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Beware of ego, it's a double edged sword. The outer edge cuts your POPULARITY, while the inner edge cuts your PURITY.



THE DARK CANDLE

A man had a little daughter, his one and only much beloved child. He lived only for her, she was his life. So when she became ill and her illness resisted the efforts of the best obtainable physicians, he became like a man possessed, moving heaven and earth to bring about her restoration to health.

His best efforts proved fruitless, however, and the child died. The father was totally irreconcilable. He became a bitter recluse, shutting himself away from his many friends, refusing every activity that might restore his poise and bring him back to his normal self.

Then one night he had a dream. He was in heaven and witnessing a grand pageant of all the little child angels. They were marching in an apparently endless line past the Great White Throne. Every white-robed, angelic tot carried a candle. He noticed, however, that one child's candle was not lit. Then he saw

that the child with the dark candle was his own little girl. Rushing towards her, while the pageant faltered, he seized her in his arms, caressed her tenderly, and asked, "How is that your candle is the only one not lit?" "Father, they often relight it, but your tears always put it out again," she said.

Just then he awoke from his dream. The lesson was crystal clear, and it's effects were immediate. From that hour on he was no longer a recluse, but mingled freely and cheerfully with his former friends and associates. No longer would his little darling's candle be extinguished by his useless tears.

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTES

The problem with the world is that the intelligent people are full of doubts, while the stupid ones are full of confidence.

When you see something beautiful in someone tell them. It only takes seconds to say, but the effects could last a lifetime. "Unless you try to do something beyond what you have already mastered, you will never grow."

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A POUND OF BUTTER

Once, there was a farmer who regularly sold butter to a baker. One day, the baker decided to weigh the butter to see if he was getting the exact amount that he asked for. He found out that he wasn't, so he took the farmer to court.

The judge asked the farmer if he uses any measure to weigh the butter. The farmer replied, "Your Honor, I'm primitive. I don't have a proper measure, but I do have a scale."

The judge replied, "Then how do you weigh **the butter**?"

The farmer replied; "Your Honor, long before the baker started buying butter from me, I have been buying a pound loaf of bread from him. Every day, when the baker brings the bread, I put it on the scale and give him the same weight in butter. If anyone is to be blamed, it's the baker."

Moral of the story: In life, you get what you give. **Don't try to cheat others.**

OBSTACLE OR OPPORTUNITY??

In ancient times, a king had his men place a boulder on a roadway. He then hid in the bushes, and watched to see if anyone would move the boulder out of the way. Some of the king's wealthiest merchants and courtiers passed by and simply walked around it.

Many people blamed the King for not keeping the roads clear, but none of them did anything about getting the stone removed.

One day, a peasant came along carrying vegetables. Upon approaching the boulder, the peasant laid down his burden and tried to push the stone out of the way. After much pushing and straining, he finally managed.

After the peasant went back to pick up his vegetables, he noticed a purse lying in the road where the boulder had been. The purse contained many gold coins and a note from the King explaining that the gold was for the person who removed the boulder from the road.

Moral of the story: Every obstacle that we come across gives us an opportunity to improve our circumstances, and while the lazy complain, others are creating opportunities through their kind hearts, generosity, and willingness to get things done.



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INTERESTING FACTS

1. In ancient times doctors used spiderwebs to make bandages for their patients.

2. The microwave was invented by accident in 1945, when an engineer working close to high powered radars noticed the candy bar in his pocket had melted.

3. Hummingbirds do everything fast. In just one minute they can flap their wings 50 times, have their heart beat 1200 times, and take 250 breaths of air.

4. The Banana tree is not really a tree, it is actually a giant herb plant. It can grow up to 25 feet tall, making it the largest herb in the world.

5. Originally biscuits were baked twice, leaving them very hard and almost tasteless. "Bis" comes from Latin meaning "twice," and "cuit" from French meaning "baked".

6. In a human body, the small intestine is 21 feet and the large intestine is 6 feet long.

7. The worlds biggest wedding cake weighs 15,000 pounds (6,800 kg)

8. China has the maximum donkeys in the world, about 11 million.

9. The hair on your head has a lifespan between 2 to 7 years. At the end of it's life, the hair strand will fall out and another will start growing in it's place.

10. Hyenas have exceptional strength. Their heart is twice the size of a lion's heart.



1. What do you have in December that you do not have in any other month..??

2. What is red and white and goes up and down and up and down..???

3.What does Frosty the Snowman take when he gets sick...?

