

### Live Owl Nest Box Cam

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#### Live Barn Owl Nest Box Cam - San Marcos, CA

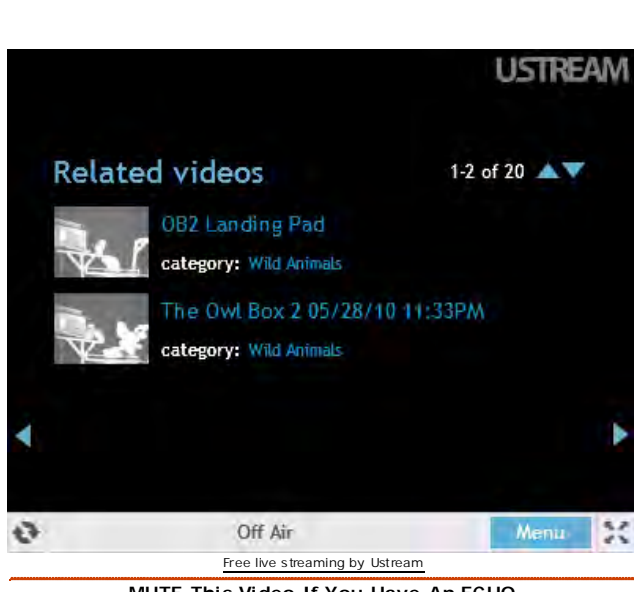
This is a live feed of a wild female barn owl named Molly. The owl box is located 15 feet off the ground. The male (McGee) has a white chest and face. He usually shows up after dark but has spent an entire day with the female. For more information about the owls and this cam. [Click Here](#) [Click Here to "Like" us on Facebook](#).

Egg 1 2/13/10 12:15 PM Egg Broke Share - 59K  
Egg 2 Laid 02/16/10 07:23 AM Hatched 03/21/10 11:45 AM Name: Max  
Egg 3 Laid 02/18/10 09:13 AM Hatched 03/23/10 6:47 PM Name: Pattison  
Egg 4 Laid 02/20/10 11:07 AM Hatched 03/25/10 3:11 PM Name: Austin 1215 retweet  
Egg 5 Laid 02/22/10 02:00 PM Hatched 03/28/10 12:01 PM Name: Wesley  
Egg 6 02/25/10 09:35 AM Est. Hatch 3/28/10 Note: didn't hatch/won't hatch  
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**Echo** 4614 Items Paused (21 new) - Admin

**Lynda C**  
Mitakuye Oyasin is a Lakota Sioux prayer. The phrase translates as "all my relatbns." It is a prayer of oneness and harmony with all forms of life: other people, animals, birds, insects, trees and plants, and even rocks.  
Aho Mitakuye Oyasin...All my relatbns. I honor you in this cricle of life with me today. I am grateful for this opportunity to acknowledge you in this prayer....  
To the Creator, for the ultimate gift of life, I thank you.  
To the mineral nation that has built and maintained my bones and all foundations of life experience, I thank you.  
To the plant nation that sustains my organs and body and gives me healing herbs for sickness, I thank you.  
To the animal nation that feeds me from your own flesh and offers your loyal companionship in this walk of life, I thank you.  
To the human nation that shares my path as a soul upon the sacred wheel of Earthly life, I thank you.  
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**Ingrid**  
Is it cloudy in the box?  
Oh never mind my glasses need cleaning.  
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**cking@melking.com**  
Thanks. We'll sure miss them when they go out on their own.  
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**Wendy Banner**  
Can someone give me an update on Wesley's progress? Is he flying around yet at night or still sticking close to the box?  
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**Ingrid**  
He comes out of the box but doesn't stay out long. Goes back in the box and waits for food.  
He can fly but would rather eat.  
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**Kristi from VA**  
From what I understand, he's sticking close to the box. Carlos was encouraging him to fly around more when he was on tonight. Carlos wants to fledge! However, he is a week behind Max. Still a youngster!  
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**Lynda C**  
**James, Elliott & Tim** - sometimes chat streams go awry. All in good fun when we know that it refers back to the many redundant "wooly wart" posts of the past. But did the thread in response to James's picture and post below go awry, or what. Many people are going to read that thread and gasp in horror. Do you guys know something that I don't??  
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Liked by Dorothy

