

THE CORONA CHRONICLES

TIPS AND GIGGLES

MAY 25, 2020

Social distancing does not mean social isolation. Now, more than ever, we need to find creative ways to stay connected. We hope to put a smile on your face and keep you up to date on what's happening at Villa Beaufort.



We encourage you to go outside and enjoy some fresh air.

Wear a mask (available in the office) and keep 2 metres away from others.

Visitors inside the building are still prohibited, but you may visit outside at a distance.

Do not go to the Depanneur. Do not take public transport.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

GROCERIES

Leave your order on your tablet Monday by 1:00pm. Orders will be delivered on Tuesday morning.



TRIVIA WITH ALEX

Congratulations to June who won last week's *Animal Trivia*! If you would like last week's answers, please ask Alex.

LIBRARY CART

Sundays 2:00pm



(magazines, books, colouring sheets)

VIRTUAL BINGO!

Wednesday & Friday - 1:00pm

Turn on your TV to CH #940 and call the kitchen if you have a bingo.

(514) 697-0021.



WEEKLY UPDATES BY MARY



Wednesdays right after Bingo, ~2:00pm CH #940. Mary will draw 8 names for our first open lunch service.

VBBC Tuesday Broadcast

****BONUS Exercise video 1:00pm****

This week on VBBC: *Perry Como's Music Hall*
Tune in (CH #940) Tuesday at 1:30pm

VBBC Movie Showing: Friday

After bingo (roughly 2:00pm)
Our Planet Documentary Series



CHAIR PILATES

Mon./ Thurs./ Sat. - 1:30pm

The classes will be held inside through the VBBC network (CH #940)



CHURCH SERVICE

Sunday mornings at

10:30am,
CH #940.



CANTEEN

We're bringing the depanneur to you!

Thursday afternoon with Robin.

You may pay with cash or run a tab.



Interesting Facts about Queen Victoria

- She was the first member of the Royal family to live at Buckingham Palace.
- She was barely five feet tall -The monarch was four inches shorter than Queen Elizabeth II
- Victoria was woken from her bed early one morning and informed that her uncle, King William IV, had died during the night. Less than a month after turning 18 yrs old, Victoria became the Queen of England.
- She was multilingual; fluent in English German, French, Italian, and Latin.
- During her reign, several attempts were made on Queen Victoria's life, all of them unsuccessful.
- She proposed to her husband. Queen Victoria married her first cousin Prince Albert. They had 9 children and 34 grandchildren.
- She began more than one popular wedding trend. At the time, it was common for wedding dresses to come in a variety of colors. Queen Victoria, however, wished to show off the lace embroidery of her dress and requested it in white. She also asked that none of her guests wear white so as not to draw attention away from her.



Stay safe!

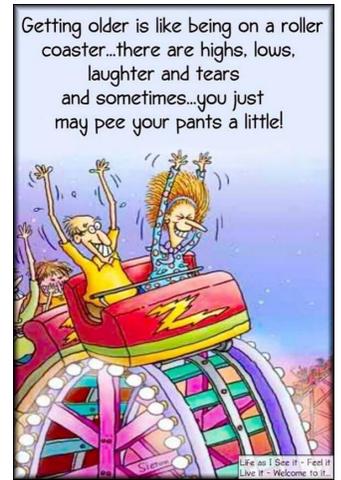
VILLA BEAUREPAIRE STAFF



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

BEST WISHES TO
Wanda Schwaer

May 25th



Beaurepaire Scavenger Hunt

Brought to you by Les Amis de Beaurepaire.

Participate from May 22nd to June 4th
Physically distanced fun in your own neighborhood! Uncover some Beaurepaire gems with a chance to win prizes. Separate notice to be handed out.

NOTICE



Chairs have been strategically placed on the north terrace 6ft apart, to allow for visiting outdoors and/or for just soaking up some Vitamin D from the sun. Please use the cleaner left outside to wipe the chairs before and after you use them. See notice on the exterior North Courtyard door. Please wear a mask when with other people outside.

GIGGLES

Benefits of a Good Vocabulary:

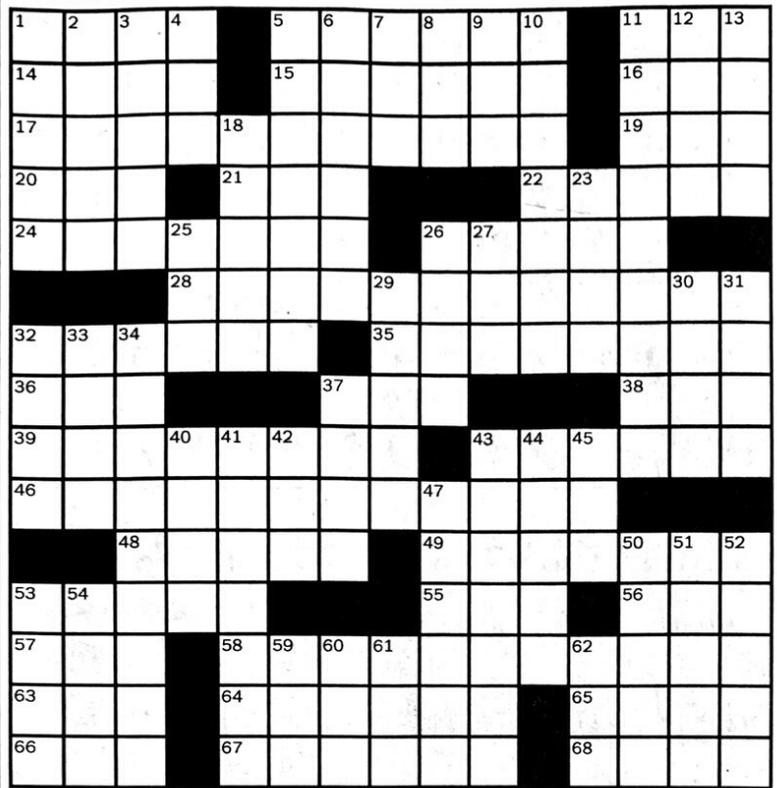
I recently called an old engineering buddy of mine and asked what he was working on these days. He replied that he was working on "Aqua-thermal treatment of ceramics, aluminum and steel under a constrained environment."

