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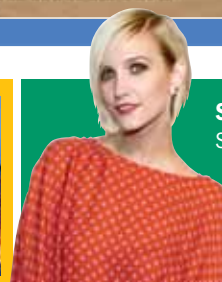
TIME TO KINECT

Staying active and having fun through the summer is easy thanks to motion-technology gaming

CHANGE GUARD

Set in the tranquil Irish countryside, new flick *The Guard* uncovers the darker side of rural policing

A TALE OF TWO CITIES

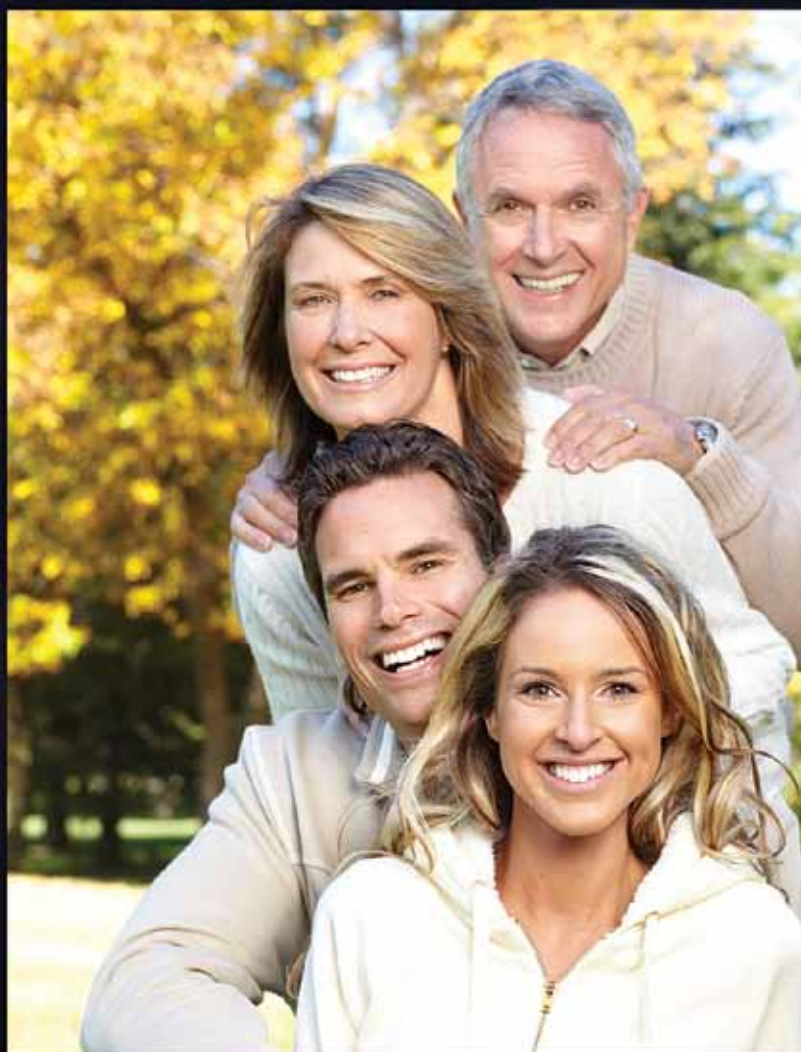


SUMMER BREEZE

Stay stylish and cool on holiday with our guide to the essential wardrobe items that any fashionable suitcase should contain

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Simple ways to trace your family tree



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Do the Olympic Games have a place in the modern world?

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- No
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Are the best things in life free?



Letters

Email: letters@readme.ae

A selection of the letters we've received this week. Write in to have your say.

✉ Dear Read., We have just returned home from a second visit to Dubai. The Metro is certainly a good way to see the sights of Dubai and the bilingual announcements in Arabic and English for each station are indeed helpful for the commuters. Such an innovative way to travel is just right for a city like Dubai. It is clean and comfortable—it would be a dream for the UK to have the same experience on the London Underground. However, unlike TK Thomas' letter in praise of the Metro (Feb 26), I hope there will be no TV installed as I feel that passengers—after a tiring day—just want to journey home, close their eyes and not be disturbed by news bulletins. Most folk seem to use their mobile phones while travelling, so a combination of this chatting, Metro station announcements plus a live TV commentary would perhaps be too much background noise.

Myra Walder

We agree that too much background noise can sometimes take away from an otherwise enjoyable journey. Perhaps the possibility of a muted TV news feed would give everyone what they want. Failing that, you can always pick up an issue of *Read.* to enjoy quietly during your journey.

✉ Dear Read., I have been in Dubai since 2007, with this being



THE DUBAI METRO IS A SOURCE OF PRIDE TO ALL THOSE WHO USE IT

my second spell in the UAE (I was in Abu Dhabi between 1994 and 2000). I can categorically say that Dubai's transportation infrastructure was competent, but wasn't complete. That is until the installment of the Metro rail project. In India, the rail traffic network is wide and elaborate. Still, the Dubai Metro has its own charm. It's very interesting to travel by the Metro. "Giant electric millipede" is the name I have given it because, to me, it resembles a millipede when it is observed from a distance. The view while travelling, the ups and downs of the viaducts, the cleanliness inside, time management—all these factors come together to

make it wonderful. Thanks go out to all of those behind this venture. I believe they have shown excellence in planning, implementation and execution. It's often extremely difficult to transform an idea into reality, but the government of Dubai has succeeded with the Dubai Metro. Long live Dubai government and the RTA.

Hareesh Kurur

The Dubai Metro is a sight to behold from every angle and every care and consideration has gone in to making it one of the most enjoyable forms of public transport in the world. We wish you continued comfort in your commuting.

My Metro life

Abdul Azeez Razmi Ahamed
 Al Rigga, Senior software engineer



I just wanted to share a short essay describing, from A to Z, my Metro journey to work each day.

My journey to work starts by Approaching a Beautiful Clean Metro station, which provides a Disciplined, Environmentally-Friendly, Green, Healthy, Intercity Journey.

Dubai Government Keeps up the Lively Metro with a Nominal Offer Price, Quality of service and a free Read. magazine, ensuring a Safe and secure trip to all its travellers. This Traffic-less UAE Vehicle Works almost around the clock to serve



A GLEAMING METRO STATION. PIC: JITHIL KALLADA

our travel needs. I would like to finish by wishing that the Xtraordinary Metro can Yield a prosperous future for this Zappy facility.

Tell us about your experiences on Dubai Metro. Send your story to mymetrolife@readme.ae for a chance to appear in next week's *Read.*

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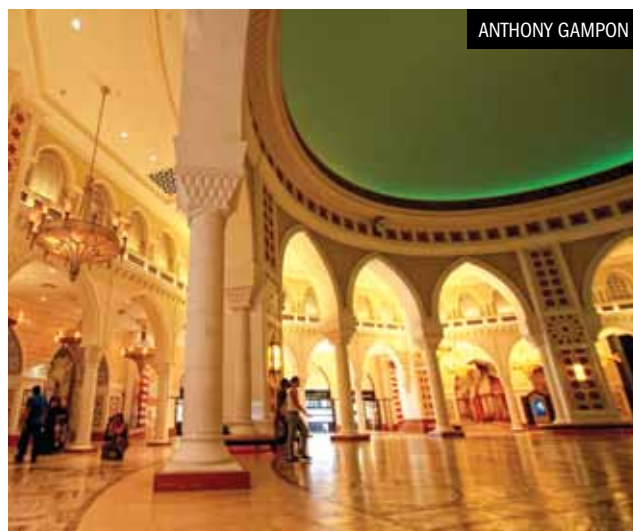
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Station by station guide

Looking for something to do? You could always hop off the train and visit one of these...

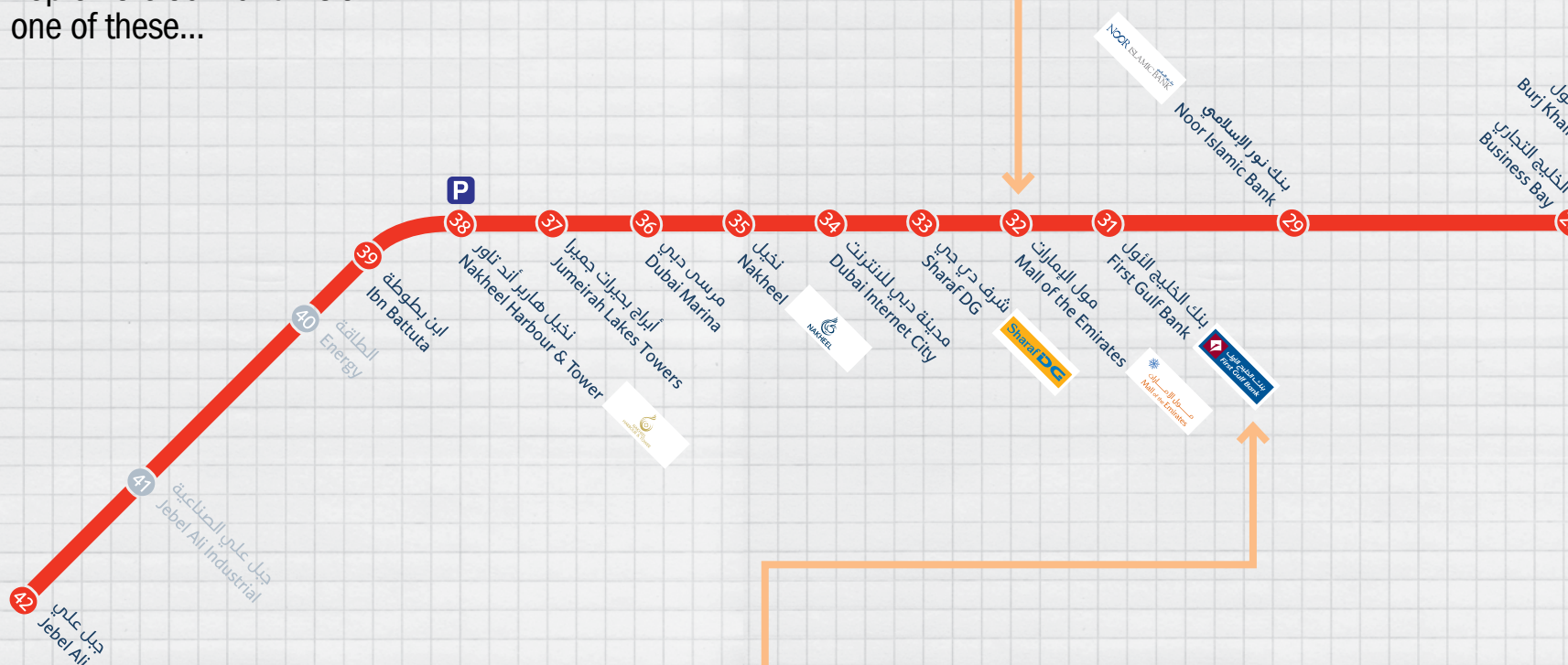


Fit to shop

**SUNDAY - THURSDAY, 8.20AM
MALL OF THE EMIRATES**

If you're struggling to get your usual amount of daily exercise now that the summer is in full swing, why not have a go at joining a mall walking group to stay active, meet new friends and perhaps have a

sneaky peek in a few shop windows as you pace around the air-conditioned avenues of the mall? The mall-walking group meets five times a week at the customer service desk opposite the Nike store in Mall of the Emirates, and, best of all, it's free to join in.



Keep your little monsters happy

MONDAY - SUNDAY, 9AM - 9PM

MINI MONSTERS, SHEIKH ZAYED ROAD

If you're struggling to think of ways to keep your little ones entertained this summer holiday, why not let them blow off some steam at this ginormous soft play area, located off Sheikh Zayed Road, close to Dubai Garden centre. Children from six months up to 13 years old can enjoy the largest slide in the UAE, run around in a safe play environment to their heart's content, and meet mascots from their favourite TV shows. Entrance is Dh50.

