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Hail pelted horizontally against the snug house that a fisherman friend of the Soupster's had built for his family. Wind howled with gusts of 60 knots.

"Tell me the story about the pumpkins and the tuba, Poppa," said Gwendolyne, the fisherman's daughter, right then the snuggest person in the whole house. She was tucked in the bed her fisherman father had fashioned out of aromatic yellow cedar and her quilter mother had covered with colorful blankets.

The fisherman smiled: he had told her the pumpkin and tuba story many, many times, yet Gwendolyne kept asking for it.

"This young girl," he began, "grew up on the roof of a house in a fancy city of hills and fog. And when the fog blew away, she could see many stars from the roof."

As he told the story, the fisherman thought about being on the deck of his father's boat as a youngster, watching those same stars over calm Northern waters. Him on deck, his father snoring below. "This girl went to a special school," continued the fisherman, "where they taught you only two things. One was how to make food and share it with other children. The second was how to play a musical instrument.

"This particular girl loved to cut carrots. Although she was small, the teacher let her use an enormous knife. She made Julienne carrots, carrot salad and baked carrots stuffed with avocado and walnuts. Her classmates loved her."

"Why did she play the tuba?" asked Gwendolyne, jumping ahead in the story.

"This particular girl thought the tuba was

Happy Birthday, Maria, says the Soupster

lonely because nobody else had picked it," the fisherman said. "And she was also spirited and wanted to show how she could blow a big instrument even though she was small."

"The same as she could use a big knife!"

"That's right," said the fisherman. "Every year, the whole class would get on a bus and travel to the pumpkin patch to pick out a pumpkin for Halloween and to make pies and roast the seeds.

"This particular girl loved going to the pumpkin patch. Even more than cutting carrots. The huge, round, shiny pumpkins with their dramatic green vines were new and exciting.

"Then, the girl went to a bigger school, where she learned to play the tuba better than anyone. And after years and years at the school, they let her teach other children how to cut things and how to share them."

"And how to play musical instruments," Gwendolyne reminded him dreamily.

"One day, when she was much older, this particular girl found a job as a teacher. What she didn't know was that the job was in the very town with the pumpkin patch. Her very first day on the job, they had her take her tuba and play for the great-great-grandchild of a pumpkin she'd met years before."

Gwendolyne was asleep.

"After the fish is and iced in the hold," the fisherman's father had told him while they lolled on deck, under the starlight, "there's always time to take a minute out of the rush. To think about who you are and what you're doing. And who and what you love."

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in our community. Learn more about How to Protect Yourself & Others at the CDC page. Chamber announces return of Share Your Spark program for the upcoming holiday season, to encourage Sitkans to share their spark his holiday season. The program will begin December 1st, more details to come! Chamber Fall Speaker Series: Wed. Dec. 9: Dr. Paul Kraft & Joel Markis will give an

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ARTIST PROFILE

What would the holidays be without Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade?

That's the question Tyler Eddy asked himself early in this unusual year. His answer was to create Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in miniature in Legos for the front window of Harry Race.

Eddy and his companions-in-Lego-architecture, Aiden Kennedy and Greg George, have been doing the holiday season window in the Sitka pharmacy for five years now, as a labor of love and obsession.



"Every year has a theme," explained Eddy on the phone in mid-November. "Last year was Harry Potter, and another year it was Carnival. The theme is important because that's what gives direction to the project."

Eddy, who is married and has three kids, was born and raised in Sitka and has been a Lego enthusiast since childhood. He started collecting in 1984 at age 10. "I actually got started because of my older brother Tim, who went to Legoland."

When Tyler met & married his wife Sarah, "Our first decision was where to go on our honeymoon - it would have to be either Legoland or Egypt" (they ended up doing *both*). The couple honeymooned at the original Legoland in Denmark. Tyler has also done what he calls "field research" at

California Legoland and Legoland in Windsor, England.

"There are Legos in every room of the house. When we had kids, one of the first rules they learned was 'Don't Mess with Dad's Legos,'" Tyler chuckled. "I sort my Legos by piece. I have tubs in the attic and a desk that I use for building." The Sitkan likes building with Legos "because it's about remembering your childhood and building whatever you want to in your imagination."

Tyler & Sarah's kids are Calysta, 8, Scott, 13, and Isabella, 16. "Scott's probably the biggest Lego fan," says Tyler. "He especially likes to add lights. Calysta likes to have Lego people *doing* things like a woman painting a cat with a roller at City Hall." Every house or structure in the holiday window "has lights on the inside. When we first started you had to hand-solder the lighting. And this year's windows contain a total of 600+ mini-figures."

