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from the editor...



Hello, All,

A very full issue this month to start the new year! On page 2 there is an important notice from the Executive Committee (ExComm) regarding the placement of a new Treasurer, and on p03, we hear from Chris Leek, Chairman of British Mensa.

On p05, Therese Moodie-Bloom, a former Director of Administration, reports on the 2019 IBD meeting in Kuala Lumpur, and on p06, we meet our newly-appointed Honorary President, Udo Schultz!

The President of Mensa India tells us of Project Dhruv (which assists disadvantaged Indian youth) on p07, and on p08 there is a member profile of Tadija Miletic, a multi-talented Serbian member.

Stalwart contributor John Blinke brings us his take on ancient skilled trades on p10, while Therese's Teasers are on p12.

Happy reading,
Kate

Cover photo courtesy Leonard Wong

from the executive committee (excomm)

International Treasurer

At the end of the meeting of the International Board of Directors (IBD) in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, the board voted to remove the International Treasurer Mr Rudi Challupner from office. This was done in accordance with the Constitution of Mensa, section VIII.8, through a majority vote on a removal motion. The specific reason stated was "nonfeasance", and the treasurer was given an opportunity for his views to be presented. There were no financial

irregularities involved, nor any financial loss to MIL.

The IBD is currently in the middle of the process of appointing a replacement, and by the time you read this, the position is expected to have been filled for several weeks; please refer to mensa.org/news for information on the new treasurer.

Björn Liljeqvist, on behalf of the Executive Committee

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For more than 46 years, Isolated M's newsletter (fondly referred to as the *Little Green Rag*) has served as a communications link among Mensans scattered around the world – currently in 78 countries from A to V (Andorra to Vietnam). Discover how Mensans cope in remote areas, share your travel adventures, ferret out the feghoots, chuckle at sophomoric humour, or contribute your own wacky illustrations.

Please note that Therese's puzzles on p 12 may be used to advertise Mensa in promotional material in any country, so long as credit is given to the MWJ and its editor.

from the excomm

Congratulations to Mensa Malaysia for a thoroughly enjoyable and very well-run IBD meeting. Outside the formal sessions there were plenty of opportunities to socialize and network, and the post-IBD tour was fascinating. Thank you to our hosts for a stimulating gathering, a true meeting of minds.

It was my 22nd consecutive IBD meeting, and I never tire of learning about the initiatives of Mensa groups around the world, both from the annual report submitted by each group and from formal and informal discussions in person.

An important aspiration of Mensa is to identify and nurture the gifted, in particular gifted children, and this is a focus for many national groups. Some of the help provided is direct financial assistance. Australian Mensa, for instance, provides annually grants of about A\$18,000 for gifted children. The American 'Mensa Foundation' offers a range of scholarships, with six international awards this year to students from four countries. An additional USD \$1,000 scholarship has just been added due to the generosity of Mensa Sweden, which provided the funding.

Recognition of and support for gifted youngsters is also a priority. Sweden provides free training on giftedness for school personnel, and is a partner in an initiative managed by Mensa Serbia. EU funding in excess of €25,000, granted through the

ERASMUS+ programme, will finance a project "Teachers for the Gifted," scheduled to run from November 2019 to October 2020.

Mensa India, in addition to the *Dhruv Project* (see article on page 7), runs the *Tribal Mensa Nurturing Program* (www.tribalmensa.org) for gifted children from socially and economically underprivileged backgrounds, primarily in rural areas. Mensa India also participated in the round table conference held by the Apex body of the government of India, involved in the education of gifted children, and has, at the Apex body's request, submitted a proposal to conduct testing and mentoring on a larger scale.

Greece has a wide-ranging gifted children program, with special interest groups for those aged 4-17 and courses run in Athens, Patras and Salonica, attended by over 270 children. Their *Mensa Summer Science Camp*, taking place over three weeks, is now in its fifth year. Slovakia organizes a three week camp for gifted children, as well as a very popular Slovak *IQ Olympiad*. Mensa Germany likewise runs camps for gifted children, at Easter and during the summer.

