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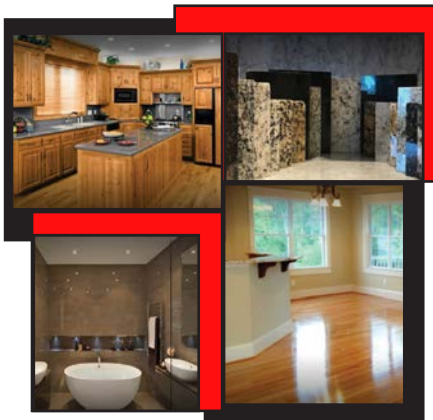
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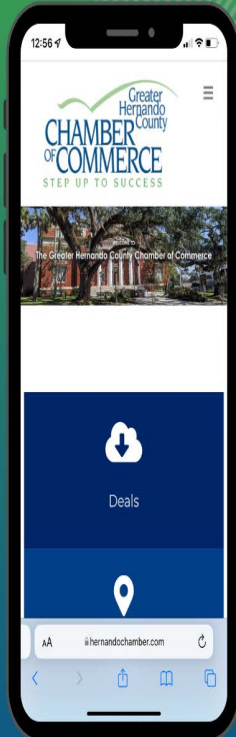
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## Social media: It's not just for kids anymore

Perhaps due to the popularity of social media among a generation of young people who grew up with it, platforms such as Instagram and Facebook are often associated with people born in the 21st century. However, a 2018 study from the Pew Institute found that 65 percent of adults between the ages of 50 and 64 used Facebook and 68 percent used YouTube.

Social media is often on the receiving end of negative attention, but it's also a potentially valuable tool that can help men and women over 50 stay connected with their communities. That's not always so easy for adults who no longer



have children at home. And as its name suggests, social media can help users connect with others who share their interests. Such connections also can be hard to make for adults over 50.

Adults over 50 may be more comfortable with social media now than they were a decade ago, but it's still a good idea to brush up on basic security measures that can help men and women protect their privacy as they utilize platforms like Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

- **Protect your personal information.** No social media user has the right to access your personal information, including your address, date of birth or other data unique to you. Avoid interacting with anyone who requests personal information, employing the function to block such users from connecting with you when possible. It's also important to keep information about travel plans private. For example, sharing details of an upcoming vacation can serve notice to potential criminals that no one will be in your house, making it a potential target for burglars.
- **Aim for quality, not quantity, when building social media networks.** Avoid accepting friend requests from individuals you don't know. Cyber criminals often gain access to victims via social media, so limit your social media network to people you know and trust.
- **Turn off location information.** The technology behind social media is impressive and even makes it possible to determine where users are when they tweet or post to other platforms. But many users, especially those concerned about their privacy, don't want to share location information with anyone, much less strangers. Turn off location information and routinely double check to make sure it's still turned off.
- **Discuss others' privacy concerns before posting to social media.** Social media isn't for everyone, and some people may not want photos of themselves or their children posted to platforms like Facebook or Instagram. Prior to posting pictures or information about other people, confirm that they're OK with you doing so.

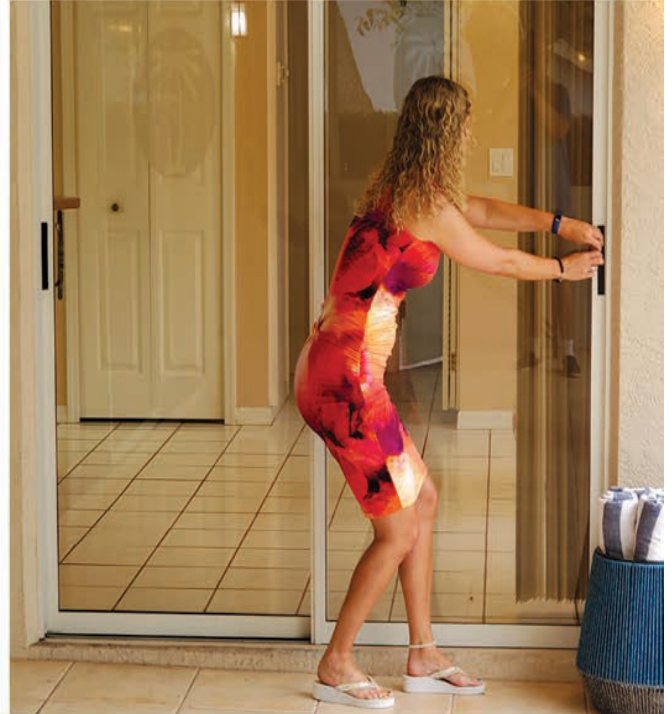
Adults over 50 are engaging with social media. But no matter how comfortable users become, it's still best to keep various social media safety protocols in mind.



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A woman accompanied her husband to the doctor's office.

