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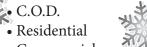


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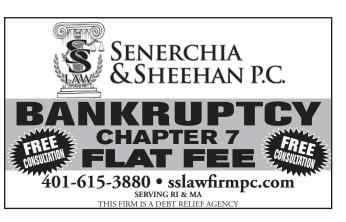
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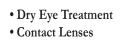


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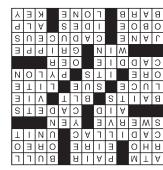
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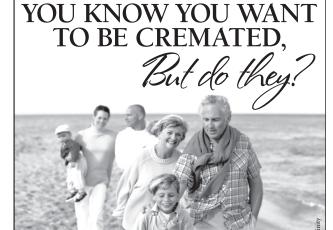
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New Furnace? Don't Shut Heat Registers

O In a recent column, you advised readers to shut heating registers in unused rooms to save energy. However, that may not be completely correct. I recently had a high-efficiency furnace installed. The technician told me not to shut off heating registers in unused rooms, as it could damage the furnace. So, shutting the registers doesn't always apply if you have a new furnace. — Sandy, via e-mail

A • Thanks for the update! I looked into guidelines for newer, high-efficiency forced-air furnaces and found that, indeed, HVAC experts recommend against arbitrarily shutting off registers in unused rooms.

There are a number of reasons for this. The newer furnaces are configured to heat your entire home's square footage in the most efficient way possible. Start shutting off registers and that setup no longer works, as the parameters of the system has been changed.

Shutting off several registers can affect the blower motor in particular, according to the Energy Vanguard (www.energyvanguard.com) post "Can You Save Money by Closing HVAC Vents in Unused Rooms." Newer systems feature both registers and air return ducts in each room. Shut off the register, and the air return is affected as well, increasing air pressure and forcing the blower to work harder to circulate warm air back into the house.

Air ducts in newer systems also are

not normally sealed, the blog notes. So when the return air pressure goes up, air begins to escape from the duct system itself, forcing the blower to work harder to draw enough air to heat.

Low airflow over other components of a high-efficiency system can cause problems, too. The heating coils actually can get too hot, as can the heat exchanger, increasing the risk that it could crack - releasing exhaust gases, including carbon monoxide, into vour home.

So, does that mean heating registers should never, ever be shut? The answer to this is to talk to your HVAC contractor. While Energy Vanguard notes that one or two temporarily closed registers shouldn't negatively affect the system, it's better to ask than to wonder



Going on a trip this winter? Don't turn off the heating system: Set the thermostat to 55 degrees F,

which will reduce the energy bill while preventing pipes from freez-

What if you're not sure if you have a high-efficiency system? What if you have an older heating system, or a zoned system? Then it's time to schedule a checkup with a heating and air-conditioning professional, who can tell you the best way to manage your particular heating system.

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News For Older Americans

Prepare For Long-Term Care

(NAPS)-As Americans live longer, the prospect of becoming a caregiver or needing one is an undeniable reality. In fact, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services estimates that 70 percent of adults 65 or older will require some form of long-term care ("LTC"). Despite the clear need, the majority of Americans have not taken proactive steps to address care for themselves or their loved ones—but you don't have to be among them.

Findings from Northwestern Mutual's 2014 Long-Term Care Study revealed that even though three-quarters of individuals agreed that planning is important as longevity increases, just a fraction have spoken to family members about their wishes or discussed their own preferences. Of those who have considered LTC planning, the majority expect to rely on personal savings, which may be unrealistic, as a private room in a U.S. assisted living facility or nursing home can average \$38,000 and \$90,000 per year, respectively, according to data from Northwestern Mutual's Cost of Long-Term Study. Moreover, since AARP research indicates that 87 percent of Americans rely on unpaid or informal caregivers, it is not surprising that more than half of future caregivers in Northwestern Mutual's Long-Term Care Study believe that caregiving will affect their budgets and retirement savings.

According to Steve Sperka, vice president of long-term care at Northwestern Mutual, the significant financial and lifestyle implications of caregiving should elevate planning for LTC to a key priority. "Our new study confirms what we have heard firsthand from clients-that fulfilling caregiving obligations can take a serious economic and emotional toll on families," said Sperka. "Care-



It's a good idea for a family to plan for long-term care.

givers, particularly members of the Sandwich Generation simultaneously providing for young children and elderly relatives, are sacrificing family time and career opportunities while in their professional prime.