The Czech Republic holds 2-3 gatherings per year for gifted children and their families, and



separate seminars for the gifted aged 12-19. They are starting a new project *Škola4*, using Abaku Education, to improve education quality in 5 pilot schools and increase math skills in 100 schools. Their annual *Logical Olympiad* continues to go from strength to strength, with 61,000 children and students, and 4,000 teachers having been involved in 2018.

British Mensa hosts an annual *Future Paths* event, for students who are considering applying to Oxbridge. Hosted by Oxford and Cambridge colleges, it provides advice and guidance on the applications process, with speakers from the universities, including admissions tutors, and motivational speakers from various professions.

Mensa Germany is launching a far-reaching project in collaboration with the Ferry-Porsche Foundation,

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what's on...



Log into the International website at www.mensa.org for the calendar of national events

Writing for the MWJ

The Mensa World Journal is your magazine and it would be wonderful if you were to share your thoughts with the rest of the Mensa world. By and large, most of the articles are written by Mensans - for Mensans - and the opportunity is there for you to be one of these authors.

Please limit your article length to 600 words and send it to Kate, mwjeditor@mensa.org. Please also include your National Mensa and your membership number.

book review

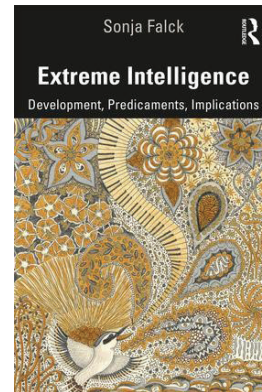
by Noks Nauta

Sonja Falck: *Extreme Intelligence*
Abingdon: Routledge 2019.

The author wrote this book on the basis of many years working in a psychotherapy practice where she saw many gifted adults. She also carried out research in a large group of Mensa members in the UK and studied literature on highly-intelligent people. The focus of this book is the interpersonal implications of giftedness. The social development of the gifted is explored as well as the implications of this for the personal and professional domain of these persons.

As many gifted people describe the implications of their giftedness in interpersonal contacts, and often in a negative way, this book is very relevant. There is considerable suffering and a need for more knowledge. This is the first book I know that really goes deeply into the interpersonal issues of gifted adults. As a psychotherapist, the author is well-qualified to research this.

Sonja Falck describes in a clear and empathic way the many interpersonal issues that highly intelligent adults experience. She uses the concept 'attachment' as a central theme. She explains interpersonal issues of the gifted by a compact but thorough description of relevant literature and by many quotations from the interviews she performed herself with highly intelligent people. She combines the examples from the interviews with the literature



she studied. In this way, readers understand how the gifted adult experiences life in interpersonal aspects. And this understanding will help to find ways to improve their situation.

The book is well-documented (which highly-intelligent readers will certainly appreciate) and the many personal stories will lead to considerable recognition. Sonja listens well in the interviews and really understands what the interviewees tell her. The quotations will help gifted adults and professionals working with them to recognize these issues.

This book will help highly-intelligent people and people around them (professionals and partners/family/friends) to better understand interpersonal processes related to giftedness. The gifted will feel acknowledgement of their experiences, they will understand more of the processes that have started earlier in life and they will be motivated to work on these issues.

As a result I hope this will lead to the greater wellbeing of gifted people. In this way they can use their talents more, and also improve the world around them.

Noks Nauta, PhD, MD, psychologist, member Mensa The Netherlands, honorary board member of the Gifted Adults Foundation, Netherlands.

IBD Meeting 2019

The International Board of Directors, 2019

The International Board of Directors (IBD) sets policy for Mensa International. In October of 2019, members met in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, for their annual face-to-face board meeting.

