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1. GRADE 8 on the first day of school looking as young as ever
2. A pleasant bike ride in Villy Ulley

The Monthly Update - A message from your head writer

Hello, dear students, teachers and supervisors! We are delighted to present to you our newest newspaper edition. We truly hope that this issue both entertains and educates our readers. (Yes, we mean you!)

This past month has been full of amazing events, so let's discuss all that happened!

- First of all, our school generously welcomed students back to school. This day is remembered by the huge **double-decker bus** from London that was placed just outside our building. Talk about extravaganza!
- Grade 10 was introduced this academic year, the eldest students have been given fancy blue jackets.
- The voting for **Student Council** was held - we are so happy to announce the members - Nastya, Olga, Nika, Vanya, Yaroslav, Masha, Vika, Polina k., Sofia, Nika and Polina Y. We wish them the best of luck this year.

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- Our school held this year's first **Volleyball game**. Balls were flying around and our students had the time of their lives playing in their teams. Congratulations to team
- Can anybody remember the 7 world wonders?

Grades 5-10 competed in the **World Heritage sites** quiz after listening to the photo exhibition. Let's see who wins!

• **VILLY ULLEY TRIP 2023**

The long awaited trip to the Volga river finally happened. Many say this trip was the best time they ever had in their entire life. The weekends spent there were full of Sunsets, Starry nights, water sports, campfires and swimming in the water. Below are shown some of the best pictures taken on the trip :)



1. the gorgeous sunset

2. Photo competition's winners showing a human pyramid

3. A jumping group shot!

4. Polina and Sofia enjoying a boat ride on The Volga river.

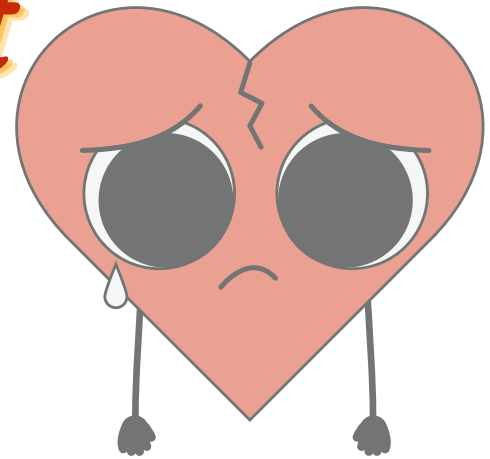
5. A cozy afternoon by the fire and toasted marshmallows.. what could be better?

Thank you!

entertainment section

REMEMBERING OLD STUDENTS-

DIMA CHISTYAKOV



This year of school has been a first one for some of us in this school. We, the journalists, the people writing this, welcome you heartwarming, but it is also remember the ones that have been with us, yet have fallen in the line of duty 😞. It was certainly a task to contact some of them, as quite a bunch went undercover after their retreat, but I certainly found a way to ask them questions and get them to answer.

Q: How's life been after your departure?

Ulyana: Very different! I miss everyone dearly, but I'm making new friends here and trying to get used to life in Florida again. My new classes are very different and I'm enjoying most of them. I'm looking forward to visiting soon, though.

Artem: Certainly better, but I do have to admit that I sometimes miss coming at 8 in the morning and running jokes with you.

Yana: Certainly less glamorous, for sure. I miss all the good days I had glamouring stuff around, that was fun.

Nikita: (Unfortunately, Nikita couldn't comment on this one as he was busy fighting on the frontier)

Q: Do you regret anything you have done in the school? What could've been done better?

Artem: Yes, I do. But after long consideration I've realized that things I've done wrong are just alterations that are what they are, and they certainly have a chance to live.

Yana: I regret nothing.



Ulyana: No, not really. I think that I did as much as I could to leave a mark on MCS, and certainly the existence of the Student Council and the school newspaper proves that that mark has been made.