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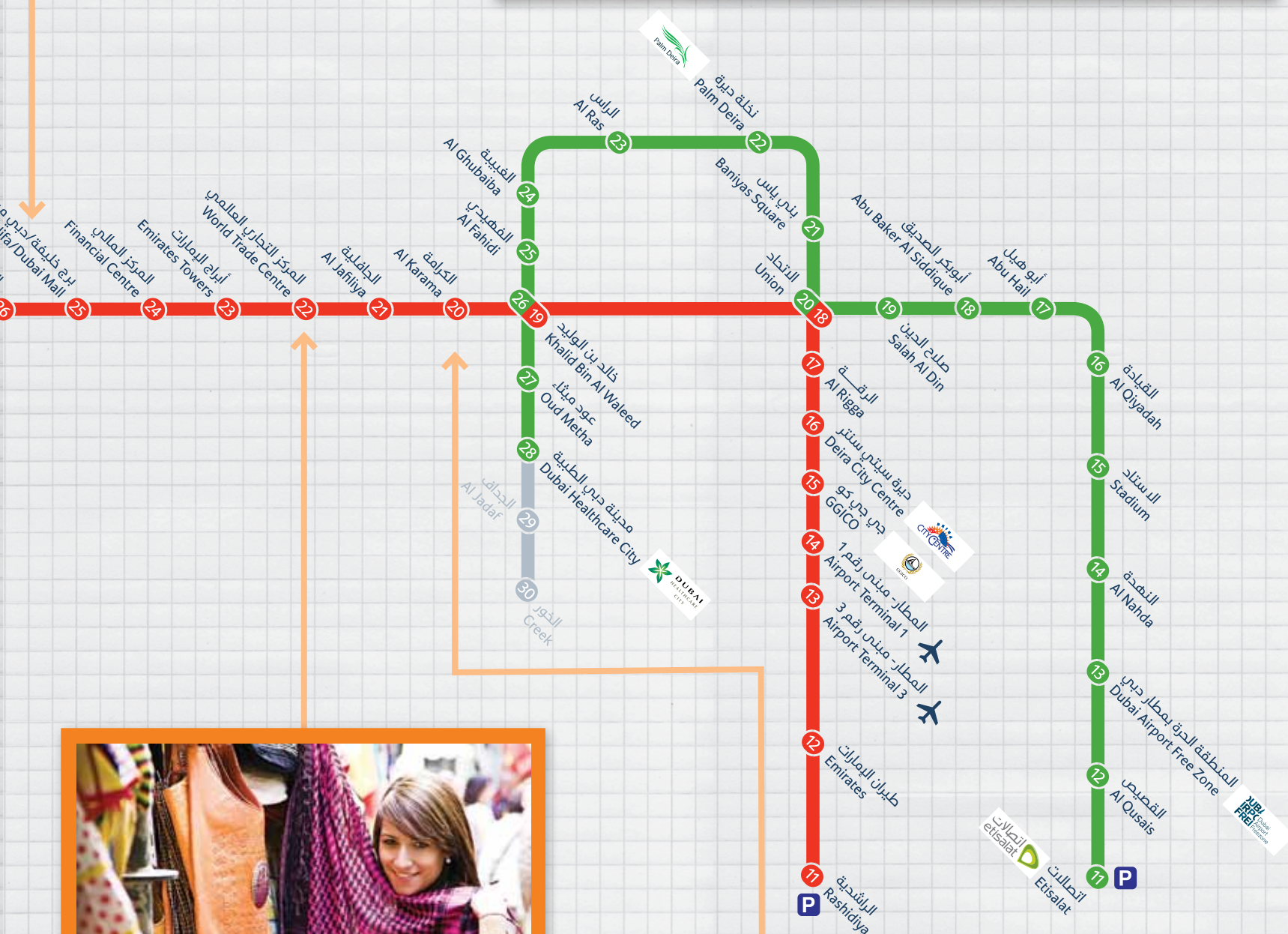




Everyone's Olympic Games

UNTIL AUGUST 12, DUBAI MALL

Samsung Electronics, Worldwide Partner of the London 2012 Olympics Games, is offering the community the chance to experience the Olympic Games via its 'Everyone's Olympic Games' campaign. The campaign includes community engagement activities as well as the display of the Olympic Torch and the Galaxy S III Olympic Challenge. By participating in the Galaxy S III Olympic Challenge, mall visitors will get a chance to win the device. Participants have to complete a number of tasks using the smartphone's interactive features in the fastest time.



Ramadan Night Market

AUGUST 10 - 19, 8PM - 3AM
DUBAI WORLD TRADE CENTRE

Held over 10 nights during Ramadan, this special night market will host a number of retailers from across the world, offering a diverse variety of products—combined with a unique atmosphere—to give shoppers an opportunity to browse for all their festival needs, just in time to ensure a wonderful Eid al-Fitr. Admission to the market is free, for more information call 04 327 7743.

Summer workshop for kids

AUGUST 10, 4.30 - 6.30PM

RAJA YOGA CENTER, ZABEEL BUILDING, ZABEEL ROAD, KARAMA



Raja Yoga Center is presenting a free summer workshop for kids aged 5-12. Titled 'Enlightened Kids', each two-hour session highlights 12 important values for children, including: peace, respect, love, tolerance, honesty, humility, cooperation, happiness,

responsibility, simplicity, freedom and unity. For more information, call 04 335 2604, or Piyush: 056 199 7039 or Deepti: 055 515 3199.

The Burning Question

Q Of all the trips you've ever taken, what is your favourite holiday memory?



Laura Isaacs

PA, DUBAI MARINA

My favourite holiday memories are probably from when I went backpacking around Thailand with my sister and some friends. I would love to do it again if I had the chance.

Norie Knap

ACCOUNTANT, DEIRA

My favourite memory from a vacation is probably right here in Dubai, when my husband and I stayed at a beach resort near Dubai marina for our honeymoon.



Eva Rival

LEGAL ASSISTANT,
DISCOVERY GARDENS

Koh Samui [Thailand] was my most memorable holiday. It's a romantic place for couples to visit, plus it was my best friend's wedding while I was there so this made it more special.



Adnan Maqsood

VISITING

Dubai is giving me my favourite holiday memories so far. It is the first time I have been to a foreign country from my home in Pakistan and I'm enjoying it very much.



Selvan Velmurugan

ENGINEER,
BUR DUBAI

My honeymoon in Kerala is definitely my favourite holiday memory. It is a beautiful place with natural scenery, a good climate and great views from high above sea level. It's a romantic destination; very quiet and peaceful.



Nevin Lewis

MEDIA EXECUTIVE,
BUR DUBAI

I would have to say Goa was my most memorable vacation. It's a beautiful place and I would love to go again—it's definitely a 'must visit' kind of holiday destination.



Tanisha Gupta

ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE,
OUD METHA

I went to Istanbul for my final vacation with my brother before he left for university, but as it was winter the most memorable thing is that it was freezing! Our flight home was disrupted because of the bad weather but we managed to enjoy the adventure rather than get upset over it.



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Coming up this week



TODAY

TV is one of the most powerful forms of mass media in the world. Not everyone sees billboards, and readers can turn the page to avoid magazine ads. And while the internet may be a pervasive force in modern culture, it's so vast and diverse that online messages can get lost in the ocean of content. Check out some of the most amazing TV moments of all time.



MONDAY

Carnivals and amusement parks create haunted houses to give you a good scare during Halloween. But what if the scares lasted for centuries—and your house was the frightening attraction?



TUESDAY

For decades, we have preserved and celebrated records of sporting achievement and there are now thousands of them. But who holds the greatest sporting records?



WEDNESDAY

In 2011, scientists at CERN clocked a group of neutrinos fired from a particle accelerator travelling a little bit too fast. How did those initial findings hold up under further scrutiny?



THURSDAY

Thanks to breakthroughs in the field of gerontology (the social, psychological and biological study of aging), dying might eventually become a thing of the past. What if we lived forever?



FRIDAY

Once again our Facebook page has been full of your opinions on our daily Burning Question. We find the best responses from our Facebook fans and bring you the answers that matter most to the people of Dubai.

Facebook chatter

Here's what you have been saying on the *Read.* Facebook page.

(Responses only edited for length)

Do you find television to be a bad influence on you?

Its very useful if you will used it in a good way. Not only television but for all those type of media communication. Its depend how people will appreciate the value of it. For me, television are very useful.

—Ray Gargoles

As Ray was telling it depends upon how you use it, how you take the good things of it. Example KNIFE it can use both good and bad ways. so we still use it for good. same like that we can use the television in a productive manner.

—Sethmini Alvitigala

How might you influence children in the UAE to eat healthier?

I suggest educating the parents first. If one get the parents/adults to understand how it works their bellowed children will follow automatically. A big LIKE for a healthy balanced life style.

—Michael Hansen



BAD EATING HABITS START EARLY

In Europe they do program's in schools where kids have active sessions in cooking healthy meals, this will encourage them to understand veggies and fruits and their benefits as well as help the nation for the future. The UAE should adopt a similar approach.

—Gisele Moussawer

We should influence children by showing them the bad things of junk food, for example junk food leads to obesity which is a bad deficiency disease. A balanced diet is a good life.

—Muzammil Mohammed

If the NASA Mars rover named 'Curiosity' finds there was life on Mars in the past, what do you think we could learn about our own existence?

I don't understand why men are



LIFE ON MARS?

too curious to know whether there is existence of life in other planet. Are all humans happy in planet earth? Is everyone getting basic necessities? Rather than spending millions of dollars for space missions, it would be logical if that money will be distributed to the needy countries like Somalia where people are struggling for life.

—Hamrash Abdul Sathar

BYTES & PIECES

Nolan Bushnell



Having been inducted into the Video Game Hall of Fame, the Consumer Electronics Association Hall of Fame and received the BAFTA Fellowship, the scope of Nolan Bushnell's accolades knows no bounds. Best known for founding Atari, Inc, he is considered to be one of the

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founding fathers of the video game industry, and was once named one of *Newsweek's* 50 men who changed America.

Bushnell's foray into the video game market first began when he co-founded Syzygy with his colleague, Ted Dabney. They intended to produce a clone of the popular Spacewar arcade game, called *Computer Space*. The technology it used allowed it to become the world's first commercially sold coin-operated video game, or indeed the first commercially sold video game. The technology was patented and served as the core for every arcade game until 1975, when microprocessors became the technology of choice.

In 1972, the pair found that the name Syzygy was already in use, and so they settled on Atari. In 1972, they produced the iconic arcade game, *Pong*. Atari came up with other games, too, and in 1975, Bushnell began looking at ways to bring all of them onto one console that could be bought and played at home. Thus, the best-selling Atari 2600 was born. It allowed Atari to become the fastest growing company the US had ever seen at the time.

Beat the summer heat with Kinect

Staying fit and active this summer is really very easy, just plug-in and play.



Approximately 70 per cent of the UAE's population are overweight and 30 per cent are obese (WHO). With these alarming statistics giving rise to the high prevalence of diabetes and increased risk of heart disease, among other risks, low levels of physical activity are one of the major causes for concern about the nation's health.

As temperatures soar, outdoor activities become an increasing challenge. Fitness classes don't always fit into a busy schedule, while gym memberships and personal trainer services can sometimes break the budget. This is where Kinect for Xbox 360, Microsoft's revolutionary motion sensor, comes into the picture.

Launched in 2010, Kinect for Xbox 360 has a wide portfolio of fitness games which get your whole body into the action, with no controller required. All you have to do to start playing is to simply step in front of the sensor, and Kinect will recognise you and respond to your gestures. Requiring just a power connection, a TV and only a 1.8m square of playing space, Kinect allows you to stay in shape in the comfort of your own living room.

Whether you want to meet your fitness goals or simply raise your heart rate and break a sweat, Kinect

is fun and also good for you. And it's not just for adults—kids will love the controller-free action and the family-friendly entertainment.

Aman Sangar, Interactive Entertainment Business Category Lead MEA, Microsoft explains, "Scorching summer weather and a car-oriented culture often leaves residents with few opportunities to exercise. Kinect uses a motion sensor that tracks your entire body, so when you play, it's not only about your hands and wrists. It's about all of you—arms, legs, knees and so on."

So whether you have 20 minutes

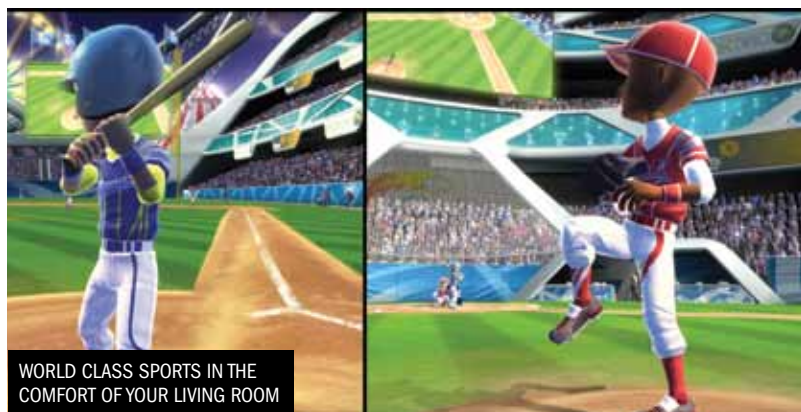
for a quick workout before you pick the kids up from school, want to combine exercise with your hectic work schedule, or get the whole family moving on a weekend indoors, Kinect has something for everyone. Here are just some of the games on offer:

Kinect Sports: Season Two

The second season of the top-selling and award-winning Kinect Sports offers more full-body action, in-game voice control, and six thrilling new sports to enjoy: Football, Golf, Baseball, Skiing, Darts and Tennis.