Although the two-and-a-half day meeting conducts serious business for the society, it also provides an opportunity for the chairmen of each country to mix socially and discuss problems, ideas, and innovations with each other in an informal atmosphere. A tradition of social activities has grown around the weekend, with cultural tours and social events arranged for those who are not members of the Board (partners, interested national board members, appointees, local Mensans, children, travelling Mensans etc). There were close on 200 registrants from around the world.

The October 2019 meeting included a Youth Festival, an International Volunteers Day constituting officers from countries around the globe sharing development strategies, a trip to see how Royal Selangor Pewter is produced, visits to cultural spots, karaoke sessions, games, puzzles, competitions, a treasure hunt through the streets of Kuala Lumpur, and welcome breaks exchanging news in the various bars and cafes of the meeting venue.



All Mensa members from any country are free to observe all, or parts, of the IBD meeting, with the opportunity to see how the formal Mensa business meetings are run and how our policies develop. The 2019 meeting trialed a new tool which has been developed to help facilitate voting and debate in real-time at IBD meetings. Historically, the IBD relies on the meeting chair to keep track of the list of speakers and on independent human tellers to count each vote in all cases where acclamation (shouting “aye/nay”) does not apply. This year the custom-built tool trialed those tasks through an online interface. The digital speaker list enabled Chairman Bjorn Liljeqvist to keep to a strict but reasonable timetable, managing to complete the full agenda whilst giving several presentations himself.

Some of the policies proposals, presentations and discussions at the October Meeting included:

- updates to the duties and roles of various officers, updates to

- appointment processes;
- proposed change to the Mensa Constitution to limit internationally elected officers to a maximum of two terms in the same office;
- development of our own entry test;
- common problems with dysfunctional members and how to solve them;
- a presentation from the International Ombudsman on what constitutes a Fair Hearing;
- appointment of International Officers and Committees, including the appointment of Udo Schulz (Germany) to the office of Honorary President (see p06), and
- the removal of the International Treasurer from office (see page 02).

The full minutes will be available in the members’ section of www.mensa.org for you to read and/or download.

Congratulations to the Mensa Malaysia organising committee for an excellent weekend!

Therese Moodie-Bloom

Welcome to our new Honorary President

A big welcome and congratulations to Udo Schultz, our new Honorary President!

Udo was born in 1943 and lives in Kiel, Germany, a harbour town about 70 miles South of the Danish border by the Baltic Sea. Kiel is famous for the Kiel Canal, connecting the Baltics with the North Sea, sailing, and shipyards, and ferries go to Norway, Sweden and Lithuania.

Udo is married to Sigrid, whom he met in Mensa - they were actually the first Mensa couple in Germany - and they have two daughters, Megan and Arwen, both of whom are also members.

Udo joined Mensa in 1982 when there was only a handful of members in his part of Germany. During his first AG 1982 in Cologne, Germany, he was very lucky to meet Dr. Lance Ware and Victor Serebriakoff, who both made a lasting impression on him. "In fact," he says, "they inspired me so much that on my return to Kiel I started recruiting by involving the local press straight away!"

From 1984 until 1991 Udo served as Chairman of Mensa Germany, followed by four years (until 1995) as International Director of Development and another four years (until 1999) as International Chairman.

In 1999 he became an Honorary Member of Mensa Germany and the International Board of Directors (IBD) honoured him with the Outstanding

Achievement Award, which he treasures tremendously.

From 2001 until 2003 he filled in as Interim International Director of Development, and after another term as Chairman of Mensa Germany, in 2007 he joined the German Mensa Election Committee. From 2014 until 2016, he served as chair of the International Election Committee.

Locally Udo has been LocSec of the region (together with his wife) since 2009, test proctor (since 1985), and editor of their local newsletter (since 1995).

When Udo received the position of Honorary President he felt "a humble thankfulness," and "I wondered if I would be able to fill the boots of my prominent predecessors. However, I will do my very best to satisfy the expectations incumbent in the role," he adds.

