Getaway to the Great Smoky Mountains

Fall is a spectacular time to see the most visited national park in the U.S. By Sally Rummel news@tttimes.com; 810-629-8282

Just 10 hours away by car, the Great Smoky Mountains can be a vacation destination for an extended weekend or a week or more to explore the beauty and bounty of America’s most visited national park. Boasting more than nine million visitors each year, Great Smoky Mountains National Park consists of ridges of forests sprawling between the border of North Carolina and Tennessee. Autumn is especially spectacular in the Smokies, where fall colors usually peak at mid and lower elevations between mid October and early November. Whether you’re a nature lover or more of a tourist, there’s something to love about the Smokies and surrounding areas. See GETAWAY on 2B

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Cades Cove, the most visited part of the national park, provides a sampler of everything the park has to offer. From wildlife to history, hiking to horseback, this idyllic setting can best be seen via Cades Cove Loop Road — a one-way paved lane that skirts the bottoms of the forested mountains, which surrounds the fields of the valley floor.

The Cades Cove Loop is open to auto, bicycle and foot traffic every day of the year, from sunup to sundown with a few exceptions, according to cadescove.net. The Loop Road takes visitors on a historical tour of early pioneer farms, field roads and trails. Allow about two hours for an auto tour, including several scenic stops along the way. Early morning and late afternoon/early evening are best for wildlife viewing; turkeys and deer are very common, bears not as much but they can still be found quite often.

Another frequently visited spot is Roaring Fork Motor Nature Trail, a six-mile, one-way loop that offers views of rushing mountain streams, old-growth forest and a number of well-preserved log cabins, grist mills and other historic buildings.

One of the park’s most popular waterfalls, Rainbow Falls, is a 5.4-mile round trip hike considered moderately strenuous. The trailhead for Grotto Falls, another popular falls, is located along the route. A “wet weather” waterfall called Place of a Thousand Drips can provide a finale to your journey.

A number of other attractions abound in the nearby mountain resort communities of Gatlinburg and Pigeon Forge area. From Dollywood Amusement Park in Pigeon Forge to Ober Gatlinburg Sky Tram in Gatlinburg, there’s a bit of kitsch and fun to many of the places you’ll want to visit.

For a unique cultural experience, don’t miss the Great Smoky Arts & Crafts Community, an eight-mile loop of 120 working artisans — the largest group of independent artisans in North America. This community is located just three miles from downtown Gatlinburg.

For relaxation after a day of sight-seeing, don’t miss the fun and challenge of playing Hillbilly Golf in Gatlinburg, billed as the world’s most unusual miniature golf course. Ride the incline 300 feet straight up to the mountaintop above the city, where two 18-hole golf courses await, both riddled with mountaineer hazards.

Your mountain accommodations can also be an interesting part of your vacation fun in the Smokies. Whether you stay in a family hotel in downtown Gatlinburg, or a mountain top lodge like the Hippenstein’s Mountain View Inn, a bed and breakfast situated a mile up the mountain, you’ll experience the fun and beauty of a Great Smokies getaway.

How to get there from here...

It’s easy to get to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park from the tri-county area, taking I-75 south through Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee. In Knoxville, you turn onto the U.S. 29 South Alcoa Highway. From there, follow U.S. 129 south to TN-73 Scenic, which will lead to the park, located at 107 Park Headquarters Rd., Gatlinburg, Tennessee.
Nail biting has a name: Onychophagia
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Nails are the window to your health
Shape, size, colors and lines on your nails are enough to tell your doctor about your health. Lung Diseases makes your nails look bluish. Every color of nails has different stories to tell, whitish nails, yellowish nails or even banded nails. If you see any color change in your nails, consult a doctor.

You should let your nails “breathe” between manicures
It’s best to reduce the amount of time your nails are polished to keep them at their healthiest. “Believe it or not, that hard thing on the tip of your finger is living tissue, and oxygen does penetrate through the nail plate to the nail bed,” Krant says.

