

UKIAH SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH NEWSLETTER

EVENTS:

1 MONTH AGO

November 2009 – There was no Ukiah SDA Church Newsletter published.

100 YEARS AGO

December 2, 1909 – The first airplane flight in Turkey was made by Baron De Cotters. This was in fact the only time a turkey was known to fly. Too bad Mr. Carlson of WKRP didn't know that...

December 15, 1909 – The town of Kermit, West Virginia was incorporated. This was NOT the home of Kermit the Frog. Kermit was "born" in Washington, D.C. in 1955.

FOR SALE

Microwave Potato Bakers. Hand-made of cloth with fire-proof batting inside. \$10.00 each. See Dorothy Bednar for cloth patterns and colors. 485-0409

Children's Aprons. 100% cotton – lined with coordinated cotton. \$28.00 to \$30.00 (depending on trim). See Dorothy Bednar for patterns, colors, and trim. 485-0409

DORCAS

Due to staffing concerns, Dorcas is only open on Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. As always they still need clean men's clothing.

EDGE OF THE CLIFF – AN EDITORIAL:

FASCINATING FACTS

Why are camels called "ships of the desert?"

Camels acquired the nickname "ships of the desert" because of the way they move, not because of their transport capabilities. Camels sway from side to side because they move both legs on one side at the same time, elevating that side. This is called pacing, a ship-like motion which can make the rider sea-sick (actually camel-sick).

Check out this website for interesting population statistics:

<http://www.worldometers.info/>

Bad Predictions:

In the early 20th century a world market for only 4 million automobiles was predicted because "the world would run out of chauffeurs."

Shortly after the end of World War II (1945), the whole of Volkswagen, factory and patents, was offered free to Henry Ford II. He dismissed the Volkswagen Beetle as a bad design. The VW Beetle became one of the best-selling vehicles of all time.

Deadline for next month's Newsletter submissions: 20th of the current month.
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