Udo remarks that during his time as international officer he was "always fascinated by the variety of nations gathered around the table and the friendship of all Mensans across the world. I would love to see Mensa reach those areas that have not yet been covered; for example,



large parts of Africa."

In his professional life Udo was a Civil Servant, working in the state computer centre in various positions. He remarks that "I was very lucky that my bosses always supported me when I had to do Mensa business."

Udo is a keen photographer and video filmer, which enables him to run a small-scale calendar production firm. He also sings in two choirs, and is a great fan of Wales - so far spending 67 holidays there! Because of the many photos he took there including in the early days, he is a welcome source of olden-day pictures of the little town where they always stay.

Udo adds that he is very much looking forward to his new role in Mensa, and we welcome him to the position with heartfelt thanks and congratulations!

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Mensa Project Dhruv - an initiative of Mensa India

We (Mensa India) estimate that in India, there are almost 6 million underprivileged children whose IQ would be in the range of 130 and above. Trapped inside the minds of some of these unsung geniuses are earth-shattering ideas. Sadly, most of them will remain untested and unidentified and will waste their brilliance in lives of frustration and boredom.

We have started to do something about this through our *Mensa Project Dhruv*. We test underprivileged children in the age group of 10.5 years to 14.5 years and mentor and nurture those who qualify. We stay with them till they graduate.

Our plan for the identified Scholars includes the following: *Personal Mentor, Monthly Stipend, Study Materials, Coaching/Nurturing, Health care, Inculcating a sense of Social Responsibility, Leadership classes, Better Schooling, Soft Skills, Family counselling, Aptitude & Per-*



sonality Profile Tests, Career counselling, Higher Studies: Preparation or Admission to professional colleges, Motivational talks by experts in the field and by senior Dhruv

Scholars, and, Encouraging other than academic talents.

We started the *Mensa Project Dhruv* in 2014. The last five years have been wonderful. We have 198 Mensa Dhruv Scholars currently, and our plan is to add 50 more every year.

This is a deeply satisfying project and I urge other National Mensa Chapters who can start similar programs to do so as soon as you can.

The light in the eyes of your scholars will uplift your soul and the spring in their steps will keep you young. I am a living example of this.

We, at Mensa India, will always be ready and willing to assist anyone who wishes to start this initiative anywhere in the world.

Sponsorship costs only US\$950 per scholar per year. Those interested can go to our website, www.mensaprojectdhruv.in or contact me at president@mensaprojectdhruv.in.

Some stories: Satyam Sharma

Satyam was a street child. His father is a day labourer. When he was seven, Mrs. Rajan Kaur found him playing outside her house and brought him to her school for street children. He scored in the 99th percentile in our standardized IQ test for underprivileged children. Today he is in Class XI in one of the better

schools in Varanasi. He plans to be an engineer. Here (below left) he is seen with Mrs. Kaur and myself.

Komal Yadav

Komal is a brilliant Mensa Scholar who also qualified in the 99th percentile. Her father is a personal



driver. She is currently in her second year of a BSc(Hons) in a Computer Science degree at Delhi University. Apart from excelling in academia, Komal is the Joint Secretary of the

Department of Computer Science, a Department Union Member, the Student-Alumni Coordinator of second year students, is the Internship Coordinator in the Placement Cell of the college, and, an active member of the Women's Development Cell, Gandhi Study Circle, National Service Scheme (NSS).

Satyam, pictured above, enjoyed an interview with Mr. Aditya Ghosh, the then President of India's IndiGo Airline. Mr. Ghosh helped kick-start the *Mensa Project Dhruv* by sponsoring 100 scholars to celebrate the arrival of his airline's 100th Airbus.

Sant Sai School, Gurugram

In a 'classroom' in the Sant Sai roadside school in Gurugram, we have discovered two students with an IQ

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member profile

by Susan Jensen

In the twelve years he has been working in professional theatre, Tadija Miletic (pictured at right) has racked up a dizzying number of accomplishments.

