

One tree hill grapevine



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Lance and Hazel Walter

Married 08/06/1946

Congratulations to Lance and Hazel Walter who recently celebrated their 70th Wedding Anniversary. They were married at Todd Street Methodist Church in Gawler and have resided in One Tree Hill since 1946. They have 3 Children, 7 Grandchildren and 8 Great Grandchildren.

We wish them many more years of happiness.



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From the Desk



Welcome to the July issue of the One Tree Hill Grapevine. Winter is well and truly here isn't it, but isn't it lovely to hear the much needed rain pitter patter on our roofs. Our tanks should be full and our reservoirs should be looking a lot better.

As mentioned in the President's report, we have the sad news of June McKenzie passing away. June helped with the history section of The Grapevine for a few years and also with proof reading. Our sincere sympathy to Neil and family. June will be missed in our community.

Our front cover has Hazel and Lance Walter celebrating their 70th Wedding Anniversary, what an achievement! Congratulations and may you have many more happy years together.

Page 4 features Kamcheyenne Limousin, last month they attended our regular monthly market and it proved to be very popular. They will again be at the July and August market promoting their beautiful cows. Make sure you drop in to see them and go in the running to win a family pass to the Royal Adelaide show.

Jemimah Watkins is the star of page 5 with an article sent in by her mother Angela. There is no doubt about it, One Tree Hill certainly has a number of champions to brag about. Well done Jemimah, good luck with Year 12 exams this year.

We also say a big thank you Jean for the beautifully bound books that were donated to One Tree Hill Progress Association on page 5.

We couldn't publish a Grapevine without including a recipe, page 7 has a very quick and hearty soup to make and a fruit cobbler. Both of these recipes are belly warmers to make the coldest of days seem warmer and you don't have to set aside too much time to make this easy meal.

quite interesting and didn't realize how the QWERTY keyboard came about.

Have you ever wondered why popping candy explodes in your mouth, well on page 9 we have the story of how it is made.

Page 10 gives us some information about why hard boiled eggs sometimes go green around the yolk.

Bizarre and funny things about dogs are on page 18, it is a good read because we think that there may be things we don't know about dogs. It is amazing to learn of some of the odd things dogs do and their reactions to thunder etc.

Gardening, we know that it's something that we neglect a bit when it is so cold outside but we hope that you will try out some of the natural herbicides and tips for gardening. You'll find lots of information on page 19.

Page 20 has some different uses for Vicks, give them a try if you are suffering with any of the ailments mentioned. You don't have anything to lose!

We have quite a bit of reading in this issue, so find a nice warm spot in front of the fire and enjoy the July edition.

As always let us know if you have a special occasion that you would like to share with our readers. We'll do our best to include it in the next issue. Also get on to your kids or grandkids to join the Kookaburra Club. A \$10 voucher is awarded for the best story or article each month and the kids get a voucher for their birthday.

Until next month, The Grapevine Team.

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President's Report June 2016

Hi everyone, a much quieter month of activity this month - winter has well and truly arrived and with the colder weather things usually quieten down a little.

You will find an article, later in this Grapevine, regarding the passing of local resident June McKenzie. June was very well known in the district and was particularly involved in many of the early historical contributions that she and Colleen McKenzie provided for The Grapevine. They were extremely well researched and provided a very accurate picture of the early years in the district. Together, June and Colleen also provided the bound books of the records of our veterans that are displayed at each Anzac Day Dawn Service. June will be sadly missed. Our sincere condolences to Neil and the family.

Progress is exploring the possibility of installing solar panels at the Institute - as with everyone, our utility bills keep rising at an alarming rate. Federal funding may be available to offset some of this expenditure. We also continue to evaluate alternatives for an upgraded audio visual package suitable for the hall. More details when all of the selection criteria have been met.

Last month I mentioned that the main World War 1 Monument at the front of the Institute was having some repairs and upgrading, we are pleased to advise that this work is now completed and the Monument was re-installed in time for the June Market. Many thanks to Dave from D.J. Frances Memorials at Smithfield for the great job he did and very quick turn around time. The cost of the work completed is being assisted 50% by The City of Playford - thank you very much, we are very grateful for this support.

A coppersmith is currently refurbishing the Brass WW1 plaque that hangs inside the hall - this should be back shortly.

Thanks and Regards, Ian Slater, President.



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ONE TREE HILL GRAPEVINE CFS REPORT JUNE 2016



Incident Report

Nine incidents this month in what has been a mixed bag of calls.

Two rubbish fires, two vehicle fires, a tree down, an animal rescue, a clean-up call for a car on its side, house fire, and finally assisting the SA Ambulance with a helicopter landing.

The rubbish fires both turned out to be "controlled" burns but one had grown bigger than anticipated. Just a reminder that most local Councils have maximum size limits for your burn-off and it pays to check.

The call to the house fire in Lewiston was unusual and turned out to be a request for our 6,000 litre tanker in anticipation of water supply problems. As it turned out the crews on the scene had access to mains water and our assistance was not required. The animal rescue involved a horse that had slipped down an embankment in inclement weather and had become entangled in a barbed wire fence.

Helicopter landings are always tinged with sadness because it means there is a patient in dire need. We wish everyone involved all the best. Finding a suitable sized site free of trees, fences and power lines is a challenge and usually means blocking a road for a considerable time.

Our thanks to the people who were held up for their patience.

This month we have seen terrible storms in the eastern states and even in parts of South Australia. While most of us in the One Tree Hill area are fortunate that we will never be affected by rising flood waters, we still get our share of flooding through roofs due to blocked gutters. Is it time for a clean out? The other danger we all face is water on the roads. We all know not to enter flooded creeks but there are also a lot of places around the area where water flowing across the road makes conditions treacherous. Take care when driving in rain.

For general information please contact One Tree Hill Duty Phone on 8280 7055.
You can also visit the CFS website (www.cfs.sa.gov.au) or Phone 1300 362 361.

Councillor's June Report

It was disappointing to see Council's heavy approach to food safety and the media attention it generated. There is a saying that Charity begins at home, it appears that the home that charity begins in and is fit to cook for the family, friends and relatives subject to scrutiny when that cooking results in a saleable donation to charity. Volunteers and charity are the foundation stones that build, support and drive the Australian spirit of giving a helping hand when it's needed and continuing to help where it is needed. Thank you and congratulations to all those fabulous volunteers and community groups, too many to mention, who for many, many years have given selflessly to help others worse off than themselves in their times of need and never once had a bad incidence or complain. Yes, Council has an obligation to protect the general public from health issues, however Council also has an obligation to protect, nourish, and grow those values in our community that contribute to the wellbeing and harmonious existence of a community. Gladly common sense has prevailed and Council has taken, perhaps the friendly approach it should have demonstrated in the first instance, and that is, to provide information, education and free assistance to the community to keep food products and the community safe and healthy and encourage volunteering and keep charity alive within our community.

Following the public consultation on the City Plan a 4.5% rate increase will be imposed on ratepayers for the next financial year. Please do not imagine that this means that you take last year's rates and add 4.5% to them. Rates are worked out as follows, based on the average home value of \$227,000. This means that once the operational cost is taken out, a rate in the dollar is declared that will result in a 4.5% increase on last year's rate to that average home.

This means that if your valuation is less than \$227,000 you will pay less rates however any rateable properties valued above \$227K they pay the greater portion of rates.

Winter is now upon us so please be road savvy, slow down, especially on pea soup foggy mornings and or rain pelting days, the remainder of the time drive carefully and safely and remember that us oldies (both people and cars) also use the road and may be a little extra cautious in winter.

If you have any concerns or issues with or about our City, please in the first instance phone Council's 24 hours phone number "8256 0333" and or email playford@playford.sa.gov.au, and cc your email to me at crjfederico@playford.sa.gov.au. When speaking to Council please remember to get a Customer Reference Number to ensure registration, and easy identification of your communication. If you have a pressing concern you can talk to me at the Country Market, or pop a note into my letter box or email me. It would be appreciated if you put your concerns in writing.