White spots on nails don’t indicate a calcium deficiency
“Calcium deficiency causing white spots on nails is the most common myth, followed by zinc deficiency. The truth is that white spots are common and harmless and don’t indicate any specific vitamin deficiency at all,” says Jessica Krant, M.D., a board-certified dermatologist. “Most likely they are signs of previous trauma to the nail plate (the hard part of the nail) or the matrix (the source of the nail plate, which is located underneath the cuticle under the skin).”

The reason we can’t stand nails on a chalkboard
Just the thought of it is enough to make us cringe — but why? Part of the reason is because the noise hits a frequency that’s naturally amplified by the shape of our ear canals. The problem might also have a psychological component — when study participants were told the source of the noise, they tended to rate it as more unpleasant compared to those who were told it was part of a musical composition.

Cuticles have a purpose
And that’s why many experts recommend against removing them for aesthetic purposes. “The cuticle is there to seal moisture and environmental germs out of the body, which is why it’s very important not to pick at the cuticle or to let manicurists cut it off,” Krant says. “It must be treated gently and left in place as much as possible.”

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F.A.R.R. coming to Loose Center

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F.A.R.R. (Fenton Area Resource and Referral) has just announced a partnership with Resource Genesee to coordinate community humanitarian needs in the Fenton, Fenton Township and Linden areas.

The Board of Directors closed the F.A.R.R. thrift shop earlier this year and began meeting with representatives from local government, churches, schools, civic organizations and business members to establish a new plan of action that will serve as a centralized information and referral network.

The F.A.R.R. buildings on Mill Street will be sold, and beginning this month, F.A.R.R. will house its operations at the Loose Senior Center in Linden, which will provide office space and equipment.

Staff from Resource Genesee will be available at the Loose Senior Center every Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Services include, but aren’t limited to:

• Assistance in securing medical care
• Computer use
• A temporary mailing address for referrals for food and clothing
• Job readiness
• Screening for housing programs

People who need immediate assistance can still use the F.A.R.R. phone number at (810) 750-6244. The establishment of Resource Genesee in the tri-county area is a pilot program, with plans to expand into other areas in the future.

INVITATION TO BID
CITY OF LINDEN
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
DOWNTOWN STREET LIGHTING PROJECT
REQUEST FOR RE-INSTALLATION

The City of Linden will receive sealed bids at the City Clerk’s Office, 132 E. Broad St., PO Box 507, Linden, MI 48451, for providing the installation of new street lights and poles in Downtown Linden on September 18, 2014 at 10:00 am.

Bids will be publicly opened and read at that time in the main office of the Linden City Hall, 132 E. Broad St., Linden, Michigan. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and plainly marked “INSTALLATION OF DOWNTOWN STREET LIGHTING – CITY OF LINDEN.”

Bids are being solicited only from responsible and established bidders known to be experienced and regularly engaged in the work of installing street lighting. Satisfactory evidence that the bidder has the necessary capital, equipment and personnel to do the work may be required.

Bids are being received for the installation of 44 Light Poles (at existing light pole locations) and 71 LED Decorative Street Lights (at existing light locations). Proposal forms, design specifications and installation locations are included and on file for the inspection of bidders at the Linden City Offices, 132 E. Broad St., Linden, Michigan and copies may be obtained by qualified bidders. Sealed proposals must be submitted on the bid forms furnished by the City.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to accept any bid which, in their opinion, is most advantageous to the City.

Beauchamp Water Treatment & Supply
Fenton man opens new business

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Beauchamp is a very familiar name in the local area.
Now it’s the new business name for Beauchamp Water Treatment & Supply, open since March by partners Scott Brackenridge and Jarred Beauchamp. The company will host its Grand Opening on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 12 and 13 from 8 to 5 p.m. at their new showroom located at 872 N. Old US-23 in Brighton. A announce house, refreshments, giveaways and drawings are all on the schedule for this event.
Brackenridge, of Fenton, has been in the water treatment business for more than 25 years. He is pleased to be at the helm of a company that shares his philosophy of excellent customer service and fair pricing.
“Our goal is to give people a good product at a fair price and to provide service within one or two days of a service call,” said Brackenridge. “Our salt prices are the lowest around, and we also offer delivery. We have salt specials going on now through September.”
Beauchamp Water Treatment & Supply offers a full line of water treatment systems, salt delivery, water delivery, rental and sale of water coolers, water heaters and more. “We service any make or model,” said Brackenridge.
For more information, call (810) 632-2000 or visit their website at beaconwater.com.
The danger of too much entertainment

The late A.W. Tozer, whose many books are now considered Christian classics, once wrote a magazine article titled ‘The Great God Entertainment’ in which he described people who are so addicted to the need of constantly being entertained that what had been intended to enable them to relax in idle times had now become idolatry.