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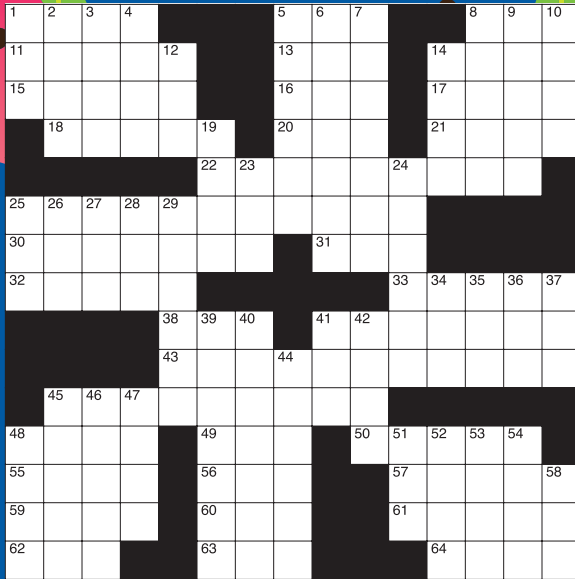
"Each morning, fix him a healthy breakfast. Be pleasant at all times. For lunch make him a nutritious meal. For dinner prepare an especially nice meal for him. Don't burden him with chores. Don't discuss your problems with him, it will only make his stress worse. No nagging. And most importantly, make love with your husband several times a week. If you can do this for the next 10 months to a year, I think your husband will regain his health completely."

On the way home, the husband asked his wife. "What did the doctor say?"

"He said you're going to die," she replied.



THIS JOKE WAS SUBMITTED BY EDWARD ROTHLIEN IN CITRUS COUNTY



# August Crossword One

## CLUES ACROSS

1. BREEZED THROUGH
5. TIME UNITS (ABBR.)
8. PIGEON'S MURMUR
11. MOVES ASIDE IN FRIGHT
13. PARTNER TO "AHH"
14. TAXIS
15. MONETARY UNITS OF TURKEY
16. RETURNED MATERIAL AUTHORIZATION (ABBR.)
17. PROLIFIC ITALIAN OPERA COMPOSER
18. RESTAURANTS
20. ONE'S GRANDMOTHER
21. ANCIENT GREEK CITY
22. ITALIAN MOUNTAIN RANGES
25. DATA
30. ACTED IN AN OBEDIENT WAY
31. AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM
32. NOT ON THE UP-AND-UP
33. MOCK LIGHTLY
38. MIMIC
41. BUILT
43. A NEIGHBORHOOD
45. INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS
48. SEMITIC FERTILITY GOD
49. TEMPORARY NAME OF SEABORGIUM
50. WISE PEOPLE
55. TEAR DOWN

## CLUES DOWN

1. SIGN LANGUAGE
2. IN STYLE
3. NORWEGIAN RIVER
4. PEOPLE WITH IMPAIRED HEARING
5. LARGE STINGING PAPER WASP
6. BUCHAREST IS ITS CAPITAL
7. RIVER IN IRELAND
8. TYPE OF TV
9. DOUBLE-REED INSTRUMENTS
10. SPANISH MOTORCYCLE MANUFACTURER
12. MIDWAY BETWEEN SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST
14. FRENCH COMMUNE
19. ALIKE
23. A BACHELOR'S APARTMENT
24. FOOT PART BETWEEN THE BALL AND ANKLE
25. BELONGING TO A THING
26. JAPANESE CLASSICAL

27. SUPERVISES FLYING
28. NOT EVEN
29. CAPITAL OF SAUDI ARABIA
34. ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURE
35. CONSUMED
36. AMERICAN POLITICIAN (ABBR.)
37. SUN UP IN NEW YORK
39. CASUALLY LOOKED THROUGH
40. REVEALED THE PRESENCE OF
41. PEYTON'S LITTLE BROTHER
42. DIANA \_\_\_\_, SINGER
44. STUDY OF MORAL VALUES AND RULES
45. CIVIL RIGHTS GROUP
46. MAKES LESS SEVERE
47. MADE AN EMOTIONAL APPEAL
48. VIVACITY OF STYLE
51. ONE WHO IS HIGHLY SKILLED
52. GETS AROUND IN PURSUIT OF PLEASURE
53. FAMED GUITARIST CLAPTON
54. MOST COMMON JAPANESE SURNAME
58. RECIPE ABBREVIATION

# Salad gets a summery makeover

Steakhouse fans eagerly anticipate digging into the savory cuts of sizzling beef waiters serve up. The precursor to that portion of the meal is often a wedge salad, which offers a crisp complement to the richness of the steak.

Wedge salads are traditionally made with iceberg lettuce and drizzled with a flavorful dressing, often blue cheese. However, there's no set rules when it comes to wedge salads. With this recipe for "Watermelon Wedge Steakhouse Salad," courtesy of the National Watermelon Promotion Board and 2018 Watermelon Recipe Contest Winner Chauna Havey, diners can skip the lettuce altogether.

## Watermelon Wedge Steakhouse Salad Serves 4

### For the dressing:

- 1/3 cup finely diced watermelon
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1/3 cup peeled and finely diced watermelon rind
- 1/4 cup watermelon juice
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon black pepper

### For the salad and toppings:

- 4 thick wedges of watermelon
- 4 tablespoons real bacon crumbles
- 4 tablespoons blue cheese crumbles
- 2 tablespoons pecan chips
- 1 scallion, sliced



1. Place all ingredients for the dressing into a medium bowl and mix gently to combine.
2. Place each watermelon wedge onto a serving plate and top with 1/4 of the dressing.
3. Sprinkle the bacon, blue cheese, pecans, and scallions over the top of the salads before serving.