Cr Joe Federico
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Kamcheyenne Limousin at our Country Market

There is no doubt about it, you can find a great variety of things at the One Tree Hill Country Market even cattle! Some of you may have wandered up to see the cattle on show up near the lawned area. Kamcheyenne Limousin will be there again for the July and August Market so please come along and visit the stall. Sarah and John are offering free samples of their quality beef (meatballs) and taking orders.

If you are not aware of the stud that is on the outskirts of town then this may enlighten you.

Kamcheyenne Limousin has been a stud and commercial cattle operation in One Tree Hill since 2003.

At Kamcheyenne it is all about the cows!! Just ask John... 😊 Their aim is to produce quality, quiet and naturally raised cattle, with low stress handling techniques used in every aspect of their operation. Sarah and John strongly believe that Healthy Soil and Water = Naturally Healthy Cattle.

The Limousin breed of Cattle originated in France (Limoges) and is renowned for its excellent ability to calf easily. They live longer and have the ability to thrive in poor conditions. Limousin being a beef breed has an extremely low fat/highly muscled carcass which makes it an excellent health choice when choosing beef to eat.

At Kamcheyenne they DON'T use harsh chemicals on their paddocks or force growth in animals by feeding grains or other highly unnatural methods often used in the beef industry. The cattle are proudly paddock raised, which means if you buy the cattle they will not drop condition and will continue to thrive in your paddocks. If you buy their beef you can be guaranteed that you truly are getting 100% beef, with no hormones, chemicals, or additives of any kind.

Kamcheyenne sell Stud cattle and also have a Kamshare Cattle program for local landowners to purchase their cows. They currently have over 15 families who proudly own and enjoy the cattle and benefit from Sarah's and John's program.



At Kamcheyenne they see the value in supporting youth to be involved in the Limousin breed and cattle in general. They employ 3 wonderful girls Sylvia, Caitlin and Cathy, who are invaluable to the stud operation. This year they are also supporting 4 local kids, who will be using our heifers at the annual South Australian Junior Heifer Expo run in the July school holidays.

The stud provides farm service work as well and includes rural fencing, trenching, small access kanga work, pasture seeding, slashing etc.

Come along and meet Sarah, John and two of their cattle at the One Tree Hill Country Market on July 2nd and August 6th. You can then try a free beef recipe tasting (get the recipe for meatballs) and meet the cattle as well as a chance to win Family Passes to this years Royal Adelaide Show.

You can also catch them on their webpage:

www.kamcheyennelimousin.com

or on facebook- [Kamcheyenne](https://www.facebook.com/Kamcheyenne)



For further details please see the advertisement



We will have a stall at the One Tree Hill Markets in June, July, and August, with information on our:

- Meat sales
- Kamshare cattle program
- Farm services



Come and meet **Juggernaut**, our current Kamshare bull (pictured) and a couple of our gorgeous heifers.

Find out how to be in the running to **win** a family pass to the royal Adelaide Show (prize will be drawn at the August market)

We hope to see you there!



Local Rider Grand National Champion

The Grapevine team received an email from Jemimah Watson's mum, Angela. The Watson family have been part of our community for the past two years having bought a property on Kelly Road. Angela sent in photos of Jemimah and information for this article.

Jemimah Watson (member of Trinity Gardens Church) was excited last November to qualify at the South Australian Show Horse Council Horse of the Year Show as Champion Rider 17 years and under 21 years for the Grand National Show Horse and Rider Championships held at the Sydney International Equestrian Centre from 16th to the 19th March 2016. Little did she realize she would take out the title of Grand National Rider 17 years and under 21 years from a large class of 25 other beautiful riders representing their own states.

As Jemimah is completing Year 12 this year she has been very busy studying and hasn't had the opportunity to ride as much as she would like, but she didn't want to miss this exciting opportunity and decided to make the quick flight to Sydney, it usually takes about a week for the round trip and try to borrow a horse to ride for the event rather than take her own horse. To borrow a horse at such a prestigious event is not an easy task but through the help of well respected riding instructor Les Friend who found her the ride and the kind gesture of Sarah and LeeAnne Olsen, she secured a beautiful warmblood mare "We Love Lola" to ride in her class.



Jemimah has been riding since she was 5 years old and got her own pony, "Cheerywood Vaucluse", at the age of 7. Over the following years she enjoyed attending Pegasus Pony Club and had regular lessons with various riding instructors where she learnt the basics and grew her love of horses and riding. It wasn't until age 12 when she saved to buy her own first show horse "Kolbeach Tuscany" that her love for show riding was ignited. It was then that she began lessons with her present riding instructor, twice National Champion Rider Melissa Karutz and visiting instructor Les Friend that she began concentrating on her riding with the dream of one day qualifying to ride at Grand Nationals.

Over the years Jemimah has faced many challenges in pursuing her dreams of one day representing her state in the Grand National Championships. To qualify to represent the state, Jemimah had to win her rider class at one of the four Grand National Qualifying shows held throughout the year. These shows consist of a two day program held over a weekend. Jemimah usually found her rider class was held on a Saturday and with wanting to keep the Sabbath she was unable to participate.



After a few years Jemimah was usually achieving Top 3 placings at most local competitions and people began to ask her why she didn't try to qualify for the Grand National competition. This gave Jemimah the opportunity to share her faith with non Adventist friends. In 2014 the President of the Show Horse Council of SA heard about her difficulty in having the opportunity to qualify and asked the Show Horse Committee to change the day of her class to the Sunday, so that she would have the opportunity. She won her rider at the 2014 South Australian Horse of the Year and competed in her rider at the 2015 Grand National Show Horse and Rider Championships for the first time. The committee chose to keep her class on the Sunday again in 2015 and once again she took out the title and travelled to Sydney to represent South Australia, this time taking out the title on only her second attempt.

Jemimah is very grateful to the previous President of the Show Horse Council of South Australia for helping to give her the opportunity to try to qualify, (He was one of the first to congratulate her on her success in Sydney)

Thank you Angela for your great story and a big Congratulations to Jemimah who we are sure made not only made One Tree Hill but all South Australia very proud.

Photos courtesy of LMG Photographics

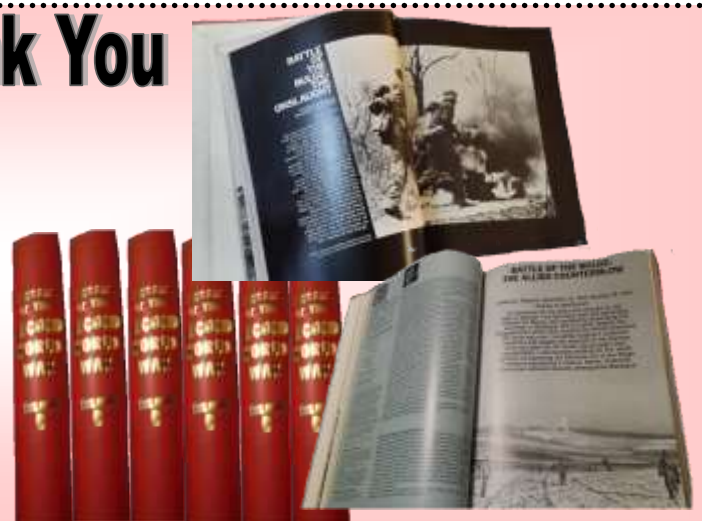
Belated Thank You

The One Tree Hill Progress Association thanks Jean Matysek for her donation of the beautifully bound journals cataloguing the Second World War.

Apparently the booklets were printed each week as a lift out in the Advertiser newspaper. Jean's family had the booklets bound into hard cover because her father read them over and over, for many years and they didn't want the pages to wear out.

One Tree Hill Progress will treasure these donated books, they will be available at future Anzac Dawn Services and to members of the community who would like to borrow them.

They are a very generous gift to the community and different volumes have already been borrowed by some residents to read about their particular interests over that period.



