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Meet a Mensan

an Interview by Ashley Cullins

Meet Becky Smith, a Mensa member since 1975.



Becky Smith

Favorite quote: "Have more than thou showest; speak less than thou knowest." — William Shakespeare.

What talent would you most like to have?

So MANY talents I would like to have, but I think an eidetic memory would be best. I'd also like to be able to travel backward in time, but that's imaginary. I have spent time doing family history, and there are stories in my genealogy that I would like to go back and check out.

If you could live anywhere in the world, where would it be?

There are many lovely places in the world, and when things get difficult in the U.S., like during elections, I think: "I'll go live in New Zealand", mostly because it's so far away and yet they still speak English there, but realistically, if I could be in charge of where I lived, I would pick Tucson, Arizona, because it is lovely and warm there and it's a very beautiful city.

If you were stranded on a deserted island, what's the one thing you would bring?

I think it is MEAN only allowing me ONE thing to bring for the time I am stranded on a desert island! *Robinson Crusoe* is one of my favorite books of all time, and he got to unload practically his whole ship before the tides carried it off. And all things considered, I guess, like Robinson, I would be most comforted by "man's best friend," and take along a dog. If I could slip in something extra besides the dog, then, perhaps a box of ballpoint pens and a ream of paper so I could keep up my diary.

What words or phrases do you most overuse?

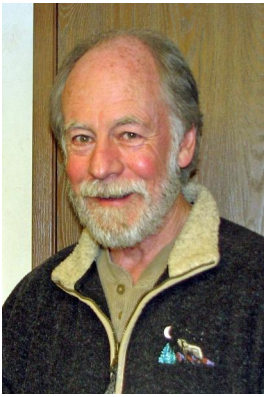
It's difficult for one to know which words are overused. I guess if we are aware we overuse words or phrases we quit using them. I do probably overuse exclamation points when I write, however.

Who is your real-life hero?

Maybe someone I greatly admire? This week I'm admiring favorite authors, such as Jane Austen. How could she have been only in her twenties and write such books that are so perfectly written and so entertaining so many years later? And for more modern authors, I'm greatly entertained by the creativity of Jasper Fforde, and his novels about Thursday Next. As for non-fiction, Steven Pinker is a favorite, and Richard Dawkins, and Bryan Sykes, and Jared Diamond. I admire all of these writers because they give me hope that the human race can solve any problems that come up, or on the days that my hope wavers, they at least help me escape from dwelling on the subject. ■

From the LocSec

by Bob McAllister



This article is part 2 of 3. "**The Celts**"

Whence the Scots

As I mentioned earlier, the Celts had spread across Europe from Ukraine to the British Isles. (*U krayna* in Russian means "at the edge — at the boundary — at the border," implying that these (Ukrainians) far away people at the edge of the world as it was known to the Russians, spoke something Slavic, but at least similar to Russian. The Russian word for German (Germania is a name coined by Caesar and the Romans) is *nyemoy* (adjective) and *nyemyetz* (noun) which means "mute," as in deaf, dumb and mute. When these people long ago came into the Russian experience, it was found that though they were similar in appearance, they seemingly had no language, as they could neither understand nor be understood — *Nyemoy*.)

A century after Julius Caesar (a name from which comes the Russian word "Tsar"), the Romans were still expanding (though spreading thin) and occupying what they could occupy of the then-known world. An uprising occurred in what is now Wales. A king of an area of Roman garrisons had died. His wife, Boadicea was beaten by Roman soldiers and her two daughters were raped.

Boadicea took her husband's place and, as queen of the Iceni people, amassed an uprising against the Roman occupiers. The Roman army was on the verge of being defeated and Rome gave serious consideration of withdrawal. Though the Iceni outnumbered the Roman garrisons by nearly ten to one, they eventually were defeated. Showing up for a good fight isn't the same when dealing with an organized and well-trained army. Though Boadicea wasn't captured and though she engaged in an early form of guerilla warfare — constantly haranguing the Romans — she soon died of illness. These histories, Vercingetorix and Boadicea weren't recorded by the Celts, but were archived by Roman historians. The Celts had no written language.

Another century, or so, brings the Roman emperor, Hadrian. His policy with respect to dealing with foreign lands was to contain what had been conquered with defense fortifications, as opposed to vulnerable open garrisons. Legend has it that during Hadrian's eleven-year tour of Rome's world holdings, Hadrian had occasion to visit a northernmost point of Roman influence in what is now Britain's English and Scottish lowlands border. He observed a stampede of an assortment of wild animals charging out of a hilly area to the north. Hadrian exclaimed that it was odd to see such an event when there was no evident smoke indicating a fire to justify such animal behavior. It was explained to him that the cause wasn't fire but was likely the actions of the unruly, unsubduable barbarians called the "Picts" a name cognate to our word picture. The Picts had "pictured" themselves with ornate tattoos, as the cultural tendency to ornate themselves as the mainland Celts was more easily accomplished with tattoos in a very impoverished area. The Picts were the original inhabitants of northern Scotland, a loosely formed set of Iron Age Celtic tribes. Hadrian's Wall was constructed. If the Romans couldn't conquer the Picts in their wild inhospitable country, then they'd be kept from marauding and pillaging by virtue of an im-

peding wall. Hadrian's Wall was an impressive project: ten to twelve feet wide, fifteen feet tall and 73 miles long. Some say that it was too much of a project to contain such a remote and sparsely populated area and that it may have been merely a statement as to what the Romans were capable of accomplishing, the few portals merely intended to be locations to collect taxes and toll for would be passersby.

After another couple of centuries, Celtic tribes related to Bretons in France, Welsh in Wales, Manx on the Isle of Man, and the Irish all had something in common that the Celtic Picts had not — a written form of language. It had been a practice amongst the Celts to have their tribal histories tracked by Druid priests and kept as oral histories. Laws, medicine, hierarchies and the like were memorized, not written. Three waves of Celts began to cross the Irish Sea to the Scottish area of the Kintyre Peninsula and the Hebrides Islands. The main group was from Dalriada (also spelled Dal Riata) near present day Antrim in Ireland. That tribe was known as the Scoti. Hence Scots. They encountered the Picts. The Picts were something of a matriarchal society with a somewhat salacious reputation. Apparently the fact that the new interlopers had a written language is the reason that the Picts' culture became subsumed and eventually all but forgotten. Writings have a better record for continuity between generations. It has also been said that that church in Ireland had eventually also encouraged the intrusion so that they might make gains.

Along with the new Irish (Scoti) visits came the incursions of the Vikings.

To be concluded in the May issue of *Neva-Mind* ■

Membership *by Sandra Lackovic*



Happy Spring!!!

It's a time for rebirth and growth! In addition to connecting on Facebook we now have a Yahoo group.

For the latest updates on NNM, including last minute events, join one or both groups:
on Yahoo at
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NorthernNevadaMensa/
on Facebook at
www.facebook.com/groups/396834640375629/

We've added opera, poker, sushi and more, and there's talk of whitewater rafting and skeet shooting, all from member suggestions!