Tadija was born into an artistic family in Belgrade, Serbia. His father, Predrag is a well known actor with the National Theatre of Belgrade. His brother Vuk is a international theatre producer and also involved in the National Theater. Tadija's wife, Dina, University of Antwerp graduate, is a pianist and ballet repetiteur, piano accompanist and PhD student.

Tadija was exposed to a lot of culture growing up during the turbulent years of the ex-Yugoslavia dissolution and wound up earning degrees in singing, piano and music theory. He spent fifteen years studying music at Stanković Music school in Belgrade while also earning a degree in playwriting and theatre direction from the Academy of Arts. After finishing master's degree studies, he is currently on the way toward a PhD in theatre direction.

At a young age, Tadija took jobs in all aspects of theatre, including opera singing roles for Madlenianum Opera and Theatre (where he is now director). During that period he also worked in sound design, as a video director, as a stage manager and prompter, in order to completely fulfil his theatrical education. In the past twelve years, he has been director/assistant director of over thirty theatre and opera projects, all over

the world, most recently working on *Madame Butterfly* in Japan.

All along he kept writing plays and getting involved in literary endeavors. In February 2014, Tadija became editor in chief of *MosaIQ* magazine, and created the comedy TV series "First Tariff".

In December 2011, Tadija invited two dozen other Serbian artists to form the Cultural element -- a group dedicated to promoting culture in Serbia. He remains its chairman. In the past eight years, this group has put on over eighty cultural events in Serbia, from concerts, theatre performances, street art, exhibitions and humanitarian projects.

Every year, Tadija is the organizer of the International Opera competition "Lazar Jovanovic" in Belgrade - the biggest and by far the most important opera event in the Balkan peninsula.

Tadija is also a professor at the Faculty of Contemporary Arts in Belgrade. "It is a special pleasure to work with young students and help them grasp the basics of theatre," says Tadija. Somehow, he manages to make time to organize several Serbian theatre festivals each year, including "Festival of monodrama and mime", and "New Fortress Theatre".

Despite his multitude of accomplishments, Tadija, like so many other Mensans, initially thought Mensa was beyond his reach. When he took the exam in 2013 he was surprised to learn he scored far more than enough to become a member.



Since then, despite his hectic schedule, he has served as Serbia Mensa president and is currently editor of its bulletin.

Tadija explains, "Mensa gatherings add a lot to my life. There is a diversity of thinking and willingness to engage in thoughtful discussions that is so enjoyable. I have many different interests and creative ideas. It's great to be able to bounce them off people who are bright and open."

Tadija is constantly thinking of new ideas and wishing he had more time to pursue them all. He has a great interest in the preservation of history through preserving old architecture. "Those vast oddments of the past generations are the best reminders how fragile life is", he says, and notes that his exposure to fellow Mensans helped to create a larger "To Do" list for his life, which he embraces eagerly.

words...

by kate nacard

the humble mo...

Yes, well, we all know how important a moustache is - or do we? Isn't it just a strip of hair grown on the upper lip - on men, that is? I mean, how could a simple upper-lip hair growth have evolved into having some 40 different varieties over the years? And yes, originally, like most hair growth on the body, it was probably grown for protection against the cold and for filtering air or absorbing mucus from the nasal cavity.

The word "moustache" is French, and is derived from the Italian *moustacio* (fourteenth century), but looking back over the years, we find that the simple mo has had a varied history.

Moustaches worn by men in Western militaries trace their origins back to the 18th century Hungarian hussar cavalry units, which were meant to strike fear into enemies. The moustache soon spread to other European light cavalry units, and a moustache in the 19th century signified the difference between soldier and civilian - and was also a popular fashion among the aristocracy.

In India, there is a belief that a man's facial hair is a sign of his virility*, and during the time of the British Raj in the 19th century, the British Army were forced to gain the respect of their Indian soldiers - who

saw the Brits' clean-shavenness to be a sign of a lack of manliness - by growing moustaches and other facial hair. This new fashion gradually filtered back into England and soon became a fad - again especially among the aristocracy.