ONE TREE HILL UNITING CHURCH

OUR VISION

"People of Faith, sharing God's Love as we Worship and Serve in the Community"

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES - 10.00 AM

Sunday Service & Sunday School

Visiting children are welcome to join our children attending Sunday School which takes place during the Service.

SMYG (Sunday Morning Youth Group) & Young Adults

Meet every Sunday at 10.00 am with their leader whilst the Service is taking place. Throughout the year they enjoy various activities – paint-balling, 10-pin bowling, weekend camps, cinema evenings, and more.

New members are very welcome, just come along to their room located behind the church in the shed!

OP SHOP

Our church, together with three other local churches, run the Red Bird Op Shop in Elizabeth North, with all proceeds going to the Churches and Mission. In June, the Young Adults Group from our church gave the shop a much needed fresh coat of paint. Go down and check out the nice new colour. You will find the shop at Hilcott Street, Rosewood Village, Elizabeth North, we are open between 9.30 am – 3.00 pm Monday-Friday.

MARKET STALL

Our ladies have been given the 'all clear' by Playford Council to continue running our stall each month at the One Tree Hill Country Market, (without having their kitchens inspected) - selling their usual variety of home made cakes, slices and biscuits. Also plants, bric-a-brac, games books etc. Drop on by, we we'd love to see you.

MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MEETINGS

Come along and join us
On **Wednesday 27th July, 2016**
Morning tea will begin at 10am
followed by our
Guest Speaker from 'Anglicare'



For further information please phone

Maureen on - 8280 7368

Thank You to OTH Progress

Thank you to the OTH Progress Association for adding the name of my Great Uncle Charles Tamblyn to the War Memorial.

Sadly our family knows little about him as our grandmother and sister never really spoke of him. My brother visited his grave last year when he went to Belgium for the Anzac Day Service. We have a photograph of his grave, but have been unable to find a photo of Charles.

Another sadness for the Tamblyn family was the killing of their cousin Alma Cowie in the attack on the picnic train at Broken Hill on January 1st, 1915. There were 1200 men, women and children on a train travelling to nearby Penrose Park at Silverton for the annual picnic. Two Turkish patriots raised the Turkish flag over their ice cream van and attacked the train with rifles and 4 people were killed including 17 year old Alma. After the shooting the 2 men fled and holed up at White Rocks. Local police and militia closed in and the two men were killed. Sadly, another man was chopping wood nearby and was killed by a stray bullet.

My parents and Grandmother were quite close to one of Alma's brothers so we grew up knowing of this story, but unfortunately my Grandmother never spoke of her young brother Charles.

One of their brothers lived in One Tree Hill all his life and we have very happy memories of visiting "Uncle Nick" as children. I am sure that my Grandmother would have been very happy to know that one of their family has returned to One Tree Hill and lived here very happily for the last 40 years.

Joylene Bateman - One Tree Hill Resident.

Further details of the tragic shootings can be seen on the web: <http://www.abc.net.au/news/2015-01-01/broken-hill-remembers-wwi-attack/5995854>



Left: Photo of the train after the attack.

Right: Alma Cowie aged 17 years



One Tree Hill Hotel

Whilst doing research for the history pages we came across a photo of the original One Tree Hill Hotel as it was called back in 1890 (or more commonly known as the One Tree Inn). It is believed to be the only photo in records of the hotel. It was situated on the corner of Black Top Road and Yorktown Road.

Photo with a horse-drawn coach (possibly Cobb & Co) and a number of people in front.





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How Well Do You Know South Australia?

Commerce and Industry continued:

Answers appear on page 14.

1: The mines at Glen Osmond have a historical significance. What is this?

2: When was the first wireless broadcast in South Australia?

3: The Sunday Mail first appeared in 1955. How did the name evolve?

4: When, in Australia, was the first stripper or harvesting machine successfully demonstrated and by whom?

5: In 1980, something special in number plates was available to South Australian drivers. What was this?

6: In 1994, South Australian shoppers experienced greater freedom in their shopping routine. Why?

7: Where was the first biscuit factory in Australia?

8: What was a major breakthrough by a South Australian for the motor car industry?

9: When was the first Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA) in Australia?

10: 1971 saw the reintroduction of daylight saving. When had this commodity previously been part of the state?

11: What was the first truly Australian export?

12: What were the first coins minted and circulated in Australia as legal tender?

13: Where was South Australia's first Post Office located?

14: Which South Australian company is helping to turn the Easter tradition of chocolate bunnies on it's head?

15: Which pasta manufacturer was founded in Adelaide in 1936?

16: Which well known paint manufacturer was established in Adelaide and still has its head office in Adelaide?

17: When was Adelaide Zoo opened to the public?

18: What is unique about the O-Bahn?

19: Which venue in Adelaide is classed as one of the world's top ten meeting places?

20: Which year was television introduced in South Australia?



Quick Hearty Soup

Ingredients:

- * 1 Tablespoon Olive Oil
- * 1 Onion, chopped
- * 1 Celery Stalk
- * 1 Tsp Ground Cumin
- * 1 Litre Chicken Stock
- * Low-fat Natural Yoghurt, to serve.
- * 1 Long red Chilli (chopped)
- * 1 Carrot, chopped
- * 1 Tsp Ground Coriander
- * 1 Cup Red Lentils, rinsed and drained



Method:

Heat the olive oil in a large saucepan over medium heat, add the onion, chilli, celery and carrot and cook for 2-3 minutes. Add Cumin and Coriander and cook, stirring, for a further minute. Add the Red Lentils and Chicken stock, bring to boil and simmer for about 8 to 10 minutes until lentils are tender. Season with salt and pepper and serve in bowls with a dollop of yoghurt.

Easy Batter Fruit Cobbler

You'll never find an easier winter dessert than this fruit cobbler, it's so quick and easy a child could make it.

Ingredients:

- * 4 Tablespoons Butter
- * ¾ Cup Sugar
- * ¼ Teaspoon Salt
- * 1 Tablespoon Sugar
- * 2 Cups Raspberries, Blackberries or a packet of frozen berries. Fresh peaches, nectarines and apples make a great filling when in season.
- * ¾ Cup of S.R. Flour
- * 1 Tsp Baking Powder
- * ¾ Cup Milk

Method: Heat oven to 180deg. Put melted butter into bowl, whisk in flour, ¾ sugar, baking powder and salt. Add milk, whisk to form a smooth batter, pour into casserole dish, then scatter fruit over. Sprinkle remaining 1 tablespoon sugar over top. Bake for approximately 50 minutes or until brown. Serve with a dollop of cream or vanilla ice cream.

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Crime Report – ONE TREE HILL Rural Watch – Offences reported between 20th May and 20th June 2016

<u>Afternoon 4th June</u> Vehicle stolen from Blakeview and destroyed by fire at Gould Creek	Arson of Motor Vehicle Melville Road, GOULD CREEK
<u>Daylight 7th June</u> Unknown persons have forced their way into house and assaulted occupant. Unknown if anything stolen at this time.	Serious Criminal Trespass - Residential Black Top Road, GOULD CREEK
<u>Overnight 9th June</u> Shipping container forced open. Unknown if anything stolen at this time.	Serious Criminal Trespass - Non Residential Willison Road, GOULD CREEK
<u>Daylight 16th June</u> Entry to house by forcing door. Computer, medals stolen.	Serious Criminal Trespass - Residential Craigmores Road, ULEYBURY
<u>Overnight 17th June</u> Unlocked shed entered and tools stolen.	Serious Criminal Trespass - Non Residential Gawler Scenic Route, BIBARINGA

As always if you have any information to assist with any crime issues in the area
please phone Police Communications on **131 444**

Many thanks to Darren McCue (Senior Sergeant First Class) - One Tree Hill Rural Watch Liaison Officer for this information.



QWERTY Keyboards

The first typewriter was introduced in 1868 by Christopher Latham Sholes. His first attempt to build a typing device consisted of a crude and sluggish machine that was far from perfect. The design used letters and characters on the ends of rods which were called typebars. When a key was struck, the typebar would swing up and hit the ink coated tape which would transfer the image onto paper.



