnace inputs
 - 31 Cheese byproduct
 - 32 Entreat
 - 34 Armed conflict
 - 35 Machine for weaving
- DOWN**
- 36 Folk wisdom
 - 37 Lined up
 - 39 Cobra toxin
 - 40 Soph. and jr.
 - 41 Humorist
 - 42 Popular 2001 movie
 - 45 Brand-new
 - 49 Grazing area
 - 50 Omani title
 - 53 Allot
 - 54 Footed vase
 - 55 Wears
 - 56 Grabs a bite
 - 57 Spoil
 - 58 Autumn mo.
 - 59 "— -Pan"

- 9 Sacred bird of the Nile
- 11 Polite address
- 13 Help pay
- 19 Finale
- 21 "Gross!"
- 23 Polite cough
- 24 Really impress
- 25 Mideast nation
- 26 Machu Picchu locale
- 27 Wearing boots
- 28 Poet's black
- 29 Orchid-loving Wolfe
- 31 Misfortunes
- 33 Jewel
- 35 Prowled
- 36 Cover crop
- 38 Organ of sight
- 39 Boxy vehicle
- 41 German sausage
- 42 Put-down
- 43 Damsel rescuer
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- 46 Bench or hassock
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- 48 — Arnaz
- 51 Alley Oop's kingdom
- 52 Financial mag



Keep life simple, and it will help you gain perspective on what makes you happy and how best to fill your days with what matters most to you. It's time for a change, and it's up to you to take the initiative to embrace what's best for you. An open mind will lead to new possibilities.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) – Take the plunge; try something new and exciting. Engage in playful activity that will help you stay fit. Don't buy into a sales pitch that offers the impossible.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) – Avoid excess. Be realistic, stick to a budget and don't exaggerate. Focus on what's important to you, and strive for perfection. Show commitment, integrity and honor in everything you pursue.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) – It's time for a change. Check out what's going on in your community. See if you can offer your services, skills or assistance. Making a difference will encourage you to do more to help others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) – Be careful whom you associate with or trust. Someone will offer an exaggerated point of view that can lead you in the wrong direction. Do your research. It's time to be a leader, not a follower.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) – Don't believe everything you hear. Focus on what you are trying to achieve, and stay out of situations that can hinder your progress. Listen to the lessons of experience for the best results.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) – Be smart; ignore anyone trying to lure you into an

argument. Keep your opinions to yourself, and focus on learning and gaining leverage that will help you advance. Romance is on the rise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) – Pay attention to detail to make your work stand out. Taking a unique approach to the way you live and what you strive to achieve will bring you peace of mind and lead you on a life-changing journey.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) – A problem with a friend or relative will develop if you share expenses or engage in a joint venture. Choose to do your own thing to keep the peace. Avoid exaggeration.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) – Take the road less traveled and see where it leads. You are overdue for a lifestyle change. Follow your heart and engage in whatever makes you happy. Moderation will be necessary.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) – Commitment will lead to success. Clear a space at home that will allow you to give your all to something you enjoy doing. Share your success and happiness with someone you love.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) – Take better care of yourself, your home and your relationships with loved ones. A healthy lifestyle will encourage you to say no to temptation and yes to positive collaboration.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) – Make changes to ward off an emotional situation with someone close to you. Keep the peace and be a good listener. The information you gather will help you handle a delicate situation.

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Failure to think may lead to failure

By Phillip Alder

Francis Picabia, a French painter and poet, claimed, "The world is divided into two categories: failures and unknowns." So much for everyone! Declarers fail in makable contracts for a variety of reasons. Here is a short list of the most common: not counting winners and losers, not winning the first trick in the right hand, winning a trick instead of ducking it, losing a trick instead of winning it, and not unblocking. No doubt you can think of more. Which is relevant in today's deal? South is in four spades, and West leads the heart queen.

North made a limit raise, showing 10-12 support points with at least four trumps.

First, when in a suit contract, count losers. Declarer is faced with one in each suit. Next, check winners. There are only nine: four spades, two hearts, one diamond and two clubs.

If South takes trick one and plays a trump, East will win with the ace and return a heart, condemning the contract. Instead, declarer must immediately attack clubs, which establishes a discard for one of dummy's hearts. Then he can ruff his last heart in the dummy, simultaneously eliminating one loser

North		05-20-21	
♠	J 10 7 6	♥	A 4 3
♦	A J 6 2	♣	7 5
West		East	
♠	5 3 2	♠	A
♥	Q J 10 8	♥	9 7 6
♦	9 7 4	♦	K Q 10 8
♣	A 9 2	♣	10 8 6 4 3
South			
♠	K Q 9 8 4	♥	K 5 2
♦	5 3	♣	K Q J
Dealer: South			
Vulnerable: East-West			
South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♥ Q			

and generating an extra trump winner. However, a clever West will duck the first round of clubs. If so, South had better have won the first trick in the dummy. Then he drives out the club ace. When West plays a second heart, declarer wins in hand, discards dummy's heart loser on the third club and takes the vital ruff in the shorter trump hand. At last South can get after trumps and will eventually cruise home.

CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

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E YP CIB E YP." — RIJD

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TODAY'S CLUE: U equals I

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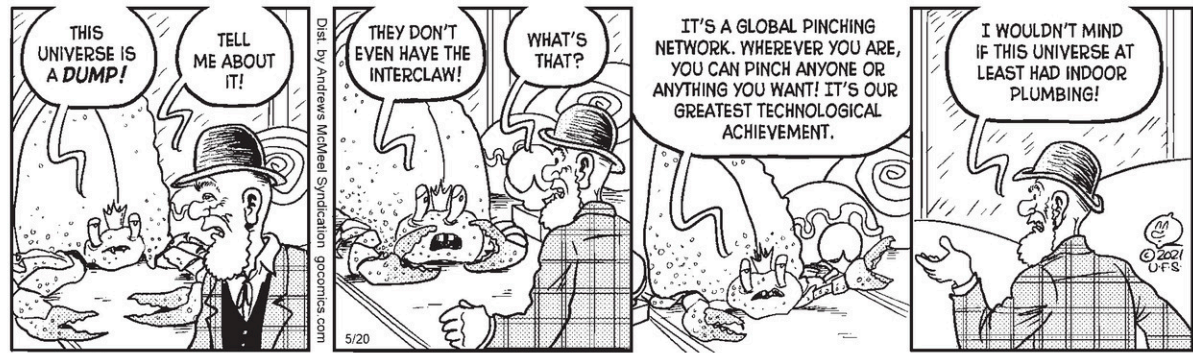


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"He'll be 42 years old next month."

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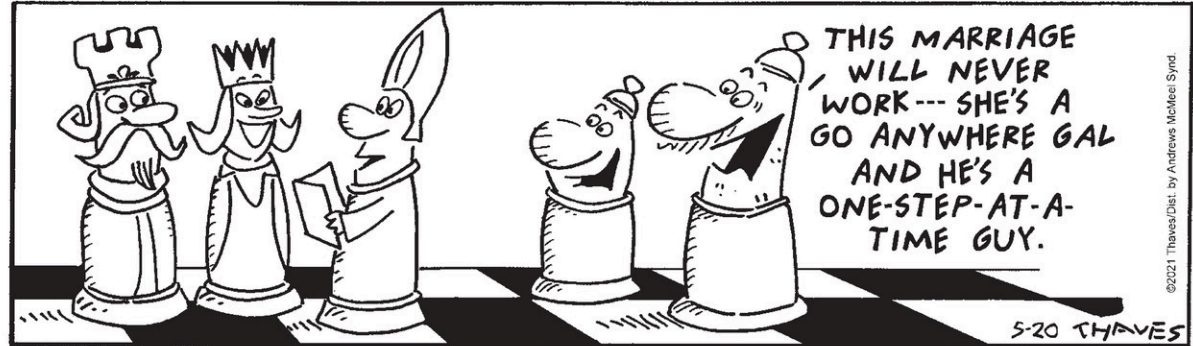
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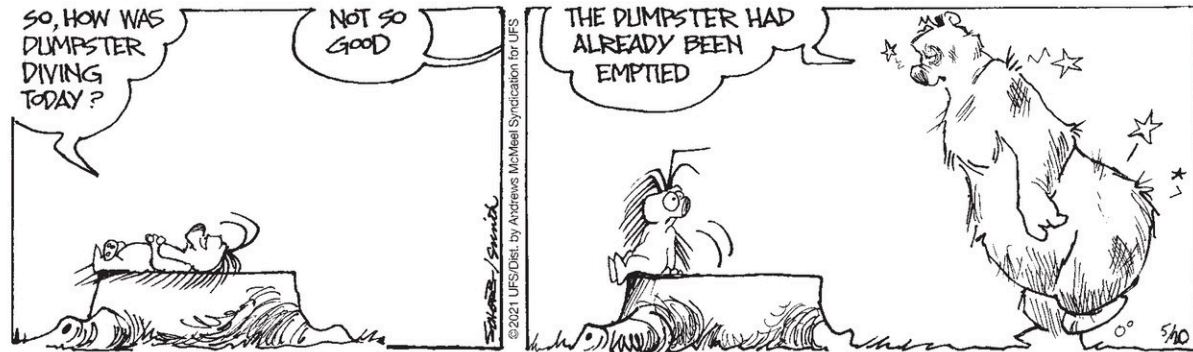
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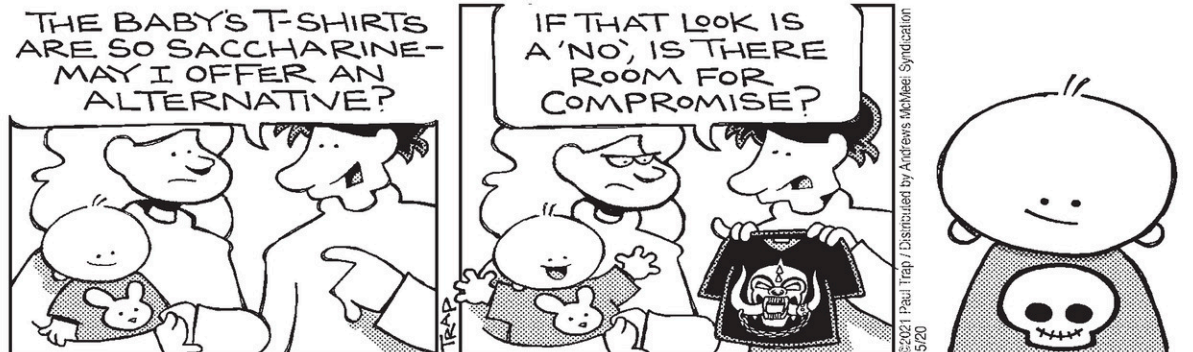
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Drinking more during pandemic