Tyler got his start building Lego storefront villages with his brother Dan Elstad at the REACH building in Juneau. "Then, one year I asked Trish and Dirk if we could put a Lego scene in their window."

Eddy eventually met "other people who do Legos, like Aiden Kennedy & Greg George. Aiden also collects; he might have a larger collection than me. I get together with them--or used to before Covid--a couple of times a week. This year we were able to build (the display) in an unused room at UAS. We then take it apart and move it all into the window - it takes anywhere from two to five hours to re-build it in the window."

Typically, the three Lego architects start planning months in advance and start building by June.

How has Covid-19 affected their process? "Well, there's not as much getting together and what there is, is with masks. But I have to say, Covid did cement this year's themes of 'Parade' and 'First Responders.'



Eddy's current day job is with the Ferry System at the Sitka Terminal. He's also done photography for 20 years, "mostly for fun and as a hobby" and does the "365 Alaska" Facebook page. "Sitka Volunteer Dive Captain Greg George did the smaller window this year, on First Responders. And Aiden Kennedy was all over, helping out on both windows."

Eddy adds (and one can picture the twinkle in his eyes), "There's an acronym--AFOL--Adult Fans of Lego, and that's a thing." In addition to enjoying the creation itself, he says, "I've also had a lot of fun with the Lego friendships I've made. That's actually more than half the fun!"

Anyone interested in the building process can see a slide show of this year's on Tyler Eddy's Facebook page. For the "I Spy" Contest, pick up an "I Spy" checklist from the front desk at Harry Race. Be sure to write your name, age & phone number for the prize drawing. Go see how many different things you can find in the window.

update on UAS. Wed. Dec. 16: Virtual Chamber Open House. If you have already registered for the Series, please use the same Zoom link. A reminder email will be sent out 1 hour before the event. 7685fc13d1a1f130

UAS Holiday Food

Drives - There will be another UAS Food Drive for Christmas, with a deadline of Dec. 22nd. Christmas donations will go to the Sitka Salvation Army. UAS campus members can drop off donations at the Atrium, and members of the public who wish to donate should contact Emy Roles

at 747-7721 or aroles@alaska.edu, to schedule a meet-up time for donations. 6015fb7e0032e689

Visit Sitka Updates

– From the Nov. 20th Chamber/Visit Sitka Newsletter: On Tues., Nov. 24th, the Assembly had a Reading of Emergency Ordinance ORD20-55, limiting capacity at all bars, restaurants and other large gatherings. The Chamber encourages business owners, especially, to review the ordinance & understand the new guidance. On Nov. 12, 2020 Gov. Dunleavy announced executive actions re: COVID-19. Go to Alaska.gov/newsroom to view the press release. To review ALL State of Alaska COVID-19 Outbreak Health Orders, go to Covid19.alaska.gov. State Business

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Arts, Entertainment, Shopping

Music Amid Covid-19 – Pres. by Sitka Music Festival at <https://sitkamusicfestival.org/special-online-content/1115f8206b9ea2af>

Fine Arts Camp Message from Roger Schmidt - This fall, SFAC staff have created a plan for Camp 2021. Our plan is based on the current reality of COVID-19 with a multi-layered approach to risk mitigation using recommendations from the CDC, the American Camp Association, the AK DHSS and our regional medical provider and partner, SEARHC. That being said, our plan is flexible, allowing us to react to changes between now and the summer. We will open registration, as we traditionally have, at midnight on January 1. Our current plan has reduced enrollment and we expect space will fill quickly. We recommend registering early. Q&A Sessions will be held Tues. 12/1 and Tues. 12/8 at noon AK time.

To sign up for Q&A and receive Zoom link, go to SFAC PSA on SitkaSoup.com; the PSA on the Soup website also contains a link to the SFAC Covid-Mitigation Plan. 355fbd469216257

Virtual Art Walk 2020 - Celebrate Sitka Art Walk continues. GSAC & Visit Sitka are hosting an art walk event that can be enjoyed completely online at www.sitkaartscouncil.org/virtual-art-walk-map OR in person during the holiday season. Local businesses, artists & musicians are expected to participate. GSAC has an Interactive Map (on its website) More info. available at SitkaArtsCouncil.org & on Facebook. Questions? Contact Rain at (907) 268-1828 or rainvdbconsulting@gmail.com. 5895fac23d555bf7



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The U.S. Postal Service has tapped a Tlingit artist based in Juneau to create a Northwest Coast art stamp for distribution in 2021. The design of the stamp, titled "Raven Story" by Rico Lanáat' Worl, was unveiled this week by the Postal Service as part of its Forever Stamps series. SHI is working with the agency to hold a release ceremony next year.