**Tip**  
Ok, you really had me going -- all that about one dying because it might have had a poisoned rat and Carlos saying he would not interfere. Whew!  
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**Dorothy**  
I hope it was meant to be "funny" and not true.  
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**cking@melking.com**  
Haven't seen them for a while. Are they flying yet?  
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**Dee**  
Yes they sure are. It is hard to tell who is who when they're all outside flying!  
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**Bill in SD**  
Only Wesley hasn't flown AWAY from the box. The rest are out learning from Molly and McGee.  
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**Dorothy**  
Would you please post your answer again? I listened to Carlos and Donna and thought I picked up all but the date of the KC event and heard nothing about an owl.  
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**Bill in SD**  
Boston was today and I think KC is next Sunday.  
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**Dee**  
I'm thinking the person who posted about an ill owl wasn't telling the truth. They sure look healthy in the owl box now.  
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**Sherry Vann**  
Just some boys playing around. You know boys will be boys.  
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**DWD in Atlanta**  
James was trying to wake us all up with his "Ill Owl" post. Said we were being too quiet. They are all fine.  
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**Dorothy**  
It wasn't James, I was sure he was kidding. When Elliott posted one was dying I asked if he really heard that and he did not answer me. That is what upset me. Thank you for your help in this..  
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**Kristi from VA**  
Dorothy - the owlets are all fine. Wesley is just having "failure to launch." Who wouldn't? His meals are provided. I think people are having a little fun tonight. If you read down the posts, it is funny. I know you must have been worried if you are as attached to them as I am! Thanks for posting all the pictures over the last few weeks. I have loved them!  
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**cking@melking.com**  
They are so big now!  
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**wallyrusseII**  
oking just put your avatar in collage. Or did I do you already?? My mind is melting. Kathleen  
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**Dorothy**  
**Lynda C** **Lamsory** I deleted my post below. I didn't realize you had answered me until after I had hit delete and did not get to see your answer about a "dying owl". I was upset because I did not get the dignity of an answer by the person making the original post.  
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**Lynda C**  
I asked for clarification above, Dorothy - I think it was a case of a good post gone bad and no harm was intended.  
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**Kelly Warren**  
HELLO From Montreal, how is everyone today, the owlets look great.  
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Liked by Melissa Sherry Vann Emily From Gulfport DWD in Atlanta

**Bill in SD**  
Doing fine here. Waiting for launch in about an hour. Anxious to see Carlos' near wide angle camera.  
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**Kelly Warren**  
oh new wide angle camera, sounds good!  
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Liked by Melissa Mary Pat Hyland

**Kasey**  
Testing the avatar  
Today, 19:00:18 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lynda C Kelly Warren

**Kasey**  
Kay, it worked, didn't want to be left out of the poster, and also I love turtles. Please add me to the poster Kathleen. Thanks.  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
Test complete, avatar affirmative!  
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**Bill in SD**  
10-4. Over and out.  
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**Cheyenne**  
JAMES...can you go below to Lynda C's post and see if you can figure out how to post the Lakota prayer?  
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**wallyrusseII**  
BAM your avatar is in collage to right of RED HAT LADY! kathleen  
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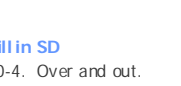
**Pam**  
How long will they continue to stay in the nest box?  
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**Bill in SD**  
They could all have left for good within a couple weeks. Once they've learned to fend for themselves they'll leave.  
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Liked by Dorothy Kelly Warren

**George**  
Does anyone have a pic of the owl cookie?  
I sent the recipe URL to a friend and she wants a pt.   
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**Bill in SD**  
Here it is..

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**George**  
Got it. Thanks, Bill.  
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**Kasey**  
Complete with a cashew nose! Carlos seemed to get a kick out of that.  
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Liked by George

**Mary Pat Hyland**  
Wow, eerily exact. Who'd a thunk cookie dough could be such a realistic sculpting medium.   
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**wallyrusseII**  
added cookie to Avatar collage. Kathleen  
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Liked by Melissa Barb

**Kristi from VA**  
Strange owl behavior I have noticed - When they go to the front to "squirt," they immediately high tail it to the back when they are done and dive into their brothers and sisters. Come to think of it, maybe it is not strange. Guess it makes perfect sense!  
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**wallyrusseII**  
Mark Round Most of you are to the right of the RED HAT LADY ON THE RIGHT



Cat  
Paula  
Jeri  
Ji  
YTO  
Laura

Your Avatars have all been added to the Collage I'm making. Reply here if I've missed you. (Will post again later) love Kathlee

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**Emily From Gulfport**  
Thank You!

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**Tip**

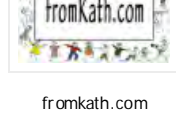
I love it! Add me, too. I've always said, I know everyone from their avatars more than names 😊 Will this be saved in the wiki for future reference/reminschg?  
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Liked by Melissa

**wallyrusse II**

TIP you are now on the right by below the unknown avatar icon.

I have no problem with it going on the wiki: not sure what to do. Maybe someone will help me when the time comes. I'm more of a photoshop artist that computer whiz. Kathleen

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**Lourdes**

Can you please add me too?  
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**Tip**

And Owlosaurus (?) whom I haven't seen in a couple of days. And Barb, with th rolling waves??  
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**Tip**

And cart  
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**Kelly Warren**

what about boots  
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**Tip**

Oh, there's Owlosaurus -- I was looking for the blue owl. Like the, hey, that's an owl butterfly! I remember the night we discovered there was such a thing!  
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**Barb**

Tip, I was Lake Erie before I changed to my picnic sign. I'm sorry you missed the announcement, I've been here!

**wallyrusse II**

LOURDES You've been there all along. To the left of OWLOSOURUS' BUTTERFLY  
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**Connie**

That is great. Thanks. Gonna miss all this. Did I hear the chat room was staying though?  
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Liked by Karen

**Dianna**

I don't believe you have me. Thanks Kathleen! God Bless  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**

You've been busy!