FULL BODY ACTION IS REQUIRED FOR MANY OF THE GAMES



Kinect Sports: Season Two turns your home into a world-class sports arena where immersive, full-body game-play and the new Challenge Play mode allow for unparalleled family entertainment. Kinect Sports: Season Two gets everyone from casual players to hardcore athletes up off the couch and into the game.

Dance Central 2

Dance Central 2 offers full-body dance moves with professional grade choreography to an unstoppable soundtrack featuring Usher, Rihanna, Lady Gaga, Nicki Minaj, Bruno Mars, Daft Punk and more. Sequel to the bestseller Dance Central, the new title introduces all-new routines and a simultaneous multiplayer mode.

Dance Central 2 allows you to meet new dance crews and get down with friends to prove once and for all who really has the best moves with a redesigned 'Break It Down' feature.

In January 2012, Xbox 360 announced that Christopher Lawrence, aka CL, a professional UAE-based dancer and instructor, set the new

Guinness World Record for the longest video games marathon playing a motion-sensing dance game by dancing for 16 hours, 21 minutes and 44 seconds on Dance Central 2.

The record-setting attempt took place on December 15, 2011, at the Mall of the Emirates, where dancers CL and Christian Ortega, aka Ian, started their dancing marathon at 6am and continued into the late hours of the evening, beating the previous Guinness World Record that stood at 15 hours, 17 minutes and 44 seconds. CL then continued dancing

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Zumba Fitness comprises 30 routines that will work you into a sweat and make you forget you're exercising.

until 10:30pm, clocking up a total of 16 hours, 21 minutes and 44 seconds.

Your Shape Fitness Evolved

This game is designed to deliver a 3D, controller-free fitness simulation experience like no other.

Built around the camera, depth sensors and multi-array microphone of Kinect for Xbox 360, Your Shape Fitness Evolved allows for real-time motion capture of the player's movements, facial recognition and voice and interactive menu commands.

Offering personal training or gym game options, players have the choice of choosing workouts ranging from cardio to muscle toning (and your progress is continuously monitored) or just having some fun taking part in cool games, such as Virtual Smash, Light Race, Loop-a-hoop and Stack 'em Up.

Zumba Fitness

If you prefer dance-based exercises, then Zumba Fitness is for you.

This one-of-a-kind, dance fitness workout is set to pumping, high-energy Latin and international music, and taught by Zumba instructors—and fan favourites—Gina Grant, Tanya Beardsley as well as Zumba's very own creator, Beto.

Zumba Fitness comprises 30 routines that will work you into a sweat and make you forget you're exercising. Plus, you can set up multiple profiles for the whole family, meaning that more than one person can use the system whenever they choose without affecting the previous player's result.

So it would seem as though it's time to get up, get connected, and get moving. The results alone will speak for themselves. ●



Tech beat



CLASH OF THE TITANS

Between the pair of them, Samsung and Apple make up more than half of the world's smartphone sales, and their ongoing patent disputes will reach a head this week when the trial goes to jury in California. Both sides accuse the other of infringing patents, and billions of dollars could change hands based on the jury's decision.

UBISOFT FIXES SECURITY LEAK

Ubisoft rushed through an emergency patch for users of its Uplay application, after it discovered a web browser add-on left users open to digital attacks. Uplay is bundled with titles such as *Assassin's Creed*, and the company has advised all PC players to update the software without web browsers open.



SURFACE LAUNCH CONFIRMED

Microsoft has confirmed that its Surface tablet PC will launch on October 26, the same date as Windows 8 will be released. Though the move is expected, the firm confirmed the news in its annual report. However, the initial launch will only see the Surface for Windows RT variant hit shelves, while the Intel-based Surface Pro will be launched 90 days later.



NEW IPHONE IN SEPTEMBER?

According to technology blog iMore, Apple may unveil the new iPhone and the iPad Mini on September 12, with the iPhone hitting stores nine days later. Citing "sources who have proven accurate in the past", the site claimed the phone would feature a four-inch, 16:9-resolution screen, and a smaller dock connector.

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The easiest place to begin is by interviewing your elders living around you. Parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles can all start your search off down the right track. While they may have many a tale to tell about your relatives who are no longer around, be sure to find out their full names, dates of birth and death, marriage details and any military service they may have done.

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Now it's time to start building a diagram using the names and dates you've collected. You can find many examples of a basic family tree template on the internet, so, using a series of boxes and arrows, you can begin to link the names of those you have discovered so far into married couples, their respective parents, their children, brothers and sisters, cousins, etc.

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Once you have exhausted the basic facts from those around you, it's time to dig a little deeper with your family interviews. Using a video or tape recorder, ask the oldest relatives you have to tell you about their childhood, where they grew up, deceased family members that they can recall, anyone who may have emigrated and so on. By documenting the conversation fully with a recording, you will avoid missing out on any key clues they may reveal in their stories.

At a time of year when the thoughts of many people revolve around family, loyalty and tradition, the value and importance of our loved ones becomes more prominent than at other times throughout the year.

While we may know nearly all there is to know about our immediate family, a recent trend for tracing our roots to a deeper level has been providing people with a fascinating glimpse into the past,

the origins of their family, and has even led many to some surprising stories.

But where do you start if you want to find out more about your family history? While you may set off on the right foot, researching your family tree can soon see you become swamped with information, facts and names, leaving you with little more than a jumbled glimpse into the past. Luckily, by following these eight simple steps, you could be filling up the family fact file in no time at all.

The tree of life

Finding out more about your family history.

4 Try to collect copies of any records your family may have to hand, such as birth certificates, death certificates, marriage licences, etc. These can prove vital in confirming the accuracy of the stories and facts you've collected so far from your relatives.

5 If you still live in the same area where your parents or grandparents lived while growing up, check out what records are available for the public to view. Access to newspaper archives may also give your family tree added accuracy, give you a better idea of what life was like for those family members who lived in a different era, and possibly even reveal stories about your ancestors if any of them made the news.

6 One of the most popular ways to trace your family history nowadays is to use an online genealogical service. For example, familysearch.org offers free online access to historical records from a wealth of countries, including many in Africa and the Middle East, including birth, marriage and death certificates, land registries, and military records.

7 If you are seriously involved in finding out everything there is to know about where you come from, you may be tempted to consider DNA testing. There are several companies that can help you find out more about your ancestry and your ethnic heritage this way, but most people will have found out more than enough information to satisfy them and complete their family tree by this point.

8 Possibly the most important step of all. Once you have completed your family tree and put together a timeline of how your family was shaped, get together with the other members of your family and share what you've found. The conversation, family bonding and memories this will spark makes it all worthwhile for many, and—you never know—you may even inspire others to join in your search!

Famous family trees

Tom Hanks may have met many American presidents in his role as *Forrest Gump*, but, in real life, the actor and former 16th President of the United States, Abraham Lincoln, are supposedly third cousins four times removed.

Hollywood actress and model, Brooke Shields, has the looks and elegance of a princess, which could be thanks to her royal roots as the granddaughter of Italian princess, Donna Marina Torlonia.

Vampires seem to have a recurring prominence for *Twilight* star Robert Pattinson, who is said by many to be a descendant of Vlad the Impaler, the inspiration for Bram Stoker's *Dracula*.

Perhaps Sarah Jessica Parker's character in *Hocus Pocus* was meant to be, seeing as her 10th great grandmother, Esther Elwell, was apparently accused of witchcraft in the 1692 Salem trials.

Former President of the United States, George W. Bush, is—believe it or not—related to long-time media mogul, Hugh Hefner. The unlikely pair are alleged to be ninth cousins twice removed.

Easily disturbing numbers

For many years there have been parents who have insisted that the additives and E numbers added to foods and drinks have caused changes in their children's behaviour.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH

The behaviour described has involved children having tantrums, misbehaving, lacking in concentration and generally becoming more hyperactive. With so many popular kids' foods and drinks containing E numbers, the food industry has been quick to dispel fears in the past, claiming that E numbers aren't linked to changes in behaviour.

Slowly and surely, however, research studies have found otherwise, with health specialists around the world becoming increasingly convinced that the additives in processed foods are also firmly linked to the dramatic rise in children's allergies. Around 20 years ago, researchers discovered a potential risk of allergic reactions, such as asthma and breathing problems, linked with certain additives and other smaller studies began to discover links between E numbers and bad behaviour.

It's only recently, though, that more substantial evidence has been found that echoes what parents have been saying for years—certain E numbers do increase undesirable behaviour and hyperactivity in children.

One of the biggest studies undertaken was carried out at Southampton University in the United Kingdom, commissioned by the government. The researchers looked at the responses of 153 three-year-olds

and 144 nine-year-olds as they ate and drank different foods and drinks containing a range of commonly used additives. They discovered a definite increase in hyperactivity and behaviour changes after foods and drinks with certain additives were consumed.

As a result of this particular study, the UK government have now formally recognised that some E numbers do have an effect on children and that certain mixtures of food colourings and additives can influence behaviour. In the case of children who already show signs of hyperactivity of ADHD, the government are now recommending that parents don't give their children products containing certain E numbers.

For the sake of children who are affected by behaviour change after

80

Some studies suggest that pre-schoolers may consume up to 80 additives a day in the form of snack foods.



consuming E numbers, and their parents who have to deal with it, it's a sad scenario that it's taken so long for the links to become clearly identified. But it's encouraging that the future generations of children may be prevented from having to suffer the effects of E numbers, as food manufacturers are now pledging to remove the culprits from their products.

In this day and age, where we're encouraged to dish up nothing but home-made organic family meals, admitting to giving your child foods containing E numbers is sure to meet with disapproval from other mums. But while E numbers get lots of negative publicity, they're not all bad.

The E in E numbers doesn't stand for 'evil', it simply signifies that the additive has been approved for use in the European Union, following safety tests. In fact, some E numbers are substances found naturally in fruit or vegetables. But approval isn't set in stone, and it can



be revoked if new scientific studies unearth nasty side effects.

Toddlers and young children need to snack during the day to keep up their energy levels but often they are filling up on convenience foods instead of eating a balanced diet. And it's snack foods that tend to contain the most additives—in fact some studies suggest that pre-schoolers

may consume up to 80 additives a day, mainly in the form of snack foods.

It's all but impossible to avoid additives altogether although buying organic produce should at least ensure that the fruit and vegetables you give your children haven't been sprayed with pesticides or grown using chemical fertilisers.

In the meantime, as a parent, the best thing you can do is check product labels for details of

E numbers, minimise consumption where possible and provide your child with as healthy, nutritious and wholesome a diet as possible. ●



Top 10 E numbers to avoid

E102 – tartrazine. Yellow food colouring has already been banned from use in Norway and Austria

E122 – carmoisine. Synthetic red dye that's used as a colouring in many foods. Already banned in several countries

E129 – allura red. A red or orange like synthetic dye linked to hyperactive behaviour in children.

E104 – quinoline yellow. Synthetic yellow colouring and is used in products such as smoked haddock and scotch eggs to provide a yellow tinge.

E621 – monosodium glutamate. Otherwise known as MSG, E621 is a flavour enhancer

that's commonly used to pep up food products and make them taste better.

E951 – aspartame. Artificial sweetener often found in products aimed at dieters or diabetics.

E211 – sodium benzoate. Most often used as a preservative and linked to hyperactivity in children, allergic reactions or asthma.

E151 – black PN / brilliant black BN. Black synthetic dye that is used as a food colouring in some products.

E133 – Brilliant blue FCF. Another synthetic colouring dye, which adds a blue colour to some products.

E213 – calcium benzoate. Preservative that's used to lengthen the shelf life of foods and drinks. It's often found in low sugar products.

SPOTLIGHT ON...

Earache



More common in children than adults, earache is often one of the most common reasons for parents to take their child to an emergency doctor's appointment. Although adults can suffer from earache, children are more prone to the underlying causes of earache.

The symptoms can be difficult to diagnose in a young child unless they are old enough to tell you of a dull, sharp or burning sensation in the ear,

“Look out for a child pulling or rubbing their ear, high temperature, loss of balance and restlessness”

but it is important to look out for the following signs in young children: pulling or rubbing their ear, a high temperature, irritability, lack of interest in food, loss of balance, restlessness and unresponsiveness to quiet sounds.

While earache can be caused by various underlying issues, the most common reasons include: glue ear (a build-up of fluid behind the eardrum), infection in the ear canal, physical damage to the inside of the ear caused by cotton buds or similar, a plug of earwax or other object stuck inside the ear, or a throat infection, such as tonsillitis, which can affect the ear.

While glue ear is far more common in children, adults can be susceptible to the listed causes of earache and should also seek immediate medical advice if suffering from any kind of pain in one—or both—ears. Most ear infections can usually be treated by a doctor quickly and easily with a simple course of antibiotics.

Angry Birds on the Asha

One of the biggest success stories in mobile gaming comes as standard with Nokia's affordable range.