# Reap the many health benefits of a good laugh

Most people have heard the adage that "laughter is the best medicine." There are many indications that laughter can be beneficial to the mind and body, and that the perks of laughter and humor are far-reaching. Various professionals have studied the clinical benefits of laughter, including Dr. Lee Berk and Dr. Stanley Tan at Loma Linda University in California. Here is what these experts say in regard to the benefits of a few good belly laughs.

## Boosts immune system

A 2016 study titled "The Laughter Prescription" and published in the American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine found that the amount of laughter a person experiences is related to the immune system's ability to fight off infections, among other benefits. The study references additional research that indicated spontaneous (not forced) laughter boosts the immune system by increasing natural killer (NK) cell activity. Levels were measured after participants watched a one-hour humorous video. NK cells are lymphocytes with a unique ability to kill a broad spectrum of cancerous and virus-infected cells, according to the National Institutes of Health. Laughing out loud improves immune system function and increases heart rate and oxygen levels.

## Lowers blood pressure

Individuals who laugh often have lower blood pressure than those who laugh less often. Lower blood pressure reduces the risk for stroke and heart attack.

## Helps heal the brain

Laughing can help reverse symptoms of grief or depression by increasing the pleasure-enhancing neurochemicals in the brain, according to the Dr. Sears Wellness Institute. A good laugh also may help people recovering from chronic illnesses by helping to alleviate fear and anxiety that could otherwise preoccupy the mind.

## Suppresses stress hormones

Drs. Berk and Tan found that the stress hormones epinephrine and cortisol decrease following laughter. Laughter may help people feel less stressed and overwhelmed.

## Provides a small body workout

Hearty laughter can exercise the diaphragm, contract the abdominals and even work the shoulders and muscles in the face. Laughter also gets the heart pumping at a rate that burns a similar amount of calories per hour as walking slowly.

## Provides natural pain relief

Research suggests that laughter decreases inflammation that may contribute to pain. Researchers at the University of Maryland found that laughing also increases blood flow, which may help to reduce pain as well. Finding ways to laugh more is an easy and fun way to improve overall health.

A cartoon illustration of a woman with blonde hair, sunglasses, and a red flower in her hair. She is wearing a black t-shirt with "Peddlers Post" written on it and a red skirt. She is holding a basket of money and standing at a microphone. The background is a red brick wall with the words "Got jokes?" written on it. A speech bubble says "You think you're funny?".

**SUBMIT YOUR JOKES AT**  
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## Guess Who?

I am an athlete born in California on August 3, 1977. My love for football began at age 4 when I saw the NFC Championship game. I am the all-time leader in Super Bowl appearances and I've set numerous NFL records.

*Answer: Tom Brady*

**A man joins a big corporate empire as a trainee. On his very first day of work, he dials the pantry and shouts into the phone, "Get me a coffee, quickly!" The voice from the other side responded, "You fool you've dialed the wrong extension! Do you know who you're talking to, dumb?"**

**"No," replied the trainee.**

**"It's the CEO of the company, you fool!"**

**The trainee shouts back, "And do you know who YOU are talking to, you fool?!"**

**"No," replied the CEO indignantly.**

**"Good!" replied the trainee, and puts down the phone.**

**Submitted by  
Sharon Rothlien  
of Citrus County**





# COMMUNITY BOARD

## AUGUST

Stable Faith Cowboy Church to host free ABC of Dementia workshop. The Stable Faith Cowboy Church, located at 12077 Broad Street in Brooksville, Florida, will host an ABC of Dementia workshop from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, August 13, 2022. The workshop is free and open to the public. Conducted by Debbie Selsavage, President of Coping with Dementia LLC, the workshop will define Alzheimer's and dementia, explain how dementia affects individuals, discuss ways to interpret dementia behaviors for better communication, and show how compassion and the proper use of voice, approach, and appropriate touch can result in more effective and less stressful caregiving. Because seating will be limited, reservations are requested. To make reservations to attend, call 352-422-3663 or e-mail [deb@coping.today](mailto:deb@coping.today).

## ONGOING

**Withlacoochee Rockhounds:** A non-profit organization with the purpose of fostering interest and promoting knowledge of minerals, gems, fossils, and the earth sciences. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month @ 7 pm in the Weeki Wachee Senior Citizens Club building, 3357 Susan Drive, Spring Hill, FL 34606. We have guest speakers, videos, demonstrations, classes, workshops, field trips, use of rock shaping and polishing equipment, & our annual Gem & Mineral show. Raffle every month! Educational and entertaining, fun for all ages! Contact info: [withlacoocheerockhounds.com](http://withlacoocheerockhounds.com), #352-587-2714 or find us on Facebook

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**Brooksville Bites Nights.** Food Trucks, Artisan Market, Music and local Vibes. 13 S. Brooksville Avenue, Historic Downtown Brooksville, Florida. 3rd Friday of EVERY month. 6 pm- 9pm

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**Brooksville Matters.** Join community leaders as we network and learn about Brooksville Main Street and so much more! First Wednesday of every month 8 am to 9 am 7:30 AM - 9:00 AM EDT. The Bistro in Downtown Brooksville located at 10 S Main Street, Brooksville, FL. Breakfast served at 7:30 am RSVP online - [hernandochamber.com](http://hernandochamber.com) or call 352-796-0697

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## REAL FLORIDA READER STATE PARK PASS

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Please visit [www.HernandoCountyLibrary.us](http://www.HernandoCountyLibrary.us) or The Real Florida Reader website for more information and additional restrictions. Follow @HernandoLibrary on Facebook for updates.