I think there just has to be somewhere on the web with a page/applet bn to do something very similar with all of our avatars. I wish I knew of a good place to look for one. I know a few years ago avatar walls became popular after some guy designed his web page around collecting as many "advertisers" as possible, like a million, I think.  
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**Sue from Syracuse**

I don't think I'm in there - it's been a while since I posted anything. Life keeps interfering!!! Thanks - great idea. Anyone think of making a quilt out of it? ho, ho, ho...  
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**Laura (TN)**

GREAT TO BE PART OF SUCH A GREAT GROUP. IT BROUGHT A SMILE TO MY FACE.  
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**Kelly Warren**

Im there, thank you very much for adding me, I have enjoyed being part of this group and will miss you at 😊  
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**amanda**

This is just great! thank you for doing this!  
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**Karen**

Thank you James!  
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**Mary Pat Hyland**

Thanks for the add, Kathleen. What a cool keepsake.  
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**horsecrazy in CA**

I was looking back a little in the chat and someone had said that Carlos said one of the owlets is **dying**!!!! Is this true????? 😞😞😞😞😞😞  
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**horsecrazy in CA**

all of them look fine to me!  
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**Barb**

No, just a couple of grown men acting like boys 😊  
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Liked by Emily From Gulfport, Connie

**horsecrazy in CA**

"whew" thanks barb 😊  
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**Mary Carroll**

NOT FUNNY!  
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**Melissa**

Just got here, but I think you should re-read it with the intended sarcasm in mind.  
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**Darlene Salisbury**

I've said it before and I'll probably say it again. This is the best thing ever. What oh what shall we do when our babies are gone. <shudder> Thank you Thank you Carlos!!!  
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**Dianna**

I guess we will have to check out other babies!!! I will certainly miss our sweet owlettest!  
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**Lynda C**

A brief post by Cheyenne below mentioned **mitakuye' oyasin** and the use of owl feathers in ceremonies. I wasn't familiar with the term, so a quick Wikipda search [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mitakuye\\_Oyasin](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mitakuye_Oyasin). I think an owl would be pleased to have its feather used in such a moving ceremony.  
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**Cheyenne**

Very beautiful. Now everyone can say the prayer.  
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**Dorothy**

I did.  
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**Mary Carroll**

I tried to copy and post the prayer and kept hitting the 1000 character limit. I finally broke down and posted the web page - same as you.  
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**Cheyenne**

I've said it before and I'll probably say it again. This is the best thing ever. What oh what shall we do when our babies are gone. <shudder> Thank you Thank you Carlos!!!  
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**Tim Fulcher**

These are the four and half-fingered Mitakuye' Oyasin, correct...?  
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**Tip**

Help! I'm here and going to the basement...  
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**Ingrid**

Watch out for spiders.  
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**Barb**

If you go too far you find chiggers and ticks <shiver>  
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**Mary Carroll**

Hey, we haven't talked about brown reeduse spiders. My neighbor was bit by one.  
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**Tim Fulcher**

priens, and spiders, and borrelia... OHMY!  
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**Lynda C**

Watch ut for the cobwebs, spiders, chiggers and "things that go bump in the night".  
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**Owlosaurus**

Watch out for McGee's Mistress!  
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**Mary Pat Hyland**

Dumpster diving!  
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**Darlene Salisbury**

Get outta my way. I need to stretch!  
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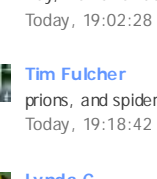
**Mark Round**

I see 4 standing in the box in the last shuffle  
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**Denise Holland Poarch**

I am going to try one more time to get a picture of the quilt top on here.

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**Dee**

What a beautiful Sunbonnet Sue quilt.  
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**Owlosaurus**

Sunbonnet Sue.  
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**Lynda C**

Thanks, Denise. Yes it is a Sunbonnet Sue pattern. I think you said that it is just for the top and in very good condition. I'm sure if you can locate a local quilter's group a member may be willing to finish the quilt with a batting and backing for you and a very good do it for a fair price.  
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**kim**

Is there only 2 in the box if so what happend to the other 2  
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all 4 are there  
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**Owlosaurus**

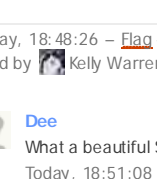
See Owlbominable's post just below!  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**

Can any one tell me who this is (a.k.a. JH)? Anyone? Is he OK? Should I be alarmed? What's wrong with him? Is he eating? Can't he support his own weight? Is he suffering from heat exhaustion? How will he be able to, you know, do his business if he can't walk? Will his siblings kick him out of the box? Do you think he is mentally capable of catching his own food if mommy shuns him? Can't someone install a whirlpool so he can exercise without needing to risk falling off the perch? Has anyone ever seen him blink? Maybe he's you know... What's that black dot in the sky? 😊😊😊

(sorry folks, it's just way too quiet in here right now) 😊

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**Dorothy**

Start stirring the pot James.  
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Liked by Lynda C, Guest

**Lynda C**

Stirring the "toe jam" pot me thinks 😊  
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Liked by Dorothy, Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)

**Falg**

Don't you rest better when lying down? All four are there, just resting in different poses. They have done this since.....? Not to worry.  
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Liked by Dorothy, Lynda C

**Cheyenne**

Owl feathers give one keen senses and stealth.  
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**Ellott**

**Snowman**, Carbs said earlier that he is dying. But he also reiterated his policy of not interfering with nature's course. He surmises that this owl, and perhaps all the owlets, have consumed rodents which had eaten poisoned bait. He has revised all his predictions as to when the nest may be empty to perhaps never.  
 Today, 18:42:53 – [Flag](#) – [Like](#) – [Reply](#)  
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**Tim Fulcher**  
 Do owls die if they eat a rabbit with tubercia?  
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**Elliott**  
 Tim, owls are known to be immune to tularaemia, but are particularly vulnerable to its variant, threloreaemia.  
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 Liked by [Owlominable Snowman](#) (a.k.a. JH)

**Owlominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
 That's a good question, Tim. I suspect not, but I haven't done any research on it. Seems it may be a good topic to explore - lots of papers cited with a quick search.  
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**Lynda C**  
 OK - and you don't make quilts, right? Actually, we needed a new topic of discussion. So - you need to tell us who it is? Looking quickly at first I thought it was a superimposed manatee (OK, Lynda - time to change those glasses).  
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**Owlominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
 No, I don't quilt. Thought of sewing at one time - in order to work on parachutes - but gave up on that thought and moved on to photography.  
 However, looking at the photo below, I think I'd have to design my first elliptical wing parachute after an owl's wing, if I ever did take that up again.

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**Karen**  
 You bad James!!!  
 Today, 18:46:28 – [Flag](#) – [Like](#) – [Reply](#)  
 Liked by [Sherry Vann](#)

**Elliott**  
 James, if you notice, the owlets which remain standing are swaying as if drunk. They're picking at their bodies as if tormented by something eating them from within! It is horrible to behold!  
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**Lourdes**  
 I think maybe the camera flashes got to them ... (doh!)  
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**Ingrid**  
 Don't you just get tired of slapping your head at times? Too funny.  
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**Owlosaurus**  
 You forgot to mention that terrible scar down the middle of his face!  
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**Melissa**  
 What????!! The owls are all gone????!! Those are just puppets in the box!!! What kind of cruel world is this?? OHHH... the agony! "faints to the floor"  
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**Jeri Lynn Downs**  
 Tsk, tsk, tsk!  
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**horsecrazy in CA**  
 you guys are getting dirbus from MOD  
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**Sarah near Montreal**  
 the things we miss... catching up now, all I can say is.. wow. :]  
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**Laura (TN)**  
 Got a few things to do before the lights go out and the show begins at the Carbs Estate. Will not be much chatting from me though...just plain worn out tonight.  
 I failed to mention in the short love story my 2 wonderful boys I have.  
 later...  
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**Alyce in Ohio**  
 Hi Owl Friends, I am back but much later than I wanted to be. It's 9:30 here in Ohio, and after a long day out & about I want to rest up before watching the "kids" come out to play. Can anyone tell me the approximate time they might be out? I don't know when it gets dark there in California. Thank You.  
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**Dorothy**  
 Usually about 11-15 your time I believe.  
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**Kris**  
 Alyce, to be on the safe side, start watching around 11PM...but the first usually makes an appearance between 11:15-11:25  
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**Darlene Salisbury**  
 In California it is a little after six thirty right now. You might want to start watching about 8:00 PM. They usually come out right on cue about 8:15-8:20 PM California time. I think California is 3 hrs ahead of you Alyce. I'm in Oregon, we have the same time.  
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**Cheyenne**  
 All my relations/we are all connected. Mitakuye' Oyasin. There is dancing from east to west, north to south to honor the warriors who have fallen defending their land. Some wear owl feathers.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
 See the entire prayer at [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mitakuye\\_Oyasin](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mitakuye_Oyasin)  
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**Dorothy**  
 This place is so quiet you could hear a mouse squeak.  
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**Jim bowers**  
 Dense, sounds like your quilt is a Sunbonnet Sue! I am a quilter too, I am addicted to Molly and also feedsack fabrics!  
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**Karen**  
 Have you found a barn owl quilt pattern?? I have been looking online and we stop at quilt shops on our trip. Would love to find one...  
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**Karen**  
 It could be applique or iron on...  
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**Dee**  
 I am also a quilter. Here's a site that has an owl pattern. <http://www.fatcatpatterns.com/animals.htm>  
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**MaryJoKur**  
<http://www.quiltworksbq.com/KITSKITS.html> - scroll down on this site and there is one called 13 Owls  
 I also found a kit called "Hooterville" at www.bestfriendsquilts.com but I can't get that website to load right now for some reason  
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**Laura (TN)**  
 Speaking of soldiers...I was writing to a soldier while he was in Saudi as a pen pal so to speak. Never seen him until he came home. When he came home he called and said "The writing time is over and it's time for me to meet you. We have been married 19 years. May 25th was our anniversary. I guess you can say I continuously show my appreciation."  
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**Barb**  
 thanks, what a fun story!  
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**Barb**  
 and congratulations on 19 years!  
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**Karen**  
 That is a wonderful story!!! Good for you guys  
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**Mary Carroll**  
 Super! Congratulations!  
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**Lynda C**  
 Such a touching story, Laura.  
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**Katie**  
 Hoorah!  
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**DWD in Atlanta**  
 When my husband was in Saudi in 1991, a letter addressed to Any Soldier came to his camp. It was addressed from our hometown, so the letter was given to him. I was able to make contact with the girl and invite her to his homecoming party. She was the insurance clerk there. Then when that same son was in high school, we ran into her at a football game. She was dating a teacher there.  
 Small World!!!  
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**Lynda C**  