Have an idea? Post it! Let's see where it goes!

Members make it happen! ■

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Ken and I have just returned from a short vacation to Monterey CA. What a wonderful haven it is for wildlife. I was lucky enough to catch this picture of a pelican as it was taking flight.







Happy Birthday!

April

6	**Joseph Schiess III**	Reno
7	**Shelley MacDonald**	Reno
8	**Stephen Dumolt**	Carson City
11	**Bryan Lang**	Reno
11	**Craig Ozer**	Reno
20	**Larry Gevedon**	Reno
26	**Albert Corea**	Sparks



Welcome and Welcome Back!



Heather Dorsey-Hirt, Reno

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Keira Hambrick, Reno

Stuart LaForge, Reno

Robert Lunt, Washoe Valley

Willkommen,
Bienvenidos,
Irashaimasu,
Dobro pozhalovat',
Chaire,
Bienvenue!



MAY 10-12 2013 PORTLAND BeavRG XV

Red Lion at Convention Center (same hotel as 2012).
New low room rate: $72 + tax per night.
More: www.oregon.us.mensa.org/rg/



Ask the Doctor *by Dr. Howard Chen*

Question:

I haven't really seen an M.D. in a couple of years. Somewhere along the way I was assigned to a Physician's Assistant. I like my PA; he's very knowledgeable and has been an excellent health provider. But, I wonder, what's the difference? Why does it seem that there are so many more PAs now?

Answer:

Physician Assistants (PAs) and Nurse Practitioners (NPs) are generally designated as Mid-Level medical practitioners who have much of the knowledge and medical practice / medication prescribing privileges that physicians have in the United States. Mid-Level practitioners are able to fulfill many roles in health care, generally being regarded as primary providers of medical services who may or may not be supervised by a physician, depending on state laws (In Nevada, physician supervision is required for all Mid-Level practitioners). For instance, Mid-Level providers may serve as primary care providers (PCPs), capable of managing many of the most common medical conditions. In addition, you may encounter Mid-Levels assisting physicians in the offices of many medical specialists and in the offices of surgical subspecialists. Furthermore, Mid-Level practitioners can also be found assisting the primary surgeon and/or the anesthesiologist in the operating room. They can also diagnose and treat patients in the Emergency Department.

The differences between Mid-Level practitioners and physicians include: length of training, scope of practice, and physician supervision requirement. In terms of training, for instance, NPs first complete their training as Registered Nurses, and then continue on in their education to complete a masters or doctoral program in Nursing Practice. PAs, on the other hand, complete their undergraduate degree and 2-3 years of additional medical training (which may be completed concurrently with their undergraduate degree). In addition, both NPs and PAs must achieve national board certification. Neither NPs or PAs, are required to complete a medical residency program after their primary medical education is completed, which in physicians and surgeons, adds an additional 3-7 years of schooling.

In terms of scope of practice, Nurse Practitioners predominantly work in primary care and government positions, very rarely working in the surgical subspecialties. While some PAs work in primary care, a majority of PAs work in medical specialties, as well as in government and military positions. Furthermore, due to varying state regulations, Mid-Level providers may not be able to prescribe all the types of controlled substances that physicians can.

Over the last decade, the number of Mid-Level practitioners in the U.S. has increased dramatically. Currently, there are an estimated 155,000 Nurse Practitioners and 86,500 PAs in the U.S. One of the reasons for this significant increase can be traced to the high level of demand for more primary and specialty trained medical providers, further exacerbated by the recent passage of the Affordable Care Act, and the existing and projected worsening shortage of physicians in the U.S. For instance, according to the American Academy of Medical Colleges (AAMC), the U.S. is currently short 13,000 physicians.

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Gone Phishing

by Mark G. Simkin



The term “phishing” describes the scams that fraudsters use to collect personal information about you —usually for identity theft. According to Paul Gil at About.com, “phishing” is the most common Internet scam today. Here are some examples of phishing scams, and also some ways to protect yourself from them.

The Innocent-Looking Email. You receive an email from a recognizable business (e.g., a bank) that says you need to update your account information “for security purposes.” The email also contains a convenient link to another web page that contains spaces for such items as your email address, password, social security number, and your birth date. The chances are high that (1) the linked web page is bogus (even though it might closely resemble the real McCoy such as the real CitiBank® website), and (2) the sender’s address on the original email is generic (i.e., was sent from a generic account ending in yahoo.com, gmail.com, or earthlink.com — not CitiBank.com). If there is even a hint of a doubt in your mind about the legitimacy of a request for personal information, stop, input nothing more by computer, close that link page, and call the company by phone to verify they sent that email.

Malware. The term “malware” refers to any type of computer virus, Trojan horse program, or similar program designed to disrupt normal computer services. Some web pages contain bogus links that download malware software to personal computers. In this category, I also include tricksters who display “emergency dialog boxes” claiming that your computer is already infected and that, for the low, low price of $39.99, you can download additional software to fix it. Don’t fall for it! If you cannot close the dialog box, turn off your computer and reboot.

Legitimate Business, Unreasonable Request. Even *bona fide* businesses love to collect as much personal information about you as possible. They claim they need it in order to identify you as an individual, but the truth is often otherwise. Also, most businesses admit that they share personal information about you with others, and may not protect your information as much as you’d like. Recently, for example, I subscribed to Earthlink Internet service for my home computer. I knew I had to give the agent my credit card number, but balked when he asked for my date of birth. I told him “I don’t give that out,” and he calmly moved on to the next question. Just because they ask doesn’t mean you have to give it to them. If you prefer, I also find that providing bogus birth dates simultaneously satisfies such requests without revealing anything.

Synopsis

Estimates of financial losses due to phishing vary widely, ranging from $50 million to over $3 billion per year. Of course, the ultimate goal is to avoid becoming a part of whatever statistic applies. Some safeguards are as follows:

1. Rule Number 1 is to provide as little personal information as possible to whoever asks for it. If a company has no need to know your birth date, for example, why give it to

them? If a retailer asks for your social security number "for security reasons," feel free to refuse. Finally, if a business insists that you provide more personal information than you feel is reasonable, consider whether you really want to be its customer.

2. When phishing begins with an email invitation to provide personal data directly (almost always a scam), you can often determine the authenticity of the email itself by examining its grammar. Overseas scammers are not particularly good English writers, and their poor grammar typically gives them away.
3. Sometimes, you can also test the legitimacy of a web link to an alternate page by examining the address of the link itself. For example, if you hover your mouse over a page link using Internet Explorer, the onscreen icon becomes a hand and the system displays the exact URL (i.e., the web page address of the link) at the bottom of your browser. If it's not anything close to Citibank.com, for example, what does that tell you?
4. Remember that there are usually many alternate methods of providing personal information to a business or government agency — for example, by phone, by fax, via U.S. mail, or even in person. I'm not saying these are safer alternatives.
5. A parting hint: when verbally providing a birth date or social security number in, say, a bank or hospital ER, speak in hushed tones.

For further reading: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Phishing.



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By 2020, less than a decade away, there will be a shortage of 45,000 PCPs and 46,000 specialist physicians.