The World Beard and Moustache Championships 2017 had six sub-categories for moustaches:

Dalí (pictured at right)

- Slender with the tips curled upward. Hairs growing from beyond the corner of the mouth must be shaved. The tips may not extend above the level of the eyebrows. Styling aids permitted. Named after Salvador Dalí.

English moustache – Slender. The hairs extend outward from the middle of the upper lip. The tips may be slightly raised. Hairs growing from beyond the corner of the mouth must be shaved. Styling aids permitted.

Freestyle – Free design and styling of the moustache. All moustaches

not meeting the criteria for other categories may compete in this category. All hair growing from more than 1.5 cm past the corner of the mouth must be shaved. Styling aids permitted.

Hungarian – Big and bushy, beginning from the middle of the upper lip and pulled to the side. The hairs are allowed to start growing from up to a maximum of 1.5 cm beyond the end of the upper lip.

Imperial – Small and bushy with the tips curled upward. Hairs growing from beyond the corner of the mouth must be shaved. Styling aids permitted.

Natural – Moustache as it grows and left natural. The more natural the better. No closed curls. All hair growing from more than 1.5 cm past the corner of the mouth must be shaved. The moustache may be maintained but without styling aids..

Then of course, there are the *chevron*, the *horseshoe*, the *Fu Manchu*, the *handlebar*, the *pencil*, the *toothbrush*, and the *walrus*...

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supplementally...

by john blinke

Skilled Trades

The three great Egyptian pyramids on the Giza plateau were built by pharaohs Khufu, Khafre, and Menkaure in the fourth dynasty, which started in 2613 BCE. We talk as if the pharaohs built them with their own hands. But we know it took a whole bunch of skilled workers to get the job done. Those workers needed support facilities near the work site. So, where are the remains? A settlement of pyramid workers would probably be located near the Nile, because supplies and stone blocks would have been floated down the river on barges. Mark Lehner of the Ancient Egypt Research Associates has found the workers' town for

Menkaure's pyramid — the smallest of the three large pyramids at Giza. (He suspects it was built on top of the remains of worker towns for the two older Giza pyramids.) The purposes of excavated mudbrick structures are not certain, but there seem to be barracks, mess halls, and supervisors' quarters within sight of the pyramids. There is a silted harbour, too — now located far from the water. And quarries. And waste dumps.

Giza isn't the only place where we find evidence of ancient skilled labour. Workshops are known for Egypt's Valley of the Kings. In the Americas, a sort-of workers' village existed for the rulers of Teotihuacan

in present-day Mexico. The place was called Tlajinga, and its main business was making obsidian cores that would be worked into fine cutting instruments by craftsmen in other settlements. Not too far away was another place called Teopanaczo that specialized in making the elaborate ceremonial clothing we see in Mesoamerican wall paintings. In some ways, the ancient world was surprisingly modern.

Storm Quakes

Science News online, October 18, 2019. "Powerful Storms May Be Causing Offshore 'Stormquakes'"

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(from p03)

as part of an initiative for which the foundation has set aside €1,000,000, for the promotion of highly-gifted disadvantaged young people: for environmental education projects, for inclusion in sport and for the education of socially- and health- disadvantaged children and teenagers. The aim is to promote young talents with different starting points, to impart knowledge and to give socially disadvantaged young people in society better access to qualification and training opportunities.

Various Mensa groups have had media successes in promoting gifted

children and young people, which also has the benefit of publicising Mensa as a whole in a positive light.

A well received 4-episode documentary series on Danish national television portrayed five young Mensa members, their challenges, interests, and successes. British Mensa continues to be involved in the *Child Genius* TV series, attracting several million viewers, and which for the first time included a Christmas special in 2018. Mensa Cyprus organized a solo art exhibition in Nicosia to showcase the paintings of five-year-old Mensa member

Paris Andreou Hadjipavlou, under its *Talent gives Hope* banner, with all proceeds to cancer-afflicted children.

