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• A study conducted at the University of Montreal showed that young people who played the 1996 game Super Mario 64 for only two months increased their spatial and episodic memory, which improves brain capacity and helps to ward off dementia. • The Statue of Liberty's full name is Liberty Enlightening the World.

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were under-equipped for the cold. One dog wore an insulated vest but no booties; the other two dogs wore no cold protection at all. Why do so

many owners ignore their dogs' comfort and safety this way? – Harold in New Hampshire

DEAR HAROLD: Unfortunately, not every dog owner knows that it's up to them to protect their pets from cold-weather hazards. Most dogs won't ask for a sweater vest, and I've yet to meet one that didn't hate booties. I know quite a few dogs that just won't tolerate booties.

Many owners do know their dogs' limits in the cold, however. They check the temperature before going outside and survey the sidewalk or trail they're on for hazards like ice chunks,



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salt or glazing. They limit the time spent outdoors so their dog's core temperature doesn't drop. They monitor their dogs to make sure they're not shivering or in pain, and that their paws aren't getting frostbitten. And they carefully wipe and check their dogs' paws as soon as they get back indoors.

How do you, an observer, make sure that an owner is following these guidelines? Confronting owners is not advisable. You may be able to strike up a casual conversation on the path, and ask how their dog tolerates the cold weather. But don't preach at them. In my experience, owners who take the time to walk their dogs on a leash in freezing weather do care about their health and keep an eye on them in the cold. ©2024 King Features Synd., Inc.



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whimsy during the often bleak midwinter chill. Across the country, eager celebrants await a rascally rodent to determine if there will be six more weeks of winter or if the nation will receive an early reprieve from the cold.

It is fun to guess if an early spring is coming, and even more so to rely on a large ground squirrel to play meteorologist. To further enhance the Groundhog Day experience, burrow into these interesting facts about the holiday and the animal itself.

• The world can thank the Germans for the Groundhog Day tradition. The see-his-shadow concept was adapted from a German Candlemas Day tradition in which clergymen would bless the candles they needed for the cold season. If the candles brought a sunny day, there would be six more weeks of winter. However, clouds and rain signified that winter would end soon. Germans who settled in Pennsylvania in the 1700s brought the custom to America.

· Germans once used a hedgehog as their animal forecaster. When relocating to Pennsylvania, groundhogs were used because they were more common than hedgehogs.

· Punxsutawney Phil is perhaps most revered for his forecasting abilities. However, more than a dozen states have their own prognosticating groundhogs. These include Buckeye Chuck in Ohio, Birmingham Bill in Alabama and General Beauregard Lee in Georgia.

• Phil has been predicting the weather at Gobbler's Knob for more than 130 years. This is quite a feat considering groundhogs typically live between six and eight years. Folklore indicates Phil sips a magical drink that will prolong his life for seven more years.

· Phil's full name is Punxsutawnev Phil. Seer of Seers. Sage of Sages. Prognosticator of Prognosticators, and Weather-Prophet Extraordinary.

· Groundhogs also are called woodchucks and are a species of rodent known as marmots. They typically weigh between 12 and 15 pounds. Woodchucks really have nothing to do with wood or chucking. The name stems from an Algonquian name wuchak.

· The National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration says Phil has seen his shadow more times than not between 1887 and 2019. Statistically speaking, six more weeks of winter is often the norm.

· Groundhogs prefer to live in open country or at woodland edges. They are never far from a burrow made in well-drained soil. Most have summer and winter dens.

· Groundhogs are adept at predicting the arrival of spring, just not in the way people have come to know from Groundhog Day. Since they hibernate, when groundhogs emerge from their burrows, it's a sure sign spring is on its way.

· The 1993 movie "Groundhog Day" starring Bill Murray helped solidify Punxsutawney Phil as a national hero and household name. Since then, crowds numbering as high as 30,000 have made the pilgrimage to see Phil in person.

