



# DANCEZING NEWS

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Happy  
Easter

*"April hath put a spirit  
of youth in everything."*

William Shakespeare

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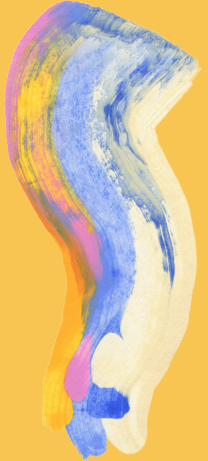
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# ARTISTIC TALENT

Since you are always asking for contributions for your News Bulletin, I have attached a watercolour painting by Ricky of our son Rob's new kitten (named Jazzy) which he got just before Christmas. Ricky painted it as a Christmas present for Rob and his partner Lizzy, but as we haven't seen them since November, it's still wrapped up along with the other Christmas presents they haven't had. They don't know of it's existence, so hopefully it will come as a nice surprise when we are eventually allowed to meet up again.

Dick



# BADGERS BY MARK



I attended a course run by Surrey Wildlife Trust which I belong to, very worthwhile charity, anyway the course was on Badgers.

Normally the course is run at Nower Wood Educational Nature Reserve, Mill Way, Leatherhead, which usually involves a classroom section and then a practical out in the reserve.

Unfortunately due to the pandemic the course had to be undertaken online. Basically the classroom element and the onsite walk around to see some setts etc. had to be cancelled. However the course was very good and I learnt a lot about badgers, feeding habits, social interaction (no social distancing for them), interaction with other animals such as foxes, hedgehogs etc. How to spot setts and how extensive these are. What a Snuffle Hole is, its where a badger claws at the ground to get at earth worms, which are their favourite food and last but by no means least all about badger latrines, they are a very clean animal.

The Trust runs other courses, throughout the year and it's a great way of learning more about our environment especially as we all are out and about in the countryside more at the moment.

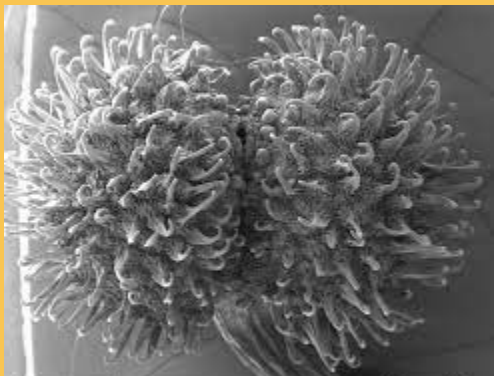
<https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/events>



# FUN FACTS - VELCRO



In 1941, George de Mestral was on a hunting trip and noticed that both his trousers and his dog's hair were covered in the burrs from a burdock plant. He was a very scientific person and decided to look at the burrs under a microscope.



He saw thousands of tiny hooks that bound themselves to any type of material (or dog hair) that came in contact with them.

He realised that if he managed to come up with a synthetic form of this he would have an alternative to buttons or zips or the need to sew things together.

He managed to work out how to make, by hand, the same small microscopic hooks he'd seen on burs and attach them to a separate piece of cloth with tiny loops. He received a patent in 1955 and got a loan of \$150,000. He set up a company to manufacture his invention called "Velcro" - a mix of the words velvet and crochet, (meaning 'hook' in French).

Twenty years after his discovery he built a loom that would allow him to mass produce the product, however, when it came to the market in the '60's it was far from an instant hit and clothing manufacturers were not interested in using it.

Then NASA were looking for a product to keep objects attached to walls while floating in orbit and Velcro was the ideal solution. This made Velcro trendy and it began to be used in fashion and the invention became a huge success, finally.