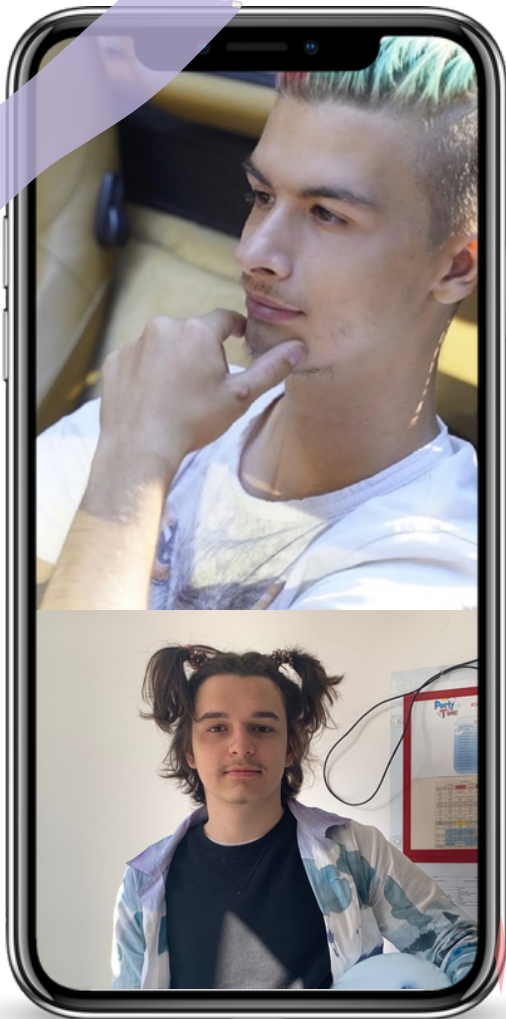
Q: What's your best memory of the school?

Artem: Probably Japan because of how saturated it was with all the attractions. It also had been an old dream of mine to visit it.

Yana: 8th grade in general. Grade 9 has been in its peak at that time and did many things (not without the help of Sasha Slesarev) that nobody would even think of nowadays.

Ulyana: All of our trips and the Nutcracker. Japan, especially, for the trips. I hope I can go back someday and explore even more, maybe even with some of the people I went with last time. The Nutcracker performance was such a surreal experience, and I treasure the memories, even though maybe we all didn't feel amazing in the moment.

Once again, we honor those who are not with us. Fly high 🌟



MUSIC Section



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Basketball - Bow Wow

Miami - Will Smith

Act a fool - Ludacris

Air Force Ones - Nelly

Jump - Kris Kross

Big Poppa - B.I.G

Hope - XXXTENTACION

Playin' the game - Bow Wow

Take ya home - Bow Wow

*Sprinter - Central Cee ft. Dave
 Fraud - Central Cee
 Gatti - pop smoke ft. Travis Scott
 Candy shop - 50 cent ft. Olivia
 Hate it or love it - 50 cent ft. The Game
 End of the beginning - Central Cee
 Alright - Kendrick Lamar
 Humble - Kendrick Lamar
 Day in the life - Central Cee*



- Slime You Out (feat. SZA) Drake.*
- *vampire. Olivia Rodrigo.*
 - *Paint The Town Red. Doja Cat*
 - *Thinkin' Bout Me. Morgan Wallen.*
 - *Barbie World. Nicki Minaj, Ice Spice.*
 - *Calm Down. Rema, Selena Gomez. ..*
 - *Another One of Me (feat. The Weeknd & 21 Savage)*

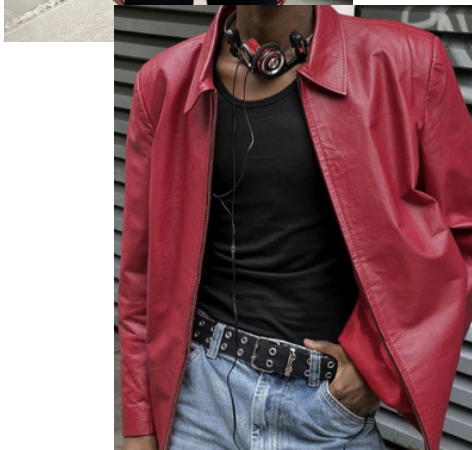
This season's fashion trends are surprisingly simple. In Autumn of 2023, the goal is to either wear the bare minimum, or to overdo your outfit and wear everything you own! For instance, The use of bold and bright colors is set to be one of major fashion industry trends in 2023. In addition, monochromatic outfits in a single, statement-making color are expected to be trending as well.

I'm not going to keep you waiting- let me share the fashionista secrets for this season.