MOBILE GAMING

According to a new Arab Media Outlook report, games are the most popular of all paid mobile applications in the UAE, accounting for 38 of the top 100 applications downloaded in the country. Revolutionary mobile games such as *Angry Birds* have helped to drive a happy trend in the Middle East, as consumers flock to download games on their smartphones.

Gamers play *Angry Birds* for 200 million minutes per day, which is equal to 16 years of game



play every hour of every day. And the game is now available on Nokia's latest Asha range—the company's budget friendly smartphones for people who want to work, play and connect.

Nokia's latest Asha range of smartphones has the *Angry Birds* app pre-installed, and to millions more on the planet eager to get in on the phenomenon, this is big news. It's the perfect strategy for world domination—putting together an affordable smartphone with one of the biggest mobile app success stories in gaming history.

True to its spirit, the Asha range is Nokia's attempt to make

“Putting together an affordable smartphone with one of the biggest mobile apps is the perfect strategy for world domination.”

smartphones more accessible to a wider consumer base, bringing premium apps such as *Angry Birds*, chatting apps, websites such as YouTube in addition to social networking sites on the Asha 200 for as low as Dh288.

Now, people can move around with their Asha phones while playing and enjoying *Angry Birds*. Although connecting with friends on social networking sites while on the move used to be the domain of pricier smartphones, Nokia

Asha users are able to do exactly the same thing, and will be thinking “appier” thoughts, given that they can download other apps from the Nokia Store using Wi-Fi.



Gold: A Novel

By Chris Cleave

BOOKS

On the face of it, Chris Cleave's new novel, *Gold*, might simply seem like another sporting triumph story, with the underdog protagonist battling forces both on and off the track in order to eventually come out on top during the happy ending. But Cleave's approach to the genre takes a different form.

Kate and Zoe are both Olympic cyclists, having met at 19 years old when they both made the cut for the national Olympic training programme. Zoe is the less talented of the two, but she'll do anything for victory, including sacrificing her friendships. Kate, meanwhile, has off-track matters to deal with—her eight-year-old daughter, Sophie, is

fighting a recurrence of leukemia, and her husband, Jack, has a long and tangled history with both women.

Jumping back between the present-day 2012 Olympics and the history shared between these two extraordinary women, Cleave brings a story about the lengths that it's possible to go to in order to secure the gold medal. But, rather more endearingly, his words speak much more firmly about the notion of sacrificing everything for the good of your family. After all, what good is a gold medal if there's no one to congratulate you for it?



Undersea

Artist The Antlers Label Anti/Transgressive Records

ALBUM

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Ever since their third studio album, *Hospice*, was released in 2009, the Antlers have been one of the most critically acclaimed indie bands of the past decade. Originally simply the name of a solo project by lead vocalist Peter Silberman, the Antlers eventually drew in more members, honing Silberman's haunting vocals and melancholy guitar lines.

The last full-length album, *Burst Apart*, differed from *Hospice* in that it wasn't a concept album, but it still managed to pull on the emotional chords of any listener, and it's seen the band gain plenty of fame, especially in the United States. After all, it was still a collection of very good songs, even if they weren't all inherently connected to one event.

The latest release, *Undersea*, seems to offer a compromise between the two, though. A simple four-track EP, it offers much more listening clout than many of today's full-length albums. The opening track, *Drift Drive*, offers yet more of Silberman's sweet but

pained voice, singing such personal words that they're almost difficult to relate to.

The eight-minute wonder of *Endless Ladder* is next up on the album, and that harks back to the *Hospice* days. It could easily have been made up of two or three songs put back-to-back, but as a musical journey, it's almost flawless. It's also difficult to criticise the last two tracks, *Crest* and *Zelda*. Indeed, the only thing that marks this EP down is the ease with which Silberman pulls at the heart-strings. There's an air of mass production about this release, and it fails to capture the magic of its predecessors.

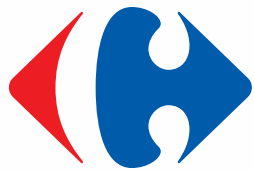


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The Age of Miracles by Karen Thompson Walker

A story about coping with disasters in extraordinary circumstances, this book, at its heart, is about family. The world's rotation is slowing, gravity is affected and days become longer. But this doesn't stop Julia from worrying about her parents, her friends and the bizarre behaviour of her grandfather.

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In 2009, the Finnish capital of Helsinki was voted to become the World Design Capital for 2012, and with good reason. A melting pot of both western and eastern influences, the city is one of the most culturally renowned and architecturally interesting destinations in the world. Having taken large nods from both western Europe and Russia over the past couple of centuries, it was even the location for the final act of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe in 1975, when countries from both east and west signed an agreement aimed at improving Cold War relations.

Politics aside, most visit modern Helsinki for an instant injection of art, culture and style. With only around 595,000 inhabitants, the bustling metropolis made up of high-flying business people, history and architecture buffs or simply laid-back students manages to pull off its own small-town feel. But this is much more than just another quaint European town.

The people, and the vibes, in Helsinki are effortlessly cool—it's easy to imagine every single resident being a hip graphic designer or a cutting-edge advertisement executive. Of course, the Finns residing here have careers as many and varied as in any other city, but they just seem so much more collected about everything, unaware and unbothered about foreign perceptions.

That said, the city is—quite literally—too cool during the winter months, which last from October until April, due to the city being one of the world's northernmost capitals. Temperatures average -5C during this period, though they can routinely plummet to -25C when the wind chill factor is considered. While life goes on for its residents during the winter, Helsinki really comes alive



The best of east and west

Two worlds collide to create a cool, classy and cultural destination for any traveller to enjoy.

12, for example, celebrates the city's birthday, and features a variety of concerts, performances and exhibitions throughout the city. Meanwhile, the Night of the Arts, near the end of August, also sees revellers filling up the city's streets, though this time they're there to look on in wonder at the hundreds of performers reciting plays, poems and songs.

With so many celebrations happening, it's easy to forget just how many amazing sights Helsinki has to offer. Opt to spend a day travelling around the neo-classical cathedrals and museums, or even simply around the city centre, in which even the simplest office buildings are great edifices of beauty. The Ateneum Art Museum is a must-visit, given

“After a hard day out on the tourist trail, one of the best ways to unwind is by visiting one of the city's numerous spas.”

it contains the largest collection of paintings and sculptures in the country, and architecture buffs will never forget the sights of Senate Square, where a statue of former Russian czar Alexander II towers over the throngs of visitors.

Other sites of merit include the Design Museum, which exhibits modern commercial and industrial design features, the Heureka Science Centre, which offers hands-on science experiments and exhibitions, and the Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, a beautiful building that hosts unusual—but almost always

interesting—collections from some of the region's top artists. There are also plenty of Olympic sites to visit, due to the city having held the 1952 Olympic Games.

After a hard day out on the tourist trail, one of the best ways to unwind is by visiting one of the city's numerous spas for a sauna session. Helsinki is famous for the quality of its saunas, with popular destinations such as the Arian sauna serving hundreds of guests each day. The Kotiharjun sauna is also well worth a visit, being the last wood-burning public sauna in Helsinki, and often the venue for a top-level chess match between men looking to test their mental prowess. In all honesty, Helsinki cannot be described with recommendations about its many attractions—the character of the city can only be felt when actually there. After all, how is it possible to sum up the best of the east and west? In words, it surely is not, but somehow, through other means, Helsinki manages to do it with ease. ●

Travel tips

- While Helsinki's local language is Finnish, most of the locals accept that it is a difficult language to learn, and so are often happy to converse in English.
- Shopping can be extremely expensive in Helsinki, but the quality of Nordic-designed arts and crafts will often compel visitors to part ways with much of their money.
- Helsinki's cosmopolitan restaurants are among the best in Europe, with the best time to eat out being at lunch, when eateries offer set meals. Evening dinners can often get very expensive, very quickly.
- Coffee is a staple of modern Finnish life, with coffee breaks from work written into law. The coffee here is lighter and more caffeinated than what is usually found elsewhere.

NEO-CLASSICAL ARCHITECTURE FILLS HELSINKI

in the summer, when temperatures reach a much more agreeable 25C.

At this time, the hugely friendly Finns flock to the beaches at the southern points of the city, or else head in droves to the numerous parks for picnics among the lush, green landscapes that emerge after winter's demise. What's more, the city centre reawakens with throngs of people frequenting the hundreds of cafes and restaurants that seem to spring out of nowhere.

The summer is truly the festive season in Helsinki, with residents pouring into the streets early on for the evening of the Vappu festival, a student-friendly street party that might prove a little too hectic for the regular UAE visitor. But by the following morning, the festival continues with a picnic in the Kaivopuisto park, which can play host to 70,000 people if the good weather holds. This part of the festival provides a much more relaxed vibe for anyone looking to slip effortlessly into local traditions.

The summer also turns Helsinki into a go-to destination for fans of art and culture. Helsinki Day on June

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SUMMER EVENINGS ARE SUBLIME



Ramadan reflections

How to make sure that this Holy Month of Ramadan is one you and your family will remember forever.



Ramadan delights at Bin Majid Hotels

Bin Majid Beach Hotel and Bin Majid Beach Resort in Ras Al Khaimah are offering special 20 per cent discounts on room packages to mark the spirit of Ramadan.

Bin Majid Beach Hotel is poised on a hill that overlooks a beautiful unspoiled beach and is separated from the city of Ras Al Khaimah by high hills, making it a suitable place to meditate and observe the Holy Month. For those seeking a unique stay in Ras Al Khaimah, Bin Majid Beach Resort offers courtesy and hospitality. This chalet resort is located on a long, private sandy beach and offers various sports activities, restaurant and entertainment options.

Ramadan photography exhibition

Deira City Centre is hosting an exclusive Ramadan-themed photography exhibition in the Bridge Gallery, the dedicated arts space located in the mall's Metro Link. The exhibition, being held as part of the mall's



'Love Art' initiative, features more than 80 pieces by 30 Emirati photographers from the Sharjah-based Emirates Photographer Society.

The 'Love Art' campaign sees Deira City Centre promoting local and regional talent within the arts scene, by offering free-of-charge space for gallery exhibitions. The collaboration with Emirates Photography Society supports creative beginners, hobbyists and professional photographers, by introducing their works to the public and connecting them directly to the Deira community. The collection also complements Deira City Centre's 'Make a difference this Ramadan' charity activity, which encourages shoppers to donate household items for the benefit of local charities and the under-privileged.

Festival Centre supports ETS

Festival Centre Dubai Festival City is embracing the Holy Month by supporting the Emirates Thalassaemia Society (ETS). The initiative involves a significant campaign and donation drive, while encouraging shoppers to pledge support of this worthy cause through an LED screen Ramadan moon calendar countdown, which unveils the moon days' phases alongside a run-through of messages to raise awareness of the widespread Thalassaemia disease in the UAE.

The Emirates Thalassaemia Society drive continues until the last day of Ramadan. In support of the less fortunate, Festival Centre is also hosting a Ramadan experience with Iftar dining and edutainment activities for the orphans of Dar Al Ber charitable society, where each child enjoys a meal offered by MacDonald's, sweets offered by HyperPanda, a Dinosaurs tour offered by Dino Live and Dh50 in Dubai Festival City gift vouchers.

Festival Centre shoppers also have the chance to enter Eid raffle draws to win one of the daily prizes of Dh30,000 in Dubai Festival City gift vouchers and Umrah trips.



Ramadan drive to combat hunger

The Rotary Club of Dubai, Dubai Rotaract and the United Nations World Food Programme (WFP), in association with the UAE Red Crescent Authority have launched a Ramadan fundraising and awareness campaign that enables people in the UAE to double their online donations to the WFP. Each year, on average, WFP feeds more than 90 million people in over 70 countries.

Throughout the Holy Month of Ramadan, the Rotary Club of Dubai will match every dollar (Dh4) donated to the WFP through wfp.org/Ramadan, up to US\$100,000. This is possible thanks to members of the Dubai Rotaract, the youth arm of the Rotary Club of Dubai.

The Rotary Club's support means each dirham, when matched, will be enough to feed two school children for a day. A donation of only Dh100 online, doubled by the Rotary Club of Dubai, will provide school meals for a child for a whole year.



IN A SMALL EGYPTIAN VILLAGE, STUDENTS RECEIVE NUTRITIOUS MEALS FROM THE WFP

Appropriate business practices during Ramadan

Ramadan is one of the most celebrated occasions in the Islamic calendar, but it is also one of the most misunderstood times from the perspective of companies doing business in the country and expatriates residing here.

MindBody Dynamixx offers five tips to promote the understanding of local customs and religious practices that commonly cause some confusion during Ramadan and may harm business relationships.

Avoid late afternoon meetings: Be considerate of those fasting and avoid scheduling a meeting after 3pm, when people begin to be drained from energy. The best time to schedule a meeting is late morning as this is when people are most alert.