The original design of the keyboard positioned keys in alphabetical order in two rows. Makes sense right? Well, this arrangement caused the typebars of the most commonly used combination letters of the alphabet (i.e. TH and ST) to be positioned close together, so when the keys were hit right after the other with a speed faster than a snail, the keys would jam.

The attempt to solve this malfunction resulted in a rearrangement of keys. In 1868, in collaboration with educator Amos Densmore, Sholes arranged the letters on the keyboard for better spacing between popular keys used in combination. The results was that this initially made it difficult for people to find the letters they needed to type efficiently.

However, someone who mastered this new key arrangement would actually be able to type faster because the keys wouldn't jam. This was the beginning of the QWERTY keyboard, which first appeared in 1872.

The first typewriter machine found its way on the market in 1874 through Remington & Sons. The device was called the Remington No. 1. You are probably thinking that it was sold out quickly but that wasn't the case. Truth is, most people ignored it. The idea of mechanical writing was just too strange for most people!

The accepted norm was to write letters in legible longhand and many people found mechanical writing uncouth or even offensive. Sholes figured his device would appeal to clergymen and men of letters first and then he'd branch out to the general public; he didn't consider its use in business. All of these factors probably played a part in the typewriters initial lack of sales.

Four years later, after slight modifications to the arrangement of the keyboard were made, Remington & Sons produced the new Remington no2 model. It included the arrangement of

keys we use today along with the ability to type both capital and lowercase letters by using the shift key. The shift key received its name because it caused the carriage to shift position in order to type either a lowercase or capital letter which were on the same typebar. Although the shift key we use on our keyboards today does not cause the machine to shift mechanically, the name stuck.

As the typewriter rose in popularity, people stopped complaining about the weird arrangement of keys and started memorizing the keyboard and learning how to type efficiently. Although other alternative keyboards tried to break into the market, most people decided to stay with QWERTY board.

One prominent attempt at a replacement keyboard occurred in the early 1930s when Professor August Dvorak of Washington State University set out to develop a more user friendly keyboard. He ultimately redesigned the keyboard so all of the vowels and the five most commonly used consonants were arranged on the home row. (AOEUIDHTNS). Although the design required a typist to frequently alternate hands to type most words with the Dvorak keyboard, a person could type approximately 400 of the English language's most common words by just using the keys of the home row, compared to 100 words on the QWERTY keyboard.

Dvorak set out to prove his machine superior to Sholes' but his keyboard never caught on.

FACTS

Author Mark Twain was one of the first people to purchase the early typewriter and is probably the first author to submit a typed manuscript to his publisher.

Using the QWERTY keyboard, you can type the word "typewriter" using only the top row of keys.

The least expensive typewriter, produced in the late 1880s cost only \$1.

Frank McGurrian, a court stenographer from Salt Lake City, is considered the first person to memorize the QWERTY keyboard and master touch-typing, as opposed to the hunt-and-peck method.

The alphanumeric keypad on phones today is called a half QWERTY keyboard.

POPPING CANDY

Have you ever wondered about this popping candy that explodes in your mouth when eating it? Well the candy is much like other hard sugar candies, they are primarily made with sugar, corn syrup, water and artificial flavouring.

It turns out, what causes it to pop when it comes in contact with moisture and heat in your mouth is not due to the way the candy is made, which we know in detail thanks to the fact that the manufacturing process is patented and thus the process is laid out for all to see in the patent.



Basically, what they do is heat the ingredients together, bringing the mixture to boil. They continue to boil until the moisture level descends suitably so that a thick syrupy substance remains. In normal hard sugar candies, this substance is then put in moulds and allowed to cool and harden. With pop rocks, they expose the hot mix to carbon dioxide at about 600lbs per square inch worth of pressure. This ends up forming very small bubbles of carbon dioxide within the mix. The substance is then cooled and subsequently hardens.

Once the hard candy is formed, the pressure is released. This causes the candy to shatter, leaving small nuggets of hard candy, which are pop rocks. Many of the nuggets contain pockets of carbon dioxide kept at relatively high pressure. When the candy hits the saliva in your mouth, it quickly dissolves the thin barriers bursting fairly quickly, releasing the trapped carbon dioxide, often with sufficient force to cause the candy to pop and sometimes jump in your mouth.

The pop rock is not dangerous to eat, even when mixed with carbonated beverages.

We hope that this was enlightening !

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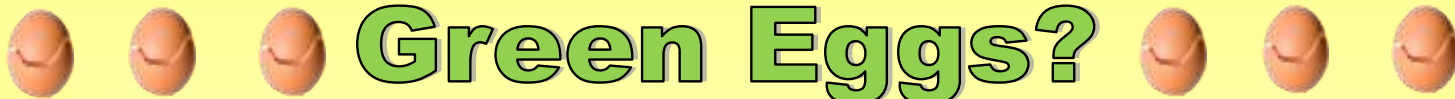
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Green Eggs?

Have you ever wondered why the yolk of a hard-boiled egg sometimes turn green?

The process of hard-boiling an egg involves denaturation. During this process, the amino acid chains found in the proteins in the egg are altered from their original, raw egg state, with the denaturation temperature varying somewhat depending on the specific protein in question.

But in a nutshell, adding heat to these proteins initially causes the proteins to partially unfold or otherwise change their normal organised spatial structure. As this is happening, the proteins begin to aggregate and coagulate together. As heat continues to be applied additional bonds are formed in these clusters, creating a relatively dense protein network, which in turn results in the rubbery egg whites and solidified yolk you find in hard-boiled eggs.

As to why if heat is applied long enough, you'll get a greenish colorization around the yolk, to begin with, the proteins in the egg white contain sulfur. That sulfur combines with hydrogen during the denaturation process and produces hydrogen sulfide, a toxic gas that produces an unmistakable "rotten egg" smell. Due to being heavier than oxygen and nitrogen, which make up the case majority of Earth's atmosphere, hydrogen sulphide can normally be found collecting in spaces like wells and caves, and it is not only poisonous but also flammable, corrosive and explosive. Fortunately for egg lovers the world over, the amount of hydrogen sulphide released in the egg is so small that it does not pose any health risk whatsoever.

When you cook an egg, heat is (obviously) applied from the outside and works its way in. This is important to the topic at hand because the solubility of the egg white decreases as it heats up, forcing the hydrogen sulphide inwards, towards the yolk.

Also notable to the topic at hand is the fact that egg yolk contains iron, which is ultimately set free from the phosvitin in the yolk sufficiently. When these iron cations come in contact with the hydrogen sulphide around the area where the yolk meets the egg white, a resulting chemical reaction produces iron sulphide. Iron sulphide has a greenish, grey colouring, hence the green/grey tinge around the yolk of a hard-boiled egg. The longer you cook the egg, the more iron sulphide is produced and the more discolouration you will see.

And if you are wondering, aside from not being terribly aesthetically pleasing, it is perfectly safe to eat this green part of the yolk.

Did you know that by adding salt or vinegar to the water when you boil eggs it will speed up the denaturing process within the egg? Why is this helpful in hard-boiling eggs? If the egg shell cracks, you might notice some of the egg escaping before it has time to harden. The vinegar or salt helps reduce the chances of such leakage.

Another tip that is recommended by a chef is that if you carefully puncture one end of the egg with a pin or thumbtack before boiling, the hydrogen sulphide and other gasses will escape as bubbles, leaving the yolk a bright yellow.



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From The Past - Assorted Clippings From The Early Days

Printed Saturday 19th July 1913

A Sudden Death

One Tree Hill, July 8. Mr. Peter Charlton died suddenly today. He went out with his team in the morning and carted a load of stones. He was on his way for another load when he complained to his nephew that he did not feel well. He said he would turn back and let the horses go till he felt better.

He just managed to reach his home and call for assistance before death overtook him. Heart failure was the cause.