This attracted enormous media attention and was featured in the main news broadcasts on state TV.

There are so many activities undertaken throughout Mensa in this area that I can't mention them all, but I hope this gives a flavour of what is going on in our amazing, collaborative, diverse society. It's the youngsters of today who are our future, after all.

Floreat Mensa.

Chris Leek, Chair, British Mensa

<https://www.sciencenews.org/article/storms-seismic-stormquakes-seafloor>.

If you watch stormy ocean waves pounding on a rocky shore, it is easy to think they might cause earthquakes. Indeed they can. If the sea bottom has lumps that waves can beat on, a storm can generate quakes up to about magnitude 3.5. These can be useful to scientists who employ seismic waves to take “ultrasound pictures” of Earth’s interior. Places like the US east coast do not have enough real quakes to make good pictures. So, the storm quakes might be a suitable substitute.

John Blinke
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(from p09)

The Albanians have 27 words for the moustache including the bushy moustache (the *madh*), the droopy moustache (the *varur*), the tapered-tips moustache (the *glemb*), and the skimpy adolescent mo, the *dirts ur*.

Who would have guessed the humble mo could hold such linguistic importance...

 *An Indian man, Ram Singh, from Jaipur in Rajasthan state, India, holds the Guinness World Record (2017) for the longest moustache – which is 18.5 feet (5.6 metres) long! He began growing it in 1970.

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(from p07)



of over 135 and one over 145. They have been transferred to some of the best schools and are being looked after.

This school, pictured above, is set up by the students every morning and dismantled every evening.

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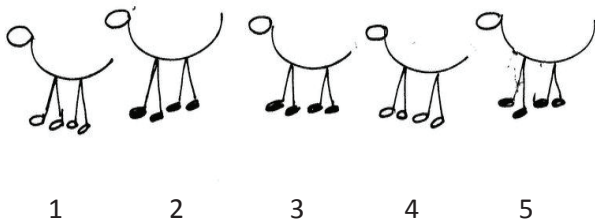
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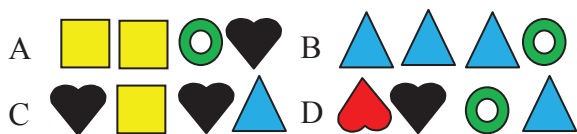
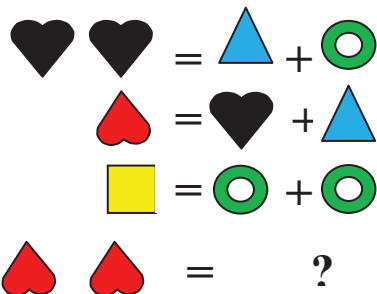
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Odd One Out



Barter



Rebus

Two fairy-tale characters:

DECRELLA

BOTOMOTS

Headwear?

- YACHTIE
- SHANE WARNE (UK)
- HORSE RACE (US)
- ENGINE COVER
- EAT QUICKLY
- TABLET CONTAINER
- HUNTER
- FAMOUS CANAL
- POOR POSTURE (AUS)
- NATIONAL POLICEMAN, OR A...

Anagram riddle

7 letters have I, you can change them around
To find words which vary by more than a
sound:

- * Amending one's words or texts that you see;
- * Started a spark, by match or by key;
- * Watching one's intake, (to be healthy all round);

Now that you've solved me, which words have
you found?

Answers

Cryptosum: 17 (8 + 3 + 2 + 4) **Odd One Out:** 3 **Barter:**
A **Rebus:** C-in-derella, Puss-in-boots **Headwear:** a)
Boater b) Bowler c) Derby d) Hood e) Scarf f) Pillbox
g) Deerstalker h) Panama i) Slouch j) Fedora **Anagram
Riddle:** Editing, Ignited, Dieting