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## COMMUNITY BOARD SUBMISSIONS

To have your free community event or event where the proceeds go to a local not for profit mentioned on the Community Board there is no cost. All submissions need to be received no later than the 18th of the month to ensure they will be published in the next edition. We do have to keep the mention to a 4-6 line maximum (approx-imately 90 words) to ensure we have room to list everyone's events. If your event mention does not meet these size requirements, then it will be edited. If your event is to support your private business, then please see page 4 for our advertising rates.

**Send us your events via email at [office@peddlers-post.com](mailto:office@peddlers-post.com) or you can submit them online at <https://peddlers-post.com/community-board%2Fsubmit>**





# Crossword 2

## CLUES ACROSS

1. ONE POINT NORTH OF DUE WEST
4. INDIGENOUS PEOPLES OF NORTHERN SCANDINAVIA
9. POPULAR CALIFORNIA/NEVADA LAKE
14. GO QUICKLY
15. FATTY ACID IN SOAPS
16. BRAND OF FUEL STATIONS
17. STATE OF FUSS
18. ROMANCE NOVELIST
20. MEMBERS OF A HOUSEHOLD
22. ASSERTS TO BE THE CASE
23. TYPE OF INFECTION
24. WITH METAL INLAYS
28. CHINESE PHILOSOPHIC PRINCIPLE
29. EARLY MULTIMEDIA
30. EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PLAN
31. HE INVESTIGATED CLINTON ADMINISTRATION
33. SHELLS

37. SIX
38. SNAKELIKE FISH
39. CAPITAL OF KENYA
41. INFLUENTIAL GROUP (ABBR.)
42. USED TO CHOP
43. IT COMES AS A CASE
44. CHALLENGES
46. SMALL AMOUNTS
49. THE GOLDEN STATE
50. PEYTON'S LITTLE BROTHER
51. FOR WALKING IN ALASKA
55. BUDDHIST HONORIFIC TITLES
58. LIVELY BALLROOM DANCE
59. CAPITAL OF ALBANIA
60. LATE NIGHT HOST
64. DRAW FROM
65. A WAY TO UTILISE
66. ONE WHO IS NOT NATIVE HAWAIIAN
67. A POWER TO PERCEIVE
68. BULKY
69. HORSE MACKERELS
70. PROCLAIM OUT LOUD

## CLUES DOWN

1. HITS
2. BATHROOM ACCESSORY
3. YOUNG
4. BEEF CATTLES
5. IT'S OFTEN IN SOAP
6. FOR EACH
7. INNERMOST MEMBRANE ENVELOPING THE BRAIN
8. A WAY TO LEAVE
9. EMACIATION
10. PUNISH WITH A FINE
11. STEEDS
12. HAVING EIGHT
13. GREEK GODDESS OF THE DAWN
19. MATURE REPRODUCTIVE CELLS
21. ARMADILLO SPECIES
24. ANCIENT COUNTRY IN WHAT IS NOW ROMANIA
25. EXTREME GREED
26. STARS
27. POEMS
31. PLACES TO SIT
32. ONE FROM THE LONE STAR STATE
34. SMALL RAILS
35. ONE QUINTILLION BYTES (ABBR.)
36. WHERE COACHES WORK
40. INDICATES POSITION
41. MAMMALS
45. RESEMBLING A WING
47. BELIEFS
48. HINDU MALE RELIGIOUS TEACHERS
52. MISCHIEVOUSLY
53. WHERE ATHLETES WANT TO END UP (ABBR.)
54. LARGE, DEEP-BODIED FISH
56. HORNED SQUASH BUG GENUS
57. EXCESSIVELY SENTIMENTAL
59. SHARED VERBALLY
60. YOU CAN PUT IT ON TOAST
61. DATA MINING METHODOLOGY (ABBR.)
62. RESINLIKE SUBSTANCE SECRETED BY CERTAIN INSECTS
63. MAUNA \_\_\_\_, HAWAIIAN VOLCANO



In the public library, a man with his new library card questioned the pretty librarian.

"Do you mean to say," he asked, "that with this card I may take out any book I want?"

"Yes," she answered.

"And may I take out record albums, too?"

"Yes, you may."

"May I take you out?" he ventured.