Sealaska Heritage Institute
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Monthly Grind Updates -
 Seeking performers for the Dec 12th Holiday Grind. If you are interested, please record your presentation and get it to Jeanne Stolberg by Dec. 1. The show will be produced and shown on Sitka Monthly Grind's Facebook page and YouTube channel starting Dec. 12. For questions, contact Jeanne at sitkajean@gmail.com or at 738-8083 or Jeff at 747-4821. 3745fad71e27f8c1

Food

Home Food Preserving -
 Saturday, Dec. 19, 1-4pm
 Sarah Lewis UAF Juneau

Coop Ext. will teach An Extension Kitchen: Canning Cranberry Sauces. Class costs \$10 each and will be hosted using Zoom. Register for the classes and see more info at <https://bit.ly/extensionkitchenclasses>. Contact Sarah at sarah.lewis@alaska.edu. 1045f7222a0d600b

Marine & Maritime

Mariner's CPR & 1st Aid Class - Sat. 12/12 from 8am - 3pm at NSRAA
 - AMSEA will offer a

Mariner's First Aid & CPR/AED class. The cost for the class is \$100, incl. sales tax. Interested mariners may register online at www.amsea.org or call (907) 747-3287. Instructor Rob Emley

will cover many topics – for a complete listing, see PSA on SitkaSoup.com. Attendees will receive a USCG-accepted, 2-year certificate issued by the American Safety & Health

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Answer on page 14

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Unified Command

On Nov. 11 John Leach reported COVID-19 cases are increasing. Wastewater tests exhibited COVID-19 in our wastewater, which suggests community transmission is taking place. Resolution 2020-30 was approved by CBS Assembly, encouraging people to continue COVID-19 prevention efforts. For case counts and mitigation recommendations go to

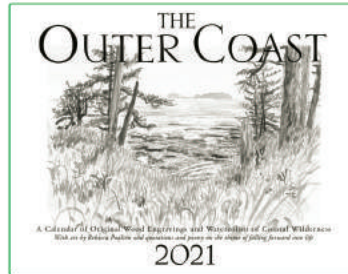
cityofsitka.org/. Social media messaging has included: interstate travel requirements, encouraging residents to test if they're traveling within Alaska, reminding citizens that face coverings are required in CBS facilities, stigma related to COVID-19, local mitigation guidance for Sitka & resources from DHSS pertaining to steps to take after testing and contacts. Free asymptomatic testing has stopped with SEARHC; they are now prioritizing symptomatic testing. People are reminded to call the COVID-19 hotline at 907-966-8799 to schedule an appt. for a test. Asymptomatic testing is still available for those needing to travel for a \$145 fee. Please quarantine and test if you know you

have been in contact with a positive individual. When you do test, give correct and accurate contact information. Janelle Vanasse of MEHS said they received a positive test result on campus, they are isolating, and the school is in the process of contact tracing. Sitka School Dist. - Sup. John Holst spoke

of how the district started with Virtual Instruction on Nov. 11, as there is a risk and the numbers in the community have become too high to stay open.

PLEASE remain diligent and practice proper hygiene - Wash your hands often, Avoid close contact with others, Keep

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To the left is an illustration designed by Maurice Sendak for The Juniper Tree and Other Tales from Grimm - a selection of 27 Brother's Grimm stories translated by Lore Segal (four tales translated by Randall Jarrell), with pictures by Maurice Sendak.

The particular tale illustrated at left is "The Poor Miller's Boy and the Little Cat."

Author & translator Lore Segal was born in Vienna, Austria, in 1928. At age 10, she was evacuated to England on the first wave of Kindertransport in 1938. In 1951, she and her mother emigrated to the U.S.

American illustrator and writer of children's books Maurice Sendak was born in Brooklyn, New York, also in 1928, to Polish Jewish immigrant parents. He became widely known for his book Where the Wild Things Are, first published in 1963.