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 fashion trends
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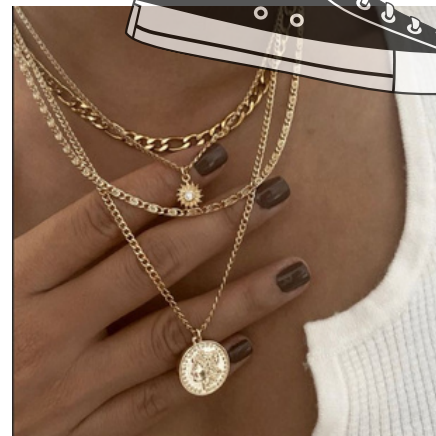
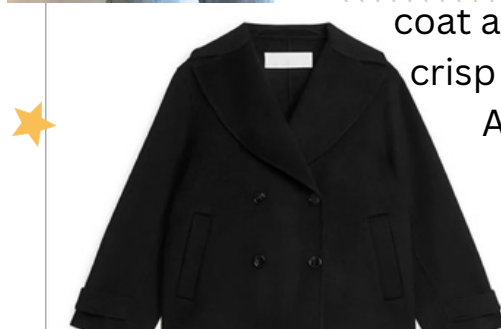
1. Layering

So, what is layering, really? Well, it is wearing clothes that can be worn on their own on top of each other. This season is all about the layers - in shirts, tank tops, pants and skirts. Here are some examples of skillful layering --



2. Accesorisising

It seems obvious that using accesories in outfits is important. The days of flat, boring, monotone outfits are over. In 2023, accessories are here to liven up any outfit with a variety of styles. Mix and match different textures, like a satin clutch with your denim jacket. Or mix and match styles, like a soft floral scarf with a rugged leather jacket



4. Sweater weather

What could be better than feeling fashionable as well as comfortable? Experiment with crochet or V-neck sweaters, snuggle up in a warm, trendy sweater and enjoy the fall season.

5. Wool coats

Look proper and smart in a full or mid-body length coat and enjoy the crisp chilliness of Autumn.

3. Red

Red already dominated on the catwalks for the autumn/winter collections, so it was already clear: It's the colour for this autumn.. Anything red worn well in an outfit will attract a lot of attention - you will definitely get many compliments. Red can appear in your outfits with the help of handbags, boots and other accessories.

YOUR HOROSCOPE

Your Horoscope

Gemini

May 21 - June 20

It will be a lucky month for you as you will overcome challenges skillfully. However, you need to be careful about your health- both mental, and physical.

Cancer

June 21 - July 22

You will be engaging in spiritual activities to experience peace in life. The expert suggested paying attention to your dreams, they might predict something that is about to happen to you.

Leo

July 23 - August 22

You should be careful about your prior commitments and responsibilities. You need to keep an open mind if you want to grow. And remember- focus is key.

Virgo

August 23 - September 22

October 2023 might not be a favourable month for the life of people born under the Virgo sun sign. You have to practise patience, calmness and restraint.

Libra

Sept. 23-Oct. 22

People born under this sun sign will work on communication skills. You will also need to set boundaries with other people to build healthy relationships.

Scorpio


October 23 - November 21

The upcoming weeks will require you to take some time off and relax. You will also work towards building a strong foundation for your finances and love life.

Sagittarius

November 22 - December 21

You need to indulge in self-care and nurturing activities to create a harmonious environment at home. You should seek help from friends and loved ones without hesitation.



Capricorn
December 22 - January 19

People born under the Capricorn sun sign will focus on their love life. They will try to strike and develop mutual understanding with their partner.

Aries

March 21 - April 1

You have to be cautious about your ego because you might miss out on useful advice from elders, mentors, colleagues, or friends. October 2023 will be the right time to follow an artistic project.

Pisces

February 19 - March 20

October 2023 will be a lucky month for you because you will push yourself to achieve new heights. However, you should not neglect your family amid this

Aquarius

January 20 - February 18

You need to embrace changes so that you can evolve. Your personal life will witness an intense phase of passion. Hold on and don't forget to use a seat belt!

Taurus

April 20 - May 20

People born under this sun sign will try to explore new ways to express themselves. They will discover new things about themselves and need to meditate.



К.О.Н.С.И

...Все называют меня прилетевшим на землю космонавтом.