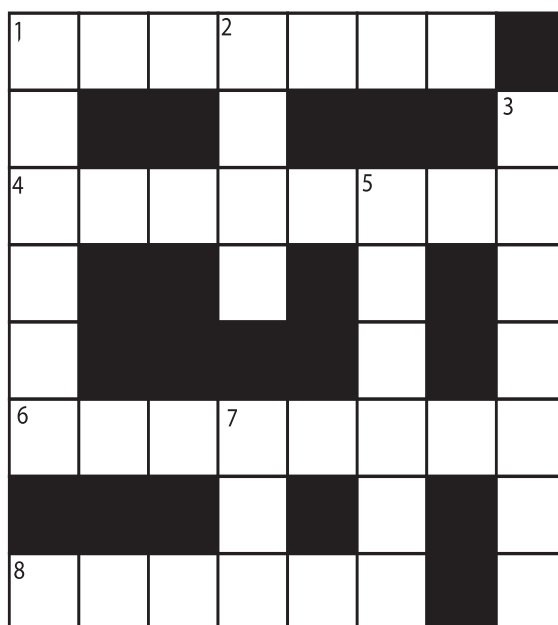
Drawing herself up to her full height, she replied, "The librarians, sir, are for reference only."







## Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

1. Water hobby
4. Type of flowering tree
6. National park
8. Takes pleasure in

### DOWN

1. Related to one another
2. Seek out
3. Comes together
5. Women
7. Sense of self-importance

Answers:  
 Across  
 1. Fishing 4. Magnolia 6. Yosemite 8. Enjoys  
 Down  
 1. Family 2. Hunt 3. Gathers 5. Ladies 7. Ego

## THIS DAY IN...



## HISTORY

- **1858:** CHARLES DARWIN PUBLISHES HIS THEORY OF EVOLUTION THROUGH NATURAL SELECTION.
- **1914:** BRUSSELS IS CAPTURED DURING THE GERMAN INVASION OF BELGIUM DURING WORLD WAR I.
- **2020:** JOE BIDEN ACCEPTS THE 2020 DEMOCRATIC PARTY NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT VIA A VIRTUAL SPEECH.



PARENTS WHO DO THIS WITH THEIR KIDS CAN MORE EFFECTIVELY COMMUNICATE ON CHILDREN'S LEVEL AND HELP CHILDREN FEEL LOVED.

ANSWER: PLAY



## BOND

a relationship based on shared feelings or experiences

## How they SAY that in...

**ENGLISH:** Vacation

**SPANISH:** Vacaciones

**ITALIAN:** Vacanza

**FRENCH:** Vacances

**GERMAN:** Urlaub



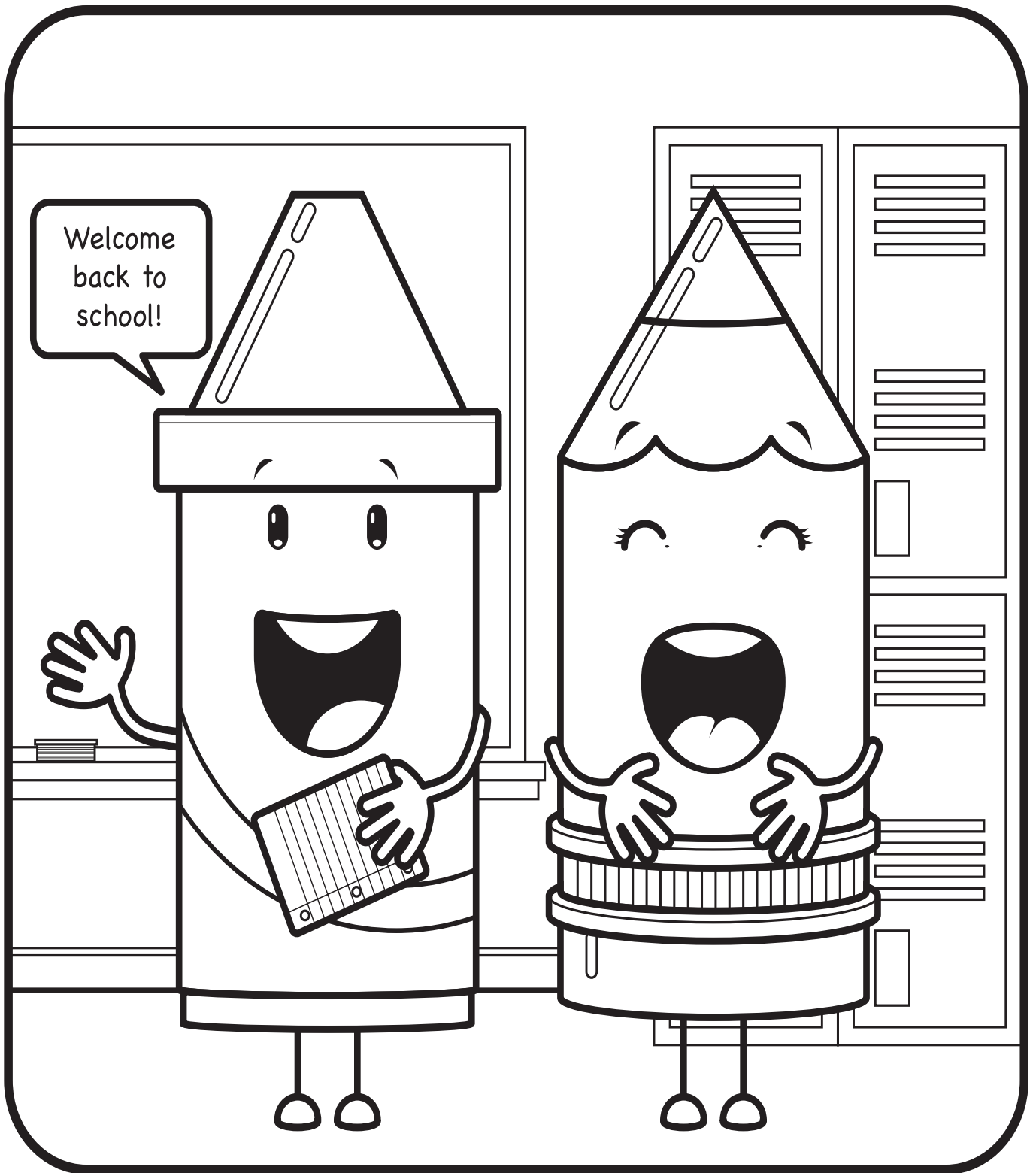
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**August 3rd 1492** Christopher Columbus sets sail on his first voyage with three ships, Santa Maria, Pinta and Niña from Palos de la Frontera, Spain for the "Indies"