1 : The letter D

^{2 :} Santa Claus stuck in an elevator. 3 : A chill pill

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LOGISTICS NFWS

- Hindustan Infralog Pvt. Ltd (HIPL), a joint venture between DP World and the National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF) has won the bid to develop and operate the Free Trade Warehousing Zone (FTWZ) at JNPT for \$78 million.
- India's rank in Trading Across Borders has taken a quantum leap from 146 to 80 in the Doing Business report released by World Bank.
- 🖚 Railways has increased its freight rates for major commodities such as coal, iron and steel, iron ore, and raw materials for steel plants to ensure additional revenue generation across the network for improved passenger amenities.
- → OOCL has announced that the current China Pakistan Express 2 (CPX2) product will be revamped and renamed as the Asia Pakistan Mundra Service (PMX), effective from November 13, 2018.
- -> Maersk Line has introduced a new system of instant booking confirmation, wherein Maersk customers can now complete their bookings within seconds compared to previous waiting times of up to two hours.
- India, for the third time, extended the deadline for the imposition of higher customs duties on 29 US products, including almond, walnut and pulses, by another 45 days until December 17.
- The Ministry of Finance has intimated through a notification that the effective date of the Sea Cargo Manifest and Transhipment Regulations 2018 has been shifted to March 1, 2019.
- Myanmar on Thursday signed an agreement with China's state-run CITIC Group to begin work on a deep-sea port in the west of the country.
- The Indian government wants to increase the share of freight transport through coastal route from 7% at present to 10% by 2020; which will result in an estimated saving of Rs. 20-25 billion.



SNF & FEI ACTIVITIES



Diwali – The festival of lights was enthusiastically celebrated with **Laxmi Puja** at our Ahmedabad office.



Achievements!

Dear All,

We are pleased to share that **Freight Express International Pvt Ltd - Mumbai** have secured the contract from **Ordnance Factory Ambarnath**, for providing customs clearance services of Hazardous Cargo at Mumbai for a period of 1 year (Extendable by another year).

This is the first milestone of our journey in the **Defence Sector**.

The following branches achieved their **"Collection Target"** given to them by the Corporate Office for the month of **September & October**:

Name of the Branches	September	October
Ahmedabad	~	~
Baroda	~	~
Chennai	~	\checkmark
Hyderabad	\checkmark	\checkmark
Gandhidham	~	\checkmark
Tuticorin	~	-
Mumbai	-	~
We Congratulate the branch head and their team for achieving the targets.		



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A Journey of Love and Companionship Begins



Christmas special by Jounior Chefs

Ingredients:

2 tbsp-Maida (Flour) 1/4 cup (40 g)-Cocoa Powder 100g-Butter 1 cup-Walnut coarsely chopped ½ cup (60g)-Powdered Sugar 1 tin (400g)-NESTLÉ MILKMAID Sweetened Condensed Milk

Process:

Mix all the ingredients, except walnuts, in a karahi and heat.

Cook on slow fire till mixture thickens. and starts moving in a mass (soft ball stage). Stir in the walnuts.

Pour onto a greased plate/tray and smoothen the surface. Cool and cut into 2" squares.

Dear Chandani, you share your birthday with Steven Spielberg. Academy Award-winning filmmaker, director and producer known for some of the biggest Hollywood blockbusters like Jurassic Park, Indiana Jones series, a war movie - Saving Private Ryan, and many more.

On this special day, I wish you Strength and Determination in reaching all your goals and dreams. Happy Birthday. - Stebin Davis

Without colleagues like you, workplaces would be devoid of the two most important things – Smile and Laughter. Happy Birthday - Smija Abhilash

Chandani is one very positive and extremely talented asset to our organisation. Full of Zeal, Enthusiasm and Energy. Always ready to help I, wish her all the very best and a very Happy Birthday God Bless - Shivraj Kallur

Intelligent and Sincere to her profession. May god follow you in every step you take. Happy Birthday. - K B Radhakrishnan

Bubbly girl with charming smile. Wish you a great year ahead! - Smita Pillai

Generally speaking people find a reason to not do a job, BUT Chandani finds a reason to do the Job. Wish we have more Chandni's around, Smiling, Enthusiastic and ready to take Responsibilities and own it. - Pratap Nair

BIRTHDAY BOYS/GIRLS

Birthday girl

Ms. Chandani Dixit

Bhavin Visavadia Sheen Ajith Thomas Vidhi Nair Shitender Grewal Arun Choudhary Akshay Joshi Kimmi Sagar Amol Doshi Nikhil Parmar Sanjay Sawant Chandani Dixit Anita Sadhwani Vijay Parmar

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NEW JOINEE

Ashish soni **Ronald Pinto** Nisha Giri Vedika Shetty Reema Mistry Darshan Joshi

Ahmedabad Bangalore Corporate Corporate Intl Division Mumbai

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