Don't make assumptions: Not all Muslims cover and not all wear national dress. It's perfectly fine to ask a client and/or co-worker if they are Muslim and if they are fasting. If they are not fasting, don't pry – it's likely to be for a personal health reason.

RSVP 'Yes': If you are invited to an Iftar, go. To be invited to a private Iftar is a hospitable gesture and should not be missed. It is a fantastic experience of traditional Muslim culture. If you'd like to hold a corporate meal, try hosting a Suhour instead of an Iftar. Many people are inundated with Iftar invitations, so a Suhour is a better option and more unique.

Stay focused: Ramadan is the ideal time for internal business activities to take place. Use this time to brainstorm, plan, and assess company progress. If you have existing clients, use this time to bond with them and strengthen working relationships. Ramadan is also a time for your company to give back to the community by participating in charitable and community activities.

Be patient and respectful: It's hot and people are tired. Try to avoid losing your temper and be patient with those fasting. Don't expect people fasting to be in the right frame of mind to make major decisions or implement new activities. Ramadan is a time of self-reflection and quality time with family and friends.



AMAF to build eco-friendly mosque

The Awqaf and Minors Affairs Foundation (AMAF) will build Dubai's first eco-friendly mosque, using green building technologies that reduce between 15-18 per cent of energy and water consumption. The Dh25m mosque will set new construction benchmarks in the UAE.

Set for completion by the end of 2013, the mosque will be located near the Clock Tower roundabout in Deira. The 45,000 square feet mosque will be the largest mosque in Dubai, and the facility will accommodate 3,500 worshippers.

The mosque will feature green spaces, including gardens on the roof, in addition to green building technologies, such as solar panels to heat water for ablution and the imam's house. The mosque will also have recycling plants to treat water used in ablution for gardening and washroom purposes, thermal insulation, programmed and automatic thermostat, suction fans with energy recovery units, and natural light and heat reflective colours, especially at the interfaces and roofs.



AN ARTIST'S IMPRESSION OF THE ECO-FRIENDLY MOSQUE

Here comes the sun

If you're beach bound this summer, it's time to get your holiday wardrobe sorted. From daytime cool to chic evening wear, summer is all about style.

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Laidback tops and summery shorts

During the summer season, bright neon colours and fab floral prints look great on both shorts and tops. Pair a floral printed shirt with denim shorts for a casual look. A sleeveless, tailored top looks great matched with skinny jeans or capri pants for a smart style. If you are lounging on the beach all day and want to cover up, opt for a loose-fitting, pair of surfer style shorts in bright colours. For dining, high-waisted tailored shorts match well with a plain camisole top and sandals.



Perfect dresses

If you are strolling along the promenade or dining al fresco on holiday, a cute summer dress is a wardrobe essential. Choose light fabrics that are comfortable and floaty. Spaghetti straps look great over a bikini, so opt for a dress that can be worn over your swimwear. Bright patterns and prints are the perfect choice for summer evening attire and look great against bronzed skin.



Cute sandals

If you're doing a lot of walking in the heat, you will want to be comfortable, so it is wise to choose a flat sandal. Woven, tan or brown sandals match with almost anything, while jewelled or embellished sandals add a little glamour to an otherwise plain dress.



Summer gents

Luckily for the boys, daytime summer wear can easily double up as evening wear with a few small adaptations.

Pair a cool, cotton t-shirt with denim shorts to the knee or a bright pair of floral board shorts for a casual beach look. Switch things up when it gets dark by choosing a bright shirt or patterned shirt with denim shorts or dark material shorts—like Chris Brown—for a smart yet relaxed style.



In his shoes

During the warm weather, it's best to wear casual slip-on shoes, flip-flops, plimsolls or boat shoes to avoid sweaty, uncomfortable feet. Just remember; never wear socks with boat shoes. The key is to show of your feet or a glimpse of your ankle when worn with long chino trousers.

FASHION OPINION

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The neon wave



It started with the "it" bag (the Cambridge satchel to be precise), followed by an odd sandal strap here and there and finally boomed throughout oversized and sparkly costume jewellery pieces. I am talking about the loud and lush neon wave. Surely you have noticed by now that the streets, the stores and the fashion publications nowadays seem more colourful and brighter?

I myself jumped on the neon wagon with no hesitation—albeit it's a statement trend and likely to fade once our eyes are saturated with all the bright and colourful goodness. With that in mind, I opted to invest in a few affordable but versatile neon pieces.

My favourite is the bespoke neon satchel that, despite its loud orange hue, goes with practically everything. Corporate looking in shape but playful in shade—it is a quirky item that has stolen the hearts of fashionistas all over the globe in no time.

My next neon purchase was a necklace that ranges in all shades of summer fresh. I have worn it with a classic white shirt and a pair of slouchy denims—a look that would easily gain me fashion street cred in Venice Beach, LA.

Do not fear the neon—make sure you stay classic in the rest of your attire, accessorise it with a sun-kissed complexion and you shall be golden (the pun totally intended).

"Surely you have noticed by now that the streets, stores and the fashion publications seem more colourful?"

En Garde

An honest Irish treat, **The Guard** is raw, modest and charming—not just your average comedic fish-out-of-water tale of murder, blackmail and rural police corruption.

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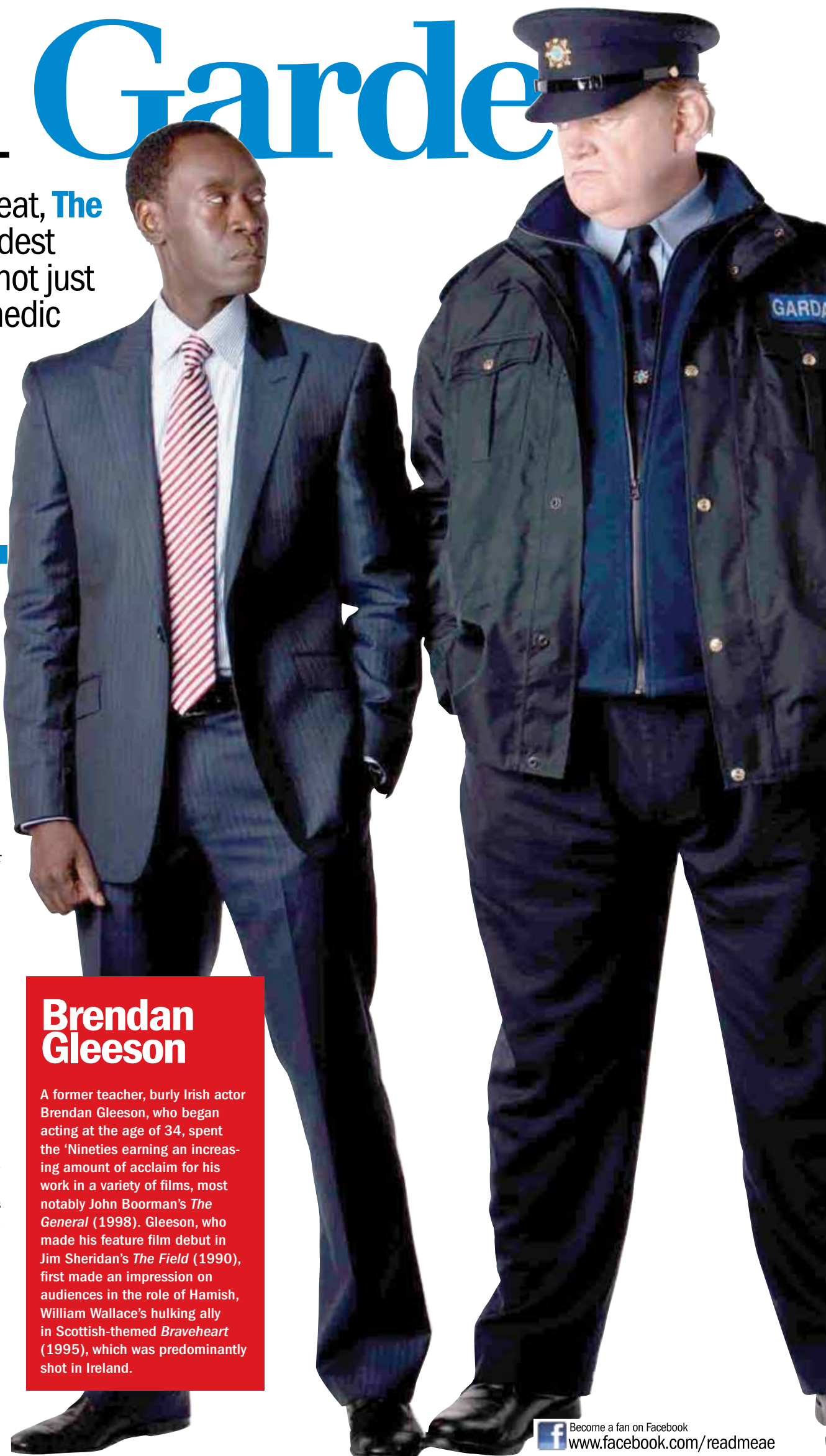
Popping with glorious, bright colour and off-colour jokes, *The Guard* is an Irish comedy and almost incidental thriller, though mostly it's something of a bait and switch. The tasty bait (and reluctant buddies) are Brendan Gleeson and Don Cheadle, two of the best utility players in contemporary English-language cinema. Alone or together, they can be reason to see any movie. Even when they've been self-consciously set off against each other for maximum quirk, as they are here, these are performers who can dig a little deeper than their material.

Aided and abetted by the writer and director, John Michael McDonagh, Gleeson grabs the film early and runs. The scene opens on a speeding, crowded red car, tunes pumping, that races right past Sgt. Gerry Boyle (Gleeson), parked at the side of a pretty, peaceful country road. The car is going fast enough to stir the trees, but not an inch on Boyle's fleshy, totemic face moves, his apparent slumber disturbed only by the crunch and bang of a tremendous crash. Opening his eyes as lazily as a sun-soaked lizard, he rouses himself and heads over to the wreckage, whereupon he picks the pockets of a dead man and drops his acid. "I don't think your Mammy will be too pleased about that, now" he chastises the corpse.

If you're looking for some Irish sentimentalism, look elsewhere or, really, just wait. Alternately charming and charmless, Boyle works as a lawman (specifically a garda, Gaelic for guard), in a part of County Galway that looks like a tourist's dream.

Brendan Gleeson

A former teacher, burly Irish actor Brendan Gleeson, who began acting at the age of 34, spent the 'Nineties earning an increasing amount of acclaim for his work in a variety of films, most notably John Boorman's *The General* (1998). Gleeson, who made his feature film debut in Jim Sheridan's *The Field* (1990), first made an impression on audiences in the role of Hamish, William Wallace's hulking ally in Scottish-themed *Braveheart* (1995), which was predominantly shot in Ireland.



Appearances can be deceiving (one of the film's lessons), though, and murder and smuggling befoul the air and complicate the narrative. Boyle doesn't so much break the law as make his own, engaging in extracurricular sports and ignoring the usual policing niceties. He's a self-anointed independent who loves the sound of the dirty-word bombs in the morning, noon and night but also takes care of his sick mother (Fionnula Flanagan).

There's a story, in case you're looking for one, though it's almost an afterthought, just the thin glue holding everything together, including the fine cast, the sense of broody place and the fatalism that seems to come with it. Mostly there's McDonagh's playful, sometimes overly cute language, which serves the actors and also threatens to upstage them. The vulgarity is the least of it and at times registers more as a writer's tic than as an expression of true character. Details like a smuggler's ship named the *Annabel Lee* are lingered over slightly too long, and while it's amusing to listen to gangsters debate the analytic philosopher Bertrand Russell, this kind of bit seems intended either to flatter the writer or his audience.

Back to the story. Cheadle, often dashing in black and jaunty hat, enters as an FBI agent, Wendell Everett (perhaps a nod to the American actor Wendell Pierce).

Everett is looking to intercept a large shipment of contraband. He and Boyle meet cute tough-guy style, with Boyle voicing nonsense during a briefing. A straight arrow, Wendell responds with an arched brow and disbelieving laugh, but a friendship, or at least a work team, is born. This

is followed by villainy—including a trifecta of baddies—a missing corpse and some incidental women who are somewhat livelier than the errant dead man. Gleeson's rogue is a treat, however conceptually contrived, and Cheadle's lightly-played gravity is a pleasure to watch. ●



APPEARANCES OF IDYLIC IRELAND CAN BE DECEIVING



GOOD COP/BAD COP?

A-Z OF MOVIES

"T" is for Translation



When producer Scott Rudin optioned the English-language rights on Stieg Larsson's *The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo* books in early 2010, he'd be forgiven for anticipating a hit. The only snag was that the material had already yielded film versions in the original Swedish.

Fast-forward two years, and the film's main backer, MGM, disclosed that box-office for Fincher's film was "below our expectations and we booked a modest loss". The result follows a damp squib return for *Let Me In*, the US version of Tomas Alfredson's *Let the Right One In*.

