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Homelessness in Our Community By Kyle Heimerl

When I think about homelessness, I've never really thought about the types of resources that are available in our community.

We often see homeless encampments with a lot of tents and beds and bikes and shopping carts. It seems that homelessness has been rising in our community. Some people may choose this way of living, but many do not. Sometimes not so good things happen in life. But our community does have some help for people. We can vote to pass legislation that helps homeless people.

We can learn about the issue of homelessness. Housing can be very expensive, especially with rising costs of other living expenses, including clothing, gas, food, etc. It's sad to see the world be in this shape. I am sure that we can come together and improve things.

Below are resources listed for Calaveras County for those who are in need or at risk of losing their housing:

Calaveras County Health and Human Services:

https://hhsa.calaverasgov.us/ HHSA/Human-Services/ Housing

Calaveras County Resource Connection:

https://treac.org/

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#### Mystery Search

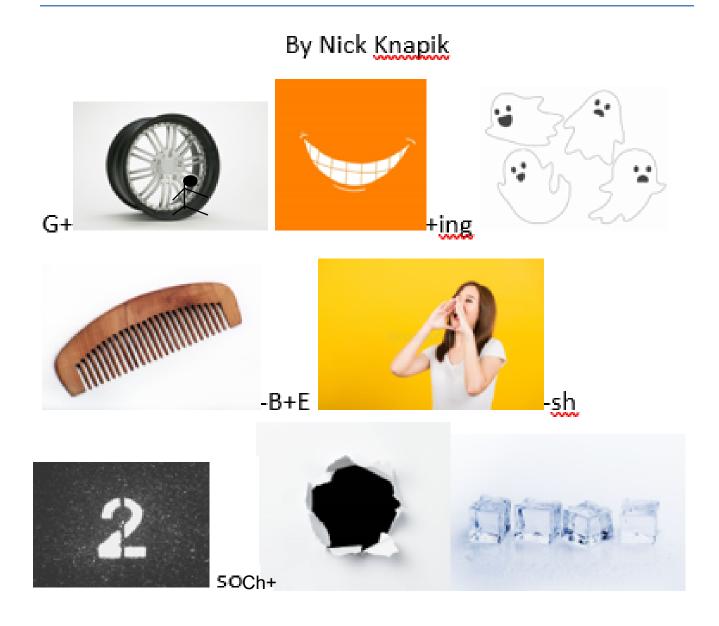
Can you find Mr. Stix? He is hiding somewhere in the Arc Informer.

By Nick Knapik

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# October 2022 Rebus



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### October Fun Facts

- Oct 1, 1908 Ford first introduces the ground breaking Model T Car.
- Oct 1, 1942, Johnny Carso becomes the host of The Tonight Show.
- Oct 2, 1789 George Washington sends the Bill of Rights to the states for ratification.
- Oct 2,1950 The Comic strip Peanuts by Charles M. Schulz is first published.
- Oct 3, 1960 The Andy Griffith Show debuts.
- Oct 3, 1988 Turner Network Television cable channel launches on US television.
- Oct 4, 1927, Sculpting begins on Mt. Rushmore.
- Oct 4, 1957 Television show Leave it to Beaver first airs on TV.
- Oct 5, 1921 First radio broadcast of The World Series.
- Oct 6, 1996 Country music singers Faith Hill and Tim McGraw are married.
- Oct 7, 1996 The Fox News Channel is introduced.
- Oct 8, 1957 The Brooklyn Dodgers announce they are going to move from Brooklyn New York to Los Angeles California.

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Oct 9, 1888 The Washington monument is officially opened.

Oct 10, 1979 The Pacman arcade game is first released.

Oct 11, 1984 The first space walk by an American woman.

Oct 12, 1892 The pledge of allegiance is first recited by students in US public schools.

Oct 13, 1775 The United States Navy is established.

Oct 14, 1926 The children's book Winnie the Pooh is first published.

Oct 15, 1951 The television sitcom I Love Lucy airs its first episode.

Oct 16, 1923 The Walt Disney company is founded by Walt Disney.