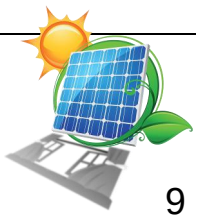
In summary, Mid-Level practitioners are capable of, licensed for, already provide much of the primary and specialty medical and surgical care in the U.S. In the coming years, their prevalence and importance in the health care environment will likely continue to grow.

Ask the Doctor yourself: Email
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(All emails are confidential.)

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Notes from Your ExComm

Due to the Scholarship Fundraiser Dinner, the ExComm did not meet in March.



Celebrate Earth Day!

with Bill Kositzky

Reno's Earth Day event at Idlewild Park has been a mainstay of our community for the last 22 years. The festival has brought people together to learn about Earth Day values of diversity and ecological responsibility, reinforcing sustainable cooperative habits, in an atmosphere of special performances and local artwork. Here are some photos by Bill Kositzky of Earth Day activities in past years. ■









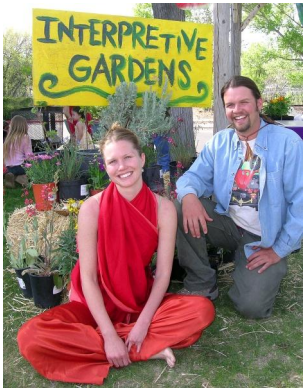






http://renoearthday.webs.com/













Puzzle Page

by Travis McCord

This time around we're talking about laws. I'm not talking about the legislative type — you know, both the goofy ones like the Georgia law forbidding carrying an ice cream cone in your back pocket on a Sunday (who *does* that?) and the somewhat serious aspects of laws like the fact that you're probably violating several laws right now. I'm also not talking about real physical laws, like the series of rules of the universe that's preventing you from flying into space. (Tell people it's because the Earth is *distorting space-time* and blow their minds!)

No, this month I mean the laws in between — those laws which observers have put together to explain humanity and society. This trivia quiz is about some of those laws. How many can you remember?

1. Pick 2: According to Betteridge's Law of Headlines, if a headline is a question, the ____ is ____ .

subject	author	article	paper	question	answer
important	passé	yes	no	maybe	

2. According to Brooks' Law, if you take over a software project that is late and add people to it, what will happen?

3. Let's say you're a consultant put in charge of a troubled business group. If someone mentions they've been following the "Dilbert Principle," who should you let go?

4. In that business group, if someone in it is competent enough, going by the Peter Principle what should you *not* do?

retain him	promote him
dismiss him	let him jump ship to your competitor

5. According to Godwin's Law, if an internet discussion goes long enough, eventually someone will get mentioned. Who?

6. What famous law can be succinctly said in British English as "Cock-up before conspiracy"?

   BONUS: What famous sci-fi author may or may not be the law's source?

7. If Sturgeon's Law applies to this quiz, how many of these questions are crud? We still want (real) feedback, by the way.

8. You need to watch what your kids do on the internet for several reasons... including "Rule 34," which states that no matter how innocuous the subject somewhere there is __ of it.

9. It's not a law *per se*, but complete this oft-repeated quote by ultra-cynic George Carlin: "Never underestimate the power of _____ in large groups."



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10. This being Nevada, we have to ask: Which of these is the "Gambler's Fallacy"?

    a. One guy with bad luck can cause the entire table to lose.

    b. Another gambler winning big means everybody else will lose.

    c. A series of losses means the next hand or roll is "due" to be a winner.

    d. Any change in the environment — say, changing the dealer — will probably halt a winning streak. ■

Dinner and the Opera: Wednesdays at 5 p.m.

- **April 3.** ***Francesca da Rimini,*** Zandonai's compelling opera, inspired by an episode from Dante's Inferno, returns in the Met's ravishingly beautiful production, last seen in 1986. Soprano Eva-Maria Westbroek and tenor Marcello Giordani are the doomed lovers. Marco Armiliato conducts. 5 p.m. **Dinner at the Chocolate Bar**, 95 N Sierra St., Reno, 6:30 p.m. Opera, Century Riverside, 11 N Sierra St., Reno.
- **May 15. Last opera of the season,** Handel's ***Giulio Cesare,*** new production.

Contact Barbara Day or Sandra Lackovic, ssmarticle@gmail.com or NNM Facebook group.

Mensa Admissions Testing: First Saturday from 3-5 p.m.

at Grassroots Books, 660 E. Grove St., Reno

- **April 6.** at Grassroots Books
- **May 4.** New location TBA.
- **June 1.** New location TBA. Your contact is Mindy Hsu: mindyhsu2002@yahoo.com.

Mensa Programs: Second Saturday at 6 p.m.

- **April 13 at 6 p.m. sharp** (Eat at 6 p.m., speaker at 7 p.m.), Bangkok Cuisine South, 5851 South Virginia Street, Reno

Speaker: Hans Frischeisen (age 72) is on his 5th non-motorized trek around the world, meaning he travels by bicycle, kayak or simply hikes. In May of 2012 he experienced one of his most demanding adventures riding his bicycle from the city of Manaus on the Amazon River across all of Brazil to the Iguazu water falls. The latter he states, are the most beautiful he has ever seen. For the first 300 miles of his 3,000 mile trek he followed a trail through pure jungle. To cross wide rivers he paid Indians to take him and his bicycle across in a canoe. He experienced a jaguar, monkeys and an anaconda. What else did he experience in a land with a rapidly expanding economy?

Location: Bangkok Cuisine South, across the street from Meadowood Mall. The rear dining room is reserved for us and it seats 40 people.

- **May 11. 6 p.m. Pot Luck dinner, 7 p.m. slide show** at the Reno home of local Mensan, Loren MacArthur. Loren will give a slide show on Alaska.
- **June 15. 6 p.m. Pot Luck dinner, 7 p.m. speaker** at the Washoe Valley home of Bob McAllister

Games at Tahoe: 4 p.m. Contact Sandra Lackovic ssmarticle@gmail.com

- **(No Games at Tahoe in April)**
- **May 25 and June 22**

Supper Club: Third Tuesday at 6 p.m.

- **April 16 at Red's Old 395 Grill**, 1055 S. Carson St., Carson City, 887-0395. (www.reds395.com/html/index.php) Red's is world famous for Nevada style BBQ, hand cut steaks, fresh seafood, crisp salads and sizzling wood-fired pizza! (Come at 5:30 p.m. — meet at the bar for half price happy hour.)
- **May 21. Oceano at the Peppermill Reno Hotel Casino**, Reno
- **June 18. Wild River Grille**, Reno

For more information or to offer suggestions for future dinners contact Sandra Lackovic at ssmarticle@gmail.com.

Extra Special Lunch Bunch this Month!



Bill Kositzky will host the Mensa Lunch Bunch at the Earth Day 2013 event, **Idlewild Park, Sunday, April 21**, at 11:45 a.m. Meet in the food court behind the California Building. Picnic tables are there and plenty of lawn nearby. This free event runs from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. so come early and stay late to enjoy the continuous entertainment and plethora of informational and educational activities. Parking can be scant on Earth Day so plan some time for a bit of a walk and think about Reno High School as a parking option.

