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LEXINGTON:

THE KENTUCKY JOURNAL OF EQUINE, AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAW WILL HOLD ITS FIFTH ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 27TH. THIRD YEAR UK LAW STUDENT LEXY GROSS IS THE EDITOR IN CHIEF OF THE JOURNAL AND SAYS THIS YEAR THE FIVE SPEAKERS WILL ADDRESS TOPICS RANGING FROM MARIJUANA AND THE IMPLICATIONS OF LEGALIZATION, TO WAGERING AT KEENELAND, REGULATIONS AND THE ENVIRONMENT TO MIGRATORY WORKERS POLICIES.

THE SYMPOSIUM IS FROM 9AM THRU 4PM WEDNESDAY AT THE GATTON STUDENT CENTER ON THE CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY. IT IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION ON THE SPEAKERS, AND REGISTER TO ATTEND ON THEIR WEBSITE, .

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KIEV, UKRAINE:

UKRAINE SAID IT SUNK A RUSSIAN WARSHIP IN THE BLACK SEA OFF THE COAST OF RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED CRIMEA ON WEDNESDAY.

THE CLAIM HAS NOT YET BEEN CONFIRMED BY MOSCOW.

THE AMPHIBIOUS WARFARE SHIP, USED TO LAND AND SUPPORT GROUND FORCES, IS KNOWN AS "CAESAR KUNIKOV." ITS APPARENT SINKING COMES AS RUSSIA'S FULL-SCALE INVASION OF UKRAINE WILL ENTER ITS THIRD YEAR ON FEB. 24.

IF THE SINKING IS CONFIRMED IT WOULD BE THE 15TH RUSSIAN SHIP DESTROYED BY UKRAINE, ACCORDING TO UKRAINIAN DEFENSE OFFICIALS. UKRAINE HAS SUNK ABOUT 20% OF RUSSIA'S BLACK SEA FLEET OVER THE LAST TWO YEARS, AN IMPRESSIVE FEAT FOR A COUNTRY THAT HAS NO FORMAL NAVY.



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NEW YORK CITY:

BAGUETTES, THE LONG, THIN BREAD LOAVES LOVED IN FRANCE, HAVE MADE IT ONTO A SPECIAL UNITED NATIONS (UN) LIST. THE UN'S "INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE" LIST IS A LIST OF ITEMS THAT ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO HISTORY AND CULTURE IN DIFFERENT PLACES AROUND THE WORLD. BAGUETTES, THE LONG, THIN BREAD LOAVES LOVED IN FRANCE, HAVE MADE IT ONTO A SPECIAL UNITED NATIONS LIST, CELEBRATING THEM AS IMPORTANT TO FRANCE'S HISTORY AND CULTURE

FRANCE SELLS OVER SIX BILLION BAGUETTES EVERY YEAR. THOUGH THEY CONTAIN JUST FLOUR, WATER, SALT, AND YEAST, BAGUETTES CAN BE TRICKY TO MAKE. THE LOAVES MUST BE CRUNCHY ON THE OUTSIDE, BUT LIGHT AND FLUFFY ON THE INSIDE. IN RECENT YEARS, MANY SMALL, OLDER BAKERIES IN FRANCE HAVE GONE OUT OF BUSINESS.

THE UN SAYS BAGUETTES ARE AN IMPORTANT PART OF FRENCH LIFE, WITH PEOPLE SHARING THEM DURING DAILY MEALS ACROSS FRANCE. THE GROUP SAYS IT'S IMPORTANT FOR THE KNOWLEDGE OF HOW TO MAKE BAGUETTES TO "CONTINUE TO EXIST IN THE FUTURE."



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LONDON, ENGLAND

MANY PEOPLE ARE FAMILIAR WITH CLAUDE MONET'S FAMOUS OIL PAINTINGS OF WATER LILIES. NOW THE CHINESE ARTIST AI WEIWEI HAS REWORKED MONET'S IDEA INTO A MASSIVE NEW ARTWORK MADE FROM A SURPRISING MATERIAL: LEGO BRICKS.

AS AN ARTIST, MR. AI OFTEN USES UNUSUAL MATERIALS. IN ONE SHOW, HE USED TWISTED IRON COLLECTED AFTER AN EARTHQUAKE. IN ANOTHER, HE USED 100 MILLION PAINTED POTTERY SUNFLOWER SEEDS. ONE SCULPTURE OF HIS COMBINES OVER 1,000 BICYCLES. NOW MR. AI HAS USED LEGOS TO RECREATE ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS PAINTINGS.

CLAUDE MONET WAS A FAMOUS FRENCH ARTIST WHO PAINTED HUNDREDS OF PICTURES OF THE WATER LILIES IN HIS GARDEN. ONE OF THE MOST FAMOUS IS CALLED WATER LILIES 1914-26. MONET WORKED ON IT FROM 1914 TO 1926. IT'S A HUGE PAINTING, MADE OF THREE SEPARATE PANELS. TOGETHER, THE PANELS ARE NEARLY 42 FEET (12.7 METERS) LONG.



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MR. AI'S VERSION OF MONET'S PAINTING IS ON DISPLAY AT THE DESIGN MUSEUM IN LONDON, FROM APRIL 7 TO JULY 30. IT'S CALLED WATER LILIES #1. IN THE ARTWORK, MR. AI RECREATES MUCH OF MONET'S ORIGINAL PAINTING. BUT INSTEAD OF ADDING COLORS WITH BRUSHES, MR. AI USES 22 DIFFERENT COLORS OF LEGO BLOCKS. THE ARTWORK IS MASSIVE. IT'S AROUND 49 FEET (15 METERS) LONG AND COVERS A WHOLE WALL OF THE MUSEUM. IT'S MR. AI'S LARGEST LEGO ARTWORK EVER. IN ALL, IT CONTAINS ABOUT 650,000 LEGO BRICKS.

