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CURRENT AFFAIRS ENRICHMENT.....READ ALL ABOUT IT!

Welcome to the eighth edition of King's Eye on the World; our very own Current Affairs e-journal. As always, this edition is full of interesting and funny articles, covering a range of subjects from what's going on in the world at the moment to flying pigs! We are trying a new layout this time, so please send us feedback at lindhr@kingschester.co.uk and let us know if you approve! Enjoy!

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A METEOR SEEN IN ENGLAND!

BY ANDREW SHORTALL 3JJ

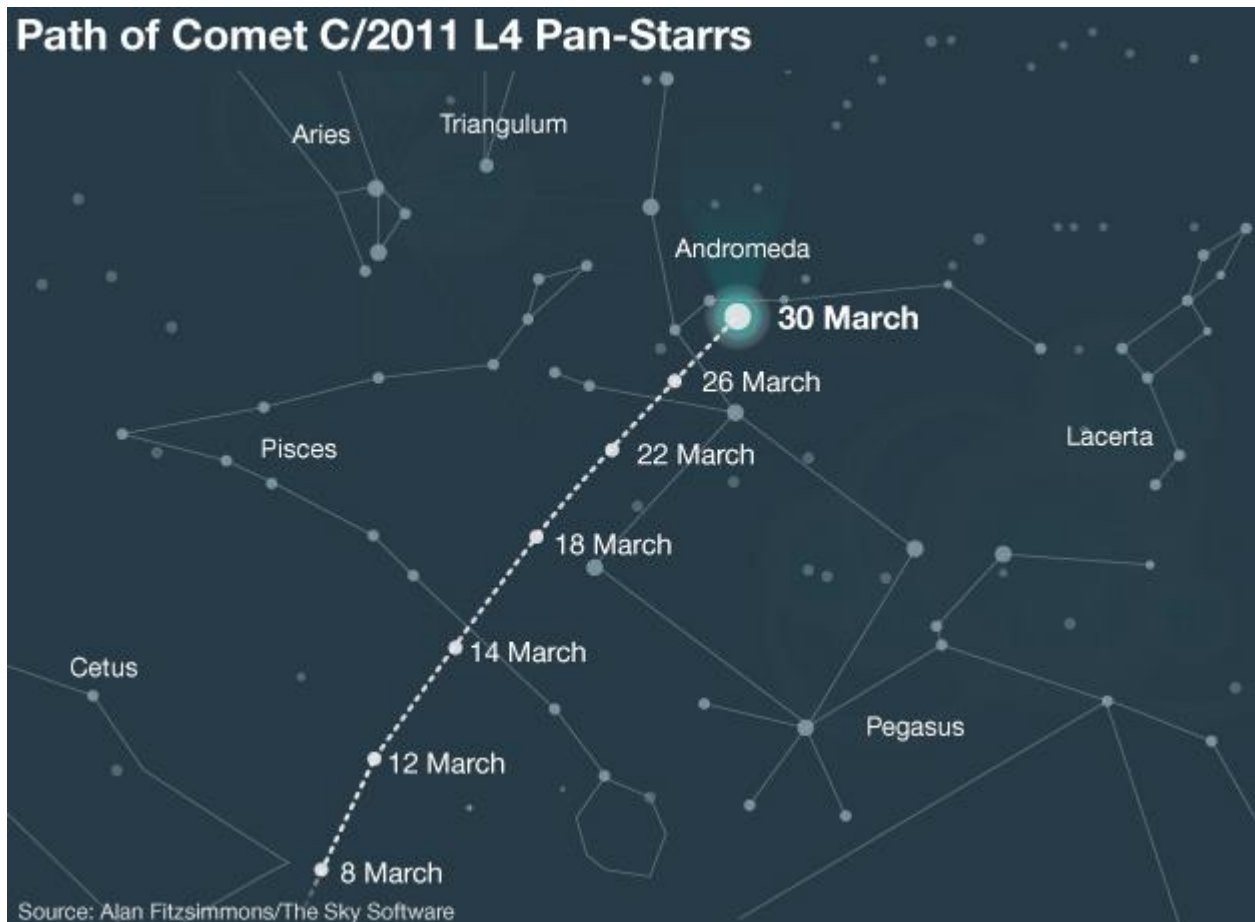
An icy mass with the snappy nickname "C/2011 L4 Pan-Starrs" should be visible with binoculars or a telescope next week.