**August 4th 1892** Sunday school teacher Lizzie Borden's father and stepmother are murdered with an axe in Fall River, Massachusetts; Borden is later arrested, tried and acquitted

**August 5th 1884** Cornerstone for Statue of Liberty laid on Bedloe's Island (NYC)

**August 6th 1945** Atomic bomb dropped on the Japanese city of Hiroshima by the US B-29 Superfortress "Enola Gay"

**August 7th 1820** 1st potatoes planted in Hawaii

**August 8th 1898** W.K. Kellogg invents corn flakes cereal

**August 9th 48 BC** Caesar's civil war: Battle of Pharsalus - Julius Caesar decisively defeats Pompey at Pharsalus and Pompey flees to Egypt.

**August 10th 1893** Rudolf Diesel's prime model internal combustion engine, a single 10-foot iron cylinder with a flywheel at its base, ran on its own power for the first time in Augsburg, Germany

**August 11th 1934** 1st federal prisoners arrive at Alcatraz in San Francisco Bay

**August 12th 1955** US President Eisenhower raises minimum wage from 75 cents to \$1 an hour

**August 13th 1942** The 'Manhattan Project' commences, under the direction of US General Leslie Groves: its aim - to deliver an atomic bomb

**August 14 1945** V-J Day, Japan surrenders unconditionally to end WW II (also August 15 depending on time zone)

**August 15th 1876** US law removes Indians from Black Hills after gold find

**August 16th 1861** US President Abraham Lincoln prohibits Union states from trading with Confederacy

**August 17th 1807** Robert Fulton's steamboat Clermont begins first trip up Hudson River

**August 18th 1917** The Queen's Hospital opens to provide pioneering plastic surgery for WWI soldiers, led by Harold Gillies in Sidcup, England

**August 19th 1692** Five more people hanged for witchcraft (19 in all) in Salem, Massachusetts

**August 20th 1908** America's Great White Fleet arrives in Sydney, Australia, to be greeted with a tremendous welcome; 221 American sailors desert to remain in Australia

**August 21st 1831** Former slave Nat Turner leads uprising against slavery

**August 22nd 1864** First Geneva Convention adopted in Geneva "for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded in Armies in the Field" signed by 12 nations

**August 23rd 79** Mount Vesuvius begins stirring, on feast day of Vulcan, Roman god of fire (goes on to destroy Pompeii) [approx date]

**August 24th 1932** 1st transcontinental non-stop flight by a woman, Amelia Earhart

**August 25th 1718** Hundreds of French colonists arrive in Louisiana; New Orleans founded

**August 26th 1907** Harry Houdini escapes from chains underwater in 57 seconds, at Aquatic Park in San Francisco, California

**August 27th 1883** Krakatoa volcano, west of Java in Indonesia, erupts with a force of 1,300 megatons and kills approximately 40,000 people

**August 28th 1955** Chicago black teenager Emmett Till is kidnapped, beaten and shot dead by white men in Money, Mississippi. His killers are eventually acquitted, but the case helps ignite the US civil rights movement.

**August 29th 1929** German airship Graf Zeppelin ends a round-the-world flight

**August 30th 2019** Second interstellar comet ever detected by Ukrainian amateur astronomer Gennady Borisov (later named 2I/Borisov)

**August 31st 1971** Beatle John Lennon leaves England for the final time, moving to New York City





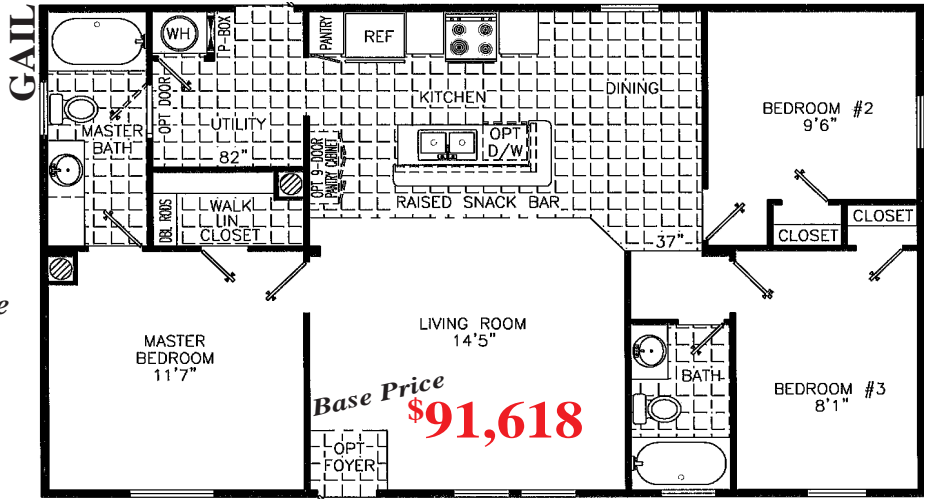
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# When to test water at your home