Groundhog Day brings some levity to an otherwise uneventful time of year. TF202700



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Make a Batch of Tasty Slow-Cooker Granola We're a granola-eating family. When the tall jar in our pantry almost reads empty, we know that it's time to stir up a new batch. It's never a chore because the fresh homemade taste of heart-healthy oats with nuts and dried fruit is always satisfying, whether it's combined with yogurt and berries at breakfast or sprinkled over a scoop of ice cream for an evening dessert. No wonder I was so curious when a friend suggested that I make granola in my slow cooker instead of baking it in the oven. Although skeptical, I gave it a

try and loved the results. In fact, it's a game-changer.



I stick with my basic recipe that never disappoints. The hand-crafted, economical blend is open to variations, like substituting cashews for almonds or pecans. When I buy a jug of fresh, local maple syrup, I leave out the brown sugar entirely. For variety, I'll cut up something unusual, like dried persimmons, to toss in with the raisins at the end.

TASTY SLOW-COOKER GRANOLA Yields about 6 cups

- Cooking spray or olive oil
- 4 cups old-fashioned rolled oats (not quick-cooking)
- -1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon -1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- -1/2 teaspoon salt

-1/2 cup coarsely chopped whole almonds

- -1/2 cup coarsely chopped pecans
- -1/2 cup canola oil
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 egg whites, slightly beaten
- -1/2 cup raisins

First, prepare the slow cooker. Spray the cooking spray on the bottom and sides of a 3-quart (or larger) slow cooker, or lightly coat with oil.

Combine the oats, brown sugar, cinnamon, baking powder, salt and nuts in the slow cooker. Stir together the oil, vanilla and egg whites in a small bowl. Add to dry ingredients and toss well until fully coated.

Turn the slow cooker up to high. Set a wooden spoon under one side of the lid to hold the lid open, slightly ajar. Cook for  $1 \frac{1}{2}$  to 2 hours until toasted,

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It was Abraham Lincoln who said, "God must have loved the common people, since He made so many of them." I would modify that to say, "God must have loved the common people, since He made the way of salvation plain enough to be grasped by all"—yes, even me.

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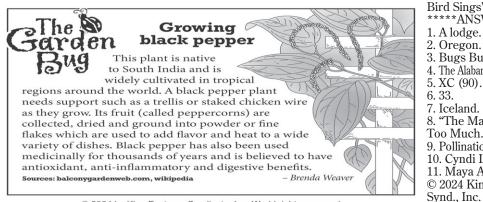
Receiving salvation is a matter of faith. It's believing God and accepting His Word about His Son Jesus Christ, His payment for our sins through His death on the cross, and His resurrection. It's trusting Him completely for salvation. John 1:12 tells us, "As many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name."

The Bible says that the gospel "is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes" (Rom. 1:16). Whether educated or uneducated, knowledgeable or ignorant, anyone can believe. No one will be able to stand before God and say, "I'm not saved because I couldn't understand the gospel." The way has been made plain. By Richard De Haan

A ruler once came to Jesus by night to ask Him the way of salvation and light; The Master made answer in words true and plain, "Ye must be born again." -Sleeper

Christ believed is salvation received.

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FEB. 4: Sunday Worship, 10am, The Chapel at Mercer, gathering at Mercer Elementary, 301 Lamor Rd., Mercer

FEB. 4: Gospel Jubilee 5:30pm, Gospel, country, oldies; service 3:30pm, social hour 4:30pm; Fellowship Church, Rte. 62, halfway between Hermitage/Mercer

FEB. 5: New Castle Public Library Virtual Story Time for children: Mondays 10am-10:30am, for Zoom link, visit www. ncdlc.org

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FEB. 8 and 10: "Dressed to Kill", Mayhem, Mystery, and Murder featuring Sherlock Holmes. Thurs. 12noon, Sat. 7pm, presented free in the Historic Warner Cascade Theatre Museum, 11 S. MillSt., New Castle 16101

