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'DID YOU KNOW'... RANDOM FUN FACTS.

- Grapes light on fire in the microwave.
- There are almost 8 million possible seven-digit phone numbers per area code.
- Spaghetti, confetto, and graffito are singular forms of spaghetti, confetti, and graffiti.
- McDonald's once created bubblegum-flavored broccoli.
- The average mammal takes 21 seconds to empty its bladder.
- The 1939 novel Gadsby is the longest book ever published that has no letter 'e.'
- Lobsters have clear blood.
- The first item sold on eBay was a broken laser pointer.
- The longest place name in the world is 85 letters long.
- Bubble wrap was originally invented as wallpaper.
- Shakespeare invented more than 1,700 words.
- Einstein's brain was stolen when he died.
- Antarctica is covered in a sheet of ice that's 7,000 feet thick.
- There's a Guinness World Record for the stretchiest skin.
- "Arachibutyrophobia" is the fear of peanut butter sticking to the roof of your mouth.
- Scientists made a "nanoguitar" the size of a human blood cell.
- There was a prehistoric dragonfly that's wings spanned more than two feet.
- Santa Claus was given an official pilot's license in 1927.
- One of the largest pyramids in the world is a Bass Pro Shops in Memphis, Tennessee.



How to Pet-Proof Your Garden

- To keep dogs from lying down in flower beds, simply drive some short stakes into the ground throughout the bed.
- Plant herbs such as rosemary and sage to keep cats out of a garden bed.
- Spread a layer of coffee grounds to keep out the cats.
- To keep cats from digging in bare soil spots (edges to narrow to plant seeds, for example) plant a brick in the soil. When they run into it, they will look for a different place to dig.



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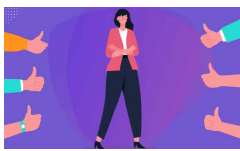
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Accepting Compliments - When we willingly accept compliments, we are reminded that others see us through different eyes. Many of us find it difficult to accept compliments but easy to believe the slightest criticism. Today, right now, let's make a choice to fully accept compliments as we would a gift. Sincere compliments are gifts of praise. They are kudos given for wise choices or accomplishments or perhaps for just letting your light shine. There is no reason not to accept the gift of a kind word, but some of us argue against them, even giving reasons why they aren't true.

If we visualize the energy of a compliment, we would see beautiful, shining, positive energy being sent from the giver. That energy, if accepted graciously, would brighten our personal energy field. Our gratitude then returns to the giver as warm, fuzzy, glowing energy, completing an even circuit of good feelings. But if we reject a compliment, what could have been a beautiful exchange becomes awkward and uncomfortable, making it a negative experience instead. Misplaced modesty can ruin the joy of sharing this connection with another person. But we can accept a compliment and still be modest by simply saying "thank you." However, if compliments are rejected due to a lack of self-esteem, then the first step would be to start believing good things about yourself. Try giving yourself compliments in the mirror.

Beyond the initial feelings of silliness, you will notice how good it feels and can watch the smile it puts on your face. The next step would be to see how it feels to give compliments to others. Notice how great you feel when you've made another person's face brighten and how differently you feel when the gift you've offered is rejected. Having experienced all sides, you will be ready to play along fully and willingly.

We are our harshest critics. When we accept compliments, we are reminded that others see us through different eyes. All living beings crave positive attention, and we all deserve to have positive energy shared with us.

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NAME THAT TUNE

We were both young when I first saw you I close my eyes and the flashback starts....

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Perhaps if we happily and gratefully accept compliments, we will give others permission to do so as well.

Something to Ponder
 "The greatest gift of life is friendship, and I have received it."
 - Hubert H. Humphrey

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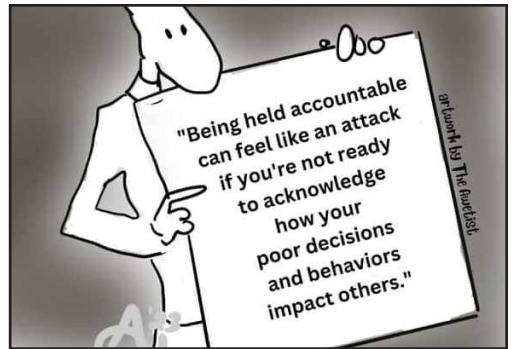
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Lazy Summer Dinner BLT Pasta Salad Recipe

This BLT Pasta Salad is both refreshing and colorful, but also the perfect salad for summertime. It's probably the easiest pasta recipe you'll ever try and will be on your dinner table in just 15 minutes. Your family and friends will ask for it again and again!

Ingredients

- 2 cups pasta farfalle uncooked
- 3 cups Romaine lettuce chopped
- 3/4 cup red onion chopped
- 1 cup tomatoes chopped
- 4 slices bacon cooked and crumbled
- 1/4 cup ranch dressing
- 1/4 cup plain yogurt Greek
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 tbsp vinegar red wine or apple cider vinegar
- salt and pepper to taste



Instructions

Cook pasta according to instruction. Meanwhile, prepare the rest of the salad.