An interesting thought! And if you think it’s too far out, consider that many call their favorite actors, actresses or athletes their idols.

In 1787, Edward Gibbon completed his book, ‘The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire,’ giving the following reasons for its destruction: the rapid increase of divorce with the resultant undermining of the home; higher and higher taxes and the spending of public money for free circuses for the people; the mad craze for sports, which became more and more brutal; the building of gigantic armaments, when the real enemy was within, and the decay of religious faith, which faded into formalism and became impotent.

In short, Gibbon concluded that satisfying the desires of the people for comfort and entertainment became more important than their relationship with God. Like another civilization before them described in the Bible, they ‘worshiped and served the creature more than the creator’ (Romans 1:25).

Can this be happening to us? What often monopolizes our conversations when we’re with friends or family? Probably famous athletes, entertainers or entertainment. This is not to say that all entertainment is destructive or immoral.

We need periodic breaks from the routines of life; time out from the daily grind. Jesus told His disciples to ‘come apart and rest awhile’ (Mark 6:31), prompting some-one to wisely observe that if we don’t come apart, we’ll come apart.

Laughter was prescribed by wise Solomon for good health: ‘A merry heart does good like a medicine,’ he wrote (Proverbs 17:22), adding there is ‘a time to laugh’ (Ecclesiastes 3:4). But if this laughter comes at the expense of compromising high moral standards intended to keep us on the right road, it isn’t healthy at all.

We live in an age of entertaining gadgets that can either be pleasant antidotes to boredom and fatigue or dangerous influences that move us to violence, immorality and despair.

What we think, we are! And to imagine that anyone, young or old, can continually be exposed to negative input and not be affected by it is ridiculous.

The greatest danger in too much entertainment is the squandering of time. We’re all given this precious gift at birth with a fresh supply each day. To make the best use of time, we must invest it wisely, worshiping and serving God, finding His will for our lives and living for the good of others. We don’t have time to entertain our lives away.

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Pay your mortgage off faster

Patently paying off your 30-year, fixed-rate mortgage?

▶ Check out these tips to save you money

Though there is nothing wrong with making the minimum payment every month, you can take some simple steps to cut off substantial amounts of interest and time from your mortgage.

Doing so will help you stow away more money in the bank once your home is paid off:

- Bi-weekly payments

Paying half your mortgage every two weeks instead of a full payment once a month is the equivalent of 13 months of payments each year. If your budget can accommodate this strategy, your principal amount will decrease faster along with your interest costs.

The following calculation from www.bills.com shows exactly how much you can save in the long run by making bi-weekly payments.

**Monthly mortgage payment**

(12 months/12 payments): $997

Interest paid over the life of the loan: $209,263

Paid off in 30 years

**Half payment**

(13 months/26 payments): $498 ($997/2)

Interest paid over the life of the loan: $155,939

Paid off in 22-23 years

Make an extra payment

Instead of spending your tax refund on a new car or TV, consider putting it toward your mortgage. Likewise, a holiday bonus or insurance overpayment reimbursement offer great ways to get ahead on your mortgage.

Don’t think of the extra checks as “bonuses,” but rather as principal investments into your mortgage. It can be a tough practice to ascribe to, but in the end it will save you money and reduce the amount time you are paying on your home.

Refinance now

Rates for both the 30-year and 15-year fixed-rate mortgages are still near historical lows, making this the perfect time to refinance your mortgage. Reducing your interest rate can make a world of difference in shaving off time you payback schedule, so consider your options and do the math before making your decision.

Refinance rates vary from lender to lender. Shop around with various banks or credit unions to find the one that would best work for your situation.