I was impressed until, upon further inquiry, I learned that he was washing dishes with hot water under his wife's supervision.

EDITED BY WILL SHORTZ

Unscramble the names of these foods that are compound words

1. cenakpa _____
2. roopncp _____
3. glentagp _____
4. aeeilnppp _____
5. aeihkklms _____
6. pretifugar _____
7. driskebact _____
8. wrarybsert _____
9. krabwareje _____
10. snacklofer _____
11. rowmatelen _____
12. mipenpretp _____
13. adesof _____
14. phacieck _____
15. sardehisorh _____



PUZZLE BY: OLIVIA MITRA FRAMKE

NO. 0324

ACROSS

- 1 Killer whale
- 5 Radio noise
- 11 Dude
- 14 "Awesome!"
- 15 City that shares an airport with Seattle
- 16 Uncooked
- 17 *The sitcom writers met at a ...*
- 19 Point of no return?
- 20 I.C.U. test, maybe
- 21 MSNBC host Melber
- 22 Office or schoolroom furniture
- 24 Tested, as 26-Across
- 26 Casual Friday wear
- 28 *The mathematicians met at a ...*
- 32 Expressed exasperation ... or relief
- 35 Spider-Man, for Peter Parker
- 36 Suffix with serpent
- 37 Like some humor
- 38 Trio in elem. school
- 39 Neither a believer nor a disbeliever
- 43 Value highly
- 46 *The pharmacists met at a ...*
- 48 Top-notch
- 49 "Methinks"
- 53 "The Bells of St. ___" (Bing Crosby film and song)
- 55 Telecom of old
- 56 Sports tiebreakers, for short
- 57 Shocked reaction, online
- 58 *The Google employees met at a ...*
- 63 Place for a sensory deprivation tank
- 64 Trying experience
- 65 Many a TikTok user
- 66 Recipe amt.
- 67 Property in buildings and land
- 68 Designer Jacobs

- 4 Ginger ___ (soft drink)
- 5 Many an anti-inflammatory medication
- 6 Radio studio session
- 7 Not just stand there
- 8 Informal "you," en français
- 9 "As I would say," in a text
- 10 Bushnell who wrote "Sex and the City"
- 11 Garment with a French name
- 12 Billiards accessory
- 13 Is shy, in a way
- 18 Group of officers
- 23 ___'acte
- 25 Biblical verb ending
- 26 Part of the calendar named for Caesar
- 27 "The Lord of the Rings" tree creature
- 29 Wacky comedy
- 30 Dungeons & Dragons monster
- 31 Societal expectation
- 32 Setting for "The King and I"
- 33 "Picnic" playwright William
- 34 Male/female pay differential, e.g.
- 37 "A constant proof that God loves us, and loves to see us happy," per Benjamin Franklin
- 40 Lubricated
- 41 Word with kick or cut
- 42 Palindromic bird
- 43 Terrestrial
- 44 Undercover activity?
- 45 That special touch, for short
- 47 Lion or tiger
- 50 Pyongyang's peninsula
- 51 River frolicker
- 52 Boy band with the 2000 hit "Bye Bye Bye"
- 53 ___ likely to succeed
- 54 Roadies' equipment
- 59 Bard's "before"
- 60 Mathematician Lovelace
- 61 Seminary subj.
- 62 Dough dispenser

DOWN

- 1 Maids a-milking, e.g.
- 2 Explorer on Mars
- 3 Welsh dog breed

TOM'S EASY STIR FRY

Courtesy of Jane Cowell

INGREDIENTS



- 1 Onion, chopped
- 1 lb. extra-lean ground beef
- 1 cup of basmati or other long-grain rice, cooked according to package directions
- ½ package of frozen Asian vegetables
- Stir fry sauce to taste (try VH Orange-Ginger)

INSTRUCTIONS

- In a large fry pan, over medium-high heat, sauté the ground beef and onion until the beef is thoroughly cooked.
- While the beef is cooking, make the rice in a separate pot.
- When the beef is cooked, drain off any fat. Stir in the rice and stir-fry sauce. Simmer for 5 minutes.
- At the very last minute, add the Asian vegetables. Cook until they are warmed through but still crisp. Enjoy!

