



Eberwhite Kids' Courier

Newly Discovered Cave-Man Advertisement

Two weeks ago, Brazilian archeologist Feyend Et Nowe found a stone near his well. He, being a good rune translator, translated the markings on it. He found it was a prehistoric advertisement for a cave-man amusement park — a dinosaur park! Looking at the advertisement more closely, Mr. Nowe found a map on the other side, so that he could pinpoint the exact spot where the dinosaur park had been.

"It was really quite amazing," said Nowe to our EKC reporter, "I couldn't believe it. The park was—literally—in my own backyard!"

Mr. Nowe immediately went to the spot of the dinosaur park, and he found another stone tablet, this one explaining the different exhibits. The two tablets are on display at the Show Et Nowe (SEN) museum — the founder was Feyend Et Nowe's granddad.

Our reporter was able to get an exclusive peek at the first tablet. Our reporter translated the tablet with his copy of Rune Translators for Dummies. This translation is shown in the article space below this one.

Mr. Nowe now refuses comments about finding the tablet, and soon no one will be able to find him anyway, because he's packing up for Peru. He is, however, eager to talk about Peru.

"I will be searching the jungles for lost cities and ruins in Peru. I hope to find more remnants of dinosaur parks too," said Mr. Nowe as our reporter wished him good luck.

Part of the Ad for the Olde Towne Dinosaur Park

Come one, come all! Olde Towne Dinosaur Park offers fun forever! Come see everything from T-rexs to Raptors! In our Ice Age exhibit, you can see everything from marmosets to mammoths, and now there's an exclusive display of a saber-tooth mother and her kittens! Come one, come all, to Olde Towne Dinosaur Park! Fun for the whole family!

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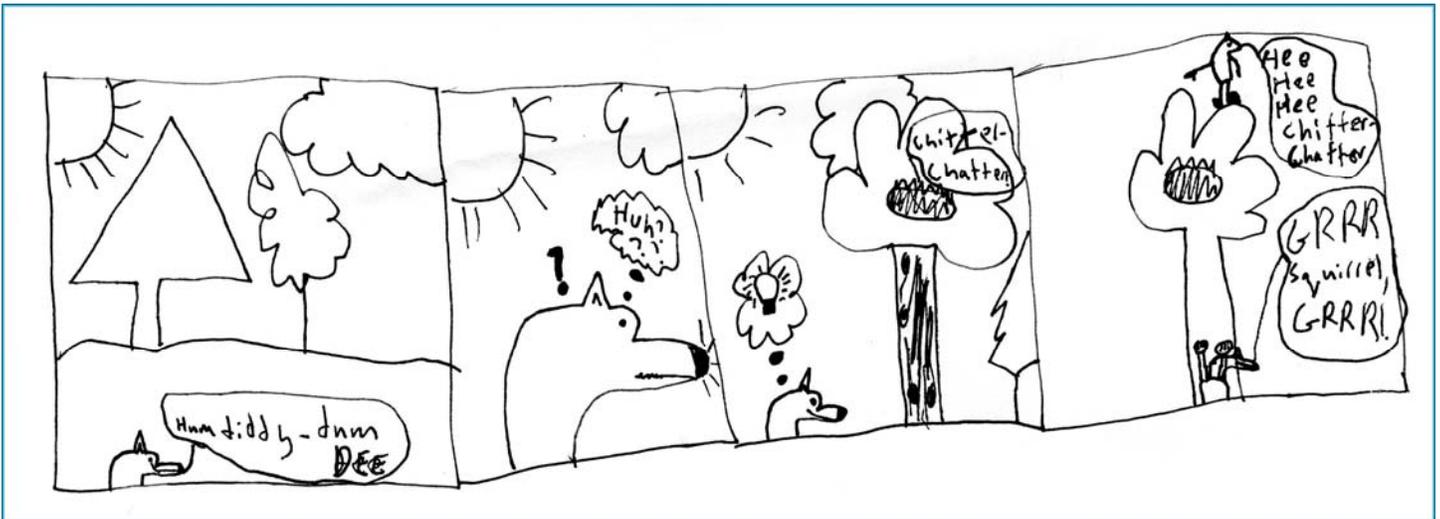
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Super double-sided issue! See the other side for more cool stuff!

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Canis the Wolf Pup



Review of "The Fall of the House of Usher"

"The Fall of the House of Usher" is a short story by Edgar Allen Poe. It is told from the first person. It is about a man that goes to the house of his childhood friend, Roderick Usher. Usher is sick from a disease that makes him hyper-sensitive.

It turns out that Usher has a sister. Her name is Made-line, and she is sick from a disease that is the opposite of Roderick's!

I'd tell you more, but it would spoil the whole story!

I rate this story ages 9+. The end is really freaky.