(Check out Bill's photo essay on page10.)

Lunch Bunch: Fourth Tuesday at 11:45 a.m.

- **Sunday, April 21. Note the change of DAY.** Bill Kositzky suggested that we celebrate Earth Day at **Idlewild Park**. And, we will! Concessions are available.
- **May 28.** B.J.'s Brewhouse; 13999 S. Virginia; Reno
- **June 25.** Let's head to **Hi Point Coffee and Cafe; Reno**

Contact Don or Laura MacGregor: 826-5904.

Poetry Slam, April 26. 7 p.m. (5 p.m. Appetizer/Dessert Party)

Sierra Nevada College, 999 Tahoe Blvd, Incline Village. April is National Poetry Month! Join us for the 7th Annual Tahoe Poetry Slam and competition at Sierra Nevada College, Incline Village. Come out to compete or to cheer on the competitors! An appetizer and dessert party will be held at Sandy's place before the poetry slam from 5 - 6:45 p.m. Bring an appetizer and/or dessert to share. **Please RSVP** for address and driving instructions to ssmarticle@gmail.com, NNM Facebook group, or 631-398-6393.

Sushi Lovers (Not Just Sushi — Everyone is Welcome!)

- **April 27. 6 p.m. Ijji Sushi**, 685 E. Prater Way, Ste. 101, Sparks, 356-8668. (http://ijjisushiandhabachi.com/) Huge menu! Hibachi, lobster tail, all you can eat sushi, 10 beers on tap and SAKE!
- **May 21. 6 p.m. Oceano at the Peppermill Reno Hotel Casino**, Reno (Combined with Supper Club this month)
- **June 29. 6 p.m. Sushi Pier 2**

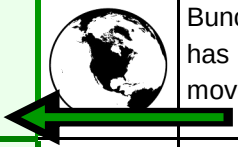
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April 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
March 31 Easter	1 April Fool's Day	2	**3** **Dinner and the Opera**	4	5	**6** **Game Night at Joe's & Mensa Testing**
7	8	9	10	11	12	**13** **Mensa Program**
14	15 Income Tax Day	**16** **Supper Club**	17	18	19	20 No Poker Night at Bob's in April
21 **Lunch Bunch**	22 Earth Day	23 Lunch Bunch has moved!	24	25	**26** **Poetry Slam**	**27** **Sushi Lovers!**
28 **Culture Quest**	29	30	May 1 May Day	May 2	May 3	**May 4** **Game Night at Joe's & Mensa Testing**







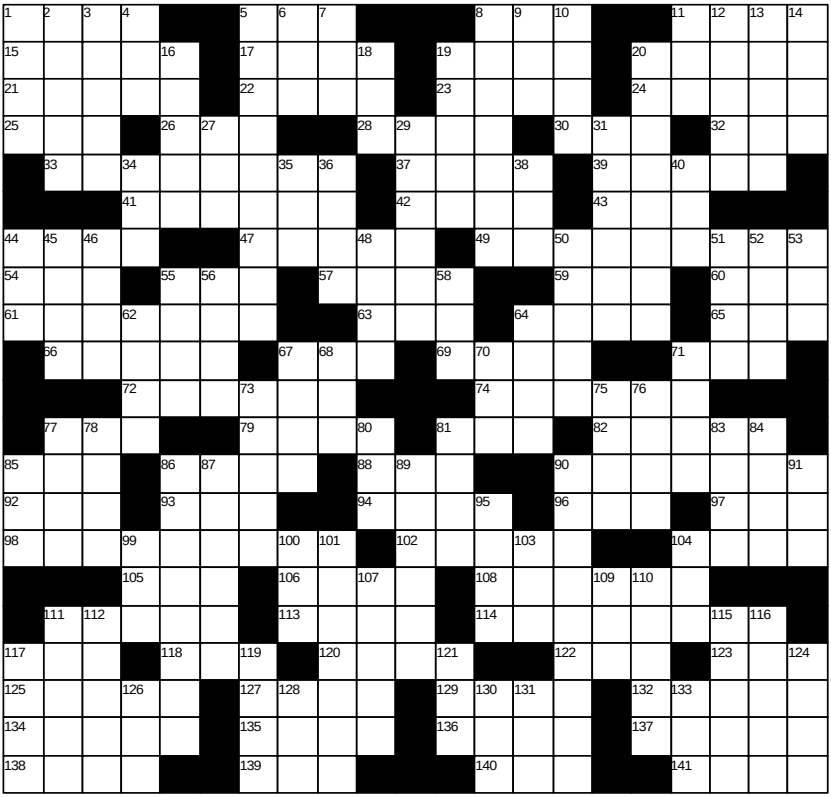


Game Night at Joe's Place: First Saturdays, 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.

- **April 6.** Potluck. 1047 Table Mountain Court, Sparks.
  Contact: Joe (775) 338-6521 or joe_kisenwether@hotmail.com.
- **May 4 and June 1**

Salute to Earth Day

by Anna M. Wright



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ACROSS

1 Store

5 Fed. Agcy. first line in "eco" defense

8 Card game

11 Gauze

15 Correct

17 Wagon

19 Kingston, for ex.

20 Present time

21 Road

22 Milk's favorite cookie

23 Drizzle

24 Central

25 Body system that integrates and coordinates activity (abbr.)

26 Rate

28 Wound

30 Choose

32 Another card game

33 Similar organisms

37 Aladdin's acquisition

39 Revolve around, as in planets

41 Garish

42 Banned apple growth control chemical

43 Also

44 Location of floating plastic trash islands

47 Layers

49 Quitting

54 Eco-friendly light source (abbr.)

55 Wrath

57 Rice wine

59 *Raven* author

60 Business top dog

61 Sleeping area

63 Zig's partner

64 Helsinki denizen

65 Exeter International Airport (abbr.)

66 Ecological "Protocol" location

67 "To the right!"

