

What do you know?

Colorado Kids: May 5, 2020

1. Why did Rebecca Bloomfield’s family have to evacuate from their home ?
 - i. It had burned down.
 - a. It was in danger of burning down.
 - e. She and her mother had gone shopping in Denver.
 - o. all of the above

2. In “The Canyon’s Edge,” how did Nora and her father get separated?
 - a. There was a flash flood.
 - l. There was a wild fire.
 - i. The review doesn’t say.
 - u. all of the above

3. Why is the word “never” capitalized and repeated in the headline for “Straight on Till Morning”?
 - s. All the words in a headline should be capitalized.
 - g. It’s a play on the name of the land where the story takes place.
 - y. The editor made a mistake.
 - t. all of the above

4. Which of these ingrediants is part of the recipe for green chili chicken?
 - b. Chicken
 - d. Tomatoes
 - f. Cheese
 - n. all of the above

5. Why are there celebrations today for Cinco de Mayo?
 - y. It’s Mexican Independence Day.
 - c. It’s the day Mexico was discovered.
 - l. It’s the day of a great victory over the French army.
 - t. all of the above

6. Which of these two books, reviewed in this week’s issue, have the most in common?
 - d. “We Are Power” and “Echo Mountain”
 - k. “Straight on Till Morning” and “So This is Love”
 - p. “Green Chili Chicken” and “The Canyon’s Edge”
 - r. all of the above

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

This very large dog from Turkey that was bred to protect sheep from wolves is being used in Namibia to protect goats from cheetahs.

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What do you think?

Becky Bloomfield’s family was not allowed to be at their house during the wildfire. Now people have to be at their house because of the coronavirus. Write a brief essay telling which you think would be worse.

Proofreading:

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

My parent's had a lifetime of photo albums, and we had a house full of stuff we didn't want to lose, but we couldn't bring every thing.

Summarize the story:

Use three sentences to tell about one of the books reviewed in this week's CK.

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Look it up!

For each of these natural disasters, give the place it mostly affected and the year it happened. We've done the first one for you.

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| Waldo Canyon Fire | Colorado | 2012 |
| Oso Mud Slide | | |
| Northridge Earthquake | | |
| Big Thompson Canyon Flood | | |
| Mount St. Helens Eruption | | |
| Cloquet Fire | | |