"I grapple with the shadowy fancies that crowded upon me as I pondered. I was forced to fall back upon the unsatisfactory conclusion, that while, beyond doubt, there are combinations of a very simple natural objects which have the power of thus affecting us, still the reason, and the analysis, of this power, lie among consideration beyond our depth." - *The Fall of the House of Usher*

New: The EKC has the Funnies!

Now, finally, the EKC has a cartoon! *Canis the Wolf Pup* will be weekly.

Basically, *Canis the Wolf Pup* is about Canis, a young and slightly mischievous wolf pup. The Beta wolf teaches Canis and his sister Sienna pack behavior, how to eat their meat, social pack conduct, and how to hunt. Their mother educates them on the laws of the wild, tells them wolf fairy tales, and warns them about the No-furs.

Meanwhile, President Brown (this is a made-up president) sets more laws which endanger wolves and cause global warming. Also, there are some thrown-in scenes of Canis and Sienna playing.



Maybe more funnies will come, like, *Jared and Michael, Man and his Best Friend*

Goodbye Trudy

Trudy Crane, a lab-retriever mix, age 13, died on June 5, 2009. She was buried with a tennis ball, a stuffed animal, her collar, and a box with two notes from her owners in it. She was wrapped in a sheet. She was adopted from an animal shelter in Washington state. She had a cold at the time of her adoption and the animal shelter was about to put her to sleep, but her soon-to-be-owners fell in love with her and took her home instead.

She loved to chase tennis balls when she was younger, and she used to take long walks in the Eberwhite Woods. She hated music, and she didn't like other dogs.

Trudy died because she had arthritis and a torn ligament in her leg. She needed surgery, but it could have killed her, and it cost so much money that no one wanted to do it. Her leg became swollen, and in the end she couldn't lie down or stand up. She was in so much pain that her owners put her to sleep.

The collar that she was buried with had only its rabies tag on it, because one of Trudy's owners took

Book Review of *The Hobbit*

The Hobbit is the awesome prelude to *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy. *The Hobbit* is about a hobbit named Bilbo Baggins, who is, according to the other hobbits of Hobbiton, very respectable. But, one day, a wizard called Gandalf comes to his hobbit-hole. (If you've already read *The Lord of the Rings*, you'll already know the name Gandalf.)

Gandalf comes to tea on Wednesday, but he is not alone. He brings with him 13 dwarves, who want Bilbo to join their company. It turns out that the dwarves are on a quest to get back the Lonely Mountain from the evil dragon.

Bilbo goes with them, and, on the way, finds a mysterious ring that, when he wears it, turns him invisible.

This book is available at the Ann Arbor District Library in the teen section. I think that the age group is ages 8+. There is some scary stuff in there, so if you are very prone to nightmares, you shouldn't read it (especially chapter 5).

" 'What do you mean?' [Gandalf] said, 'Do you wish me a good morning, or mean that it is a good morning whether I want it or not; or that you feel good this morning; or that it is a morning to be a good one?'

'All of them at once,' said Bilbo." - *The Hobbit*

Lena V.M. and Matty Submit

Lena Von Moltke has submitted her wonderful dog drawing on page 4.

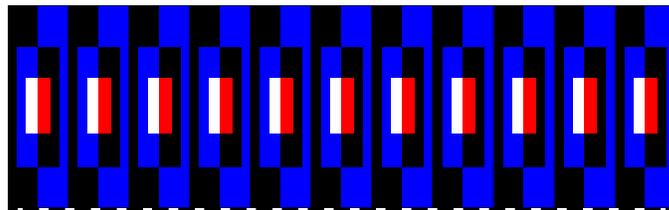
Matty has started a regular column for the EKC, which is in the other side of the double issue. It is called "Bird of the Week." This amazing column is on page 2 of the other side.

Cole Shepherd (Virginia) wrote to me to suggest that part 2 of "Revolution!" should start with a Lobsterback seeing Sam. I took his suggestion. Look on page 4 for part 2 of "Revolution!"

Eberwhite Neighborhood Rocks!

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Confused Says:

Greenland is a place north of the north pole. Look right, and walk three steps. You're now in Timbuktu.

The Fair (Part 7)

Athena ran her hand down the side of the leather-bound book. Romulus looked over her shoulder.

"I see you're having fun reading all those books."

"Thanks for letting me in here."

"No problem. I am your godfather, after all, Athena."

"Yeah, I know."

They spent a little while in silence.

The doorbell rang.

Romulus ran to get it. Athena heard sounds of a scuffle, and locked the door.

Someone came upstairs.

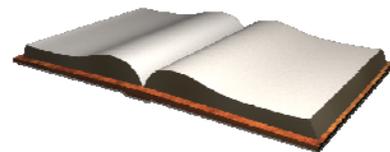
"Oy, open up the dur kney, lill' lassie," said a Scottish-sounding voice.

Athena said, "Who are you?"

"I'm Narsen McGuie, em-ployd by the 'mazin Jan Far-ar."

"What???"

"Who's yur budygard, buy ta wey?" *(To be continued)*



The book that Athena was reading