69 Nerd

71 Banned insecticide

72 One of the animal kingdoms

74 Mediterranean nation

77 Pub potable

79 Charity

81 Descendant
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86 Runs
88 Able
90 Environment
92 Gray sea eagle
93 "Rumble in the Jungle" fellow
94 Reasons
96 A major non-ratifier of 66-a
97 ET's ride
98 Made from plants
102 One with Hansen's disease
104 Location
105 Math op.
106 Remain
108 Supply oxygen
111 Social position
113 Air pollution
114 Neglected
117 Famous movie computer
118 Globe
120 One of nature's wild denizens
122 Bird call
123 Missile
125 Thespian
127 Wading bird
129 Notion
132 Dapper
134 Broods
135 Over
136 Colored horse
137 Ecology fans' favorite color
138 Exhaust
139 Droop
140 Before
141 Natural land formation

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1 Artist Chagall
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3 One of the three Rs
4 Trinitrotoluene
5 Community of plants, and animals
6 Average
7 To be
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9 Three
10 Tot's taboo
11 Day of wk.
12 Boredom
13 Fragrance
14 Sandwich
16 Room style
18 Male turkey
19 Ordeal
20 Atmospheric plant nutrient
27 School grp.
29 State whose name means "mainland"
31 Concoction
34 BB assoc.
35 Greek letter associated with ESP
36 Potato sprouts
38 Before (prefix)
40 Half of a sweet treat
44 Loose gown worn at mass
45 Look for
46 Water whirl
48 Dismantle
50 Pointy end
51 Chilled
52 Coming
53 Received
55 Another Greek letter
56 Space
58 Chick holder
62 European capital
64 Spore plant
67 Girls
68 Shade tree
70 Freudian term
71 Cafe
73 Supernatural
75 Time periods
76 Island nation
77 Nautical (prefix)
78 Fasting season
80 Beheld
81 Eye infection
83 Decorative needle case
84 Bonkers
85 Home for one of nature's smaller denizens
86 Custodians
87 Mr. Twist
89 Mucus
90 Tropical cyclone
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Answers on page 25

A Celebration of Earth Day:

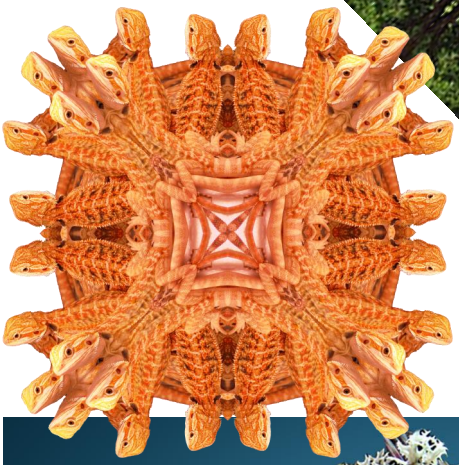
by Anna M. Wright

Nature in the Round

Kaleidoscopes, pinwheels, and spirals, I love them all. And, there are computer software programs to buy which will make these kinds of creations from your pictures. But, as a Mensan and former math teacher, I wanted to do my own geometry. — Anna

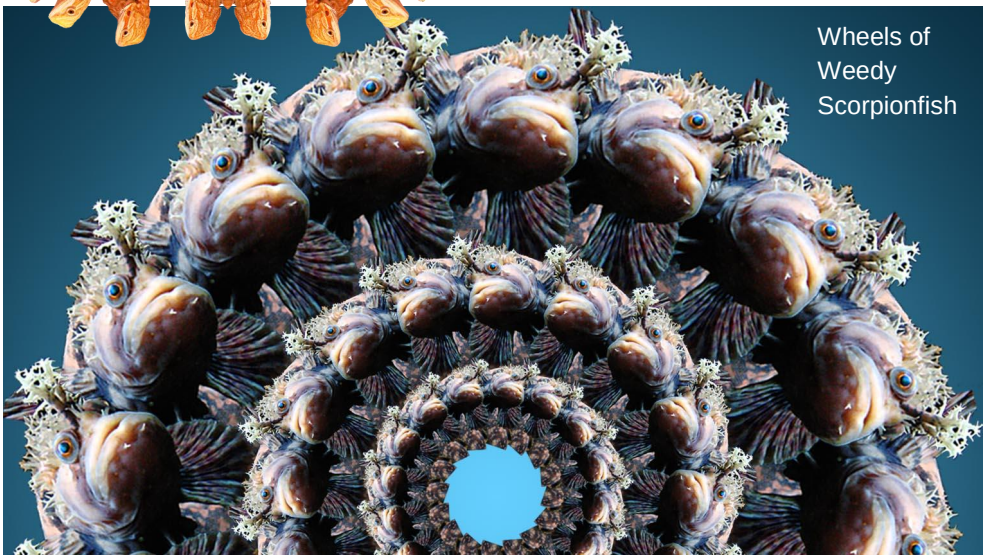


Tree Goddess





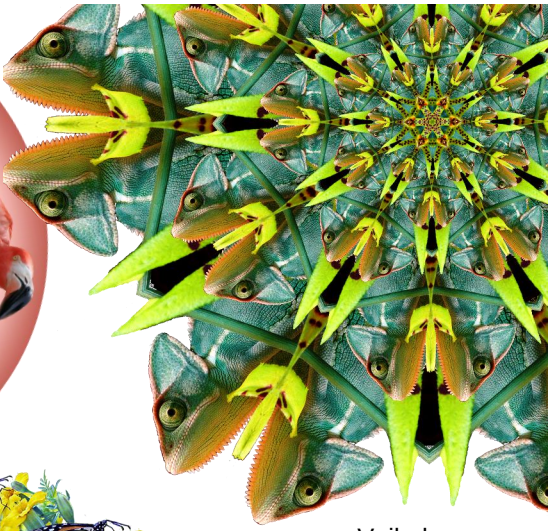
Bearded Dragons



Wheels of Weedy Scorpionfish



Flamingo
Pinwheel



Veiled
Chameleons

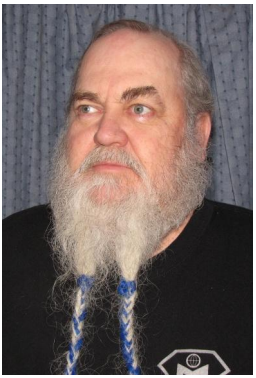






Simpler Times

by Ken Wright



Daily we attempt to navigate our complex world of instant messages and nanosecond computing, juggling our smart phones and tablets, never being separated from our cell or the world will surely end... And you wonder why we have migraines and anxiety attacks? Stress lives here. Slow your world down!

I am as guilty as anyone else: I MUST respond immediately to text messages or email. This is not because anything will be critically affected by a few minutes delay, but simply because internally, I am driven to respond as surely as if it were a ringing telephone in a movie theater.

This has not always been so. I was an adult long before the internet age, and even before cell phone days if you young people can believe that. So far back that we had a single rotary dial telephone unit hooked by a wire to the wall. Somehow we not only survived, but we were happy. Our lives were much simpler then.

Just yesterday I chanced to overhear a comment from a child that gave me pause. A young girl, about five I would guess, got very excited when asked if she wanted an "apple," clapping her hands and bouncing like she just got a pony. When the piece of fruit was brought to her she asked what it was. To shorten the story, she thought that she was to receive an iPad like they have in school and was extremely upset.

Even our vocabulary has gone into hyper-drive, as evidenced by the fact that you understand what hyper-drive is. An apple isn't a piece of fruit; a cell isn't a very tiny division of an organism like your body, although there are those who will argue about a cell (phone) being a part of some people's bodies.

Here is a fun link for you: http://www.beloit.edu/mindset/

So let's set Peabody's "wayback machine" (just Google it) and pop back to simpler times when I was a boy in search of entertainment.

When there was no computer, no video games, no cell phones, you were not permitted to talk on the telephone for amusement, and the television viewing was strictly controlled, what did a young boy do?

You went outside and found entertainment. If I was lucky and beat the other kids to them, I would collect empty bottles and haul them to the store to cash in on the deposit of two cents each. Just ten bottles and you had twenty cents! Before you scoff at the amount, read on.