The good news is that it is possible to take control of your potential long-term care needs and help ensure clarity for the future in the event of an unexpected illness or condition. To protect income and assets and mitigate the stress and uncertainty that accompany difficult long-term care events, Sperka suggests the following:

 Recognize that you have options. While it is optimal to get a jump start on long-term care planning, there are a range of considerations be integrated into your financial security planning.

· Have a candid conversation. Long-term care is a challenging topic but understanding your family member's wishes and expectations for care as well as communicating your own is the key to building a sound retirement plan.

 Talk to a financial professional. Do not underestimate the value of expert guidance in navigating complex scenarios and tailoring a strategy that will align with your individual goals, needs and resources.

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Note to Editors: Although November is Long-Term Care Awareness Month, this article can be useful to your readers at any time.

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. How is TCU ranked third to end the season when they weren't in the final four selected for the playoff? — Artie in Middle-

A:Human error.

How is setting fires a form of celebration? Seems like college students should be smart enough to come up with somemore appropriate. – in Columbus

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officials would be smart enough to recognize this and provide a safer alternative for students — perhaps bonfires staffed by actual firemen in streets cordoned off by officers of the peace who were there for the students' safety, instead of the way it was handled in Columbus, Ohio, after the big win. No, there they decided to just attack students with tear gas and threaten their arrest, fanning the flames of riot and civil disobedience. Brilliant!

Just watched the video (of the "riots"). Cammo? Really? It would seem that in confronting a crowd, the goal would be to announce a police presence, not make them blend into the shrub-Reader in Columbus

A • Maybe the Ohio officials were caught by surprise, what with Cleveland and Cincinnati's rich tradition of winning professional championships year-in and year-out. Maybe they figured fans wouldn't care and would just go to bed after the game. Maybe they thought that Ohio's pristine reputation for coddling students during campus protests — and not in any way, shape or form inspiring protest anthems from Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young would be enough of a deterrent. Maybe the police were on a mission from the Knights Who Say "Ni"!

Was this even a question? Actually, we may not have all the answers. Great game, though. Congratulations, Ohio State.

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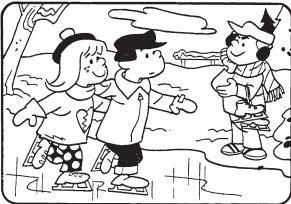
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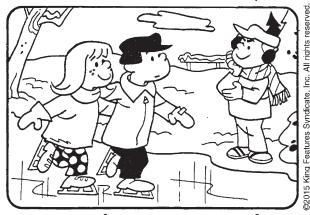
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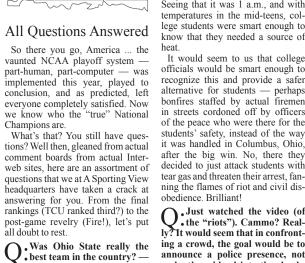


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COVENTRY SMALL BUSINESS FORUM

Councilwomen Karen Carlson (District 1) & Tammy Duxbury (District 5), invite all Coventry Small Business Owners to attend the 3rd Forum on February 4 from 7-9PM at the Westwood Estates Clubhouse, 1A Liena Rose Way, Coventry. They are seeking feedback from you on how Coventry can improve the small business climate in our town. All Coventry small businesses are invited to participate. For more information and/or registration contact Tammy at 742-6440 or tduxbury2014@gmail.com



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• I have a bowl marked Dedham • and wonder where it originated and if it is worth keeping. — Sam, Morgantown, Virginia

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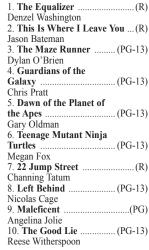
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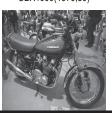
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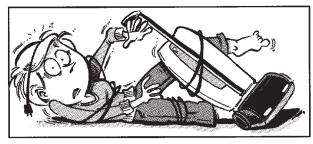


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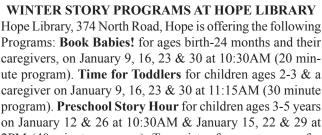


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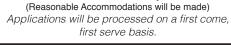
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PHENIX SPORTSMEN'S CLUB VALENTINE'S **DINNER DANCE**

The Phenix Sportsmen's Club, 715 Main Street, West Warwick, will hold a Valentine's Dinner Dance on February 14 at 6:30PM. Tickets are \$12.50/person.