So why are these English-language remakes considered necessary in the first place?

Everything is getting more global and audiences are becoming more accepting of subtitles, but the increasing penetration of genre

"Audiences are more accepting of subtitles. The films succeed because of their foreignness, not in spite of it"

films into the traditional foreign-language space is about something else. The films succeed because of their foreignness, not in spite of it—famous foreign language films have offered flavours that were unique and authentic.

Fincher set *Girl With the Dragon Tattoo* in Sweden, eschewing the usual tactic of transplanting the action to the US. The result felt authentic—if you ignore the fact the characters are speaking English. Unfortunately, sometimes, things just get lost in translation.

Bollywood news

Setting the Twitter trend

Fans of Priyanka Chopra may have noticed an eerie silence emanating from her Twitter account recently, following her avoidance of the site due to hurtful responses to her tweets. After apologising for her absence, the hashtag #welovepriyankachopra began trending globally—a nice welcome back for the actress.



Saif dupes the media

Bollywood was abuzz last week over rumours about Saif Ali Khan's call to Hollywood to star alongside Oscar winner Natalie Portman. This, however, turned out to be nothing more than a fabrication and Khan's own form of payback. Tired of constant media speculation, the actor said if things continue this way, he might keep making up stories like this to entertain himself.



For whom the bell tolls

Originally slated for October, it seems the date of Kareena Kapoor's wedding is anyone's guess. The star's mother insists the date has not changed, her brother says it has, while her sister is clueless. The confusion may have come from Kareena herself, who has allegedly delayed the wedding in favour of new film projects.

Listings

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MOVIE GUIDE

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Ice Age 4 - 11:10, 13:00, 14:50, 16:40
Jism 2 - 11:00, 12:30, 14:00, 15:30, 18:30, 17:00, 20:00, 21:30, 23:00, 00:30
Kyaa Super Kool Hain Hum - 10:40, 11:40, 13:20, 14:20, 16:00, 17:00, 18:40, 19:40, 21:20, 22:20, 00:00
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What's happening this week in Dubai



Enshad

Enjoy the Enshad musical choir during
the Holy Month of Ramadan.

Date: July 26 - August 7

Duration: 13 days

Timings: 9.30pm

Audience: Public

Category: Cultural celebration, enter-
tainment

Venue: Mall of the Emirates, Dubai
Festival Centre, Modhesh World

Admission: Free



Cultural Iftar at SMCCU 2012

Date: July 22 - August 22

Duration: 25 days

Audience: Public

Category: Cultural celebration

Venue: Old Town

Admission: Dh135

Telephone: 04 353 6666



Dubai Sports World 2012

Don't miss your chance to get active
this summer and register in one or
several sports activities at Dubai Sports
World.

Date: June 8 - August 31

Duration: 2 months 25 days

Timings: 10am

Audience: Public

Category: Sports

Venue: Dubai World Trade Centre

Admission: Rates vary depending on
the activities

Telephone: 04 308 6332

Modhesh World 2012



Modhesh World is the best destination
for family entertainment during the
summer in Dubai.

Date: June 14 - August 25

Duration: 2 months 13 days

Audience: Public

Category: Entertainment

Venue: Dubai World Trade Centre

Admission: Entry ticket is Dh10 for
children and adults, free for children
below two years.



Ramadan in Dubai 2012

The Holy Month
of Ramadan is
one of the most
important and
reflective times

in the Islamic calendar.

Date: July 20 - August 18

Duration: 30 days

Audience: Public

Category: Cultural celebration



Ramadan Majlis 2012

Friends and family can enjoy the Dubai
World Trade Centre's annual Ramadan
Majlis.

Date: July 20 - August 19

Duration: 1 month 1 day

Timings: 8pm - 3am

Audience: Public

Category: Cultural celebration

Venue: Dubai World Trade Centre

Admission: Free entry

Telephone: 04 306 4000

Turning trash into art

How modern artists and sculptors turn to other people's waste in order to create eco-masterpieces.



ONE MAN'S TRASH IS ANOTHER'S TREASURE

ECO-ART

It's often said that art can be found in the strangest of places—in the form of graffiti on a wall, or in the intricacies of a well-groomed garden, for example. In a day and age where almost anything can be considered as “art”, given the right arguments, it is difficult to imagine any place where no art can be found, and a recent artistic movement pays testament to that.

This movement concerns itself not with simple creation, but with recreation, taking what is seemingly junk—literally discarded pieces of rubbish—and turning it into something beautiful. The result of this trend is astonishing sculptures made out of discarded packaging, tins or even tape reels, taking the notion of recycling into the artistic realm.

In a way, it's a form of alchemy—taking something everyday and dull and turning it into desirable and expensive art. For example, a 40-foot tall sculpture of the Optimus Prime robot from *Transformers*, made entirely out of salvaged scrap metal, last year surfaced in Beijing, with many similar sculptures following in its stead—one reportedly sold for \$7,800 in the US earlier this year.

But there's more to the recycled art movement than simply arranging junk to then sell it on for vast

amounts of money. For some artists, it's a way of bringing environmental concerns into popular culture, or else simply doing something differently. In 1996, for example, German artist HA Schult created 1,000 life-size “trash people”, made out of all manner of discarded rubbish items. They were originally installed at the Amphitheatre of Xanten but have since travelled to nearly every major city in the world.

In the same decade, British artists Tim Nobel and Sue Webster made global headlines with their shadow sculptures. Their exhibition, *Home Chance*, was created by assembling household rubbish in a specific way and casting a light against it, creating an image in the shadow behind the sculpture. The exhibition drew large,

Did you know?

- Iconic artist Andy Warhol first championed the idea of recycled art with his, now infamous, Campbell's soup can exhibit, though he conveyed much less of an environmental message than the eco-artists of today.
- Recycled artists call their practice “upcycling”, meaning that they turn everyday trash into creative treasures, also increasing the value.
- Some artists jump in and out of using recycled materials, while some exclusively use recycled materials for every one of their pieces.

excited audiences, with even global advertising magnate Charles Saatchi turning up and buying two of the works that were on show.

By the mid-2000s, recycled art was beginning to gain plenty of attention, particularly as worries over the environment mounted. Then during 2008, London Zoo hosted its own Recycled Sculpture Show, aiming to convey innovative ways of recycling waste. Featuring pieces like Heather Jansch's *Atlantis*, an eerily realistic horse made from locally gathered driftwood and Ptolemy's eight-foot great white shark made from discarded hubcaps.

Among the most impressive pieces was the zoo's iconic penguin pool, which, instead of featuring penguins, was overrun by a swarm of giant bugs, created by Lawrie Simonson and all fashioned from skip finds and breaker's bits. And Tone Holmen's polar bear made entirely out of plastic bags highlighted the impact of global warming, along with Anthony Wilson's recycled glass penguins.

Whether recycled art is used for conveying a message or else to make money, then, it's clear that, over the past two decades, it has become a viable and important art form. And as the planet becomes more and more polluted, there's no doubt that we'll be seeing a lot more of this type of art in the years to come. ●



IT'S A BUG'S LIFE AT LONDON ZOO



Big, bold and beautiful

★★★★☆ Proven to be reliable, efficient and stylish, Infiniti continues the trend with its new JX35.

You'd be forgiven for thinking that the latest crossover SUV from Infiniti, the JX35, is custom built solely for distracted parents, but that's not to say it doesn't pack a mean punch for the childless road monsters you so often tackle on UAE roads. Standing long, tall and wide, with all the flowing curves we've come to expect from Nissan's luxury brand, any driver could easily muscle their way into a commanding position on the road.

The Infiniti JX35 doesn't lose any style inside either. The sleek design lines continue in the cockpit with the maple trim, thin chrome accents and smooth cream leather wrapping from the steering wheel to the shift knob and an abundance of space—including in the back two rows of this seven-seater.

As jam-packed as the car is with technology, it's in a reserved manner, meaning you're not constantly clawing at buttons and switches to figure out just exactly what it is you want from the car's infotainment system. The 8-inch touch screen is one of the more easily navigated systems on the market, although even at full blast, the air-con could do with a little more power for the height of summer's heat.

So, we've established, then, that the JX can take even the top luxury crossovers on in the style stakes, but how is it to drive? Well, a generous 265hp@6,400rpm—thanks to the 3.5-litre V6—affords a guzzling roar rather than a gentle purr. The car is, however, slightly laboured working its way back down through the revs, this is in spite of the all-wheel-drive curbing the weight on corners.

But, with a switch to sport mode and flick on of the cruise control, why not let the JX do all the work for

you? Ignoring numerous warnings the car throws at you, however, will result in its untrusting nature starting to kick in, physically forcing your foot off the accelerator or drastically dropping your speed if the JX senses you're edging closer to the car in front—that's where distracted parents benefit. Should you hold full confidence in your own driving abilities, however, this safety system is more a drag than a bonus.

Infiniti's awesome Around View Camera system, which gives drivers a bird's-eye view of the JX, stitches together images from four cameras mounted around the vehicle. In fact, this car has more driver assistive functions than there are hot days in a Dubai summer.

At the touch of a button, you could set up a virtual force field that allows the vehicle to intervene on your behalf, and when the time comes to get out of the JX, it does everything short of parallel-park itself, offering camera and proximity systems to help you to get the job done quickly and without incident. Top marks must go to Infiniti in the technology category, luckily backed up by a solid performance in style. ●

SPECS

(as tested)

Engine: 3.5-litre V6

Power: 265hp@6,400rpm

Torque: 323Nm@4,400rpm

0-100km/h: N/A

Top speed: N/A

Price: Under Dh200,000



TO INFINITI AND BEYOND

Using emails effectively

If your emails constantly go ignored, perhaps you should try the tricks that make sure people read them.



COMMUNICATION

What's the secret to writing effective emails that people actually read? Well, you begin by writing all the ideas that come to your mind and think it's the best written email ever. That's not actually the case, since your email will most likely be competing with hundreds of others in the inbox of your recipient. Akhtaboot provides some important tips to keep in mind when revising your emails to make people read them.

DON'T BE REPETITIVE

Don't repeat your ideas again and



KEEP IT SHORT, SHARP AND CONCISE

again. People might lose focus and start skimming. If your email contains multiple points that are somehow related, the recipient might only reply to the message that is of interest to him. An excellent way to avoid this issue is to list the points in numbered bullets to ensure they all get read. Pick your words wisely and precisely. Repetition is the kind of clutter that can put a circus full of hyperactive children to sleep. The best emails say one thing and say it clearly.

NEVER BE VAGUE

Always back up your sentences with facts and numbers instead of adverbs and adjectives. The writer needs to prove to the reader two main things; this is an important email and you can trust what you're reading. If you include your opinion at the end of the article, explain why you think so and always elaborate on points that might seem vague.

KEEP IT SHORT

Long emails look intimidating and can make the recipient read less. Using a sequence of long paragraphs filled with unimportant words that add little to the meaning can definitely reduce your chances of getting

“Poor spelling and grammar reflects a lack of attention to detail and sends the wrong message about you and how you do business.”

a quick reply to your emails. Try to keep it short, direct and straight to the point. Witty, concise and precise sentences are all you need. Focus on the real subject so as not to waste the time of the reader with fancy words. If you have additional info that you'd like to include, attach it as a separate document.

CONSISTENCY IN FORMATTING

Consistency in formatting is one of the top things to maintain when writing professional emails. Use bold headings, bullet points and numbered lists to allow the reader to scan for your main points. When writing a long email, use paragraphs and separate them using blank lines. As for the subject, be informative, interesting and make sure it's searchable.

NO MISTAKES

People who read your emails immediately form perceptions about you as a professional. Poor spelling and grammar reflect a lack of attention to detail and send the wrong message about you and how you tend to do business. Most email programmes today have built-in spell checkers so there is no excuse. Never send an email that is poorly punctuated and uses no capital letters, and always proofread your draft from top to bottom before sending it out.

WHEN TO USE CC: AND BCC:

There is certain etiquette to follow when sending business emails. Many employees to this day still don't know how to use the carbon copy (cc:) and the blind carbon copy (bcc:) fields. It is courteous to add addresses to the 'cc:' field if those people need to know about the subject but are not required to act on the contents. The 'bcc:' field is useful where discretion is required. People in this field are hidden from other recipients in the 'To,' 'cc:' and 'bcc:' fields. They can themselves see others in the 'To' and 'cc:' fields but not the 'bcc:' fields. ● By Akhtaboot—the career network (www.akhtaboot.com)

Post-it

To place your ad please email
advertising@readme.ae

JOBS AVAILABLE

Cleaning staff required for a full-time job. Gender not specific. Filipino/Sri Lankan/Nepali or Indian only. Send CV s.yaseen786123@gmail.com.

Service crew required for a company in Dubai. Should have experience in restaurants/food services. Send CV to emirates010@yahoo.com. Call 043549001.