With my hard earned cash in my pocket I went next door to Johnson Street Drugs and felt large, because I was a "paying customer," as opposed to just a kid there to hang out for free.

At the soda counter you could order a glass of coca cola for five cents, and, if you had the cash, for two cents more you could get flavor added like vanilla or cherry. The older boys always splurged the extra money when they were there trying to impress a girl and paid for them to have cherry or vanilla added, while the boys drank water.

For those of us too young to worry about impressing the ladies, our biggest quandary was whether to spend the next ten cents on an ice cream sundae or purchase the latest

DC® or Marvel® comic book calling to us from the rack strategically placed between the door and the soda fountain.

There were ways around the dilemma — to have your ice cream and your comic book too. One could spend more time collecting bottles and thus bring a larger cash reserve, or the usual tactic of eating the ice cream and then selecting the latest *Superman* from the rack and sitting down on the floor between the book rack and the front window (out of view of the proprietor) and read as fast as you could.

I could consume a comic book well before the druggist was forced to notice me by some grumpy adult who told him that a vagrant child was stealing books. Others didn't read as fast and took two trips to finish.

I will forever remember the "coolness" of the owner, who was also the druggist, and at times the soda jerk (again, Google it) when needed.

He once told a particularly grumpy and smelly (too much perfume) lady that was complaining about me reading a comic book after my ice cream sundae, that I was "merely a customer perusing literature to aid digestion."

The lady responded loudly with "Well, I never!" To which my hero replied, "Well, you should!" The customers behind her laughed, including a young woman who was later to be one of my teachers.

The woman left in a storm cloud and the druggist went back to work whistling a happy tune. I had been trying to make myself invisible, or at least as small as I could get during the encounter but soon realized that I was not in danger of being tossed out on my ear.

After that I put in the extra work and collected enough bottles to have my coca cola (plain, mind you, I wasn't trying to impress anyone.), my ice cream, and walk out the door with my very own *Fantastic Four* in a paper bag under my arm.

We can identify that as the beginning of my downfall; had I just been content to be a vagrant reader I wouldn't have been consumed by the habit of book ownership which afflicts me to this day.

Those were simpler times, uncluttered by the demands of "instant life."

Every once in a while we need to remind ourselves that it is OK to not respond, to slow down, to think for a while without consequence. The earth will continue to revolve, the sun will rise and set, and whatever whoever that is making the electronic noises wants, will still be there awaiting an answer.

Eat some ice cream; read a comic book.

It can all wait. ■



Thanks to all those who attended our Scholarship Dinner Night!

Between the raffle and dinner, we raised over $300! A huge thanks goes to Anne Stewart, who donated hours and hours of time to make this fundraiser so successful. Thanks also to Famous Dave's Restaurant and Grassroots Books. Both companies generously donated items for our door prizes. — Anna



Mensa for Kids!

(and kids at heart) by Maurice Pollack and Anna Wright

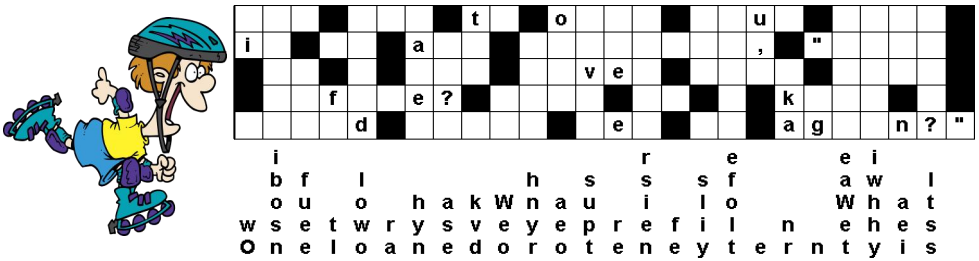


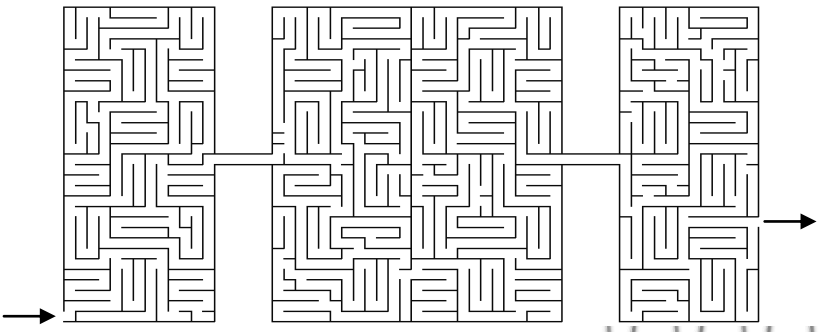
Raining fire on the sun, NASA takes the best space videos: http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=HFT7ATLQQx8

Have you ever wanted to fly? These free divers are using a new suit called Aqua Lung Oceanwings. This, they say, is how it feels to fly. http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=zj743gsiuFI

Related to the research project on the next page, you can listen to Daniel Radcliffe (Harry Potter) sing the elements from the chart. Yes, ALL of them! http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v1TfPDlA1xE. Song originally by Tom Lehrer.

Fallen Phrase. In the following quote by Rachel Carson, some of the letters have fallen down below. Move the letters to their correct positions in the column directly above.









Research Project:

The following periodic table from chemistry contains the abbreviations for the elements. Some are also the two-letter postal abbreviations of states in the U.S. Can you name the elements and the states? Geronimo Jones has found one.

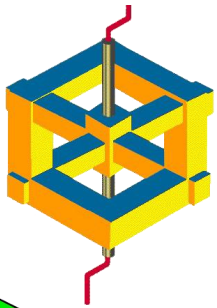
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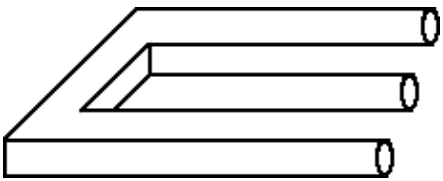


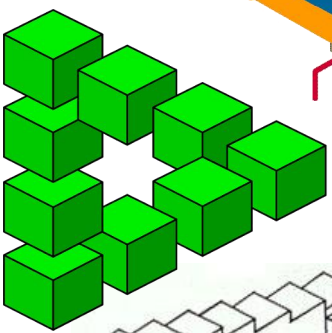
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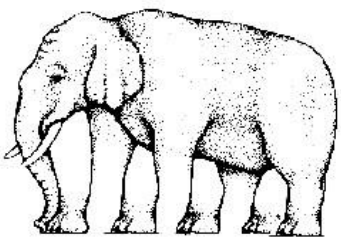
Impossible shapes can be created when a three-dimensional object is drawn on two-dimensional paper. One artist who did many works based on impossible shapes was M. C. Escher. You can see some of these on display at this website: http://www.mcescher.com/ Or, better yet, check out a book about him at your library.