Mr. H. H. Blackham, after making enquiries, considered an inquest unnecessary. Mr. Charlton was the eldest son of Mr. Charles Charlton, who lives with his daughter at Kent Street, Alberton.

Mr. Charlton was a member of the Oddfellows Lodge and was universally respected. He was about fifty years of age and unmarried.

Printed Saturday 26th July, 1890

One Tree Hill Branch - Friday July 18. Present - Messrs. E.L. Ifould, J.P. (Chairman) J.H. Elliker, J. Bowman, A.E. Kelly, F. Ifould, and H. H. Blackham junior (Hon Secretary).

Seeds of various kinds were distributed amongst the members for trial and report.

Printed Friday 29th July, 1927

Party at One Tree Hill

A most enjoyable evening was spent on Saturday, July 16, at "Milton Park", the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chinner. The dance room and supper room were decorated with streamers and Iceland Poppies. A delicious home-made supper was spread and much enjoyed.

The evening's entertainment comprised of songs, games, recitations, and dancing.

Those taking part were - (songs) Mrs. English, Mr. and Miss Rawlings; recitations, Miss Joyce Groth. The music was supplied for the dancing by Mesdames English and Lill, Miss Selma Fiebig and Messrs Hissey and McKenzie.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Chinner, Mr. and Mrs. H. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hissey, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. English, Mr. and Mrs. J. Till (Tanunda), Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. V. Bellchambers, Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy Denholme (Lyndoch), Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Paternoster, Mesdames D. McKenzie, H. Hissy, Fiebig, Rawlings, Charleston, Misses Norma Rawlings, Elsie McKenzie, Selma and Roma Fiebig, Charleston (3), Rose Quinlan, Edna Paternoster, Kathleen Taylor, Greta Prizibella, Lil and Joyce Groth, S. Hissey, D. Hutchins, Messrs. C. Fiebig, H. Groth, Gordon and Frank McKenzie, Ken and Doug Springbett, Ray Lane, Allen Childs, Edgar Holmes, Doug Rawlings, Fry, Akeroyd, M. Taylor, Max Hissey and C. Hutchins.

Printed 30th July 1920 -

Social Held to Farewell Miss Turner

Thursday evening of last week saw a Farewell Social in the One Tree Hill Institute, Miss M. Turner, School Mistress being the guest of the residents prior to her transfer to a larger school.

The attendance was good, and the evening was very enjoyable, musical items being supplied by Misses Twelftree, Smith, Blackham, and Fiebig.

Miss Turner was the recipient of a solid leather travelling bag, and eulogistic speeches were made by Messrs. F.G. Dawson (Chairman), H. H. Blackham, F.L. Ifould, J.H. Groth, and E. A. Kelly.

Printed Friday 5th March, 1948

Electricity For One Tree Hill?

The matter of extending electricity lines from Dr. Tostevin's property on to One Tree Hill was discussed by Munno Para East Council on Monday.

Enquiries are to be made locally to ascertain what the likely consumption would be. A public meeting will probably be called after the information has been gathered.

Printed Friday July 25th 1941

One Tree Hill Fighting Forces Comforts Funds Unit

The committee of the local unit of Fighting Forces Comforts Fund held a very successful dance to aid funds, on July 12. Music was provided by Mrs. Freeman's orchestra and Mr. Freeman carried out the duties of M.C. Proceeds were £7.

On Thursday July 17, the Unit's annual meeting was held. At the conclusion of routine business, members adjourned to the hall proper, where small tables were arranged, each attractively decorated with marigolds. On the official table was a birthday cake, complete with one candle, the occasion being the first birthday of the One Tree Hill Unit. The cake, and afternoon tea, were provided by the President Mrs. F. L. Ifould.

The cake was later cut and sold for 3d per slice. Musical items were given by Mrs. H. W. Kelly (songs), Mrs. Tambllyn (violin solo), accompanied by Miss Merle Walter.

Mrs. Chinner presented the balance sheet, which showed that the unit had raised £165 for the year, £147 being forwarded to Headquarters and the balance used for working expenses.

The Secretary, Mr. H. J. Hender, reported the following goods as dispatched for the year:- 2 pairs stockings, 137 pairs of socks, 46 pullovers, 39 mufflers, 23 Balacclavas, 87 pairs mittens, 1,401 handkerchiefs, 18 dilly bags, 25 cakes soap and 48 face washers. Books, magazines and waste material were forwarded and also many parcels for the Cheer Up Hut.



Ads are from the Bunyip newspaper in the early 1920s.

Kids Page

Boy, we are having some cold days aren't we, I hope that you are all keeping warm and finding plenty to do inside when it's raining. Winter is a great time to catch up on some reading and to play games together with your siblings or friends.

I've included a couple of puzzles and some amazing jokes once again, I hope you have fun with them. Don't forget if you have a favourite type of puzzle let me know so that I can print one for you.

It won't be long and you will be on school holidays again, I hope you have plenty planned for the holidays, stay safe whatever you do.

Welcome to our newest Kookaburra member Joel, unfortunately I don't have his surname, address or phone number, I'm hoping I get another letter with those details included. Don't forget if you would like to register for our Kookaburra Club, I need your full name, date of birth, address and phone number.

Until next month Auntie Bev. Email: oth.grapevine@bigpond.com or drop me a line at the Grapevine, Postal address is OTH Grapevine P.O. Box 196 One Tree Hill Post Office, SA 5114.



Can you show Jack the way down the beanstalk?



Did you hear about the boy who slept with his head under the pillow? When he woke up, he discovered the fairies had taken all of his teeth!

Did you hear about the little boy who found a feather in his bed? He thought he had chicken pox!

Did you hear about the man who heard a mouse squeaking one night? He got up to oil it!

Did you hear about the parents who called their baby "Caffeine"? Apparently she keeps them awake all night!

Q: How do you know that someone is sleeping like a log?
A: When you hear them sawing!

Man: "Doctor, doctor, I'm always dreaming of cricket!"
Doctor: Don't you ever dream about other things?
Man: "What and miss my innings!"



Q: What has four legs, a trunk, and sunglasses?
A: A mouse setting off on a holiday!

Q: What do you call a 200kg Gorilla?
A: Sir!

Q: What is black and white and red all over?
A: A zebra blushing!

Q: What do fish take to stay healthy?
A: Vitamin sea!

Q: What do you call a mummy cow that just had a calf?
A: Decalfinated!

Q: What do you call a mad elephant?
A: An earthquake!

Q: What is a shark's favourite sandwich?
A: Peanut butter and jellyfish!

Q: What is King Arthur's favourite fish?
A: A swordfish!



Q: Why did the policeman give the sheep a ticket?
A: He made an illegal ewe turn!

Q: What does an octopus wear when it gets cold?
A: A coat of arms.

Q: What kind of dog always runs a fever?
A: A hot dog!

Q: What has 4 wheels, gives milk, and eats grass?
A: A cow on a skateboard!

Q: Why don't bears wear shoes?
A: What's the use, they would still have bear feet!

Q: What do you call a dog who likes to take a bubble bath?
A: A shampooodle!

Q: What does a calf become after it's 1 year old?
A: 2 years old?

Cow: "moove over!" Sheep: "naaaaaaaaal!"

Q: How do you know an elephant has been in your fridge?
A: There are footprints in the butter!

Q: Why does a giraffe have such a long neck?
A: Because his feet stink!

Q: What is a dog's favourite food for breakfast?
A: Pooched eggs!

Q: What do you give a pig with a rash?
A: Oinkment!

Q: What do you do if your cat swallows your pencil?
A: Use a pen!



This month I am going to write about the lolly making at Sovereign Hill. First the man poured the hot lolly liquid onto a non-stick table and left it to cool down for a bit. While he was doing this, he was talking about how they put red bugs in lollies to make them look red and arsenic to look green. They also used lead moulds and that was making people sick.

Lollies were only made for adults as a treat because of the bland food they were eating.

After he had finished talking he cut the lolly mixture with big scissors and put the lollies through the moulds, left them for two minutes and dropped them into a big bowl.

He let us try one too. It was good fun.

