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Trash treasure: In a Dutch museum, a technician accidentally trashed a famous artwork, mistaking it for debris. The piece, by Alexandre Lavet, mimicked dented beer cans and

was part of LAM Museum's quirky exhibits

that elevate everyday objects. A curator

noticed it missing and recovered it just in

time. Though unintentional, the museum plans to adjust displays to avoid future mix-ups. This funny slipup shows how art can turn the ordinary into the extraordinary, sparking thought and conversation.

Rock rhythms: Lithophones—stone instruments that sing when struck—have echoed through time. One from Sudan's Fourth Cataract, made during the Kerma period (2500–1500) B.C.E.), sheds light on ancient rituals. This granite slab, marked with percussion zones, was tapped to produce rich tones during gatherings. Its worn surface speaks to its cultural importance and lasting use. These melodic stones show how music has long connected people through shared experience and ceremony.

Justice fulfilled: A Brazilian woman turned tragedy into purpose after her father was murdered in a bar dispute. The killer fled and evaded justice for decades. Driven by a promise to her family, she became a police officer and pursued the fugitive relentlessly. Her efforts led to his arrest on a remote farm, finally delivering justice. Her story is a testament to resilience and the enduring power of love and commitment.

Illusion artistry: British sculptor Alex Chinneck transforms the ordinary with mind-bending illusions. From melting façades to twisting architecture, his playful public art amazes viewers. Formerly a painter, he found his passion in sculpture at Chelsea College of Arts, using bricks, glass, and more. Works like a building split open or a shattered warehouse blend history with surrealism. With projects across the U.K. and beyond, Chinneck's imagination continues to defy expectations.

Quoteable Quotes

"Only the person who has faith in himself is able to be faithful to others."

"True friendship is like sound health; the value of it —Charles Caleb Colton is seldom known until it is lost."

What's Happening

FREE listings for non-profit community events. Please, 25 words or less, to fun@coffeenews**.fun** (no attachments) Deadline Thu Mornings

Courtenay Legion Auction: Sun Apr 27 viewing from noon and auction 1-5 in support of veterans. 367 Cliffe Ave in the Lounge. Now accepting donations (250) 334-4322 Comox Valley Makers Market: Supporting Courtenay Elementary PAC. May 3 at the Courtenay Elementary Gymnasium from 10am - 3pm Celebrating Mothers Day Bingo Nights: Weekly Weds, 6pm-10, Cumberland Legion.

Walking 4 Students: Apr 27 Support Alinda Ware's 10km walk for KEEF, raising funds for a student leadership workshop in Kenya. Info: shelaghag@shaw.ca

Magpie Vintage Sale: Apr 26, 9–3, Little Red Church, Vintage housewares, clothing, jewellery, collectibles & more! Free admission. Info: martha.russell1960@gmail.com. Astrophotography Presentation: May 9th @ 7pm, Presented by Local Expert Les Disher . Tickets and more info at strathconapark.org

Irivia

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- 1. This fictional doctor could talk to the animals.
- 2. The rusty spotted cat is the fattest, friendliest, or smallest wild cat in the world?
- 3. Noology is the study of sculpture, storms, or the mind?
- 4. What is the meaning of the Latin word veto?
- 5. Which musical band turned down the part of the vultures for the cartoon "The Jungle Book"?
- 6. Riddle: When does 11 + 3 = 2?

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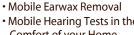


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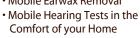
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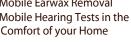
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Last week's emotional dynamic

may continue in the middle of

Intuitive information, both within

yourself and from others, might

this week. You still might be able to

tap into an opportunity for courage to

address an ongoing issue. Lucky numbers: 5, 9, 14, 21, 30, 45.

SCORPIO (Oct 23 - Nov 21)

be evident and be hard to process. At

week's end, a grounded energy could

help stabilize the situation. Lucky

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22 - Dec 21)

The energy over the next couple of weeks may boost your

confidence and encourage you to work harder to achieve a goal. Where do you

want to focus this potential? Lucky numbers: 4, 23, 29, 31, 39, 46.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22 - Jan 19)

Do you have a good work-life balance? If needed, create a plan with your family or work associates to foster this equilibrium. All parties may

appreciate the change. Lucky numbers:

AQUARIUS (Jan 20 - Feb 18) Do you have an overall view of

Large projects can be overwhelming,

but you may be able to take a concrete

step now. Lucky numbers: 8, 17, 22,

PISCES (Feb 19 - Mar 20)

You may be particularly emotional at the close of the

week. To use these feelings positively,

dig in and work on a project that is in

alignment with your values. Lucky numbers: 10, 12, 18, 20, 22, 46.

what you want to accomplish?

15, 27, 38, 44, 46

25, 34, 48.

numbers: 9, 13, 18, 20, 42, 43.

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ARIES (Mar 20 - Apr 19)

A moment of bold leadership may arise for you midweek. But pick your battles carefully in any disagreements with others. Instead, keep your attention on your goals. Lucky numbers: 3, 7, 8, 13, 20, 22.

TAURUS (Apr 20 - May 20)

Week's end brings a monthly reset point. This may be a good time to set new intentions. Consider creating a list to then review and evaluate in a month. Lucky numbers: 15, 24, 37, 38, 42, 45.

GEMINI (May 21 - Jun 20)

For the next couple of weeks, you may find that others are drawn to you more than usual. They might help you accomplish a goal, so don't overlook this opportunity. Lucky numbers: 2, 7, 13, 23, 36, 40.

CANCER (Jun 21 - Jul 22)

As the weekend approaches, you may feel a sense of contentment. It might be a good time to kick back and relax. Relationship issues could be easier to resolve now. Lucky numbers: 1, 16, 17, 22, 30, 33.

LEO (Jul 23 - Aug 22)

Early in the week, you may feel thwarted in your efforts. This might come from within or from others. You could find success in a balance of your head and heart. Lucky numbers: 6, 8, 10, 11, 15, 29.

VIRGO (Aug 23 - Sep 22)

At midweek, you may find that your drive and attention to detail might be stymied. This should only last a few days, so take a deep breath and try to wait it out. Lucky numbers: 13, 21, 31, 40, 44, 47.

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favour Aries winners with the luckiest number being 7.

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Did You Know...

Soundtrack surprise: Disney's Snow White was the first film with an official soundtrack, but none of its songs earned Oscar nods. Walt Disney did get an Honourary Award in 1939 for the groundbreaking film.

Cocktail mystery: The Bloody Mary wasn't always called that. It started as "Bucket of Blood," morphed into "Red Snapper," and finally became Bloody Mary—possibly in honour of Queen Mary I. **Shower genius:** Creativity strikes when decision-making parts of the brain rest—like during a shower. This lets other brain areas spark fresh and exciting ideas.

Rabbit quirks: Rabbits' teeth never stop growing, but chewing plants keeps them short. Their side-facing eyes give them almost 360° vision to detect danger.

Deodorant anthem: Nirvana's "Smells Like Teen Spirit" got its name from a deodorant. A friend joked about the brand, and Cobain thought it was a rebellious slogan.

On the Lighter Side What does a baby computer call its father? Data.

Did you hear about the guy who invented the door knocker? He won the no-bell prize.

A cat ate cheese and waited for the mouse with baited breath.

Sven: "They say you are what you eat." Oly: "Then let's order something rich."

When I lost my rifle, the Army charged me \$85. That's why in the Navy, the captain goes down with the ship.

Auswers

I forbid 5. The Beatles 6. On a clock. Trivia answers: I. Dr. Dolittle 2. Smallest 3. The mind 4.

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