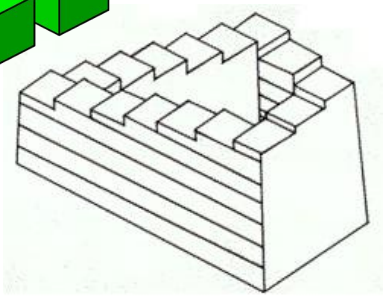












Answers on page 25

Puzzle Page answer key:

1. "... the answer is no."
2. Brooks' Law says "Adding manpower to a late software project makes it later."
3. The Dilbert Principle says that companies tend to systematically promote their least-competent employees to management (generally middle management), in order to limit the amount of damage they are capable of doing. Therefore, toss the middle managers.
4. The Peter Principle says "Employees tend to rise to their level of incompetence." — i.e., if they do well in their job they eventually get promoted to a job they can't do well. Therefore, don't promote him.
5. Godwin's Law is: "As an online discussion grows longer, the probability of a comparison involving Nazis or Hitler approaches 1."
6. Hanlon's Razor: "Never attribute to malice that which can be adequately explained by stupidity."

BONUS: Robert A. Heinlein. A character in his short story "Logic of Empire" makes the statement "You have attributed conditions to villainy that simply result from stupidity".

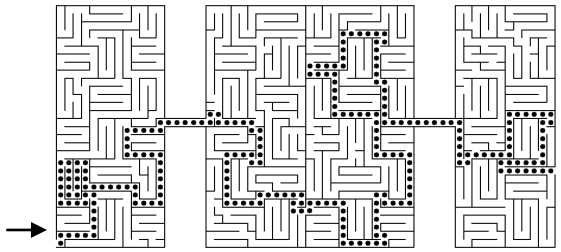
7. 9 out of 10. When asked about the state of the art, sci-fi author Theodore Sturgeon answered (partly) with "Sure, ninety percent of science fiction is crud. That's because ninety percent of everything is crud." This was generalized into Sturgeon's Law: "Ninety percent of everything is crud."
8. Rule 34 is "There is porn of it, no exceptions." (Do NOT check this unless you're prepared, because it is true.)
9. "stupid people"
10. c. The Gambler's Fallacy is believing past events influence current events — i.e., that there are "streaks" or "due" outcomes — when they are actually independent.

Mensa-Speak *What are we saying?*

AG	Annual Gathering (Conference)
AMC	American Mensa Committee (National Elected or Appointed Officers)
AML	American Mensa Ltd. (National Office Employees)
ExComm	Executive Committee (Local Elected Officers)
LDW	Leadership Development Workshop
LocSec	Local Secretary (Local President)
M/Ms	Mensans
MERF	Mensa Education & Research Foundation
MIL	Mensa International Ltd.
NNM	Northern Nevada Mensa
PRP	Publication Recognition Program
RG	Regional Gathering (Conference)
RVC	Regional Vice-Chair
SIG	Special Interest Group
SIGHT	Service of Information, Guidance and Hospitality to Travelers
WG	World Gathering (Conference)

Research Project:

Element			State
Aluminum	Al	AL	Alabama
Argon	Ar	AR	Arkansas
Calcium	Ca	CA	California
Cobalt	Co	CO	Colorado
Flerovium	Fl	FL	Florida
Gallium	Ga	GA	Georgia
Indium	In	IN	Indiana
Lanthanum	La	LA	Louisiana
Mendelevium	Md	MD	Maryland
Manganese	Mn	MN	Minnesota
Molybdenum	Mo	MO	Missouri
Meitnerium	Mt	MT	Montana
Neodymium	Nd	ND	North Dakota
Neon	Ne	NE	Nebraska
Protactinium	Pa	PA	Pennsylvania
Scandium	Sc	SC	South Carolina

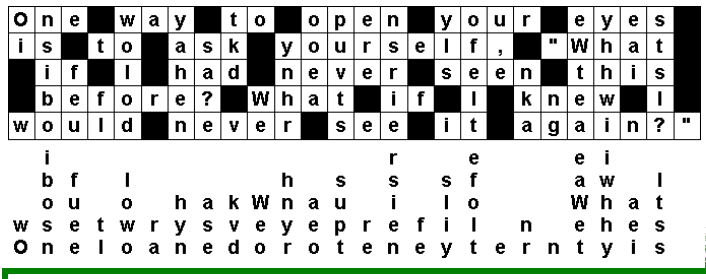


Salute to Earth Day answers:

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Mensa for Kids!

answers:





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Meet the National Office Candidates:

Dan Burg for Chairman of American Mensa

The job of Chairman is, well, big. Lead the board. Choose priorities. Set the tone. Stay informed. Plan. Represent American Mensa, both internally and externally. Chair board meetings. Serve as an *ex officio* member of the board of the Mensa Foundation. Serve on Mensa International's Executive Committee, as well as on the International Board of Directors. With my background and experience, I can do all of them. I look forward to it.

My style is independence, integrity, and quiet competence backed by years of experience in a wide variety of areas and arenas. My priorities include not only planning for the future, but also getting back to basics. If elected, I'll review our rules and procedures and get rid of any that don't make sense. I'll make sure all board members know their roles and responsibilities. I'll continue to be a resource to local groups and to members. Things will get done.

International Mensa is another important part of the Chairman's job. In addition to being a national representative, the Chairman is a member of the International Executive Committee. That is important because the ExComm conducts the business of Mensa International on a day-to-day basis, which, in turn, affects American Mensa. My long international experience — eleven years as a national representative, chairman of two committees — has prepared me well for this larger role.

I would be honored to receive your vote as Chairman. ■

Rob Salkin for Chairman of American Mensa

Fellow Mensan,

I'm running for Chairman of American Mensa. The focus of the next board needs to be on the Mensa experience, making membership even more meaningful and enjoyable without raising the dues. Part of the job will be accomplished by reforming the roughly $4 million budget to reallocate funds to areas like leadership development, volunteer appreciation, gifted youth, technology infrastructure, and local group support.

I'm qualified and ready to lead the board in the right direction while representing our interests at the international level. I hold graduate degrees in business, law, and computer science. I've served on the national board, been a LocSec, presented on a variety of topics at numerous gatherings, and founded a Regional Gathering (http://bit.ly/RechaRGe2013) as well as a Special Interest Group (http://mavailable.org).

If elected, I'll need to fill some appointed positions on our board of directors, the American Mensa Committee. American Mensa's talent pool is incredibly deep. So, it is quite possible that the best people for the positions starting this July are outside of my current circle of Mensa friends. If you have the time, drive, and skills necessary to improve American Mensa, I encourage you to apply for an appointed position.

For more information on my campaign as well as details regarding appointed positions, please visit RobSalkin.com. If you have any questions or comments, don't hesitate to get in contact via Rob.Salkin.AMC@gmail.com.

I'd greatly appreciate your vote in the election that begins on April 15th.

Thank you and enjoy Mensa, Rob Salkin ■

Meet the National Office Candidates:

John Recht for 1st Vice-Chairman of American Mensa

Hi, my name is John Recht and I'm running for First Vice Chairman. The position has few specified duties besides membership on our governing board, the American Mensa Committee, and on the AMC's Executive Committee. In particular, the First Vice Chairman must take on projects as assigned by the Chairman and must be prepared to assume the position of Chairman if the position becomes vacant during the term.