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bird" or "night owl" by habit, necessity, or choice? Regard-

night until well after midnight or alternatively getting up at "oh-dark thirty" several hours before daylight, did you happen to step outdoors in the darkness sometime during December or January and hear them? At our place, I could definitely hear their distinct calls whenever I took the dog outside; regardless, whether it was 8 PM, 11 PM, 2 AM, or 5 great horned owls, the largest resident owl species found in Pennsylvania. The persistent hooting is part of their courtship behavior and also a means of audibly staking out their territory, so other owls know to keep out. Our resident pair here in Pulaski, would sometimes be up on High Hill, other times would be down on the State Game Lands by the Shenango River, and occasionally would be right in town. In fact, one time they were so close to the house and so loud, our dog felt compelled to bark at them at 1:30 AM.

I have always had a fascination with owls, those remarkable birds of prey who rule the night. They capture their quarry, primarily rodents, in almost complete darkness with amazing eyesight, incredible hearing, and almost completely silent flight. I can remember my first close encounter with a great horned owl. I was 14 and my dad and I were archery hunting. A great horned owl suddenly appeared and landed in a tree less than 15-feet away. I was in a tree stand, so the owl and I were at eve level. I can recall some of my first thoughts were: (1) it seemed incredtop of its feathered "horns" down to the bottom tips of its tail feathers; (2) its eves were a remarkably piercing yellow; and (3) it could turn its head completely backward and then some to look around. The owl remained on its perch for over 10-minutes, providing me with an up-close inspection few others ever get, outside of zoos.

Some things in nature may seem gross, but at the same time, they are fascinating. Take for instance, how an owl eats. If it consumes a small rodent, like a mouse, it will swallow it whole. Then an amazing thing happens within its stomach, where the nutrients are absorbed and indigestible portions, like frequently be found congregated near Be Safe, and Great Outdoors! an owl's daytime roost or favorite night-

Are you an "early time hunting perch. As a student at Penn State, we would collect owl pellets and then carefully dissect them under a microscope to determine what the owl less, of whether you weren't calling it a had been eating. Many outdoorsmen and women have probably never found an owl pellet, but its something I'm always curiously looking for whenever I'm afield.

Here in PA, we have five resident species of owls. From largest to smallest, they are: great horned owl, barred owl, barn owl, long-eared owl, and screech owl. Additionally, there are three spe-AM. Our very vocal avian neighbors are cies of owls that will visit the Commonwealth, especially during Winter months when extreme weather and limited prey drive them south. They are the large snowy owl, the mid-sized short-eared owl, and the small saw-whet owl. (Saw-whet owls have been known to become residents and breed in northern-tier PA counties.) It's an interesting fact of the eight owls you might see in PA, five resident species and three transient species, only the barred owl and the barn owl have brown eyes, the other six species have yellow eyes. Whatever their eye color, all owls' eyes are packed with rods (light gathering cells), making their night vision up to 100x better than a human's. While they appear to be ears, the tuft-like "horn' structures found on great horned, long-eared, short-eared, screech, and saw-whet owls have nothing to do with their hearing. All owl species have incredible hearing and coupled with an adaptation whereby the leading parts of their wings have soft, serrated edges, enables owls to silently glide and capture unsuspecting prev in almost total darkness. Their large eyes are fixed in their head (no rolling their eves), so that necessitates their ability ibly big, at least three-feet tall from the to turn their heads completely around to the back and then some (a 270° turn in either direction).

Out of habit, I frequently glance in the trees while I'm hunting or hiking, so I see more owls than most people. Besides finding pellets as a clue an owl is nearby, if you smell skunk, you might be close to a great horned owl. Apparently, they are impervious to the foul smell and therefore are one of few species which will actively hunt for and consume skunks. Barn owls are the only species that doesn't make any sound that resembles a hoot, but some species make other calls in additions to hoots. I encourage you to check out the fascinating owl calls/sounds available bones, hairs, and claws are formed into online. Why give a hoot about our owls rounded pellets, and regurgitated hours in PA? Because they're an intriguing later. These owl pellets or castings can part of nature around us! God Bless,

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