Contaminated water supplies pose a significant threat to human health. According to the World Health Organization, contaminated water is linked to a host of diseases, including cholera, diarrhea, dysentery, and hepatitis A, among others. Sources of drinking water are subject to contamination, and many people may have no idea if their water is safe for consumption, or what they should do to ensure it is.

The Environmental Protection Agency notes that many testing laboratories or services supply sample containers to individuals interested in having their water tested. But that leaves the question of when to test water. The EPA indicates that certain conditions and activities may warrant having water tested for the presence of various things that can make individuals sick.

Condition: Recurrent gastrointestinal illness  
Recommended test: Coliform bacteria

Condition: Household plumbing contains lead  
Recommended test: Pit, lead, copper

Condition: Scaly residues, soaps don't lather  
Recommended test: Hardness

Condition: Water softener needed to treat hardness  
Recommended test: Manganese, iron

Condition: Stained plumbing fixtures, laundry  
Recommended test: Iron, copper, manganese

Condition: Foul taste or smell  
Recommended test: Hydrogen sulfide, corrosion, metals

Condition: Cloudy, frothy or colored water  
Recommended test: Color, detergents

Condition: Corrosion of pipes, plumbing  
Recommended test: Corrosion, pH, lead

Condition: Rapid wear of water treatment equipment  
Recommended test: pH, corrosion

Condition: Nearby areas of intensive agriculture

Recommended test: Nitrate, pesticides, coliform bacteria

Condition: Coal or other mining operation nearby  
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Condition: Odor of gas or fuel oil, and near gas station or buried fuel tanks  
Recommended test: Volatile organic compounds (VOCs)

Condition: Salty taste and seawater, or a heavily salted roadway nearby  
Recommended test: Chloride, TDS, sodium



Various conditions can be indicative of a contaminated water supply. When such conditions arise, individuals should not hesitate to have their water tested.

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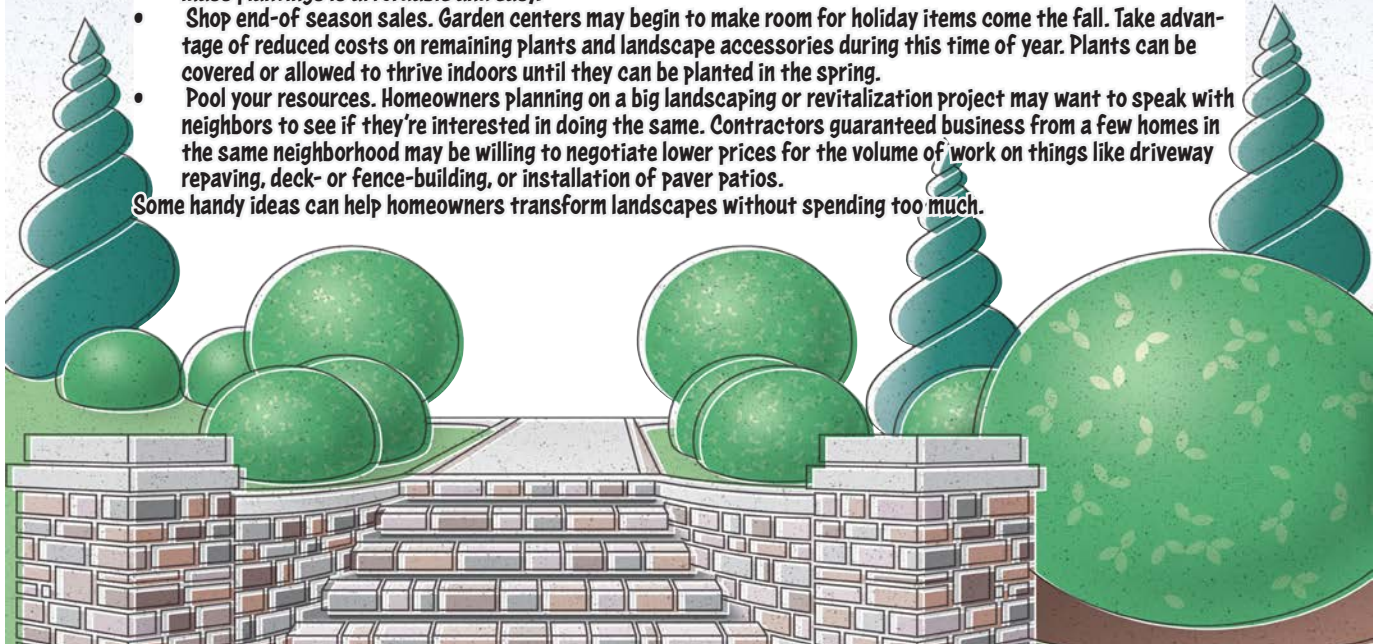
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# Revitalize your landscape on a budget

Many homeowners think they have to spend tons of green to get green in their landscape, but that isn't necessarily so. Homeowners can improve their landscapes without digging themselves into financial holes. These strategies can help anyone save some cash and still end up with attractive gardens and more.