During my eight years on the board I have taken the initiative on special projects that are important to Mensa's future. As Chair of the Planning Committee, I led the way in the development and implementation of the AMC's first-ever Strategic Plan, including development of the Strategic Dashboard on the AML website. As Chair of the Leadership Development Committee, I have led a team dedicated to increasing the number of new volunteers in American Mensa who are willing and able to serve in elected and appointed positions, giving them confidence and understanding in their roles as leaders and supporting them with resources and training. I am happy to report that American Mensa has made great strides in planning and leadership development during my terms in office, and I intend to continue my support of these efforts when I am elected First Vice Chairman.

Over the course of my years in Mensa I have served in a number of positions at the local, regional, national and international levels. Among them were LocSec, Treasurer, Mediator/Arbitrator, Chair or Co-Chair of four Regional Gatherings, Regional Vice Chairman, Co-Chair of the 2006 Mind Games and Co-Chair of the 2011 AG. I am currently Second Vice Chairman and a member of the Mensa International Board of Directors. My experience has given me a deep understanding of the big picture for Mensa, and I look forward to helping to assure that Mensa will remain a healthy organization, dedicated to creating a stimulating intellectual and social environment for our members.

My goals for American Mensa are as follows:

- Encourage the development and implementation of programs that add value to member benefits
- Improve member satisfaction
- Increase motivation for people to join Mensa and to retain their membership
- Provide the highest quality of service
- Improve communication
- Encourage member participation
- Increase transparency in the AMC and the National Office
- Promote membership development
- Assist volunteer and leadership development
- Ensure sound fiscal management
- Extend the use of social media to improve the experience of Mensa membership
- Facilitate the use of strategic planning tools at all levels of the organization

In sum, please vote for me for First Vice Chairman and I will do all I can to build on our success. I hope to see you at the AG in Fort Worth this summer! ■

Meet the National Office Candidates:

Jared Levine for AML Secretary

My name is Jared Levine, I am running for AML Secretary, and I would appreciate your vote.

Since rejoining Mensa in 1999, I have been an active member in each local group where I lived: Greater New York, Greater Los Angeles, and currently Metropolitan Washington. I hosted myriad events, and served in a whole slew of local positions (both on the Board of Directors in each group and in other capacities) and on multipleThe nomination and petition periods are now officially closed. Here is the final list of candidates as they will appear on the ballot for the 2013 American Mensa election. The candidate name order was determined by random drawing. Individuals marked with "N" were nominated via the Nominating Committee process; those marked with "P" obtained the requisite number of petition signatures in order to run.

As I have previously mentioned, aside from timely composition and dissemination of meeting minutes, I intend to make available within a month of the Annual Gathering a draft of the Annual Business Meeting minutes, while the meeting is relatively fresh in people's minds, rather than 11 months removed. Also, I will begin cross-referencing various documents so that it is easier to make updates to everything that is affected by changes in ASIEs or the local group charter. This, in turn, will make process easier both for officers and rank-and-file members, freeing up their time and energy for the more important things like providing a stimulating environment, effective in-person and online ways of connecting with fellow members, and various other services to the membership.

While being mindful of details is a necessary attribute (even more so for a Secretary) and an attribute on which I pride myself, looking for new ways to provide an even more positive Mensa experience which the members actually find value in paying their dues is where it's at. I believe I will be able to work well with most possible combinations of people who might be elected to the AMC and ask that you vote for me for Secretary in the coming election.

To see more specific information about the leadership roles I have undertaken in Mensa, my understanding of the basic duties of an AMC Secretary, my philosophy for transparency on the AMC, suggestions for change in AML, and more, please visit my blog at http://boxmasterscorner.blogspot.com.

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Meet the National Office Candidates:

Brian Reeves for AML Secretary

I am Brian Reeves, your current AML Communications Officer and now a candidate for AML Secretary.

As Communications Officer, I am responsible for helping set policies for — and troubleshooting — everything from the Mensa Bulletin, to the website, to the Forums and Mensa Facebook page, to local group newsletters and much more. In addition, I chair the Communications Committee and serve on the national Bylaws Committee, the Finance Committee and am the Gifted Youth program's liaison to the AMC.

During my term as Communications Officer, we've created the Weekly Brainwave, calmed down tensions in the online Community and have upgraded the quality of the Bulletin (you'll see many of those changes later this year).

Your Secretary should be able to prepare meeting agendas and then later put out minutes quickly and accurately. Many Mensans are well-qualified for that part of the job. There is another aspect to the job, though, that many people don't consider. The Secretary also serves on AML's Executive Committee where he or she is involved in helping make important decisions for Mensa. A deep knowledge of Mensa, everything from its finances to the personalities of the AMC members, is important to doing that part of the job well. As a current AMC member, I have that knowledge. I know the people involved and can work with them.

I can tell you from experience that most AMC members have strong personalities. Getting them to agree on things can be tough. I work as a mediator. I earn my living by getting people on opposite sides of issues to work together towards successful conclusions. I will bring the skills I've developed doing that work to the job of Secretary.

An additional project I plan to undertake is reorganizing the ASIEs. Have you ever tried to find something in the ASIE's? Did you finally just give up? I want to undertake the process of organizing them by topic rather than, as now, by the order in which they were adopted, so you can find things more easily.

If this sort of positive, competent "can-do" approach appeals to you, I'd appreciate your vote. ■

Our apologies to the candidates whose statements have been omitted in our printed version because of space limitations. However, all of the statements received have been included here in the e-version of *Neva-Mind*. — Editor

Post Script: *from our February Guest Speaker, Peggy Rew*



My name is Peggy Rew and I am a life-long pet lover, pet rescue group advocate, educator and senior dog adopter!

The February meeting was very fun, but I wanted to send all of you this list since we had talked about so many things.

First, I am a wordsmith and have written a *Dog Bite Prevention Educational Coloring Book* which will be published in the next few months. I am in search of sponsors, but will publish it with or without financial assistance. My book of poetry will be out this year as well.

Second, I am Nevada's only American Red Cross Dog & Cat First Aid & CPR Instructor who teaches pet parents basic first aid and calming techniques in case of emergencies. I am Sparks, NV-based, but do travel anywhere to hold classes. I just completed my 4th Guide Dog User and Puppy Raiser convention where I instruct sight-impaired pet lovers and families who use, raise and train Guide Dog pups.
http://www.redcross.org/nv/reno/take-a-class

Third, I am a national distributor of Life's Abundance Planet-friendly products for Pets and People. www.rewcrew.com

Fourth, I work with all Pet Rescue Groups here in Northern Nevada. If you are in need of a furry, four-footed companion or would like to donate funds to a group's efforts or have extra food dishes, blankets, towels, etc to donate, please let me know and I can find the perfect group for you.

Thanks for your time. Hope to see some of you again! Peggy Rew ■



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