Sales executive urgently required for a part-time job (preferably) at a banking insurance company. Keralites only. Salary + commission will be provided. Call 0529491457.

Experienced hydraulic technician required for a hydraulic hose manufacturing company. Should be fluent in English. Send CV to rayelectromech@gmail.com.

Experienced Graphics Designer urgently required for a full-time job in an advertising company. Call 0556949524/itechc10@gmail.com.

Cutter/sewer/tailor required at Detroit House Building Motor City. Gender not specific. Call 044313117.

Hair dresser required for a ladies salon in Dubai. Nationality not specific. Send CV to jobs.beauty@hotmail.co.uk.

Part-time jobs available for Tamil people. Call 0552150179.

Warehouse assistant required for a company in Dubai. Should know Hindi and English. Age: below 25 years. Full-time position. Visa will be provided. Salary Dh1,500. Call 043552083.

An international aviation company requires a candidate for the role of airport supervisor. Candidate must have at least 2 yrs experience in the same field. Send CV to hr@uas.ae.

Saleswoman urgently required for a reputed shop in Madina Mall, Dubai. Candidates should be fluent in Arabic. Computer knowledge is a must. Send CV to efive.madinamall@gmail.com.

Female banquet coordinator required for a full-time job. Hotel experience is a must. Arabic/Filipino nationalities. Send CV to bqjobs@yahoo.com.

Female receptionist required for a full-time job at a company. Filipinas only. Call 0552150179.

JOBS WANTED

Nepalese male seeks part-time job on the weekends. Call 0561330455/email kkmarr123@gmail.com.

Indian male seeks full-time job as a security guard/office boy/helper or salesman. 13 yrs experience. Call 0509607581.

Indian male seeks full-time job as an accountant. 20 yrs experience (9 yrs in UAE). Knowledgeable in Tally & ERP packages. Call 0508590052.

Pakistani male, BSc, electronic engineer/industrial instrument salesman/service engineer seeks full-time job. 2 yrs experience in an automation company. Call 0556292974.

Indian male MBA, BSc (Computer) seeks job. Experienced in admin, sales, marketing, operations and IT. Familiar with computers. Fluent in English and basic Arabic (read and write). Soon will own D/L. Call 0503425645/0555657682/ email jamsheervs@gmail.com.

Indian female, 28, BCom and MCom, seeks full-time job as sales coordinator. 3+ yrs experience in sales. Fairly familiar with MS Office typing. Good communication skills. On husband's visa. Call 0555373762.

Data entry operator urgently seeks a full-time job. Call 0559178357.

Filipina bachelor degree holder seeks job as a doc. controller/admin assistant/receptionist. Hard worker and can work under pressure. Call 0502108840.

Housemaid seeks part-time job in Dubai. Call 0556796008.

Pakistani female graduate seeks a full-time job. Talented, well groomed. Have excellent communication skills. Experienced in multinational companies in Dubai. Email ch_fizzy@yahoo.com/call 0554200910.

Indian female, 28, BSc and computers degree holder seeks job as an admin assistant. 3 yrs experience as admin assistant. On husband's visa. Email bhavnavimal25@gmail.com/call 0566933814.

Male, graduate, seeks job as a draftsman/documents controller. 3 yrs experience. Knowledgeable in computers. Email mazhar.ahmed44@gmail.com/call 0502714577.

Keralite female seeks full-time job as a computer operator. On husband's visa. Call 0559317499.

Male seeks full-time job as a PRO. 4 yrs experience. Call 0503633341.

Indian male, diploma in hotel management, seeks job as a restaurant griller. 6 yrs experience in similar field. Fluent in English. Call 0501419855, 0555860514/email kumar.jsmith.pardeep5@gmail.com.

Single Nepalese female seeks full-time job as a secretary or admin. 6 yrs experience in Dubai. Email btamang_2011@yahoo.com.

MISCELLANEOUS

Personal loan services available. We finance self-employed with minimum requirements. In a one week process. Call 0551032210.

Visa assistance available. For Dubai tourist visa/transit visa 14-30-60 days. At Gulfa Tourism. Call 0558046287.

Great offer on website design. For only Dh375. Free domain/free hosting. Call 0508864342.

Astrology, vastu, palmistry reading available. Call 0558066470/0508408219/043582488 or email vyas75@yahoo.com.

Kabayan tourist/cancelled visa assistance available. Call 0501149849/ email travelteam07@yahoo.com.

AUTO

Toyota Camry, 2000 model for sale. Comes with sunroof. Gold colour. Gulf specs. In perfect condition. Driven for 135,000km. Remote key. Dubai registration. Trouble-free. Price can be negotiable. Located in Karama. Call 0505766172.

Toyota Camry, 2006 model for sale. XLI, fully automatic, driven for 150,000km, white colour, remote key, in excellent condition, registered. Located near Talal Supermarket, Hor Al Anz, Dubai. Call 0556796008.

Mitsubishi Lancer GL, 2006 model for sale. Silver colour, 1.3 motor, driven for 110,000km. Automatic, comes with new battery, timing belt, tyres and wheel mugs. Price for Dh17,000. Price can be negotiated. Email more_aragon@yahoo.com.

ITEMS

Bunk bed available for sale. In excellent condition. Used only twice. Easy to assemble (no bolts/no screws needed). For Dh100 only. Ready for pick-up in Abu Hail (near Baskin Robbins). Call 0503153580.

Assorted kitchen utensils available for sale. Casseroles, pots and pans, water pump, chopping board, knife, peeler, ladle, breakfast tray, pitcher, clothes rack, and other cleaning items. All for Dh100. Ready for pick-up in Abu Hail (in front of Lotus Hotel). Call 0503153580.

Macbook 13.3" uni-body available for sale. White colour. In very good condition. Price for Dh2,000 only. Call 0509815607.

Microsoft genuine software available for sale. Full version, DVD + key, in original seal, special promotion. Office 2010 Pro, Office 2011 Mac, Office 2008 Mac. (Items are for personal use and non-commercial). Price for Dh280. Wholesale available. Call 042555328.

Kenwood vacuum cleaner VC2400, available for sale. Red in colour. Price for Dh290. Call 0557277085.

World class Dankotuwa, Jashanmal/brand new tableware available for sale. Contains 96 pcs. Priced for Dh1,500. Non-negotiable. Call 0557277085.

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Bed space available for rent. Kabayans only. Gender not specific. Located in Al Karama. Walking distance to metro station, Al Manama, Sunrise and LuLu Hypermarket. Rent for Dh450 with free Wi-Fi and TFC. Call 0559294435.

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Executive bed space available for rent. Located in Bur Dubai, opposite Ascot Hotel, walking distance to metro station. Call 0567515614.

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Red Line to get speedier

Two new unique services to be implemented from October this year in a bid to slash commuting times.



DUBAI METRO

The RTA will reduce the trip time of the Dubai Metro Red Line from October 2012 by offering two services on a trial basis for a period of five months in a bid to better serve the interest of Metro users, so that they can arrive at their work places in a speedy and hassle-free way.

Adnan Al Hammadi, CEO of the RTA's Rail Agency, said, "The RTA always seeks to meet the needs of mass transit users, especially the Metro, by introducing new methods, alternatives and initiatives that help achieve its strategic objectives in serving the public. These endeavours are epitomised in the RTA's two new services that will go on offer next October. The first is operating four

express trains on the Red Line—two to start from Al Rashidiya, and the other two from Jebel Ali.

"Express trains are to commence operations before the start of the Metro's regular service as an added service to the current trips, which start at 5.30am, and each train will stop only at the most frequently used stations, namely Rashidiya, Emirates, Al Rigga, Union, Khalid bin Al Waleed, Al Karama, Al Jafiliya, Emirates Towers, Noor Islamic Bank, First Gulf Bank, Dubai Internet City, Ibn Battuta, and Jebel Ali. This service option is set to reduce the trip time by 10 minutes at maximum," added Al Hammadi.

In regards to the second option, he said, "The second service is expected to slash the specified

“Both services are bound to be hugely popular, given the positive results commuters will feel.”

waiting time at less frequently used stations. This option is expected to save one minute and 40 seconds from the overall trip time, from the first station to terminal one on the Red Line.”

Al Hammadi revealed that a questionnaire will be released to obtain the opinions of Metro riders to identify the effectiveness of the new services. "If both services prove successful, they will be applied on a permanent basis after the lapse of the specified commissioning period, as we are keen on achieving our vision of safe and smooth transport for all. Both services are bound to be hugely popular, given the positive results commuters will feel when experimenting with the two services," said Al Hammadi.

Al Tayer meets Indian envoy

Meeting touches on significant ties between the RTA and Indian rail authorities as well as ongoing projects.

MUTUAL COOPERATION

Mattar Al Tayer, Chairman of the Board and Executive Director of the Roads and Transport Authority (RTA), recently received at his office HE MK Lokesh, Ambassador of the Republic of India to the UAE, in the context of the RTA's objectives to foster cooperation at the local, regional and international levels.

The meeting was also attended by Abdul Mohsin Ibrahim Younes, CEO of RTA Strategy & Corporate Governance Sector, along with several RTA directors.

Al Tayer welcomed the Indian ambassador and commended the excellent relationships between the UAE and the Republic of India, particularly in the business and tourist fields; which have yielded an increase in the volume of commercial exchange and number of tourists travelling between the two countries.

The two parties engaged in discussions aimed at giving a further boost to the existing cooperation, and sharing expertise between the RTA and its counterparts in India as well as the



MATTAR AL TAYER IN TALKS WITH THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR TO THE UAE

Indian firms operating in rail, roads and transportation sectors. They also touched on future road and infrastructure projects in Dubai.

Al Tayer also briefed India's top diplomat in the UAE on the key projects currently undertaken by the RTA with a view to upgrading the infrastructure in terms of road networks and various types of transit means such as the

Metro, public buses, water transport, taxis and other means to cater to the growth in population, projects and urbanisation. The two parties also reviewed the partnership models with the private sector in constructing future projects in the fields of roads (including bridges, tunnels and crossings) and various transit systems.

The Indian ambassador hailed the

extensive development seen by the emirate of Dubai, rendering it a hub for investors, business leaders and tourists, adding that his country was aspiring for boosting cooperation and exchanging expertise with the RTA, especially in mass transit projects as the Indian Government was undertaking a wide ranging network of railways in different Indian states.

New revenue system for RTA

REVENUES

The RTA, along with all affiliated agencies and sectors, is keen on delivering the best services at world-class standards to corporate and individual customers assisted by state-of-the-art technologies in various fields, with the aim of easing and expediting the processing of daily transactions associated with the packages of diverse services offered to the public spanning all community segments.

Among the key strategies recently launched by the RTA is the Unified Revenues System, administered by the RTA Department of Finance in collaboration with the RTA Information Technology Department and a leading Dubai-based company in this field. The system has undergone several evolution stages, through



AHMED AL KAABI

which the RTA has to keep pace with the scale and growth of its customer needs for availing of a host of services, such as the Unified card, Salik card and parking services, among other services, the delivery of which