In a large bowl, add the tomatoes, lettuce, bacon and red onion.

In a small bowl, mix ranch, yogurt, mayonnaise, vinegar and pepper. Mix well. Drain the pasta and rinse with cold water. Then toss pasta with the dressing mixture until evenly coated. Serve and enjoy!

SUMMER SEARCH A WORD



- BALL
- CLAM
- FUN
- PLAY
- SEA
- SUN
- BEACH
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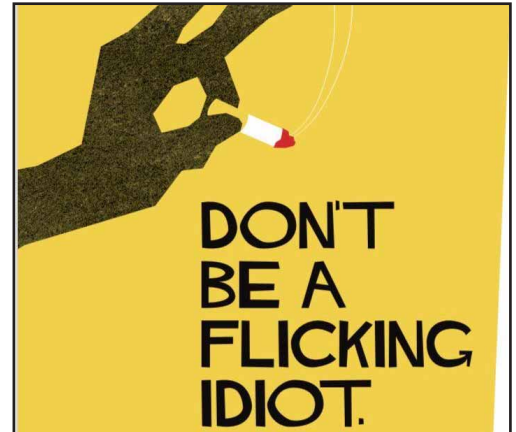
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14 SIMPLE GARDENING TIPS AND TRICKS

From using leftover coffee beans to preventing dirt from getting underneath fingernails, master gardener Paul James, host of *Gardening by the Yard*, shares his top 14 tips and shortcuts to make spring gardening a breeze.

1. To remove the salt deposits that form on clay pots, combine equal parts white vinegar, rubbing alcohol and water in a spray bottle. Apply the mixture to the pot and scrub with a plastic brush. Let the pot dry before you plant anything in it.
2. To prevent accumulating dirt under your fingernails while you work in the garden, draw your fingernails across a bar of soap and you'll effectively seal the undersides of your nails so dirt can't collect beneath them. Then, after you've finished in the garden, use a nailbrush to remove the soap and your nails will be sparkling clean.
3. To prevent the line on your string trimmer from jamming or breaking, treat with a spray vegetable oil before installing it in the trimmer.
4. Turn a long-handled tool into a measuring stick! Lay a long-handled garden tool on the ground, and next to it place a tape measure. Using a permanent marker, write inch and foot marks on the handle. When you need to space plants a certain distance apart (from just an inch to several feet) you'll already have a measuring device in your hand.
5. To have garden twine handy when you need it, just stick a ball of twine in a small clay pot, pull the end of the twine through the drainage hole, and set the pot up side down in the garden. Do that, and you'll never go looking for twine again.
6. Little clay pots make great cloches for protecting young plants from sudden, overnight frosts and freezes.
7. To turn a clay pot into a hose guide, just stab a roughly one-foot length of steel reinforcing bar into the ground at the corner of a bed and slip two clay pots over it: one facing down, the other facing up. The guides will prevent damage to your plants as you drag the hose along the bed.
8. To create perfectly natural markers, write the names of plants (using a permanent marker) on the flat faces of stones of various sizes and place them at or near the base of your plants.
9. Got aphids? You can control them with a strong blast of water from the hose or with insecticidal soap. But here's another suggestion, one that's a lot more fun; get some tape! Wrap a wide strip of tape around your hand, sticky side out, and pat the leaves of plants infested with aphids. Concentrate on the undersides of leaves, because that's where the little buggers like to hide.
10. The next time you boil or steam vegetables, don't pour the water down the drain, use it to water potted patio plants, and you'll be amazed at how the plants respond to the "vegetable soup."
11. Use leftover tea and coffee grounds to acidify the soil of acid-loving plants such as azaleas, rhododendrons, camellias, gardenias and even blueberries. A light sprinkling of about one-quarter of an inch applied once a month will keep the pH of the soil on the acidic side.
12. Use chamomile tea to control damping-off fungus, which often attacks young seedlings quite suddenly. Just add a spot of tea to the soil around the base of seedlings once a week or use it as a foliar spray.
13. If you need an instant table for tea service, look no farther than your collection of clay pots and saucers. Just flip a good-sized pot over, and top it off with a large saucer. And when you've had your share of tea, fill the saucer with water, and your "table" is now a birdbath.
14. The quickest way in the world to dry herbs: just lay a sheet of newspaper on the seat of your car, arrange the herbs in a single layer, then roll up the windows and close the doors. Your herbs will be quickly dried to perfection. What's more, your car will smell great.

Math Challenge!!

Try to fill in the missing numbers.

Use the numbers 1 through 9 to complete the equations.

Each number is only used once.

Each row is a math equation. Work from left to right.

Each column is a math equation. Work from top to bottom.

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	x		-		-1
-10		9		1	




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