Dear Annie

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2021

Dear Annie: Over the course of the pandemic, my husband and I have found ourselves drinking more than we used to. We used to enjoy a glass of wine with dinner most nights, that became a second glass with dinner, and a third glass after dinner. Neither of us gets noticeably drunk. We don't drive anywhere. We don't have hangovers the next day. But I do feel like it's something I've come to look forward to each day. I am a little worried by that. Should I be? We do tend to drink on weekends, and a bit more than we do on weeknights. Sometimes, we get tipsy then, but like I said, we are safe about it and don't drive. I'm hesitant to give up our nightly ritual. What do you think? - Sipping

Dear Sipping: Your concern is reason enough to take a break from drinking, at the very least. If this was never a problem for you and your husband before the pandemic, then a respite might be enough to reset you back into healthy routines. But if you find your alcohol consumption creeping up again, you might want to quit drinking for good. Alcoholism is a progressive disease, and it's far easier to nip problematic drinking in the bud today than it will be in one year, five years or 10 years. To ignore the issue just because things aren't too bad right now would be akin to refusing treatment because you only have stage 1 cancer. Heed your intuition.

Dear Annie: My husband and I have a beautiful house. We love to entertain. But a constant headache for us and our guests is the fact that my neighbor has several small dogs who are constantly yapping. We cannot go out for the mail without them barking. Forget spending time outside on our patio.

Is this something we have to live with? I wonder if the neighbors are even aware of it: It seems to be an is-

sue of the parents' not hearing the kid screaming in the restaurant while everyone around does. - Canine Cacophony

Dear CC: You've got the right attitude: Start by assuming that your neighbors aren't even aware of the issue. Drop by their house for a friendly chat to enlighten them. If this is your first time really speaking with them, introduce yourself and spend a few minutes getting to know them.

Then segue toward the bark of the matter: "It seems that most times we go into our yard, it starts your dogs up. This is making it difficult for us to spend time outside. Would you consider keeping them inside more often - or are there any other solutions we can help with?"

If they still need to leave their dogs outside for part of the day, propose jointly planting some privacy hedges along your property line to block the dogs' line of vision. Befriending the dogs is another good option, if they aren't physically aggressive. Ask your neighbors if you can spend some time visiting with the pups in their backyard, so they get accustomed to your scent and learn you're not a threat.

If the issue still persists and your neighbors don't seem eager to resolve it, it might be time to file a formal noise complaint with the relevant body - a homeowner's association, landlord, animal control or the police if you live in a rural area. Because the status quo isn't just stressing out you and your husband; it's stressing out the dogs.

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WORDS

- ADRIFT
- ANCHOR
- BEAM
- BELOW
- BULKHEAD
- BUOY
- CABIN
- CHART
- CLEAT
- CUDDY
- CURRENT
- DECK
- FATHOM
- FOULED
- HITCH
- HULL
- INBOARD
- KNOT
- LINE
- PIER
- STERN
- TACKLE
- VESSEL
- WINDWARD

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

You did it!

And the community wants to celebrate with you



Send us a pic of yourself in your **prom attire** or a pic of you with an **“I did it” look**, with the information below and your name will be entered in a draw for a **Smart phone**.

Grad's name:

High School:

Name one goal you hope to accomplish in the next five years:

Entries must be received at classad@sherbrookrecord.com by **5 o'clock, June 8**. Winner of the draw will be announced June 15 in a special souvenir section dedicated to the Class of 2021 made possible with the support of the *Community Media Consortium* and the *Government of Canada*.



Class of
2021

The Record will be publishing a keepsake special section for High School Graduates of 2021

The Record wants to honour the High School Graduates of 2021 with a special section on June 15.

We are inviting proud parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, friends and neighbours to send a message of congratulations – **free of charge** – to be published in this section.

Email your submission, with the graduate's name and high school, to classad@sherbrookrecord.com before June 8, 2021