Astronomers in countries such as Australia have already spotted the comet and some reports say it was as bright as the stars in the Plough.

This could be the first time this comet has passed through the inner Solar System and it might not return for another 100,000 years. On 10 March, it will make its closest approach to the Sun.

After 13 March the comet will begin to appear higher up in the night sky and by April will vanish back into the depths of space.

This is a once in a lifetime opportunity and we encourage every one who reads this article to experience this. To see this spectacle you use the moon



as a guide point and look to the bottom left where you should find it.



If the weather proves poor during this period, astronomers could be offered another chance for a celestial delight at the end of the year when comet Ison should appear in our skies.



"I'M NO SUPERHERO, I EAT KEBABS"

BY RACHEL HUBER 3RL

His Batmobile is a silver Vauxhall Astra – and instead of fighting crime he delivers Chinese takeaways.

A man who was [handed over to police by 'Batman'](#) has admitted trying to cash a stolen cheque he said he found in the street. Frayne appeared at Bradford Magistrates' Court to admit a charge of handling a stolen cheque and another of supplying a cheque with a plan to commit fraud.



Judges heard that Frayne, had 29 previous convictions relating to 49 different offences. His case was suspended for pre-sentence reports and he will be sentenced on April 8. There was no mention of how Frayne was arrested or Mr Worby's involvement during today's 20-minute long hearing.

Mr Worby - a Chinese takeaway delivery driver - explained how he had returned from watching Bradford City play in the Capital One Cup final at Wembley in his Batman suit when Frayne asked him to accompany him to the police station.

The court was told how Frayne had gone into a cheque cashing shop in Bradford on January 31 and tried to cash a cheque for £300. Police found the cheque had been stolen during a burglary at AK Autos, in Bradford. Frayne said he had found the cheque on the street in the Wyke area of the city.

Judges were told Frayne has had drugs problems in the past but was now trying to move away from his criminal life. They were also told Frayne, who is unemployed, was subject to a community order at the time he committed the offences. The court also heard he has a history of breaking orders.



Stan Worby wrote: "I'm the Bradford Batman. And I'm here to clean up Bradford."

JUSTIN BIEBER COLLAPSED DURING LONDON CONCERT AND RUSHED TO HOSPITAL!

BY IMOGEN SZERDY 3RA



Justin Bieber was rushed to hospital after fainting backstage at a concert in the London O2 arena last night, 6th march. Justin had said he felt woozy during the show and with 4 more songs to go, he stumbled backstage where he collapsed.

He was advised to go to hospital as soon as he collapsed but insisted on finishing the show for his fans.

It's been a rocky week for Bieber, at the beginning of the week he turned up 2 hours late for a concert that then finished at 12.30am which upset his younger fans. So he has not had much luck in London so far.

Two weeks ago, myself and a friend went to see the popstar live in concert in Manchester on the 21st of February. The show was amazing and worth every penny of the expensive tickets. Luckily no disasters occurred when I saw him!



RONALDO COMES BACK TO HAUNT OLD TRAFFORD

BY ELLIOT KING 3JM AND HARRY WILSON 3JJ

Real Madrid beat Manchester UTD in the second leg of the Champions League 2-1 (3-2 on aggregate) on Tuesday. Manchester UTD scored first, after Nani crossed the ball in and Sergio Ramos getting a boot on it and scoring an own goal. Minutes later, a vital decision to send off Nani was made which changed the course of the game with Real Madrid dominating. Real Madrid then equalised after a fantastic strike from Luka Modric, and then almost seconds after, a tap in from the golden boy Ronaldo, who didn't take his celebrations over the top in respect for his former club. Wayne Rooney who didn't start was then brought on but made no impact on the Reds' outcome. At the end of the game there was no interview from Alex Ferguson who was upset about the referee in the game but soon after there was an interview by Jose Mourinho the Madrid manager, who said "the better side lost."