By refinancing at a lower interest rate and shorter term, you can pay off your mortgage earlier and often keep your same payment amount.

David Scott, Vice president of Residential Lending at The State Bank

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Check your property lines

▶ A survey can be a wise future investment

Purchasing a home is one thing. Purchasing a plot of land is another. Whether you’re buying land with your home or a separate parcel, it is crucial to understand exactly where your property lines begin and end. Unfortunately, doing so can be an expensive endeavor.

It is up to you to assess whether the price equals value for your needs. For instance, if you have big plans for a section of the land that you “assume” is yours, then you may find yourself in a land dispute later down the line if you find out it actually belongs to your neighbor.

Get a survey

The option to have a land surveyor mark the exact property lines of your location is exactly that — an option. Buyers who choose not to purchase a survey are taking the risk of not getting what they thought was included in the deal, because many real estate agencies use estimates from tax assessment offices to define property lines.

Depending on your location — city surveys can be substantially more expensive than rural ones — you can expect to pay at least some money but it is an investment worth making.

See PROPERTY on 7B
Selling your vacant home

If you’ve tried to sell a vacant home, you understand the importance of unloading it quickly. There is a lot of money on the table because of ongoing mortgage, maintenance, insurance, and other carrying costs that need to be paid for all these months the property is sitting on the market.

That money can be better spent fixing up your new home or cushioning your savings account. The beneficial aspect to selling a vacant home is not having to load up and leave every time a prospective buyer requests a showing. It also allows you to keep the home nice, tidy and staged in a manner you feel comfortable in displaying.

Unfortunately, in many cases selling a vacant home can offer more challenges than selling a full one. But there are some ways to improve your vacant home more attractive to buyers. Here are some tips:

Keep some decorations

When potential buyers walk into a home on the market, they imagine themselves living there. That’s why keeping some decorations on the walls and furniture on the floors can be a good tactic in catching their attention. A completely vacant home is void of the personality and reference points that buyers depend on to decide if it is the right fit for them. While going out and purchasing furniture to fill your vacant home may not be the smartest investment, try to leave behind a few smaller pieces if possible. Any extra picture frames or wall art pieces can go a long way in giving your home some life. However, be prepared to negotiate everything you leave behind as buyers may fall in love with certain items or furniture pieces.

Drop the price

Nothing says “ready to negotiate” like dropping the price a couple of times during the first six months of a listing. Your actions in doing so will send a message to buyers that your home can be purchased at a great deal compared to other comparable listings on the market.

Small, strategic reductions during peak market times like early spring can generate buzz and increase the amount of foot traffic through your home. Every time you reduce, you send off a barrage of notifications to local real-estate agents, who can then tell their clients about the change in pricing.

John Tremaine, Real Living Tremaine Real Estate of Fenton said, “You don’t have to stage your home, but de-clutter it. If you’re not using something, put it away or get rid of it.”

People want to buy their home, not your home, so put away family photos. Yard clutter matters, too. Be sure to have outdoor stuff put away to help promote curb appeal.

John Tremaine, Real Living Tremaine Real Estate of Fenton

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$1,000 added to your survey. A hefty price tag for sure, but one that can serve as an investment to know exactly what plot of land you are purchasing.

Do your research

If you want to avoid paying the high cost of a survey, you can do some things on your own that may help you give an estimate of your property lines.

• Check the Legal Description: Your real estate agent will likely help you through the process of reading through the legal description of a potential purchase, which breaks down the included land by feet. Grab a notebook and pen while you’re reviewing the description and plot out the land yourself. This will give you a general idea of how the land is broken up.

• Ask Around: If you have access to the current or former owners of your property, ask them for a rough estimate of the property lines. They may have had it surveyed in the past and can help you understand where your land ends and your neighbors’ begins.

Brian Shaltz, certified survey technician with Field to Finish in Fenton, said, “While many people put an emphasis on home inspections, it is important to consider boundary lines too when looking to purchase a home or even vacant property.

“Getting a site inspection or mortgage survey at the time of purchase can save time and money in long run.”

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TYRONE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD SEPTEMBER 2, 2014 AT 7:00 P.M.