- Use stones or gravel for a walkway. If commercially installed pavers or cement walkways are not within your budget, there are some affordable alternatives. Flagstone or individually purchased and spaced pavers and pea gravel can be used to create pathways. Some construction sites even offer free stones when asked. Soften the look with moss or other plants on the perimeter.
- Remove some lawn. Lawns can require hours of upkeep that may involve the application of expensive fertilizers and weed-killing products that are not always so eco-friendly. Reduce the size of a lawn by putting in a mixed planting bed of perennials or ornamental grasses, or use landscape fabric and mulch.
- Look for free mulch. Municipal recycling centers may offer residents access to free mulch made from grinding up leaves, branches and other plant debris collected throughout the town. Simply bring a few containers to the recycling center and spread the mulch for an ornamental look or to insulate landscapes over winter and protect against weeds.
- Repurpose old items into planters. Old wheelbarrows, barrels, watering cans, and other items can be repurposed into container gardening vessels. Figure out if items marked for the garbage bin can be incorporated into garden features instead.
- Invest in plants that are easy to propagate. Perennials are the gardener's friend when it comes to saving money. These plants sprout anew each year, and many, such as sedum, catmint, ferns, hostas, and black-eyed Susans, can propagate by division. Figure out the best times of year to divide the plants and start growing them in individual containers before planting the sturdy new shoots in the ground. A single variety of plants grouped together in mass plantings is affordable and easy.
- Shop end-of-season sales. Garden centers may begin to make room for holiday items come the fall. Take advantage of reduced costs on remaining plants and landscape accessories during this time of year. Plants can be covered or allowed to thrive indoors until they can be planted in the spring.
- Pool your resources. Homeowners planning on a big landscaping or revitalization project may want to speak with neighbors to see if they're interested in doing the same. Contractors guaranteed business from a few homes in the same neighborhood may be willing to negotiate lower prices for the volume of work on things like driveway repaving, deck- or fence-building, or installation of paver patios.

Some handy ideas can help homeowners transform landscapes without spending too much.









Happy August Guy's! I hope you all had a wonderful 4th of July! After the recent holiday i noticed a lot of peoples fur friends got lost. I found this helpful article about what to do when your pet is lost that may help you if your furry friend ever goes missing. Check it out!

## What to do when your pet is lost

Pets are beloved members of the family. Pets provide unconditional love and companionship to their owners. When a pet goes missing, it can be devastating for their owners, who want to bring their companion animals home to safety as soon as possible. Lost Pet Research & Recovery and PurringPal indicate at least 14 percent of dog owners lose their pets in a five-year period, while 15 percent of cat owners lose their pets. The ASPCA indicates that around one in three pets will go missing in their lifetimes. While Lost Pet Research & Recovery says only 6 percent of dogs are not recovered, a much larger percentage of cats (34) are never found. Therefore, pet owners should take certain steps to prevent lost pets and to help recover them quickly.

### Train your dog

Well-trained dogs who respond well to basic commands like "sit," "stay" and "come" may be recovered more easily. That's because you can call for your dog, who may not have ventured too far, and have him or her return to you, according to Pasadena Humane. Also, people who come across your dog can offer simple commands to sit and stay, and then the dog can be safely leashed.

### Update identification

The more forms of identification a pet has, the better the chances for recovery. While a collar with ID tags is essential, microchipping is an additional safeguard. Be sure to routinely update the microchip database with your current phone number and address.

### Act quickly

Don't waste hours or days waiting for a pet to return home. The sooner you begin searching the area, the better the odds of finding the pet. Start with the immediate area right outside your home and branch out from there.

### Check nooks and crannies

Pets may become frightened of noises or escape homes to chase other animals. American Humane urges owners to look for places the pet may become trapped, such as in basements or garages. Other places to look include under vehicles. Pets may hide during the day, so return to areas at night. Bring along a toy or treat that may lure the pet out of hiding.

### Check with shelters

Pets can be picked up and brought to animal welfare organizations or even law enforcement agencies. Pets that are wearing tags or are microchipped may have their owners notified. Animals without identification will sit unless the owner comes to recover the pet. Check shelters every two days.

### Activate a lost pet alert

Pets can be registered with the microchipping service AKC Reunite. Pet owners can call 800-252-7894 to let the service know their pet is lost and to enable an operator to create a "Lost Pet Alert."

### Notify locals

Place ads in local newspapers and offer a reward. Also check found animal ads that may be close to your pet's description. Pets can go missing, but with fast action and advanced planning, they can be recovered.

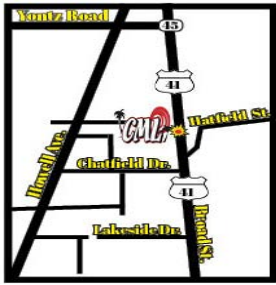
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