В какой-то степени я с ними согласна, хоть и никогда не интересовалась космосом. Как так? Да потому что я постоянно витаю где-то в облаках, точнее в цифрах. Я очень люблю считать. Я считаю, что на цифрах основано все. Конечно, я прохожу не цифры, которые вы все изучаете на математики, я изучаю те цифры, которые составляют сложные алгоритмы, а те сами «теории вероятности». Теория вероятности состоит из множества факторов: погоды, времени, и так далее.

-Констанция! Почему ты опаздала? Ну ладно, садись, - я не любила, когда меня называли Констанцией, я предпочитала Конси.

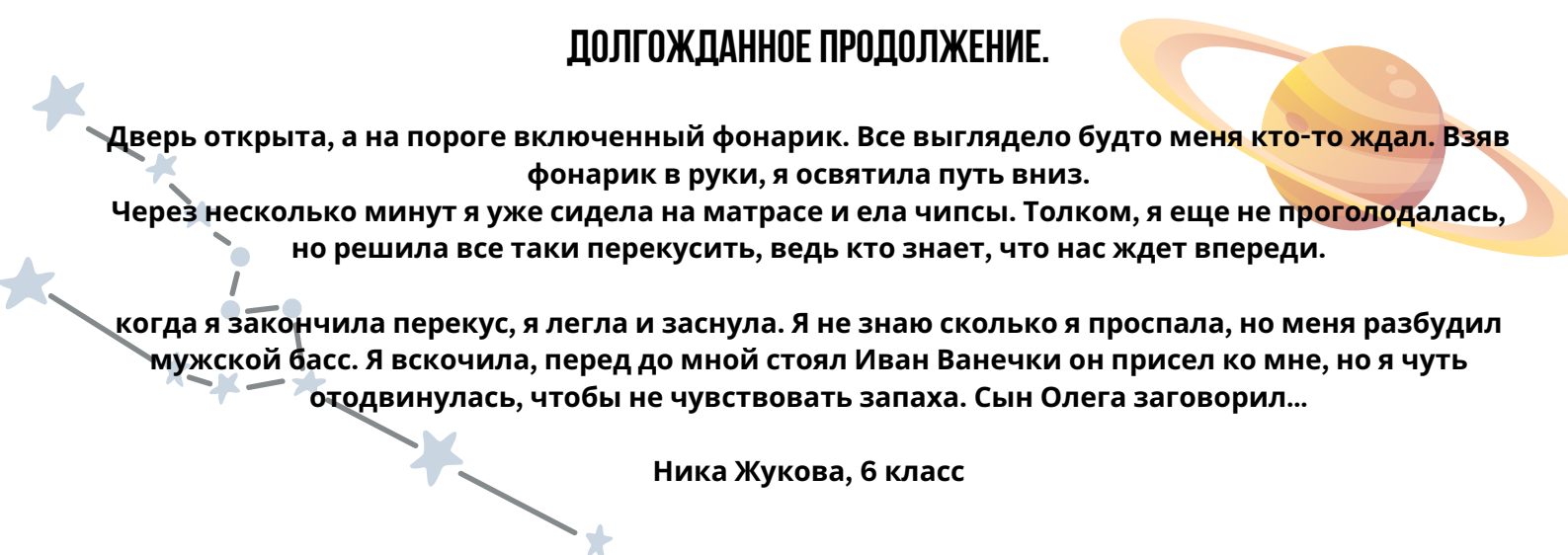
...Мы встали, спокойно вышли и остановились на площади рядом со школой. У нас регулярно бывало такое, как тренировка. Поэтому я совсем не нервничала.

Перед нами встал директор. Прохожие куда-то бежали, и вообще весь город был в панике. Вдруг директор, Иван Ванечкин, сын самого Олега Ванечкина, произнес:

-Тихо!!! Ребята, сейчас тревога не ложная. На город обрушился метеорический дождь...-тут, прямо на нас летел метеорит! Всё вокруг меня замерло, все бежали в разные стороны, только я стояла как вкопанная. Я знала, что из-за ветра метеорит приземлится в другое место...