it. Everyone else is, so let's join in! I'm talking about a different kind of pressure. I'm not the biggest football fan, but the pressure does get put on everyone. Do I watch the game at home? Or should I join friends. Suppose they are too noisy, and I don't enjoy it. Should we have chicken wings, and should they be hot, spicy or regular. Do we go with nachos, and if so, do we want hot melted cheese spread, or do we want guacamole? Oh the pressure. Then there is the big dilemma. Do I wear the one Patriots' hoody that I have, or just go incognito, in something plain (that would be hard for me to do)? Maybe, I should call one of my friends on the west coast and have them send me an opposing team shirt? Just for kicks? The only kick I would get would be out! The pressure... Game day grows closer, and the pressure is on. Do I have time to read THE REMINDER, or should I drop off my drycleaning at CRYSTAL? No time for that. I've got banners to print, Patriot napkins to fold, and the biggest thing? Deciding whether it's the pointed ball or the round ball they are talking about...so much for pressure!! Enjoy the game.



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The West Greenwich Happy Seniors are looking for new members. This group meets (2) Mondays per month at the West Greenwich Elks Lodge on Rte. 3. They play Bingo and go out to eat at local restaurants. Call Jean at 822-9144 for more information.

IGA RECEIPTS FOR LIBRARIES OF FOSTER

The Libraries of Foster are still collecting IGA grocery receipts. They are able to put them to good use.

BOY SCOUT TROOP #31 CROMPTON PASTA DINNER

Boy Scout Troop 31 Crompton will hold a Pasta Dinner Fundraiser on February 7 from 5-8PM at VFW Post 449, 197 Providence Street, West Warwick. Donation is \$8/person. For tickets, call 822-0987 or email mgauvinlmt@gmail.com

WEST WARWICK PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOK CLUBS

West Warwick Public Library, 1043 Main Street, West Warwick offers two Book Clubs which meet monthly. The Adult **Book Group** will meet on Tuesday, February 24 at 7PM and Wednesday, February 25 at 2PM to discuss "Z: A Novel of Zelda Fitzgerald" by Therese Fowler. An alternative genre book group "Geek Reads", will meet on Tuesday, February 3 at 7PM to discuss "The Left Hand of Darkness" by Ursula K. LeGuin. New members are always welcome at all of these discussions. For information call the library at 828-3750, Ext. 4 or email ref@wwlibrary.org

ECO FILM SHOWING AT LOUTTIT LIBRARY

The Louttit Library, located at 274 Victory Highway (Rte. 102), West Greenwich, directly next door to the Town Hall, will be showing videos about climate change and how it will affect all of us in the days ahead. Videos directly pointing to the impact that climate change is having on our environment will be shown on February 10, March 10 & April 14 at 7PM. Discussion is encouraged. For more information, call Hollie at 385-9876.

BOY SCOUT TROOP #31 MEETINGS

Boy Scout Troop 31 meets Wednesday nights at 7PM at Christ the King Church. All boys ages 10-17 are welcome.

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YOGA CLASS AT WEST WARWICK SENIOR **CENTER**

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COVENTRY PUBLIC LIBRARY PRESENTS

The Coventry Public Library will host a program about endangered species around the world & in their own backyards presented by the Audubon Society of RI on February 17 at 10:30AM. This program is for children in Grades 1-5 and will feature a live animal. Registration is required and begins on February 2. Please call 822-9102 for more information.

LOUTTIT LIBRARY HOURS

Louttit Library, 274 Victory Highway, West Greenwich will hold a storytime with Miss Shannon on Mondays at 10:30 AM. This is geared for preschool aged children and their caregivers. No registration necessary.

COVENTRY PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENING **STORYTIMES**

The Coventry Public Library, 1672 Flat River Road, Coventry, will offer Evening Storytimes for children ages 3-8 on Wednesdays at 6:30PM as follows: January 21 & 28, February 4, 11 & 25, March 4 & 11. Children are invited to attend these programs featuring stories, activities & crafts in their pajamas and slippers if they wish. No registration is required. Call 822-9102 for more information.

SEEKING RESPONSIBLE DOG LOVERS TO PROVIDE FOSTER CARE

The Little Rhodie Bully Breed Club, a RI based non-profit group, is seeking caring, responsible dog lovers to provide foster care for bully breed & bully breed mix dogs while they await adoption into their forever homes. We are also seeking volunteers to assist with fundraising and educational events. For more information, please contact Susan Parker, President of the Little Rhodie Bully Breed Club, 823-8851.