 Memorial Day - a time to remember our loved ones, those who serve and those who gave their all for us. One group who remembers every day is the Bangor (ME) Troop Greeters. They have greeted every transport plane that has landed in Bangor since 2003 - over 5900 flights and 1,000,000 service men and women. They greet them with a hug, a handshake and free use of a cell phone to call home. When these folks are notified of an incoming flight, they often get up in the middle of the night and get to the airport in all kinds of weather. Many are veterans themselves, many are in their 70's and 80's (one lady who volunteers had not driven at night for years). PBS did a documentary about them last year. For those who think patriotism is declining - don't tell these folks that <http://www.themajintroupgreeters.com/>  
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**L Danley**  
 DH was greeted by that group in Bangor in 2005 when he returned home from Iraq. It was absolutely the best way to return "home" and so special. He will remember that day and those wonderful people for ever.  
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**Elliott**  
 Lynda, this is so touching. Were they allowed to greet all incoming transports even during the Bush/Cheney blackout on coverage of incoming war dead?  
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**L Danley**  
 Yes I believe they were.....DH went for most of 2005 but we had friends who had been there and back several times and all were greeted when they came through Bangor (it seems it is an almost mandatory entry point or at least it was). It was very special and DH called me and said it was unexpected and very moving and as you might expect most of these guys aren't easily moved to emotion.....  
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**Mary Carroll**  
 Bush was president in 2005. It appears the ban was primarily against photographing grieving families for the evening news ratings.  
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**Lynda C**  
 And I respected that ban for that very reason, Mary Carroll. I never thought it was to hide the "truth". I truly believe that family needs and should have the right to privacy during those moments without the media doing what media does best - a media show.  
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**L Danley**  
 Yes I believe that is correct..... as well as the deceased being flown to Dover service Bangor..... It is definitely still a point of entry (I asked DH to be sure and we had friends return through Bangor back in January 2010 so he tells me). It is such a blessing on this country that many people are still so willing to serve and acknowledge those strangers (except via service in our armed forces) returning home again.  
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**Lynda C**  
 They greet troop transport planes going and coming from overseas. I believe most land in Bangor due to the size of the airport. I believe they have greeted every one since 2003. I think the incoming war dead come into Dover, Delaware??  
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**Cindy Johnson**  
 I had heard something about this.... what a wonderful story! I've been to Bangor, Maine - lovely spot and now I know full of lovely folks as well. Fitting story for us to ponder on this eve of Memorial Day. Thank you!  
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**DWD in Atlanta**  
 I have pics of my husband in Bangor when he came home from Baghdad.  
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**Barb**  
**Lynda C** are you still here? I just saw your dutch oven question and thought I would answer for you.  
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**Lynda C**  
 At your service, ma'am - just came back - did you see that I had conjured up an image of you in colonial clothing, etc. :)  
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**Barb**  
 Yes, normally I just wear what I have on and don't bother to change my clothing :)  
 I use a 12" cast iron pot, put some oil or fat in the bottom and then layer the following to make glorified "toil dinners"  
 Sliced or quartered potatoes (always on the bottom)  
 Sliced onion  
 sliced mushrooms  
 carrot chunks  
 some sort of cooked meat on top (this last time I had 1.5 hot dogs I cut up and put three big portabello mushrooms there as well).  
 season all to taste or wait until served and add what you like.  
 It all cooks in about 15min on a really hot charcoal fire--put a ring of briquets around the top of the lid.  
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**Barb**  
 My husband makes pinapple upsidedown cake in the smaller dutch oven.  
 It's a lot of fun and we do have other recipes but that one above is pretty standard for us. No peppers, seems to give it all a funny taste when I have added them.  
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**Owlominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
 My favorite Cast Iron Blog - <http://hickoryrind.blogspot.com/> (OK, so it's the only one I read, but it is enjoyable)  
 This guy started out with one pan and ended up with a cast iron obsession. Sounds familiar. :)  
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**Lynda C**  
 sounds yummy - I love those quick/easy one-pot meals, especially on busy days. Thanks.  
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**susan**  
 is everybody at home?  
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**Karen**  
 Lynda C...Your quilting is beautiful!! I am a quilter also and love the traditional colors and patterns but as I get older I have really liked to brighten up my

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**quilt's** Your story about the quilt of your sisters fabrics hit home. I made one for my sister that died of breast cancer and my brother that died of aids. Thank you for sharing your quilts. Bless you!

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**Denise Holland Poarch**  
 I so wish we knew a quilter around here. We received a very old quilt that that my husband's grandmother made. It has the little girl wearing a big hat pattern. The quilt top is big and in really good condition.

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**Karen**  
 Check with churches. Sometimes they have a group of quilters that quilt for a pretty good price. I used to hand quilt but anymore I have them machine quilted. I would never do that with a heirloom quilt tho'. Check it out and also quilt stores could help you find someone that hand quilts.

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**Lynda C**  
 Thanks, Karen. - Denise - a good idea from Karen. Most areas also have a quilters group and many of the quilters have some expertise in quilt restoration. Your pattern sounds like a "Sunbommet Sue" pattern with the girl appliqued onto each base square. Advise I always give to people who are storing quilts - always roll them (vs. folding) to save wear lines at the folds. Also, I don't store quilts in plastic bags (which can trap moisture) preferring to roll and store in old pillow cases (one on each end) or similar bags that I have made.