King's Opinions on Nani's Red card

Andrew Shortall thought that it was not a red card and that it was unfair. Ananda thought it was not a red card and should of been a yellow; however, Elliot and Freddie thought that it was a red card because of the rules of football state that any high tackle is a red card. Llewelyn in Shells thought that it was not a red card. Mr Egerton thought that it was a red card but Mr

Hornby thought that it wasn't however Mr Canty agreed with Mr Egerton thinking it was a red card. The last person we interviewed was Barney Rule who said this "teams all over the world get bad decisions but only when Man United gets a bad decision does anyone care."

Overall vote:

Yes:4

No:4



FINALLY ENGLAND MIGHT WIN SOMETHING!

BY MATTHEW PERKINS 3HB



The Six Nations is kicking off and, to everyone's amazement, England is off to a flying start taking the lead with three straight wins and six

points and France sinking to the bottom with no wins and no points. Wales have been proving that rugby truly is a national Welsh sport with two wins and one loss



replacing Scotland in second place, two points behind England.

Wales will be hoping to push home

their advantage by beating Scotland and cementing their top two place and hope they can edge ahead of England if England lose in their battle to keep their top spot against 5th placed Italy. These games at the weekend should be good to watch and could be crucial to



the outcome of the Six Nations tournament. Will England be able to hold their lead and win the tournament or will nerves get the better of them.



OSCAR NIGHT

BY ANANDA CHATTERJEE 3HB

On February 24th the biggest awards ceremony took place in the Dolby Theatre in Hollywood, California. Seth McFarlane (creator of Family Guy and Ted) hosted the Oscars and many people were worried about his offensive jokes but in the end he created a successful show and proved to be a good host. It was the most watched Oscars show in history with 42.40 million viewers. Lincoln had the most nominations (12) but there were a few surprising results!



After a few 'interesting' songs by Seth McFarlane with guest appearances from Joseph-Gorden Levitt, William Shatner, Daniel Radcliffe and Charlie Theron the awards began. The first award was Best Supporting Actor which was given to Christoph Waltz for his brilliant performance in Django Unchained as King Schultz, the German bounty hunter. The show continued with Life of Pi winning all the technical awards such as Best Editing and Best Visual Effects. There was great controversy, however; the Visual Effects crew gave their speech and went over the 2 minute allotted time and were cut out by the Jaws theme tune. To add to this the crew were just talking about how they were

going bust. Life of Pi carried on to win Best Cinematography which racked up 4 awards for Life of Pi, the most any film got on the night.

As the theme of the show was song in film several songs were performed such as songs from Chicago, Goldeneye and (of course) Skyfall by Adele. The song Skyfall then went on to win Best Original Song. Best Sound Editing saw a tie between Skyfall and Zero Dark Thirty, which has only happened 6 times before.



Brave won Best Animated Film and Quentin Tarantino won Best Original Screenplay for his spaghetti western movie, Django Unchained. Anne Hathaway got her first Oscar for Les Miserables in Best Supporting Actress and Daniel Day-Lewis gained his 3rd Best Actor award (the most for any actor) for his powerhouse performance in Lincoln. Best Actress went to Jennifer Lawrence for her performance in Silver Linings Playbook who, unfortunately, fell over on her way up the stairs.....again. Best Director came as a surprise as it went to Ang Lee for Life of Pi who seemed more shocked than anyone. Finally, it came to Best Picture. The nominees were Zero Dark Thirty, Beasts of the Southern Wild, Amour, Django Unchained, Life of Pi, Lincoln, Les Miserables, Silver Linings Playbook and Argo. The award went to Argo to which both Ben Affleck and George Clooney received the award for. After Ben Affleck's rushed and funny speech the show ended and will return next year for the 85th Academy Awards!