JUSTIN MCGUIRK, WHO WORKS AT THE DESIGN MUSEUM, SAYS THE LEGOS REMIND PEOPLE OF THE DIGITAL WORLD AND THE WAY ART IS OFTEN SEEN AND SHARED THESE DAYS – OVER THE INTERNET.



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KING GEORGE ISLAND, ANTARCTICA

CHINSTRAP PENGUINS IN ANTARCTICA HAVE ADAPTED TO HARSH CONDITIONS BY SLEEPING IN A VERY UNUSUAL WAY. THEY SLEEP IN SHORT BURSTS – ABOUT FOUR SECONDS AT A TIME. BY DOING THIS THOUSANDS OF TIMES DAILY, THEY GET ABOUT 11 HOURS OF SLEEP A DAY.

IT'S NOT CLEAR IF THE MICROSLEEPS ALLOW THE PENGUINS TO ACTUALLY FEEL RESTED, OR IF IT'S JUST ENOUGH TO ALLOW THEM TO KEEP GOING. BUT THE PENGUINS ARE ABLE TO KEEP THE PATTERN UP FOR WEEKS, WHICH ALLOWS THEM TO PROTECT THEIR NESTS, EGGS, AND BABIES.

THE SCIENTISTS DON'T KNOW YET IF THE PENGUINS SLEEP THIS WAY AT OTHER TIMES OF THE YEAR, OR ONLY WHEN THEY'RE RAISING THEIR YOUNG. THEY ALSO DON'T KNOW IF OTHER KINDS OF PENGUINS HAVE SIMILAR SLEEPING HABITS.



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GURNEE, ILLINOIS

PAUL DURIETZ IS A 76-YEAR-OLD SOCIAL STUDIES TEACHER FROM ILLINOIS. ON SEPTEMBER 1, HE SET A GUINNESS WORLD RECORD FOR THE WORLD'S LONGEST TEACHING CAREER. MR. DURIETZ HAS BEEN TEACHING FOR 53 YEARS – SINCE HE WAS 23 YEARS OLD. MR. DURIETZ GOT HIS FIRST TEACHING JOB AT WOODLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL IN GURNEE, ILLINOIS IN 1970. EVER SINCE THEN, HE'S BEEN TEACHING SOCIAL STUDIES AT THE SAME SCHOOL. HE SAYS HE LOVES SHARING HIS KNOWLEDGE OF HISTORY WITH STUDENTS. "TEACHING IS NEVER BORING," HE SAYS. "EVERY DAY IS DIFFERENT."

THINGS HAVE CHANGED A LOT SINCE HE BEGAN ALL THOSE YEARS AGO. WHEN HE STARTED, THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE COPIES WAS WITH A "DITTO MACHINE", WHICH USED A STINKY, PURPLE INK. MR. DURIETZ WROTE ON A BLACKBOARD WITH CHALK, AND THE STUDENTS USED PAPER TEXTBOOKS. THESE DAYS, HE AND THE STUDENTS USE COMPUTERS AND DIGITAL WHITEBOARDS. THOUGH TECHNOLOGY HAS CHANGED A LOT SINCE HE BEGAN TEACHING, MR. DURIETZ SAYS THE STUDENTS ARE STILL PRETTY MUCH THE SAME – EXCEPT THAT NOW THEY HAVE CELL PHONES.



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ATLAS MOUNTAINS, MOROCCO

A POWERFUL EARTHQUAKE HIT MOROCCO ON FRIDAY NIGHT, KILLING OVER 2,500 PEOPLE AND CAUSING HUGE DAMAGE OVER A LARGE AREA. THE CENTER OF THE EARTHQUAKE WAS IN THE ATLAS MOUNTAINS, ABOUT 45 MILES (72 KILOMETERS) SOUTHWEST OF MARRAKESH, A LARGE CITY ROUGHLY IN THE CENTER OF MOROCCO.

THE USGS (US GEOLOGICAL SURVEY) SAYS THAT THE EARTHQUAKE HAD A MAGNITUDE OF ABOUT 6.8. BUT MOROCCO'S EARTHQUAKE CENTER RECORDED THE EARTHQUAKE AS BEING ALMOST TWICE THAT STRONG. SHAKING FROM THE QUAKE WAS FELT ACROSS A WIDE AREA.

THE QUAKE WAS ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL EVER RECORDED IN MOROCCO. IT'S ALSO THE COUNTRY'S DEADLIEST EARTHQUAKE IN OVER 60 YEARS. SO FAR, THE EARTHQUAKE IS REPORTED TO HAVE KILLED OVER 2,680 PEOPLE. IT HAS INJURED OVER 2,500 OTHERS. THE EARTHQUAKE WAS ESPECIALLY DANGEROUS BECAUSE IT HAPPENED AT NIGHT, WHEN PEOPLE WERE ASLEEP IN THEIR HOMES.



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WEATHER —



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- \$20.99
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- 200 PIECES
- PINBACK
- 1.25 INCH / 32 MM DIAMETER
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- YELLOW BACKGROUND WITH EYES AND MOUTH PRINTED IN BLACK, JUST LIKE THE CLASSIC 1970S SMILEY FACE WE ALL KNOW