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**Denise Holland Poarch**  
 Thanks for the advice, will remember that. Your quilts are beautiful and God bless you for making those for your sister's children.

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**Laura (TN)**  
 Lynda C, Just one more things in regards to your beautiful quilts...I bet Moly & McGee & owlets cut into your quilting time. 😊

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**Lynda C**  
 Really? You think ??? 😊 I don't quilt much this time of year, but being here has sure cut into my yard work, housework and cooking 😊 Meals have been quick and easy - but usually healthy and I haven't yet had to get to Hamburger Helper (my husband hates it).

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**Dorothy**  
 I don't like hamburger helper either. Yuk.

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**Natalie**  
 Good night, all. Im going to try to catch up on a little reading tonight. See you tomorrow!

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**Karen**  
 What are you reading??

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**Natalie**  
 Hi Karen! I'm reading a book by a local author, Doug Stewart, called "The Boy Who Would Be Shakespeare." It's non-fiction, based on a true story of forgeries of some of Shakespeare's plays and papers. Fascinating that so many were taken in by the forgeries.

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**Karen**  
 I'm reading Emile Richards right now...She is good (I think)

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**Sherry Vann**  
 Night, night, Natalie.

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**Latrippi**  
 Dorothy, the Kansas City picnic is next Saturday.

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**Dorothy**  
 Thank you...

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**Charlene in Texas**  
 God Bless America...have you thanked a soldier lately. The price of Freedom is NOT free. Thank You to all our military. ♥ ya

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**Katie**  
 AMEN! Charlene

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**Hazel Vinnay Michalski**  
 Hooraa (sp?) Charlene Well said.

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**L Danley**  
 I thank my Dad (retired Navy Captain) and my DH (current Navy Master Chief) every chance I get 😊

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**Mike**  
 These American citizens in this owl box look better than I have ever looked. Have a great day tomorrow Carlos and Donna.

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**Joan Schultz**  
 See everybody at the fledge ledge a little later. Hubby says "veggie pizza" so we are off to our fav. restaurant!

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**Sherry Vann**  
 yum!

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**patcummins@live.com**  
 I hope everyone is having a safe and good holiday weekend. Hat off to those in the military who kept our country safe and gave their lives doing it.

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**Lois H.**  
 Mike, thank you ever so much for sharing that video. I've seen it before and it still touches my heart. My husband was in the service during the late sixties and I remember those days him coming home. It's something that will be in my heart forever. God Bless our military and all their families. God Bless America and of course our little Owls.

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**Sherry Vann**  
 Yes, we went to Fort Bragg and watched the cargo plane land with my son-in-law who had been in Afghanistan. Ill never forget it. Never.

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**Mike**  
 To those who are or have been in the military Thank You So Much. I hope you all come home safely and we should never forget those who have not. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hkGqpGx1KU>

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**Kasey**  
 I have seen that, it is wonderful, but make me cry everytime. God bless our troops and our vets.

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**Sherry Vann**  
 I had never seen that. Thank you for sharing. I love our soldiers and pray for them daily.

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**DWD in Atlanta**  
 If that's a tear-jerker...I can't watch it.

My husband is still in the military and my son is in the National Guard. Im just happy they are safe on US soil right now!!!

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**Sherry Vann**  
 It's a tear jerker.

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**patcummins@live.com**  
 What a wonderful video - thanks for sharing this!

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**Mike**  
 This video was sent to me by a friend whose grandson has been serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. I am glad he sent it to me and I am glad that I have posted this here on this site. With thoughts and prayers to our military men and women and our country have a great Memorial Day folks.

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**Hazel Vinnay Michalski**  
 I have seen this before and cried again when I watched it now. It is so touching and a very proud moment when loved ones return from battle. God Bless Them All.

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**Patsy Larsen**  
 Thank you, my late husband spent 20 years and flew helicopters in Viet Nam. I think sometimes we don't appreciate our Military as much as we should. Thank You again!!

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**Lynda C**  
 OK - just a couple. The first is a Log Cabin block design using all "pine bough/pine cone" themed fabrics. Currently only the top is finished and has to be "layered" together. The second is one of the quilts I made for my sister's grown children after she passed away. I wanted to use as many different fabrics of hers that I could and they all have a "scrappy" look. I made a quilt for each of them (all different) with matching pillows as memory quilts.

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**Owloaurus**  
 I love your project using your sister's fabric for her children's quilts. Very touching. I'm sure it meant a great deal to them. You do beautiful work!

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**Natalie**  
 Those are really beautiful, Lynda.

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**Darlene Salisbury**  
 Those quilts are just beautiful. My Mother made quilts for me and my siblings and I will treasure them always.

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**Kristi from VA**  
 Absolutely gorgeous - both of them. Log cabin is one of my favorite patterns as it is so easy for me to hand piece. Giving a quilt is such an incredible experience. I am sure you nieces/nephews appreciated the ones you made for them. What an incredible quilt! Thank you for sharing.

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**Mary Carroll**  
 I love your quilts. The colors are wonderful! You do beautiful work.

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**DWD in Atlanta**  
 Just Beautiful!!!!

The log cabin one is a spread.... That's a bit more work!!! My mother made me a 9 patch quilt out of all my grade school dresses after my younger sister outgrew them. Seeing some of that fabric brings back memories of my favorite dresses.