Oct 17, 1937 Donald Duck's three nephews Huey, Dewey, and Louie first appear in a comic strip.

Oct 18, 1851 Moby Dick by Herman Melville is first published.

Oct 19, 1985 The first Blockbuster video store opens in Dallas, Texas.

Oct 20, 1973 The First episode of the Six Million Dollar Man airs on TV.

Oct 21, 1954 Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring trilogy is published

Oct Zodiac sign Libra Sept 23-Oct 22, Scorpio Oct 23-Nov 21

Oct 23, 2001 Apple releases the iPad.

Oct 24, 1861 The First Transcontinental telegraph lines across the United States.

Oct 26, 1881, The famous gunfight at the OK Corral takes place at Tombstone Arizona

Oct 27, 1904 The first New York city Subway line opens.

Oct 28, 1886 The Statue of Liberty is dedicated in New York Harbor

Oct 29, 1863 The International Red Cross is formed.

Oct 30, 1960 The first successful kidney transplant

Oct 31, 1864 Nevada is admitted as the 36th state

Oct birthstone Tourmaline opal

Oct flower is marigold and cosmos

## Riddles, Jokes, Puns

**Riddle 1:** When I was 4 years old, my sister was half my age. Now I am 40 years old. How old is my sister?

**Riddle 2:** What do witches put on their hair?

Riddle 3: What do you call witches who live together?

**Riddle 4:** What do you call a skeleton who won't work?

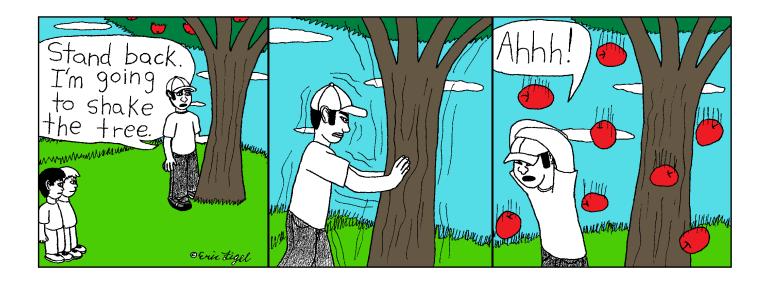
**Riddle 5:** What do you call Paul Revere sketches?

**Riddle 6:** What do you call a dessert with a moving pumpkin?



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# Comic Strip By Eric Figel



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## **Turkey Mac Soup**

Contributed by Katelyn Morock

#### Ingredients

1 teaspoon oil mild flavored

□1 lb ground turkey ground beef or chicken
□1 cup chopped onion
□2 garlic cloves chopped
□2-4 tablespoon Easy Taco Seasoning or 1 package store bought taco seasoning
□3 cups beef broth
□2-3 cups tomato juice such as Campbell's, less for chunkier, more for soupier
□1 can Rotel diced tomatoes and green chilies, not drained
□1 can black beans rinsed and drained
□1 can pinto beans rinsed and drained
□15 ounce package frozen whole kernel corn no need to thaw; or 15 oz can, drained

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Add oil to a large stockpot or Dutch oven over medium heat. Add turkey and onion and cook until meat is no longer pink.

Add taco seasoning and stir until completely combined.

Add broth, tomato juice, Rotel, black beans, pinto beans, and corn to pot, stirring to combine.

Simmer for a minimum of 20 minutes, uncovered. If desired, cover pot and simmer for 40 minutes more.

**Riddle 1 Answer:** My sister is 38 years old

 $\mathbf{Riddle~2~Answer:}~\mathbf{Scare}~\mathbf{spray}$ 

Riddle 3 Answer: Broom-mates

Riddle 4 Answer: Lazy bones

**Riddle 5** Answer: Yankee doodles

Riddle 6 Answer: A pumpkin roll

Riddle Answers Rebus Solution

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# October Birthdays

. Claire Piper October 3

. Justin Carter October 8

. Tyler Odell October 9

. Quinn Duffey October 12

. Melanie LaSalle October 15

. Alina Dixon October 28

Nicholas Knapik October 29

Maria Baron October 30