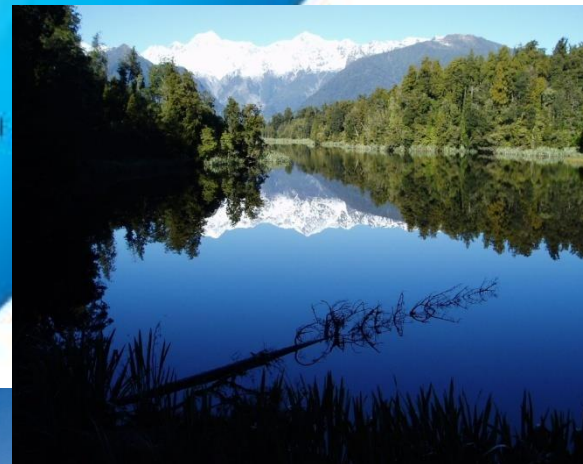
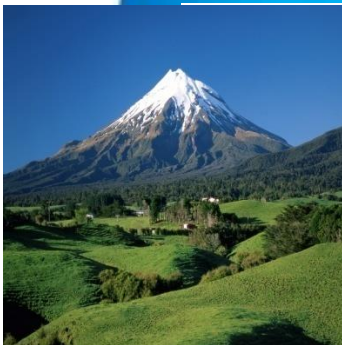
LIFE DOWN UNDER

BY ROB WAY AND FREDDIE CHESHIRE 3RL

New Zealand, a land of beautiful scenery, wonderful beaches and orcs! Due to the arrival of our new kiwi maths teacher, Mr K, we have been studying the differences and similarities of the once British colony.

New Zealand is split into two main islands, the North and the South. Even though the South Island is bigger it has less people. On the subject of people the Maori of Polynesia were the first people to inhabit the isolated nation in A.D 800.

The overall area of New Zealand is 267,710 sq km having 15,134 km of coast. This is about the same size of Colorado in the U.S. The topography (shape of the land) is varied, ranging from high mountains and volcanoes to flooded glacial valleys. The capital city is Wellington on the North Island and Mr Kersten lives in the South Island.



We asked one of our new mathematics teachers Mr Kersten (aka Mr K), twelve grueling questions which were as follows:

Q: How are you finding your life in Britain?

A: Great apart from the weather!

Q: What made you leave New Zealand?

A: A change of job.

Q: What are the differences between New Zealand and Britain?

A: More people and a "hell" of a lot colder!

Q: Why do you like New Zealand?

A: The weather, people and sport. The lifestyle is a lot more laid back.

Q: Do you like British roast dinner?

A: Yes, but I dont like Guinness!

Q: Of all the things that makes New Zealand special which do you like best?

A: The Haka and the quality of the rugby and the sunny beaches.

Q: What is your favourite New Zealand rugby team?

A: The Canterbury Crusaders.

Q: What is your Six nations predictions?

A: England 1st and France with the wooden spoon.

Q: What do you think of the British weather?

A:One word... Disgusting!

Q: What's better the mountains or the beach?

A: Cant choose from them.

HE CAN'T FLY BUT HE CAN SURF!

BY HARRY ZHOU 3RL

Like other pigs, Zorro can't fly but with his owners help, he can ride the waves. Zorro has been surfing since three weeks old and Mr Bell, the owner of Zorro says his crossbreed pig is a 'phenomenal swimmer.' Although Zorro doesn't like big surf waves but he loves being in the water.



"He gets a bit scared when it gets double overhead, and double overhead isn't that big for a pig," says Mr Bell.

So what does the future hold for the surfing sensation?

Mr Bell said that he will continue surfing and searching for the perfect wave for his surfing mate, until he gets too big and unmanageable for him to be able to surf.



CAT SURVIVES FLIGHT AFTER HIDING IN ITS OWNERS SUITCASE.

BY HARRY ZHOU 3RL

Mervat Ciuti was in Cairo, packing her cast for a trip to Nottinghamshire when the Persian puss snuck into her case. The stowaway feline was discovered when the owner was on a taxi in the UK. Luckily the seven years old cat survived the freezing

temperature in a cargo for five hours. Egyptian animal law says that Bisou can not return home for six months and UK rules says that Bisou must stay at a quarantine centre in Derbyshire.



Puzzle Page

By Miles Meredith ShPS

Try our wordsearch on the current affairs:

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Find From: Ronaldo, Comet, Pope, Rugby, Oscars

30 Second Challenge

Easy	30	*	3	+	14	+	6	=	?
Medium	90	/	3	+	112	-	80	=	?
Expert	30.5	*	1.5	-	16	+	87	=	?

Joke Of the Day: **Hilarious**

Did you hear about the guy whose whole left side was cut off? He's all right ...

GOODBYE!

After all this hard work, we need a rest!