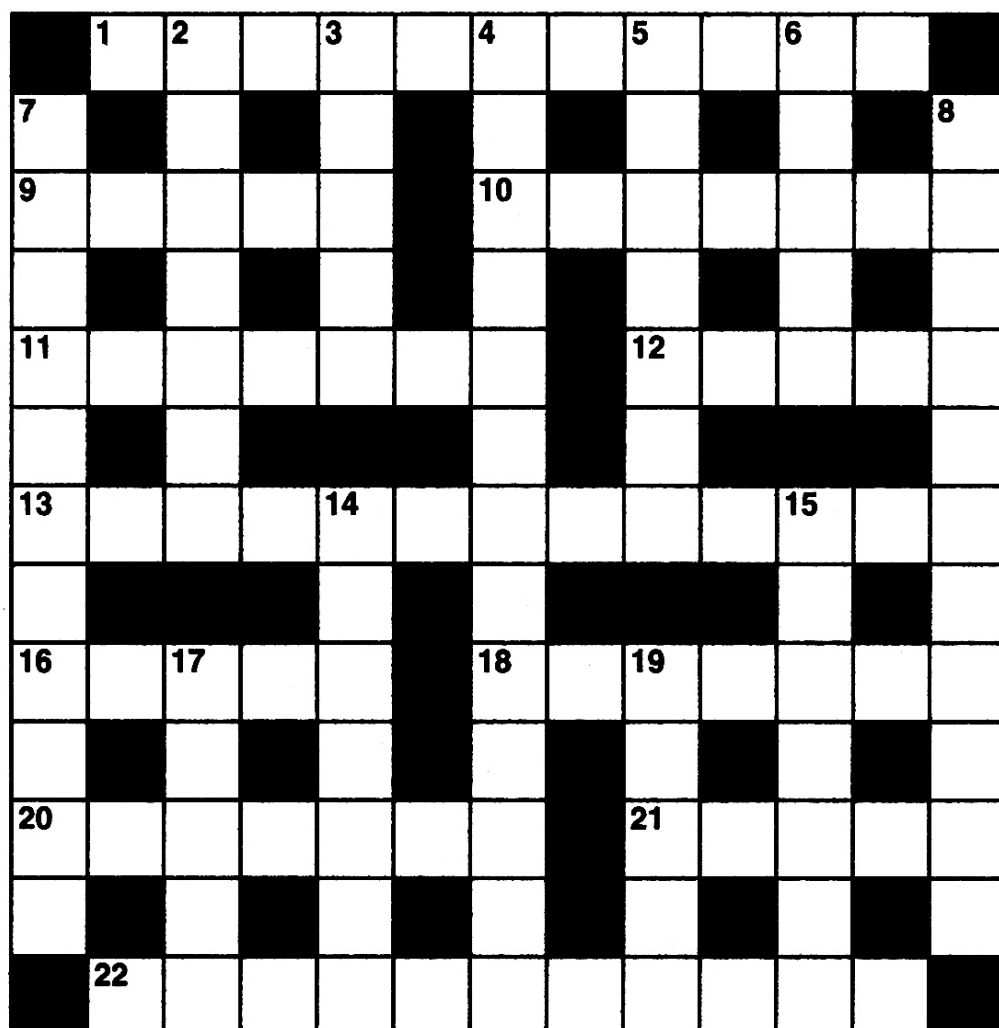
ensures a continuous flow of revenue. Ahmed Al Kaabi, RTA Director of Finance, said, "This project is an integrated system functioning as an interface between revenue collection and operational systems used at the RTA. It sets the base of new and integrated accounting structures for all RTA services, and as such will meet our needs in terms of generating accurate and detailed financial reports. The system is geared with the evolution and needs of the business environment and government decisions. Besides that, it enhances the flexibility of producing financial reports in a way that assists the multi-faceted studying and analysing of information. It also provides new control measures that help curtail potential errors at customer service centres, and build databases for all

RTA customers with all the required details, which contribute to conducting studies and research to help upgrade our services. The system also offers new and advanced methods for making financial transactions with our customers, which is bound to play a vital role in raising customers' satisfaction, and facilitating the processing of financial transactions at various concerned bodies at the RTA.

"The new system has a variety of positive aspects, including stepping up the efficiency of revenue registration through consolidating all revenues under a single financial system, enhancing the efficiency of revenue collection as a result of the availability of the required financial reports, and improving the revenue-related financial and statistical reports system," said Al Kaabi.

Taking your time

Test your skills with our puzzles or try something new with a recipe.



Crossword

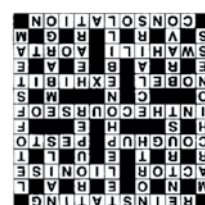
Across

1 Bringing back into use (11) **9** Performer, player (5) **10** Give a lot of public attention to (7) **11** Fork out, pay (5,2) **12** Italian sauce with basil and pine nuts (5) **13** During (2,3,6,2) **16** Inventor of dynamite who gave his name to annually awarded prizes (5) **18** Display (7) **20** Language widely used in east and central africa (7) **21** Main artery (5) **22** Comfort after disappointment (11)

Down

2 Give responsibility for (7) **3** Arctic's pole (5) **4** Form listing the cost of all the calls you've made (9,4) **5** Experienced performer (7) **6** Horny plates at the ends of toes and fingers (5) **7** Wife or widow of a British nobleman (11) **8** Release pent-up energy (3,3,5) **14** Choux pastry fingers with a cream filling (7) **15** Trade barrier (7) **17** Cry of approval (5) **19** Organ that pumps blood (5)

ANSWERS



Recipe

Cheesy beef enchiladas

This quick and tasty family favourite is perfect for a filling yet healthy meal.

Ingredients

1 cup white rice
500g ground beef
1 chopped onion
2 finely chopped garlic cloves
1 pack of taco seasoning
1 cup of water
1 can of re-fried beans
1 cup of cottage cheese
2 cups of shredded Cheddar cheese
10 flour tortillas
1 jar of red enchilada sauce
1 cup of sour cream

Method

1. Bring the rice and one-and-a-half cups of water to a boil in a saucepan over a high heat. Reduce heat to

medium-low, cover, and simmer for around 15-20 minutes, until the rice is almost tender and the liquid has been absorbed.

2. Heat the oven to 175C and grease two baking dishes. Cook the beef in a large skillet over medium heat until crumbly and browned. Drain excess grease and stir in the onion and garlic.
3. Stir the taco seasoning and one cup of water into the mixture, bring to a boil then reduce the heat to low. Simmer for five minutes then gently stir in the cooked rice.

4. Simmer until liquid is absorbed, stirring constantly. Mix the re-fried

Serves
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beans, cottage cheese, and one cup Cheddar cheese into the filling and stir until fully combined.

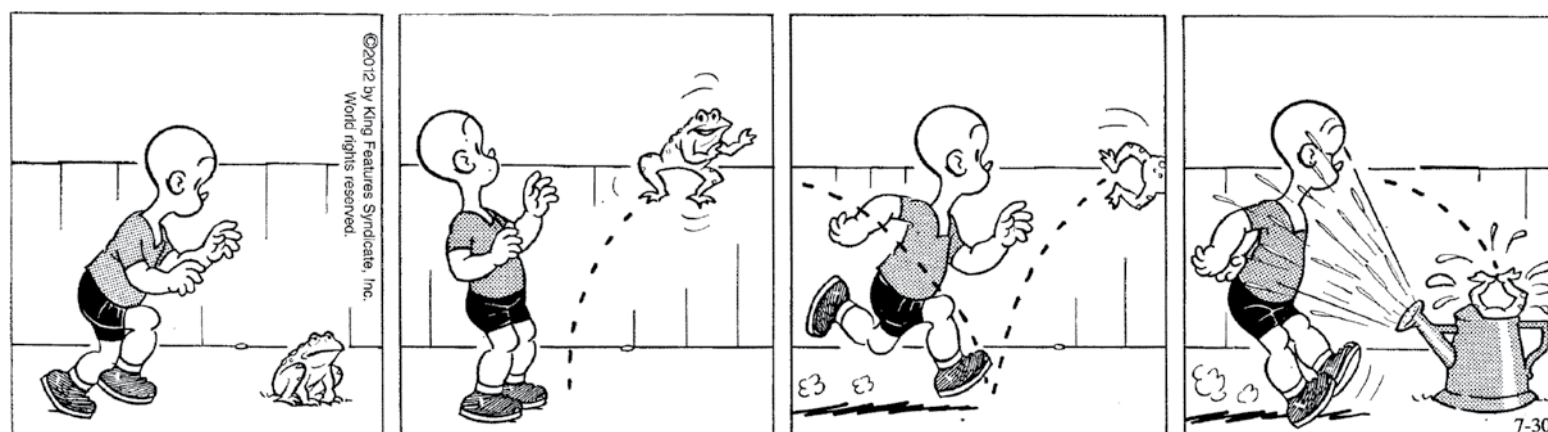
5. Spread about 1/2 cup of filling in a line down the centre of each tortilla and roll. Place five of the stuffed tortillas (seam sides down) into the bottom of each prepared baking dish.

6. Mix the enchilada sauce with sour cream in a bowl and pour half the sauce down the centre of each pan of enchiladas. Sprinkle the second cup of Cheddar cheese over the top.

7. Bake for around 20 to 25 minutes, until the cheese topping is melted and the filling is hot.



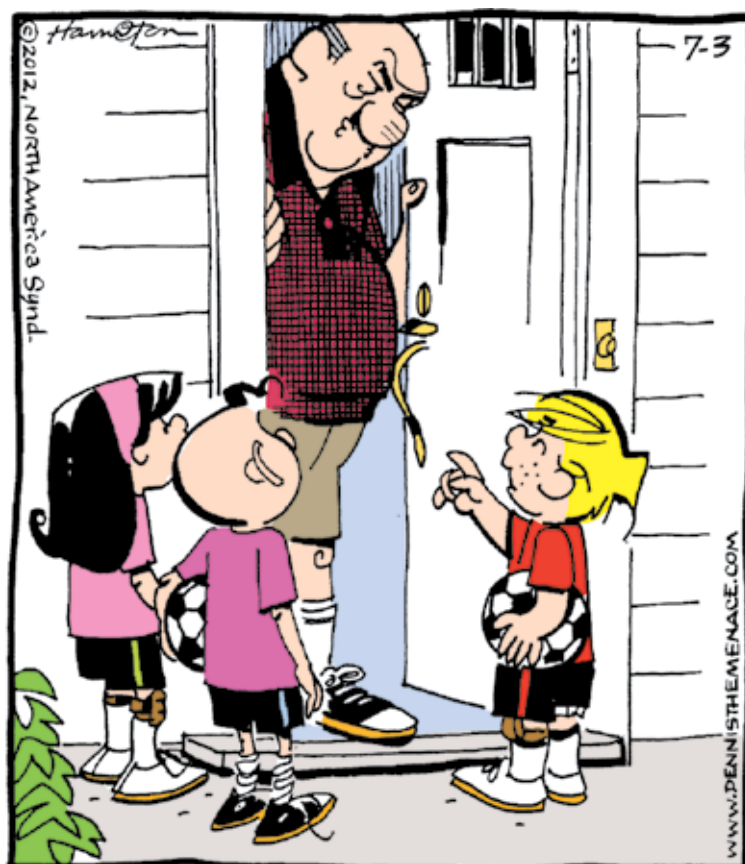
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Spiderman



Dennis the menace



"WE NEED A GOALIE, MR. WILSON. YOU'D BE GREAT 'CAUSE YOU'RE REALLY WIDE."

Who's this?

ANSWER ON PAGE 34



A black and white close-up portrait of actor Tom Hanks. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. He has short, dark hair and a light beard and mustache. The lighting is soft, highlighting his facial features. The background is dark and out of focus.

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What's in your stars?

The Read. astrologer reveals what you can expect over the next seven days.

ARIES

(MAR 21 - APR 20)

This is a very playful week and you feel full of creative inspiration. After a period of feeling quite protective and withdrawn, you now seem more spontaneous and more willing to take risks. A happy and rewarding phase seems to be on the cards, so enjoy it.



TAURUS

(APR 21 - MAY 21)

There seems to be a desire to trace your roots and origins, which could be due to a recent loss. This is a time to build trust in your family and a strong foundation within yourself, so that—regardless of what happens—you have a secure place to return to.



GEMINI

(MAY 22 - JUN 21)

Financial security and enjoyment of the good things in life are important to you, although you also value simple pleasures. You appear to be in a stable financial position right now, which could allow more time to develop your personal relationships.



CANCER

(JUN 22 - JUL 23)

This is a time to stand by your convictions. Finances become the main focus, so be sure to think through any decisions regarding assets, investments or even the most basic cash transactions. Trust your own judgment, but do so with some caution and restraint.



LEO

(JUL 24 - AUG 23)

It might be time to make an honest assessment of your life and implement a make-over where necessary. Whether this is to do with your look, health, relationships or financial situation, where there's room for improvement, positive action should be taken.



VIRGO

(AUG 24 - SEP 23)

Forming new friendships, possibly related to activities within an organisation or society, could figure this week. Sharing your interests with someone new is what makes you happy and you could see good relationships turn into everlasting relationships.



LIBRA

(SEP 24 - OCT 23)

Widening the scope of your existence seems to be a priority. Projects that started last month will gain momentum, focus and direction, while a lively agenda may see you attract people's interest. This is a time to follow your dreams and plant seeds for the future.



SCORPIO

(OCT 24 - NOV 22)

The universe seems to be very generous to you right now, and you deserve it. Contact with authority figures is likely, while recognition could come your way whether you ask for it or not. Remember, though, that recognition may also bring new responsibilities.



SAGITTARIUS

(NOV 23 - DEC 21)

Long-distance and foreign connections—particularly where business is involved—could play a part this week. You may be required to travel a fair amount, which could see you strike up an acquaintance who shares your sense of humour, views and ideas.



CAPRICORN

(DEC 22 - JAN 20)

This is perhaps a low-key time, but one in which you feel grounded and stable. It's also a good time to make headway with a project. Productivity may seem slow at first, but it will remain steady as the determined side of your personality comes to the forefront.



AQUARIUS

(JAN 21 - FEB 19)

You will need to be alert in order to identify potential threats to your progress. These threats may not become real, but it's always good to be prepared. In spite of all this, close ties with loved ones and an overall feeling of togetherness will be prominent.



PISCES

(FEB 20 - MAR 20)

You may be tempted to make changes in your job, relationships with colleagues, or health and diet. Don't expect extensive gratitude from those caught up in your overhaul, however, just go ahead and do whatever you believe needs to be done.



This week's local weather

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HUMIDITY 40%

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