Через 5 минут я очнулась. Нога моя была вся в крови. Как только я пришла в себя, я отправилась на поиски убежища. Я знала, что безопасней всего было пойти в подвал. Именно из-за того, что я еще года два назад ходила по школе и проверяла насколько она безопасна для спасения от таких стихийных бедствий, я и нашла подвал. Там были запасы еды и несколько спальных мест; также там был колодец с водой, так что я решила переждать там весь этот ужас. Я зашла в школу пригнувшись, стараясь обходить окна. Я быстро нашла подвал, но дверь в него была открыта...

ДОЛГОЖДАННОЕ ПРОДОЛЖЕНИЕ.



Дверь открыта, а на пороге включенный фонарик. Все выглядело будто меня кто-то ждал. Взяв фонарик в руки, я освятила путь вниз.

Через несколько минут я уже сидела на матрасе и ела чипсы. Толком, я еще не проголодалась, но решила все таки перекусить, ведь кто знает, что нас ждет впереди.

когда я закончила перекус, я легла и заснула. Я не знаю сколько я проспала, но меня разбудил мужской басс. Я вскочила, перед до мной стоял Иван Ванечки он присел ко мне, но я чуть отодвинулась, чтобы не чувствовать запаха. Сын Олега заговорил...

Ника Жукова, 6 класс

education section

Some of you may have watched “*Doctor Strange*” - one of Marvel’s amazing films. There, the surgeon was offered a patient with *a brain implant*, that controlled schizophrenia. Do such implants exist? Is it actually possible to control mental sicknesses?

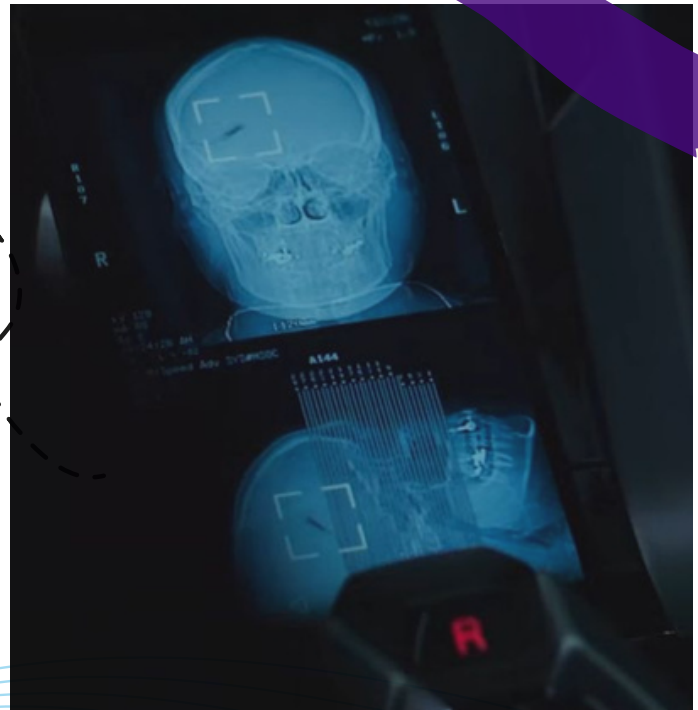
The Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) is renowned for its innovative ideas and developments. One of their projects is brain implants that will use electrical impulses to influence human behavior. The devices are currently undergoing preliminary testing, Nature reports.

The implants will analyze brain activity and use algorithms to identify patterns associated with *mood disorders*. Due to electrical impulses, they will be able to restore their normal state without the intervention of a doctor. Such devices will provide a way to treat severe mental illnesses that are resistant to current methods. On the other hand, technology that gives direct access to a person's inner feelings raises numerous ethical questions.

BRAIN CONTROL

*olga
dubikovskaya*

DOES IT EXIST?





Brain implants, which stimulate the brain using electrical impulses,

have been successfully used to treat movement disorders, including *Parkinson's disease.**

However, in the case of mood disorders, such devices were much less effective. Early evidence suggests that chronic* stimulation of certain areas of the brain may improve chronic depression, but a large year-long study of 90 people with depression

found no improvement.

chronic stimulation- a constant trigger in the body that can cause physical or behavioral change*

Parkinson's disease.- a brain disorder that causes unintended or uncontrollable movements, such as shaking, stiffness, and difficulty with balance and coordination.*

AND NOW - THE MOVIES

Matthew Ivanov

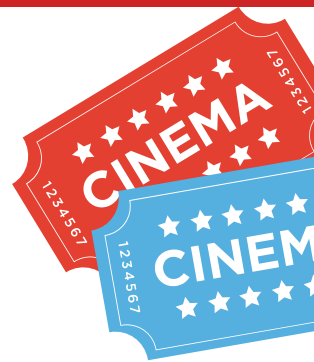


WHAT TO WATCH:
1. "Barbie" is finally out!!!! You can find Barbie in cinemas and online. The world phenomenon "Barbieheimer" is now half ready. We are still waiting for "Oppenheimer" which will be dropped online at the end of October.