Joshua N. Age 11 years.

Great story Joshua, I hope you remembered to brush your teeth after. We look forward to hearing from you next month.

OTH Kookaburra Club



The Kookaburra Club is open to all children 13 years and under. If you would like to become a member email or post your name, address, birthdate and a story or jokes to the grapevine. (Details are on page 2 of this edition) We have a monthly prize for the best story or jokes, this is a \$10 voucher. Birthday cards and a \$10 voucher will be awarded for your birthday but please note that if you don't submit something for 6 months you will not receive your birthday gift. I hope to hear from lots of you this year.

Thank you to OTH Progress for the awards.

Jokes sent in by our new member Joel.

Q: What do you call a cow on a hill?

A: Lean Meat!

Q: What do goats favour in the desert?

A: Iscream!

Joel Age 9 years

Thank you for your letter Joel, I need further details for me to register you for the Kookaburra Club. If possible get Mum to write or email us or perhaps call in and see us at the OTH Country Market which is held on the 1st Saturday of each month. The next one being on the 2nd July.

Q: Why was the cookie sad?



A: Because his mom was a wafer so long.

Riley D. Age 4 years.

Thank you Riley for your joke this month.

The Adelaide United youth team invited us to come and play a half time game. Adelaide United versed Campbell town city. Adelaide United lost 2-1. On the field the grass was fake and very slippery from all the rain. Next to the pitch on the sidelines there was a mini soccer field but with no goals. So we used bollards to make the goals.

We all played on the mini pitch for a while till we had to get changed into the Adelaide United clothes. In the change rooms me and one of my friends sat on the physio bed. Then we all played for a bit more on the mini field. At half time we went on the big soccer field and the team I was on won. Then we all watched the rest of the game and went home. I thought it was very fun.

By Tom D. Age 9 years



You are our winner for this month, keep up the great work with your stories. Prize can be picked up from the OTH Market on 2nd July.



Can you find all these words in the Wordsearch puzzle?

bell
belt
bird
bread
bagel
spoon

m	d	a	e	r	b
s	b	a	g	e	l
p	n	m	z	n	w
o	t	l	e	b	u
o	u	b	i	r	d
n	b	l	l	e	b

Q: What goes up and down but never moves? A: Stairs!

Q: Why do dragons sleep during the day?
A: So they can fight knights!

Q: What is the difference between a TV and a newspaper?
A: Have you even tried swatting a fly with a TV?

Q: Which hand is better to write with?
A: Neither, it's best to write with a pen or pencil!

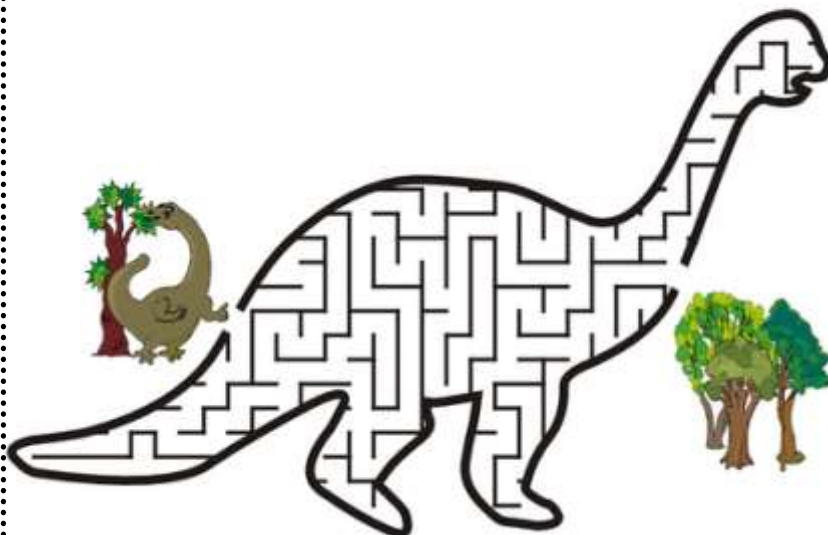


Q: What musical instrument is found in the bathroom?
A: A tuba toothpaste!



Knock, Knock, Who's there? Wooden shoe!
Wooden shoe who?
Wooden shoe like to hear another joke?

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How Well Did You Know South Australia?

Answers from page 7

- 1: They were the first mines in Australia to bear or yield metal.
- 2: In 1924.
- 3: The paper was a result of a merger between The Mail and the Sunday Advertiser.
- 4: November 1843 by John Ridley on his 70 acres wheat farm near Adelaide.
- 5: The appearance on the plates of the slogan "The Festival State".
- 6: Sunday trading was introduced in the city.
- 7: Adelaide, W. Menz and Company, established in 1850. They later amalgamated with Arnott's biscuits.
- 8: First differential gear on a motor vehicle in the world was incorporated in a steam car built by David Shearer at Mannum.
- 9: In Adelaide 1850 - six years after the organisation began in England.
- 10: During the later years of the Second World War.

11: Eucalyptus oil exported to England in 1906 by the Kangaroo Island Eucalyptus Company.

12: The one pound gold pieces authorised by an act of the South Australian Parliament in November 1852.

13: Kangaroo Island.

14: Haigh's Chocolates. They were the first to manufacture chocolate bilbies, instead of chocolate bunnies. This started in 1993 to help bring attention to the endangered bilby, and now they do not make any bunnies at all.

15: San Remo.

16: Solver Paints.

17: On 23rd May 1883. It is the second oldest zoo in Australia after Melbourne Zoo which opened in 1862.

18: At 12km long, it is the fastest and longest guided busway in the world.

19: Adelaide Convention Centre.

20: 1959.

Horse Care - Temperament Choice

Choice of temperament can be a major factor in the pleasure of horse riding. The rider who wants to plod does not want a non responsive horse. This will lead to frustration. Instead, they need a horse that is willing to plod along, that is not super reactive to their surrounds, including the antics of the rider, but that will still go forward when asked firmly. There is nothing quite as irritating as the horse that refuses to go when asked. If the rider needs a whip or spurs to get forward motion, then the pleasure becomes a chore.

But the reverse is also true. The horse that is always trying to go too fast is not pleasurable either. They can ruin the confidence of a rider who is starting out or has developed nerves. Indeed, many riders' nerves come from a horse they could not trust. Choose a horse to suit the rider in their current level of confidence and ability (and don't get carried away by the child who thinks they can ride anything). Allow a little for growth in ability or confidence but not so much they fail to grow. Far better to change horses/ponies later.

So, is there a place for the lazy horse? Yes. A very confident rider will frequently wake a plodder up. Horses can get carried away by the excitement of the event, so a competitive rider will often find their horse comes good for them. They are also more likely to be able to manage whip or spurs to remind the horse that they have a job to do, without being cruel or feeling like they have to keep using them. The horse soon learns they had better shape up for this rider and the use of a whip or spurs becomes a thing of the past.

Some riders have what is colloquially known as an "electric bum". Every horse they get on are starting the Melbourne Cup. They will wake up the plodders but the very reactive ones can be quite unsuitable for them, no matter what their ability, as they become almost dangerous to others around them.

Usually you find that great horsemen/women do not ride horses who are at either extreme. Their ability brings the horse to the centre - quiet enough for their work and with enough energy to do it easily. The horse changes to step up to the mark.

If you have any horse query for Julie please email or post to the Grapevine and we will pass it on.