WESTERN RI CIVIC HISTORIC SOCIETY SEEKS **PHOTOS**

The Western RI Civic Historical Society is looking for historic photos of Kent County for their archives. This includes photos of Coventry, East Greenwich, Warwick, West Greenwich & West Warwick. Years ranging from 1800-1950. Original photos will be returned to the owners. Call 822-5356, leave

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WEST WARWICK AARP CHAPTER 2210 MEETINGS

West Warwick AARP Chapter 2210 meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at St. Mary's Church Hall, Church Street, West Warwick. All Seniors are welcome to join them for social interaction. Any person with a National AARP Card is eligible to join this Chapter, and getting a National AARP Card is quite simple once you reach age 50. For more information call Maureen at 828-5188.

WII GAMES AT COVENTRY SENIOR CENTER

The Coventry Senior Center, 50 Wood Street, Coventry, invites Seniors to play Wii games on Thursday afternoons. They offer golf, baseball or bowling and also have purchased Wii Fit.

COMPUTER CLASSES AT WEST WARWICK PULIC LIBRARY

The West Warwick Public Library, 1043 Main Street, West Warwick, will offer the following classes in February: MS Word 2007 - Part 1 on February 2 from 7-8PM, Part 2 on February 9 from 7-8PM & Part 3 on February 23 from 7-8PM. Tech Drop-In Sessions - February 10 & 24 from 12-2PM & 5-7PM. No registration required. Online Dating 101 - February 10 from 7-8PM. Computer Basics Workshop - Keyboard & Mouse on February 4 from 10-11AM, Terminology on February 11 from 10-11AM, Intro to Internet on February 18 from 10-11AM & Intro to Email on February 25 from 10-1AM. This is a 4-part Workshop and it is recommended all sessions are attended. These are free classes and are open to everyone. Registration required. To register or for more information, please call 828-3750, Ext. 4.

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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Be careful not to get involved in other people's disputes unless you know the facts behind the disagreements. That's the best way to be assured of making wise and honest decisions.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You still need to be careful about how you're going to spend those energy reserves you finally got around to restoring. Best advice: Avoid overdoing it. Let things take their course.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your aspect continues to favor travel—alone or with that special person. So if you've been putting off making those getaway plans, it's still a good time to get started on them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Those so-called golden opportunities that continue to dazzle the Lion still need to be carefully checked out. Be suspicious about anything that looks like the "perfect" prospect.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Changes at the workplace could make it more difficult to do things the way you prefer. But the wise Virgo who shows some flexibility could find it paying off in a big way.

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LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You might want to check out the explanation you were given for a sudden shift in your duties. There's a possibility that you haven't been told all the facts that you deserve to know.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Having confidence in your abilities is important, especially when you could be facing a new challenge, whether it's in the workplace or in a personal relationship. Good luck.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A new work-related opportunity might not be all that it seems. Before making any decisions, you might want to check with others who have had some experience in that area.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A situation involving someone close could benefit from your timely intervention. Avoid being judgmental. There'll be plenty of time later for those "little talks" you like to have

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Travel could be a surprise element in that new project. Be prepared for other previously undisclosed aspects that also might come to light as you proceed with the work.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Try to balance your work-related responsibilities with the time you're spending on your recently revived social life. An old friend might be planning to return after a long absence.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your sensitivity makes you aware of the needs of others. Have you considered a career as a counselor?

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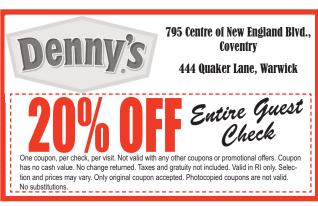




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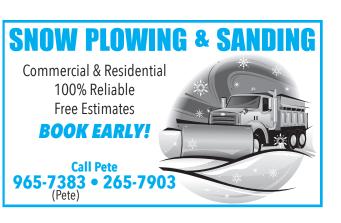


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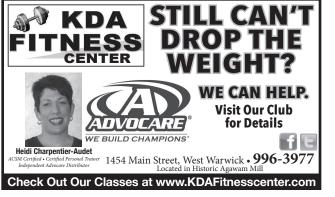
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7. Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb (PG) Ben Stiller, Robin Williams .(PG) 8. Annie Quvenzhane Wallis, Cameron Diaz 9. The Woman in Black 2: Angel of Death . (PG-13) Helen McCrory, Jeremy Irvine 10. The Hunger Games: Mockingjay — Part 1. Jennifer Lawrence, Josh Hutcherson

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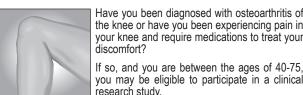
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