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**Laura (TN)**  
 Lynda, I have a couple that won't last much longer but when you have more then you can use I think it's ok to put some away for later, moved is what I have done. My daughter was unhappy when we discovered a big hole in her afghan after a washing. Our friend who knows how to mend moved away but we don't have any yarn that matches so well just mend it the best we can.

**Barb**  
 Laura, I know what you mean. We are overrun with afghans my mother knitted or crocheted but I can't get rid of them. She made some for me over the years and then my brother and I split up the rest when she died. Two of my children never met her but will only know her through her craft.

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**Laura (TN)**  
 Barb, (fN) she passed away I would try not to use but just a few of them. Wanted to keep them in good shape to have for children and grandchildren. She told me, "I didn't quilt those for you not to use them." So she just made me enough to have for them too. 😊 Now my quilts need mending and I don't know how to do it. Wish I had of had her to teach me. 😊

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**Barb**  
 I'm sure if you asked around you would find a quilters' group. A lot of churches have them, ask at your fabric/craft store if they know of any and perhaps someone can mend yours for you.

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**Lynda C**  
 Thank you everyone for you kind words. Most of my large quilts are made "bedspread size". It really isn't that much extra work. All of my are machine pieced.

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**Mary Pat Hyland**  
 Gorgeous, Lynda. I've always admired this art form. Your work looks first class.

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**Elen**  
 Very nice quilts.

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**Darlene Salisbury**  
 Is someone cleaning house?

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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
 Certainly Not me. 😊

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**Owloaurus**  
 Phoebe the mama humming bird is feeding the baby at the nest right now.

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 Liked by [Natalie](#) [Katie](#)

**Barb**  
 Time for dessert yet?  
 Merritt gets first dibs on the milk chocolate, you all can fight over the rest.

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Mik Chocolate s'more Dark chocolate s'more Peppermint Patty s'more

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Natalie  
Mmmmm-gooey and dripping! Love it!  
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Liked by Lynda C Barb

Merritt  
Yippeee! Just in time for my dessert! Still not ready to officially come back into the chat room yet, but I have to get me my s'more before they are all gone!! Thanks for remembering, Barb! (Those really look delicious! Y'all made those to perfection!)  
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Barb  
I saw those huge marshmallows earlier this week! WOW! I didn't buy any, just a wee bit too big.  
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ginJah  
that rods! never thot of pep patty s'mores before. thank you...  
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mlhecox  
I wish I could pet their faces...they are too cute!  
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Lynda C  
Ouch - might get a nasty bite if you tried 😊  
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Darlene Salisbury  
Look at that face.  
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Natalie  
Rhunette and Elliott--I really enjoy your occasional sibling interactions here. Wish I could have persuaded some of my siblings to join. Maybe you are the only siblings who are often here??  
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Sherry Vann  
Natalie,  
It is our job to teach these good folk to cook a mean pot of collard greens. I bet Kristi can help.  
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Rhunette Humrich  
Thank you Natalie! We've had so much fun sharing this incredible experience!  
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Liked by Natalie

Natalie  
And we've had fun with you both here! 😊  
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Liked by Rhunette Humrich Sherry Vann

Elliott  
Natalie, it really has been awesome. There are just no words! Rhunette and I have spent hours on the phone talking about the owls!!  
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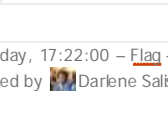
Natalie  
That's wonderful...I've certainly had the impression that you two are close. Nothing like a good sibling! (Even if she does cook you collard greens!) 🙄  
Did Rhunette see that someone (Karen?) thought you were her sister today? Too funny!  
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Liked by Rhunette Humrich

Darlene Salisbury  
Wonder if they are having problems posting pictures. No pictures in Molly's Box site from last night yet. Does anyone have anything from last night?  
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Owlosaurus  
They were probably too tired from the picnic to post pictures!  
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Liked by Natalie Latrippi Sherry Vann

Latrippi  
Here's a screen grab from 12:15 PM PDT, with Wesley on the roof after what I think may have been his first flyabout. But I didn't see him fly myself. I read that in the chat stream. He looks pretty cute standing there and he stayed for a long time, swaying and turning around, eventually tucking one foot bossily up under him.

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Darlene Salisbury  
Thank you, I got a screen save from that. I appreciate it.  
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Latrippi  
Dareene, were you on then? Did see Wesley's flyabout? Could you describe it?  
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Latrippi  
Carlos: Spoke to someone at Fish & Wildlife. Anytime after day 65, the owlets can take off and go on their own. Typically, they'll depend on and hunt with mom and dad for 2-3 weeks. But at any time, they might take off on their own. (for the PDF!)  
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Dorothy  
Latrippi, didn't Carlos say that there would be a gathering/picnic in Kansas City soon?  
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Latrippi  
Hm, I think he mentioned Kansas City but I'm afraid I wasn't tracking that.  
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Liked by Dorothy

DWD In Atlanta  
Could it be tomorrow or next weekend maybe???  
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Dorothy  
I didn't hear when. I just heard something to be in KC and someone would be there to do some signing that is part of the group Carbs and Donna have been working with.  
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elsie from ohio  
thank you donna and carlos. you're the best!  
Today, 17:10:28 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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Susan  
Carlos and Donna are the real blessings!  
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Liked by Kasey Sherry Vann Lynda C Kasey Lisa In Okla Rhunette Humrich