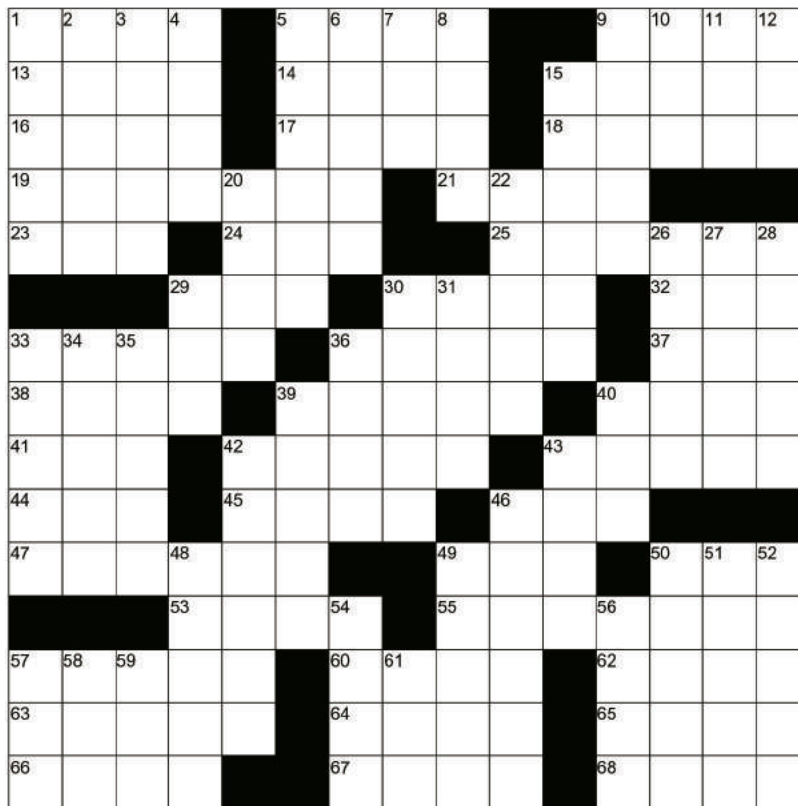
Happy Hanukkah from The Sitka Soup

The Poor Miller's Boy & the Little Cat (in praise of storytelling)

The Nat Mandel Sitka Trivia Crossword - Ep. 58

ACROSS

- 1 Naughty pixies (depicted w/masks in 2020?)
- 5 Toad
- 9 Baths
- 13 Antediluvian patriarch. in Genesis (& in the Quran)
- 14 Exotic
- 15 Sancho Panza is "escudero" to Don Quixote, though he's also called ____
- 16 Word for old tales, or 1st name of refugee Segal who survived WWII via Dec. 1938 Kindertransport
- 17 Declare
- 18 What some do w/ donkeys & camels (2 wds)
- 19 Suspicious look
- 21 ____er is an ancient trade & oft-found character (Canterbury Tales, anyone?)
- 23 Aye, say Scots & sailors
- 24 Pallid
- 25 When you want chili, or a used car in Georgia
- 29 ____olute zero is lowest thermodynamic limit
- 30 "Prepared food" area of grocery stores (e.g. AC Lakeside or Sea Mart)**
- 32 Small ____ series from Br. filmmaker McQueen incl. "Lovers Rock"
- 33 Fast food chain started by Allen & Wright in CA in 1919 (drive-thru & carhops)
- 36 South part noted for good films; north for over-the-top rulers?
- 37 When parents coordinate w/teachers
- 38 ____ Grimm tales translated by Lore Segal in 1973 (incl. The Poor Miller's Boy and the Little Cat")
- 39 Loud nose sound (may denote derision)
- 40 Energy in Scotland (or \$ in Ethiopia)
- 41 The story of Hanukkah: this was only supposed to last for one night but instead lasted for eight
- 42 If there were *more than*



- one Armenian Canadian writer-directors named Egoyan?
- 43 Barbarian, or Holmes creator?
- 44 So. of Canada, no. of Mexico
- 45 Chatters
- 46 Made a hole
- 47 Framework for drying cloth
- 49 Dads (e.g., of Abe or Tad)
- 50 Gossip
- 53 Pear type
- 55 Partners w/Holmes (in every sense of the word), says L.R. King
- 57 Register
- 60 Ibn Khaldun was 14th century ____ scholar of Islam
- 62 Upon
- 63 Valid
- 64 Fish receptacle**
- 65 Sandwich cookie
- 66 The Juniper ____ was translated by Segal, illus. by Sendak**

- (whose Wild Things maybe at OHB?)**
- 67 Parable of the sower had one?
- 68 Bill Gates? Mark Zuckerberg?