# TUTORIAL DANCE VIDEOS - BEGINNER



*Click on the dance title to view the tutorial video*

## BEGINNER LEVEL

[Do You Remember](#)

[Ruby Ruby](#)

[Maverick Shuffle](#)

[Honey I'm Good](#)

[Lipstick, Powder & Paint](#)

[The Lemon Tree](#)

[Until the Dawn](#)

[MD Honky Tonk](#)

[Bonaparte's Retreat](#)

[Coastin'](#)

[Little Rhumba](#)

[Simply Mambo](#)

[Stand Up & Boogie](#)

[Precious Time](#)

[Gently Does It](#)

[Feel the Way I Do](#)

[Dance Monkey](#)

[South Sea Shuffle](#)

[Primer Beso](#)

[Cowboy Charleston](#)

[Jo 'n' Jo Tango](#)

[Cha Cha Espana](#)

[Begin to Swing](#)

[Special Delivery](#)

[Nothing Compares](#)

[Under the Sun](#)

[Champagne Promise](#)

[My Pretty Belinda](#)

[Rocket to the Sun](#)

[Bye Bye Mambo](#)

[Love You Cha](#)

[Waltz Across Texas](#) - ELD 19/11/20

[Yes I Do!](#) - ELD 24/11/20

[Emergency](#) - ELD 26/11/20

[Tush Push](#) - ELD 11/12/20

[Piano Man](#) - ELD 12/1/21

[When You Smile](#) - ELD 16/2/21

[Click here to access a practice video with 10 beginner dances](#)

# TUTORIAL DANCE VIDEOS - IMPROVER

[Gone West](#)

[Crystal Touch](#)

[Keep Young](#)

[La Fiesta Cubana](#)

[What A Man Gotta Do](#)

[Mack the Knife](#)

[Senorita La-La-La](#)

[Bumblebee](#)

[Guetta's Party](#)

[Stitch It Up](#)

[Pot of Gold](#)

[Elliot's Dream](#)

[Quando When Quando](#)

[Playboys](#)

[Black Coffee](#)

[Sunrise](#)

[Late Night Call](#) - ELD 19/11/20

[Cecilia](#) - ELD 24/11/20

[Half Past Nothin'](#) - ELD 1/12/20

[Jamaican Love](#) - ELD 8/12/20

[Modern Romance](#) - ELD 12/1/21

[Click here to access a practice video with 9 improver level dances](#)

# TUTORIAL DANCE VIDEOS - INTERMEDIATE

[Chill Factor](#)

[Faithful Soul](#)

[Clap Happy](#)

[Vanotek Cha](#)

[Caribbean Pearl](#)

[Tough Love](#)

[Shakatak](#)

[SXE](#)

[Nancy Mulligan](#)

[Liquid Lunch](#)

[Moves](#)

[Drip Droppin'](#)

[Graffiti](#)

[Rolling Stone](#)

[Up](#) - ELD 24/11/20

[Wow Tokyo](#) - ELD 1/12/20

[Wintergreen](#) - ELD 12/1/21

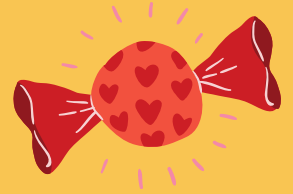
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# EASTER BRAIN TEASERS

(answers at the bottom of the page)

Can you name the chocolate from the slogan?

1. The lighter way to enjoy chocolate
2. Feel the bubbles
3. The taste of paradise
4. Take it easy
5. A finger of ..... is just enough to give your kids a treat
6. It's not Terry's, it's mine
7. And all because the lady loves
8. Have a break, have a .....
9. Full of Eastern promise
10. If you like a lot of chocolate on your biscuit join our .....



Can you identify the famous rabbits from the following anagrams?

1. The Rump
2. Nubby Guns
3. Bribe Patter
4. Teeny Sunbather
5. Riot Grabber



**Can you find  
the 5 Easter  
chicks hiding in  
this  
newsletter?**

**DID  
YOU  
KNOW?**

- The UK's first chocolate egg was made by Fry's of Bristol in 1873
- Over 500 million Cadbury's Crème eggs are made in a year. If you piled them all on top of each other, they'd be ten times higher than Mount Everest!

Easter Chicks are hiding on

1 on the front cover

1 on pg 2, behind the easel

1 on pg 4, behind the poster

2 on pg 6, behind the chocolate & behind the eggs

1. Maltesers

2. Aero

3. Bounty

4. Caramel

5. Fudge

6. Chocolate Orange

7. Milk Tray

8. Kit Kat

9. Turkish Delight

10. Club

1. Thumper

2. Bugs Bunny

3. Peter Rabbit

4. The Easter Bunny

5. Roger Rabbit