1. Present: Supervisor Mike Cunningham, Treasurer Mary Bunting-Smith, Clerk Keith Kremer, Trustees Soren Pedersen, Chuck Schultz, Cam Gonzales and David Walker.
2. Approved the agenda as amended; approved the consent agenda as presented.
3. Received and placed on file Communication #1.
4. The request to adopt zoning ordinance amendments was removed from agenda.
5. Authorized to have the old hall cleaned and to request estimates to finish the wood floor.
6. Authorized maintenance repairs to Parkin Lane.
7. Extended the propane service contract for one year with Webster Garner.
8. Accepted a three year contract with Certified Document Destruction for document shredding.
9. Approved the modification of the road fund budget as presented.
10. Approved the 2015-2016 special assessments budgets as modified.
11. Approved the 2014 winter tax special assessment levies.
12. Approved the request of the Deputy Treasurer to attend the MMTA Fall Conference.
13. Approved the request of the Deputy Treasurer to attend a MS Word class.
14. Approved the request of the Cashier to attend a MS Excel class.
15. Authorized the Supervisor to pursue a zip code change for Tyrone Township.
16. Convened in closed session at 7:40 pm. to discuss confidential attorney-client communications; reconvened in open session at 8:15 pm.
17. Authorized the attorney to proceed with litigation to collect unpaid funds from Fenton Sand and Gravel.
18. Directed township officers to bid on two tax delinquent properties up to the amount of the unpaid taxes.
19. Adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

The minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk’s office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at www.tyronetownship.us. The next regular meeting of the Tyrone Township Board will be held on Tuesday, September 16, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall. The public is encouraged to attend.
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SEPTEMBER 11-13TH 9-6PM
11417 Fawn Valley Trail, Hills of Tyrone. Dining table with 6 chairs, other furniture, plus household items.

SEPTEMBER 11-13TH 9-6PM
11370 Bay of Firth. Tools, clothes, antique coffee cart, yard ornaments, miscellaneous. Look for the blue signs!

SEPTEMBER 11-13TH THURSDAY-SATURDAY 9-4PM
236 Park River Drive. Name brand adult clothing, kids toys, household items, large variety of items, etc.

SEPTEMBER 11-13TH 9:30AM
600 Silver Lake Rd. 10 room house, 8 room cottage=18 rooms filled. Antiques, collectibles, household. You have to see it to believe it. Listing and pictures at www.estatesales.net.

SEPTEMBER 11-13TH 9-5PM
414 E. Broad St. Antique furniture sale, tables, hutches, curio lamps, Woodward tables and chairs, wood burners, cement mixer, garden sprayer.

SEPTEMBER 12-13TH 9-6PM
706 Park St. Skilled trade/engineer tools, bicycle shop repair stand, bicycle travel case, 4 family Christmas stuff, big power washer, snow blower, cartop pod, sliding miter saw, vacuum skis, professional ski tuning tools, more.

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A Look back at the top 10 SONGS
As determined by Billboard
1. If I Ain’t Got You
2. Move Ya Body
3. Pieces of Me
4. Heed to Be
5. Slow Motion
6. Turn Me On
7. My Place
8. Dip It Low
9. Dip It Low
10. Slow Motion

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Scrap steel and vehicles accepted! Certified scales. Receipt available. $5 per ton with this ad.
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TOP DOLLAR PAID

Puzzle Answer Keys

ANSWER KEY LOCATED IN THIS EDITION

Answer Keyword: Hungry

Monday, September 7, 2014

Sunday Sudoku

King Crossword, Wednesday Jumble, Wednesday Sudoku puzzles are located in last Wednesday’s issue. All other puzzles are throughout this edition.

Super Crossword

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Loretta Joan Phillips 1936-2014
Loretta Joan Phillips was born on October 12, 1936 and died September 1, 2014. She was survived by 2 children, Pamela (Dale) Johnson and Roy Phillips; 2 sisters, Carol Shearer Johnson and Roy Phillips; 2 children, Pamela (Dale) and Zachary Singleton; 2 sisters, Carol Shearer Johnson and Roy Phillips; 2 children, Pamela (Dale) and Zachary Singleton; 2 nieces, Carol Shearer Johnson and Roy Phillips; 2 children, Pamela (Dale) and Zachary Singleton; 2 great-granddaughters, Eliza Moore and Zachary Singleton; 2 great-granddaughters, Eliza Moore and Zachary Singleton; and her sister Jentien West. He was preceded in death by his parents, son Eric Allen, and brother John Agelink. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association.


