

What do you know?

Colorado Kids: January 3, 2017

1. With which of these would Nancy LaRoche of Colorado Rabbit House Society agree?
 - o. Rabbits can make good pets.
 - e. Rabbits like to play.
 - s. Rabbits enjoy having company.
 - a. All of the above

2. With which of these statements about “See You In The Cosmos” would Jack Vanourek NOT agree?
 - k. The story is about more than the rocket contest.
 - r. The astronomer, Carl Sagan, appears in the novel.
 - h. Readers of all ages would enjoy the book.
 - s. All of the above

3. Which of these statements about “Talking Leaves” would Kira Zizzo NOT agree?
 - u. The author is careful to only include facts you need to understand the story.
 - w. The novel is based on the true story of a Cherokee man who invented an alphabet.
 - b. You learn a lot about Cherokee culture in the book.
 - l. All of the above

4. What nature fact is suggested by this week’s story of Old Man?
 - b. That loons can talk.
 - e. That muskrats can dive deeper than loons, otters, beaver or geese.
 - t. That you can bring dead animals back to life by blowing on them.
 - v. All of the above

5. What did CK readers say about New Year’s Resolutions?
 - b. Most of them make resolutions and go a good job of keeping them.
 - c. More than half of them make resolutions and at least try to keep them.
 - d. Most of the readers who respond don’t bother with resolutions.
 - e. All of the above

6. Why was there an extra second added to 2016?
 - m. The actual length of a day is slightly less than 24 hours long.
 - e. The leap year threw things off.
 - h. It was a mistake that was too fast to be corrected in time.
 - s. All of the above

Fill in the letters to the correct answers above to solve this question:

Most cowboys didn’t own their own horses; they chose horses for work each day from a herd that was known by this term:

2 4 6 3 5 1

What do you think?

The article on bunnies makes them sound like good pets. If your friend read it and decided she wanted to go get a bunny tomorrow, what would you think? Write a note that you might give her with your advice.

Proofreading:

There are five errors in this passage. Can you find them all? Correct each mistake in the space above it.

As the were washing Wallis and getting her reddy, they realized they could feel the bullet, which had worked it's way clothes to the surfice.

Summarize the story:

Use three sentences to tell about this week's Big Nate cartoon.

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Look it up!

This week, CK featured a story told by the Chippewa and a story based on a real Cherokee hero. For each of these famous American Indians, tell what tribe or nation they belonged to and the years they were born and died. (Use an asterisk* to mark any dates that are estimated.) We've done the first one for you.

Pontiac	Ottawa	1720*	1766
Maria Tallchief			
Crazy Horse			
Ely Parker			
Wilma Mankiller			
Ouray			