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The Senior Gazette



From the book *100 Facts About Pandas*:

- * All pandas are born female. Males are only created if a panda receives a fright in its first 48 hours of life. This is why zoos with a high female bear population often employ “panda spookers”.
- * The collective noun for Pandas is a “cupboard”, as in a cupboard of Pandas playing in the grass. Cupboards of pandas only gather in even numbers.
- * When a panda’s thick and wiry fur is sheared and woven into a fabric it is called pandon and is bulletproof. Former Ugandan president Idi Amin had 26 formal suits and military uniforms made entirely of pandon.
- * Pandas have a homing instinct comparable to that of the pigeon or salmon. In 2001, a cupboard of eight pandas was moved from its forest home to make way for a shopping center in the Gansu province of China. They were rehabilitated in a forest almost 1000 kilometers in Shaanxi. In 2003, the bears completed their mammoth journey home to the site of the mall.
- * The original construction plan for America’s coast-to-coast railway envisaged the use of panda labor. The plan was abandoned early in the project when the foremen noticed the tendency of the bears to take spontaneous sleep breaks as the tracks were being laid. This is believed to be the original derivation of the term “railway sleepers”.
- * The distance between the nipples of a panda in inches is equal to its age.
- * In Egyptian hieroglyphics, the panda symbol means “notwithstanding”.
- * Prince’s 1984 hit song “Purple Rain” was inspired by the mixed emotions he felt about pandas.
- * Pandas have a phobia of fish.
- * A blindfolded panda will always face north.
- * A panda with an opposite black and white fur pattern from traditional pandas is called a Negative Panda.
- * None of these facts are true-april fools.

COMMUNITY SHRED DAY! FREE EVENT!

SATURDAY, JUNE 11 10:00-1:00

3382 Glenwood Blvd - City Hall parking lot

Permitted Materials:

Documents, drawings, photos, blueprints, coupons, tickets, checks, magazines, spiral notebooks, paper and binding clips, staples, hanging folders, paper bags.

Non-Permitted Materials:

Plastics, cardboard, boxes, plastic bags, 3-ring binders, vinyl, metal media such as CD’s, DVD’s, VCR, hard drives.





BINGO!

Monday, April 4 10:30am

Heritage Hall – across from the police station

Limited capacity of 25 people.

Call Stacey at City Hall to reserve your seat! 330-562-1234

UPCOMING LUNCH & LEARNS:

*Join us for a presentation while enjoying a complimentary lunch!

- 12:00pm at Heritage Hall -

Limited capacity of 25 – Call Stacey to register 330-562-1234

April 27: *The Dietician and Nutrition Team*

Presented by University Hospitals Ahuja

May 20: *Spring Presentation at *Liberty Park Nature Center 11:00am*

Presented by Summit Metro Parks Naturalist Carol Vigarito

***DIFFERENT LOCATION AND TIME FOR THIS L&L!**

Liberty Park 9999 Liberty Road (across from Post Road)

It is a mild 3-minute-ish walk from the parking lot to the Nature Center.

The path is even. Please wear comfortable shoes.

Lunch will be outside in the pavilion after the presentation.

Finally my winter fat is gone...

Now I have spring rolls.



If you notice cows sleeping in a field, does that mean it's pasture bedtime?

Hardy

Har

Har!

Last year I replaced all the windows in my house. Home Depot just called to say the bill hasn't been paid. I told him the salesperson said new windows would pay for themselves in a year.

As I watched the dog chase his tail, I thought, "dogs are easily amused."

Then I realized I was watching the dog chase his tail.

If you need anything, please contact Stacey at City Hall at 330-562-1234 or stask@reminderville.com