James Harold Dole 1942-2014


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DEAR AMY:
My girlfriend and I live in the same dorm but on a different floor. I stopped in to see her this morning. As I entered my girlfriend’s dorm room I noticed that her roommate was still sleeping. She had a guy in her bed and they were both covered with a blanket. I could tell that they were topless and probably naked. As I was talking to my girlfriend, the guy woke up. He casually got out of bed. He was indeed naked. He quickly got dressed and left. I am upset that she has apparently seen him naked more than just this one time. I know she is not doing anything with him, but he parades around in what is essentially my girlfriend’s bedroom mode. When I asked my girlfriend if he had ever seen her totally naked, she did not answer me at first. Then she admitted that he had seen her with nothing on! What should I do? — Worried Boyfriend

DEAR BOYFRIEND:
What should you do? You are not called upon to do anything. This situation does not seem to bother your girlfriend. (It would bother me to be forced to cohabit in a small room with someone having sex with her boyfriend on the bunk below — and it obviously bothers you, for different reasons). This obviously makes you uncomfortable, and you are feeling jealous. You and your girlfriend need to talk about this. You two may have different maturity comfort levels (which might be something you can work through). However, you might also have different values, and values are non-negotiable. If your girlfriend does not like this situation, she should contact her resident adviser and also the dean of housing to complain.

DEAR AMY:
My husband and I are expecting a baby. My brother and sister-in-law are sweet people, but they live in fifth. When we have the baby, our family members will visit us in the hospital. They will ask to hold our new baby. What do I say to keep our child safe from germs without offending them? — Smelly Question

DEAR SMELLY:
Anyone holding a baby should always wash their hands thoroughly beforehand. Say to each guest: ‘After you wash your hands I’ll hand the baby to you’. Most babies spend the first several days bundled up, papoose-style. There will be little skin contact with visitors. Because of this I believe the risk for contamination is minute — at least until your child starts putting everything (including people’s fingers) in his mouth — but you should definitely ask your pediatrician.

Weight gain isn’t inevitable with age

DEAR DR. ROACH:
I’m a woman and will be 59 in a month. I’m in excellent health. I’ve worked out seriously with weight-bearing exercises for nearly 30 years. I have great muscle tone, and I believe I am height/weight proportional (5 feet, 2 inches, 130 pounds). Is it inevitable that women gain the same weight you have been all your life. Should I just learn to live with it? — D.H.

ANSWER:
Many women would be very envious of your good health and even your current weight and waistline numbers. However, in your case, it is healthiest to continue at the same weight you have been all your life. Also, abdominal fat is the most metabolically active fat, and the one most likely to increase your risk of heart disease. It’s not inevitable that you’ll gain weight. Both men and women tend to slow down a bit metabolically as we age. Unless exercise increases or food intake decreases, you are at risk for weight gain. Highly processed, starchy foods may increase your risk of weight gain. Slow but sure results definitely are best, so keep at it and don’t get frustrated.

Recipe of the week

EASY BAKED MACARONI AND CHEESE CUPS

INGREDIENTS:
• 1 head cauliflower
• 2 cups milk
• 16 oz. elbow macaroni
• 1 cup milk
• ½ cup plain Greek yogurt
• 3 cups shredded cheddar cheese
• 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
• ½ cup grated Parmesan cheese
• 2 T. Parmesan cheese

DIRECTIONS
1. Cut cauliflower into florets. Place in a saucepan with two cups of milk or until cauliflower is covered. Bring to a boil, reduce heat and simmer for 20 minutes or until tender.
2. Meanwhile prepare pasta according to package directions, drain.
3. When cauliflower has cooked, drain, and also the dean of housing

SUNDAY SCRAMBLE
Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

[Letters scrambled]

Answer key located in this edition

“Hey sis! Tall, dark and _______ is here.”
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