DOWN

- 1 Type of wood
- 2 Elk-like animal
- 3 This "and rec" is lively CBS dept. AND famous TV show 2009-2015**
- 4 Sitkan Peg ____**
- 5 Affray
- 6 Entity whose story is told by Tlingit artist Rico Lanat Worl in new U.S. postage stamp**
- 7 Old abbrev. for Oregon
- 8 Bacterium, or maybe more important these days, virus
- 9 Scent
- 10 Hole
- 11 Gone by

- 12 Prodigal parable subject (Luke 15: 11-32)
- 15 One of three Graces
- 20 Northwest by west
- 22 Deep one, so. of Sitka**
- 26 Russian patronymic or rabbit
- 27 Small movie part (often in crowd)
- 28 Hanker
- 29 These are ethically suspect, per Bill McKibben, when they promote distortions re: fossil fuels
- 30 Ruins
- 31 Goofs
- 33 ____ a Boy was early film of Nicholas Hoult, from Nick Hornby novel
- 34 Get up
- 35 This Chris (nonlinear storyteller) directed Memento & Tenet
- 36 Door handle
- 39 Raven tries to hold onto as many as he can, per article on Sealaska Heritage site**
- 40 Fen
- 42 Ancient (2 wds.)
- 43 Swear
- 46 Smear
- 48 Guitarist Burnett (played w/Dylan & did "O Brother, Where Art Thou?" soundtrack)
- 49 Prattle
- 50 Category with agreed-upon conventions
- 51 Change
- 52 "____ quantum" is fraught topic & 2020 Canadian Indigenous film
- 54 They washed & dressed the Poor Miller's Boy
- 56 Anon
- 57 Portland, ME time now
- 58 ____ a Marks Dauenhauer was Tlingit poet, short story writer & language scholar**
- 59 Herb-of-grace, said Ophelia; native to Balkin peninsula
- 61 ____-on-kelp is one SE AK fishery**

your social circle small, Stay Home if you feel ill, Wear a face covering when around others, Clean & disinfect objects & surfaces on a regular basis. COVID-19 symptoms are similar to the flu -fever, aching, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, and sometimes decreased sense of taste and smell. If you are concerned you might have contracted the

coronavirus contact the COVID hotline at 966-8799 from 8am-5pm. Outside of normal clinic hours patients can contact the SEARHC 24/7 Nurse Advice Line at 1 (800) 613-0560 to be triaged by an RN. The Emergency Operations Center encourages residents to prepare for any local emergency by ensuring each family member has a 14-day

emergency supply kit, including any necessary medications. For info on the local pandemic response, visit cityofsitka.org or covid19.searhc.org. 245fb548ab822d1

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Sometimes children are given names which reflect a trait the parent would like their children to possess, such as Faith, Hope, Charity, Prudence, Patience. Other times, parents may seek a connection to another time or country, such as with Shannon, Pierre or Makela.

Most popular baby names in Alaska - 2019

- | | |
|-----------|--------|
| Aurora | Liam |
| Amelia | Oliver |
| Charlotte | Henry |
| Olivia | James |
| Sophia | Noah |

Shakespeare said, "That which we call a rose by any other name would smell as sweet"

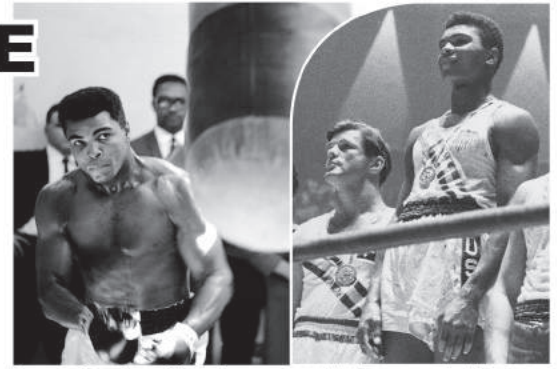
He meant that someone's name may not truly reflect who they are. What do you think about that?"



Kim, Gail/Gale, Ashley, Carol, Stacy & Tracy

are all names which which have been gender-variable. Likewise with Misha, Sasha & Pasha.

Sometimes a name is used as a sort of "Get out of jail free" card, as in the classic fairy tale Rumpelstiltskin!

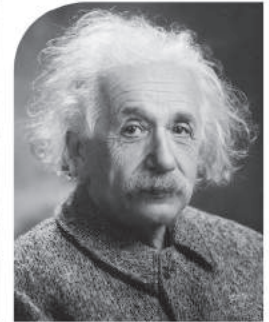


Boxer Cassius Clay became Muhammad Ali upon converting to Islam. Left: Ali training in 1966. Right: Clay as the light heavyweight gold medal winner at the 1960 Summer Olympics in Rome. Getty Images / Magnum Images

As we grow, change and have new experiences, what we call ourselves may change as well. People as they get older may change their names for different reasons: religion, adopting or acquiring a nickname, or to not be confused with other people.



Albert Brooks



Albert Einstein

Comedian and filmmaker Albert Brooks was born Albert Lawrence Einstein, before changing his professional name.

Brooks joked, "The real Albert Einstein changed his name to sound more intelligent."

Taking on the surname "Brooks" was in homage to funnyman Mel Brooks.



Mel Brooks

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