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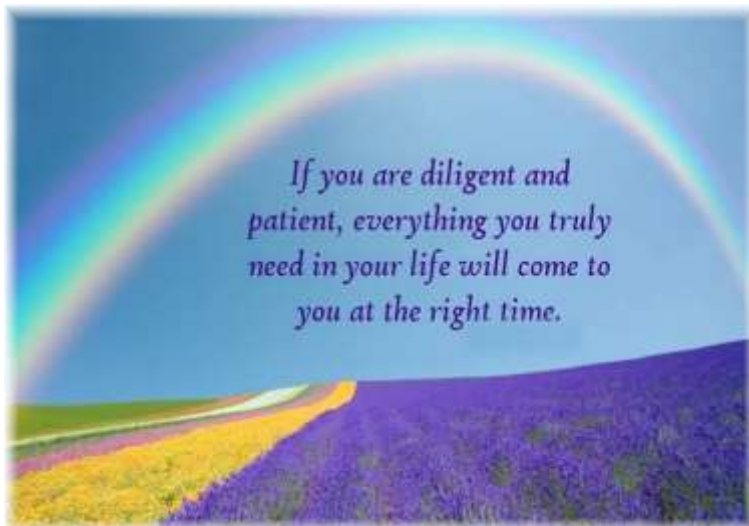
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Goats - Judge the age by the Teeth



We have heard the saying "don't look a gift horse in the mouth". The reason is that we can estimate the age of horses by their teeth and may find the gift horse is quite a bit older than we would like. The age of a goat can also be estimated from the teeth.

Goats are usually born with a full set of milk teeth: 6 on the bottom. Note there are no teeth in the front of the top jaw. They also have molars in the back of both jaws. (Very small kids may not have their teeth until a little later).

By the age of 12 to 15 months, the front 2 teeth will fall out and be replaced by 2 adult teeth. Each year, another 2 teeth, on either side of the centre ones, will be replaced by adult teeth. Thus we estimate age by the number of adult teeth in the centre of the bottom jaw.

With experience, we can guess within 3 or 4 months as we look at how erupted the teeth are. Long teeth are more likely in those close to the end of their year (e.g. 20 months but still with 2 teeth).

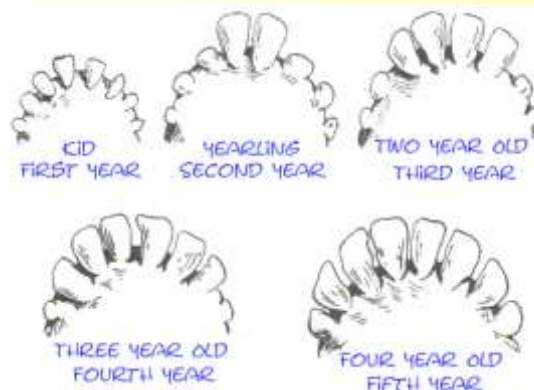
This may be the time to issue a warning. If you think it's cute to have a small kid suck on your fingers, beware of them working your fingers into the back and side of their mouth. There is a very good chance they will bite - and it will hurt!



By the time a goat is 4 years old, they should have a "full mouth", 8 adult teeth along the centre bottom jaw.

Eventually they start to come loose and fall out. This varies, but usually happens around 8 to 10 years old. Loose teeth are painful to eat with and we can best help our goat by removing any that are loose. Do it just as you would pull teeth from a child - quickly with a firm pull when they are VERY loose.

The front teeth are those the goat uses to bite grass from the stem, so we now need to provide more short stalk hay and not expect them to manage on grass. They will work hay stalks into the back teeth to chew.



Please email the Grapevine if you have any queries on goat care and we will pass your correspondence on to Julie Buttery who wrote this article.

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Here are Some Bizarre and Funny Facts About Dogs

Dogs are the best friends to humans and there really is no doubting that. You can be a 'cat person' or a 'bird person' but dogs will always hold the number one spot in our heart. As one of the most domesticated animals on the planet it stands to reason that we know the majority of what there is to know about the animals, however this isn't exactly true. There are a lot of fascinating, hilarious, and bizarre facts about dogs that most people have no idea about. Even if you have had dogs all your life we guarantee that you'll be surprised by what you are about to read. Listed are 11 bizarre and hilarious facts about dogs!

1: Average dogs are about as smart as a two year old child: If you ever got the inkling that your dog was a lot smarter than it appeared, you were probably right. We tend to think of pets as small minded creatures despite their very clear signs of intelligence. Studies show that an average dog can learn up to 250 different words as well as a similar amount of gestures, giving you plenty of room to communicate with one another and train. Scientists have found that they can teach dogs to count up to about 5 while also teaching them to perform simple math functions. Dogs are wonderful, beautiful, and intelligent creatures. In fact, if dogs were any smarter we fear that they would realize humans aren't all they are cracked up to be! So if you are always tired after school or work, just realize how much work your own dog does to be able to learn to communicate with you.

2: Dog's aren't colourblind: We are not sure how this myth originally began getting passed around but it is high time that we put it to bed. Dogs are not colourblind as people tend to suggest and they, in fact, can see quite a variety of different colours. Scientists have found out that the primary colour spectrum for dogs is largely made up of yellow, violet, blue, black, white and grey. So if you want your dog to have a colourful home to wander around in then you need to make sure that you definitely utilise these colours.

3: Dog's have an exponentially stronger sense of smell than humans: While you might think that you have an excellent sniffer it is nothing, absolutely nothing, compared to that of a dog. The average human nose has around 5 million scent receptors inside of it. This number sounds impressive enough but it is put in stark reality next to that of a dogs. The average beagle has 225 million scent receptors in its nose and that isn't even the strongest nose in the dog kingdom. To put things in simple perspective, the average dog can sense up to 100,000 better than the human.

4: A dog's nose is as unique as a human fingerprint: Though most dog noses look the same they are in fact quite different. Don't get fooled by thinking in terms of generalities. The swirling designs, ridges, and creases make each nose a truly individual thing. This unique nose is the strongest sensory device on the entire dog's body. Dogs rely on smell almost completely. You can see quite a few symptoms of sickness just by monitoring a dogs snout.

5: Dogs dream just like us: If you have ever had a dog then you no doubt have watched it with glee as it twitched, barked, and ran in its sleep. Many people just assume that dogs are dreaming of dog like things, and they are to an extent, but the full truth is that these dogs dream just like humans do. Psychology Today, a magazine focused on this sort of research, believes that dogs most likely spend their nights dreaming of activities that they frequently partake in; playing fetch, going for walks, chasing cats and so on. This is a perfect reason to make sure that you keep your dog mentally active during the day with play and training as it gives them something to think about while they sleep.

6: Military Dog Tags were inspired by Puppy Dog Tags: The military has seemingly always used ID tags for soldiers. Dog Tags were first put into use for pets in the 1850s thanks to the beginning of a law that required dog licensing. This law was put in place for people to track which dogs were attacking the livestock of their neighbours. In the 1860s this system caught on in the military so soldiers had a way of being identified for their family back home in case something went wrong and they were killed in action.

7: You don't want to shave a Husky's coat: The Husky is one of the most beautiful and striking dogs in the entire family of animals and yet they are still so misunderstood. There are a variety of different types of Husky out there and all of them are known by their long, thick coat, and striking blue eyes. Many people who decide to buy Husky's in warmer climates think that they need to trim their coat in order to keep them comfortable but this is a mistake. The Husky breed has a special kind of coat that regulates temperature both hot and cold, and cutting it leads them to being incapable of keeping cool. Leave the coat long and let your Husky regulate its own body temperature.

8: Storms are actually painful to dogs: If you have a dog that always freaks out during thunder storms then you might need to act with compassion to it and understand its pain. Dogs have such good hearing that when thunderstorms roll through the sound of thunder can cause their ears to hurt. Don't just assume that your dog is scared of the thunder, they might be physically in pain. If you do anything to help muffle the noise a bit then your dog would appreciate it.

9: Do you know why dogs walk in circles before going to bed? If you have seen your dog, or puppy go to sleep then you have probably watched and laughed as it has walked around in circles several times before laying itself down. The reason that dogs do this is because they are emulating a technique used in the wild; to flatten long grass in order to be more comfortable. Scientists also believe that dogs do this in order to feel more safe.

10: Most dogs don't love being hugged: To humans giving a dog a hug is a sign of affection and love. We love holding our dogs and showing them how much we care about them. However, for dogs a hug can be seen as a sign of dominance and it can make them feel uncomfortable. This doesn't mean all dogs dislike being hugged, but some do.