2. *Sound of Freedom (Звук Свободы)* - a movie based on a true story of ex-agent of US government, who dedicate his life saving children lives from sex slavery and child trafficking. The movie is 99% fresh on Rotten Tomatoes from critics and audience.



3. This sunday (September 24th) there was a premiere of the movie "1993", a movie about changes in the Russian Government that happened in October 1993 and a family which became forced to be part of these actions



WEATHER FORECAST - DIMA

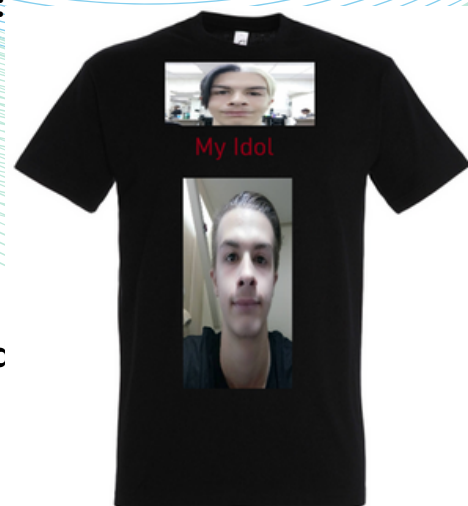
Mcs scientists say: temperature outside is inversely proportional to the amount of open windows in classrooms – the colder it gets outside, the colder it gets inside (on breaks, for now)

Euphoria is the best Tv show, change my mind (im severely autistic)

Be not afraid, students, as warm week is awaiting you. Simon says: +20 - +24 degrees at high noon.

Our fashion experts say: "Want high fashion? Throw away your clothes!". One even went as far as saying: "What?! Nobody said it" .(I would definitely check your fashion experts for shizophrenia). There are truth in their words – temperature takes its peak somewhere around 24 degrees, a july standart. I guess its never **kenough**.

Our fashion team came up with the answer to the olc age question: How to look fashionable when there are 24 degrees outside?



a leaf. an essay

MISTER M.



It's hard. It comes easy, but it doesn't. My first thoughts were about a farmer. Farmer MacGuffin was advancing along his plot when something happened. The plot was an obvious pun. And a homonym. Homonyms are born for puns. Two meanings, one explicit, one implicit. Black and white, with sarcasm implied, under the skin. My next thought was to have different characters from other stories happen upon Farmer MacGuffin: the big pancake, a stolen necklace, a briefcase – where we never know what's inside. All very Tarantino. That was the problem, it was all too much of something else – too clever, and therefore too simple and too dull in its cleverness. Then I thought of Timmy Templeton.

Timmy Templeton told Tommy not to touch the top table – or something along those lines. Advancing the idea of using alliteration, I thought of inventing words, the phringeral phamblance enflamed the furnace. Mixing new and already known words. That too was boring. Too much like trying to come up with something.

My next idea was to write about last night. A mixture of love and death. But last night didn't end well. It is a good story to tell, and it has a happy ending. But. The crisis towards the end was painful. Frightening. Overwhelming. And that led me to this...the worst thing you can have is a story to tell. There's much to be said for the mundane, the eventless non-happenings of nobody in particular. A friend of mine has a terminal illness. She was driving along the road one day and stopped by the side of the road. Just pulled over, randomly. She got out of her car and looked at the grass. She knelt down and really looked at it, having spent most of her life ignoring these uncountable, beautiful and remarkable wonders of nature. A blade of grass. A field of it. Astonishing really.

Therefore, I offer no story. In its place I'll give you just two words. No literary devices. No cleverness. No trickery. No detailed imagery. No nothing.

A leaf.

**Thank For
You Reading**