11: Service dogs know when they are working and when they are off: Service dogs do some of the greatest work around and they are well trained enough to know when to take it easy. Whenever a service dog knows that its harness is on it will be in 'alert mode'. When the harness comes off the dog will almost instantly relax and become playful because their shift is over, so to speak.



Q: What do you get if you cross a gold dog with a telephone? A: A golden receiver!

Q: What do you get if you cross a Beatle with an Australian dog? A: Dingo Starr!

Q: What do you get if you cross a sheepdog with a calculator? A: A friend you can count on!

Q: Why did the poor dog chase his own tail? A: Because he was trying to make both ends meet!



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- Lavender repels Moths, Fleas, Flies and Mosquitoes
- Lemongrass, Lemon Thyme, Lemon Balm, Mint and Rosemary repel Mosquitoes
- Thyme repels Whiteflies, Cabbage Loopers, Cabbage Maggots, Corn Earworms and Tomato Hornworms
- Dill and Fennel repel Aphids, Slugs and Snails
- Allium Family (Chives, Onions, Leeks, Shallots) repel Slugs, Aphids, Carrot Flies and Cabbage Worms
- Chrysanthemums repel Roaches, Ants, Japanese Beetles, Ticks, Silverfish, Lice, Fleas, Bedbugs, Spider Mites, Harlequin Bugs and Root-Knot Nematodes.



Pruning Time Again For Roses

To get the best flowers from most roses you must prune roses in winter. They can be pruned when they are dormant, this is usually between June and early August.



Pruning isn't difficult. It is simply removing old growth to encourage vigorous new growth and lots of flowers.

Tip 1: Wear protective clothing or a thick long sleeved shirt to protect your arms. Choose thick but comfortable gloves.

Tip 2: Remove the old growth: Use a pruning saw to cut the old grey wood right from the base of the plant leaving the younger green or red shoots. Shorten the thinner shoots to a height of about 50cm with sharp secateurs eliminating any thin wispy growth. If your rose has been let go with only very old canes present then rejuvenation may take two years. Remove half of the old stems and shorten the remainder. This will encourage vigorous new shoots from the base of the plant to form a new framework. The remaining old stems can be removed the following year.

Tip 3: When pruning roses, it is best to cut them at an angle, and never straight across. The correct place to cut is just below the first set of five leaves. If you cut above that the flower will not come back.

Tip 3: Spray with lime sulphur and mulch: Once all the old growth has been removed spray the bush and surrounding soil with lime sulphur to destroy scale and fungal diseases. Mulch around the base of the rose bush with a lucerne mulch to enrich the soil and prevent weeds from growing.

Tip 4: Remove any unproductive rose bushes: If you have a rose that has not been performing well in the garden, don't be afraid to remove it and replace it with a better variety. White Iceberg Rose (Rosa 'Iceberg') or the Blushing Pink Iceberg Rose (Rosa 'Blushing Pink Iceberg') are two of the best performing roses for South Australian gardens.

Good luck, always remember that you can't kill a rose by over pruning.

Natural Herbicides for your plants

We recently came across a multitude of natural herbicides for you to get rid of the little pests that destroy your plants. Try them to see how you go, you have nothing to lose!

- ♦ For fungus sprinkle cinnamon on seedlings affected by damping off disease (a fungus that proliferates in the damp seedling environment and attacks and kills the young stems and roots).
- ♦ To get rid of most pests use garlic. Make a garlic spray by pureeing two bulbs of garlic. Pour ½ cup boiling water over garlic, cover, and steep overnight. Strain, put in a spray bottle and spray the bottoms of leaves daily, every few days or once per week, depending on how many pests you have on plants. (Please note - not to be used on kids or partners haha)
- ♦ Ants and Aphids are hard to get rid of but this is sure to work. You will need orange peel which contains d-Limonene. This will break down the waxy coating on ants and aphids and kills them. Cut up peels and bury 2 to 5 cms deep in soil. Alternatively, scatter peels around stems or hang from branches. Banana skins work too.
- ♦ If you have mildew on leaves mix with equal parts water and milk. Apply to tomatoes, cucumbers, lettuce and other plants to control mildew.
- ♦ This spray is designed to kill all insect pests and it will help to deter rodents too. Hot peppers and Ginger both contain capsaicin, which burns insects. Combine 1 litre of water, 1 squirt of Castile soap (available at Coles) and 1 tablespoon of cayenne pepper or ginger. Try on a small portion of plant first. Dilute further if it causes leaf damage.
- ♦ Here is another mixture for killing fungus on your plants. Simply mix 3 tablespoons of Baking Powder in about 1 litre of water and put in a spray bottle. Spray plants every few days until the fungus is gone.
- ♦ Do you have snails and slugs around your garden, well this will stop them from eating your plants. Put a little beer in a shallow container and place it in the garden. Slugs and Snails crawl in but can't crawl out. You'll have to check it regularly and top it up to get them under control.
- ♦ Another solution to a slug problem is to crush some egg shells and sprinkle them on top of the soil around stems. Slugs, cutworms and other insects are repelled by the sharp edges.

What should I Compost?

Sometimes we wonder if we are putting all the right things in our compost. Here is a check list that we think you will find helpful.

YES PUT THIS IN

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Leaves	Coffee grinds	Oil	Cheese
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The City of Playford invites community feedback on the Representation Review Options Paper.



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Written submissions are invited from interested persons and should be directed to Manager Governance, Steven Watson.

12 Bishopstone Road,
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The Representation Options Paper is available at:

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There are so many amazing uses for Vicks and you can probably make many more uses for this wonder gel.

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The most common use of Vicks is to decongest your chest and throat area. When applied to the upper chest, it provides excellent relief of cough and congestion symptoms.

2: On Your Feet

Applying Vicks to your feet provides nighttime cough relief. Generously rub VapoRub all over your feet and cover them with socks. Within moments your cough will subside - in the morning you'll wake up a new person.

3: Achy Muscles

Vicks relieves, sore, overworked muscles. It increases circulation and provides almost instant aid. Use a generous portion and apply it all over the aching area.

4: Get Rid of Nasty Nail Fungus

Rub VapoRub on your toenails if you suspect you have a fungus. Within days, the nail will turn dark - this means the Vicks is killing the fungus. As your toenail grows out, the dark part will grow off and you will have fungus-free feet. Keep applying the Vicks over a period of two weeks to fully cleanse nail beds of any remaining bacteria.

5: Stop Your Cat From Scratching

Cats are notorious for scratching every hard surface they get their claws on. To prevent your moggy from ruining your doors, walls and windows, apply a small amount of Vicks to areas that are frequented by your fe^{er}. Cats detest the smell and will steer clear. Vicks can also be applied to your arms and legs if your kitten is prone to scratching.



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Piroshkis Back at the Market

After a short break the Piroshkis will be back at the One Tree Hill Country Market. Raya and her family will be back cooking them at the July 2nd Market.

The original group disbanded earlier in the year but due to public demand Raya is back.

The Russian cooking is in the kitchen in the main hall so pop over and buy those beautiful Piroshkis when you are at the the monthly market. Several fillings will be available.

Unfortunately they won't have sweets like they did before but you can always pick up a cake from Farmhouse Bakery which have returned to the front of the Institute.



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are not people who
never fail
but people who
never quit



NEXT ONE TREE HILL COUNTRY MARKET

The next market will be held on Saturday 2nd July at the OTH Institute, 1009 Black Top Road. Lots of new stall holders as well as the regulars with an assortment of goods available including freshly grown veggies, plants, arts and crafts and items for your home.

If you are feeling hungry or just want a nibble on something we have the Scouts cooking their BBQ, Farmhouse Bakery have hot food for sale and Raya and her team have Piroshkis in the kitchen.

Next PROGRESS GENERAL MEETING is Thursday 14th July at 7.30pm. Venue: One Tree Hill Institute, 1009 Black Top Road, One Tree Hill.

New members welcome, Progress is at present a small group but with your input we can grow and make One Tree Hill an even better place to live.