Latrippi  
Carlos: Last night, he and Donna watched M&M flying around the OB calling to the owlets, calling them out to the Happy Hunting Grounds, where Molly takes them hunting. Max & Pattison have both come back from there with the HHG with small rodents. (for the PDF!)  
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Kasey  
Carlos and Donna are so genuine. What nice people.  
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Susan  
I agree! They are great!  
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Denise  
Gotta love Carlos..... he says the owlets will eventually go off to college to study "Hunting" and "Owl Management". 😊  
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Jill Henry  
At what point will the owlets leave and not come back to the box?  
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Linda B  
Carlos just said, anytime from day 70. Which is how hold Max is.  
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Liked by Sherry Vann Dorothy

Denise  
Hi everybody!!! 😊  
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Liked by Sherry Vann Natalie Rhunette Humrich Dorothy purdyarmsBecky, WA

Kristi from VA  
Lynda C. - glad to hear you are a fellow quilter. I have been trying (unsuccessfully) to put as my avatar one of the quilts that I made. If all goes well, I will finish my lesson plans tomorrow and actually touch fabric for the first time in months. Stress melts away when I touch fabric! Bet it does for you, too.  
Today, 17:01:46 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lynda C purdyarmsBecky, WA

Lynda C  
You bet. I don't care for routine TV at all, I do read a lot. I'm not a "designer" quilter and I do not finish them with hand quilting - but have taken a couple to be machine quilted. My sister was a quilter and she stared me on it. Quilting is not only my "therapy" but keeps me "close" to my sister who passed away 7 years ago with breast cancer. I acquired all of her fabric (2 cabinets full) and often use it to make quilts for charity causes, the Linus project, Katrina hurricane victims, etc.  
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Liked by purdyarmsBecky, WA Dorothy Barbara - PA

Kristi from VA  
You could be my twin. I read all the time, and I don't watch routine TV. I piece by hand, and a dear friend free motion quilts them on her long arm. They are always gorgeous when she gets done with them. I would love to donate my work, but hand piecing takes a long time. My friends are benefiting from my work right now.  
Today, 17:19:39 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lynda C

Lynda C  
You are a true quilter, Kristi!!! I wish I could say I had done just one that was hand-pieced and hand-quilted. Maybe someday one for just me. I don't like hand sewing much, but do the necessary hand work on the binding, etc. I also expect the quilts made for my children and others to be used heavily, washed when needed, etc. but couldn't do it if pieced by hand.  
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Mary Carroll  
Don't worry too much. I used to work in Washington, DC and I would see beautiful hand-made quilts discarded under overpasses where the homeless had left them. I vowed that I would pay for ordinary blankets and try to save the works of art for someone who just might appreciate them.  
Today, 17:34:07 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lynda C

Judi Anderson Seal  
Liked by another quilter who is a teacher!  
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Liked by Lynda C

Lynda C  
A quilting teacher, Judi??  
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Kristi from VA  
Ah - there are many of us!  
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Owlosaurus  
Another quilter here! I haven't been on much the past few days because I'm trying to give a baby quilt done this weekend. I machine piece and quilt, usually. Hand quilting can be beautiful but I'm more of an instant gratification quilter. I've made quilts for the Linus Project, Lynda, and also for Quilts of Valor.  
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Liked by Rhunette Humrich Lynda C

Lynda C  
I guess I am, too, Owlo. I get such satisfaction from making small quilts, lap robes and baby quilts for people who need them. I did 4 for Hospice to give to patients after my sister died, sent some to a church (in Mississippi I think) to give to children after the hurricane and gave 2 gently used ones I had to a family who resettled in this area after Katrina.  
Today, 17:36:15 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

Denise Holland Poarch  
We recently got a very, very old quilt top that my husband's grandmother made. It has the little girl with the hat pattern. So far we have been unable to find anyone to make it into a quilt.  
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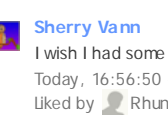
Latrippi  
Ooo, new wide angle camera on OB2 tonight!!!  
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Liked by Denise Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH) Dorothy BI in SD

Denise  
Great time to tune in!!! Carlos and Dorna are on!!  
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Linda B  
That new view sounds great! Hopefully it works out!!!  
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Liked by Nora In Houston

Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)  
A larger view of that fabric. Saved from last night.  
Off to fix dinner, see ya'll later.

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Lynda C  
I "snatched" it from your post last night. I just knew I could count on you to post it again. 😊  
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Rhunette Humrich  
Well, it is clear that we all share more than love for our owl family!! Such delicious food I can only imagine!  
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Natalie  
I hope you feed Elliott collard greens when he visits... 😊  
Today, 16:54:38 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lynda C

Sherry Vann  
I wish I had some good ole collards right now -  
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Liked by Rhunette Humrich Lynda C Natalie

Elliott  
I am totally shocked. The words "collard greens" have never crossed the lips of anyone in my family! I have no idea where Rhunette came up with that!! Something has come over her of late. 😊  
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Natalie  
Today, 16:59:15 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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Sherry Vann  
Elliott,  
You simply must experience the delight of a big pot of fresh collards and corn bread. Personally, I put the corn bread on the bottom of a bowl and then pour the 'pot liquor' on top. Finish with a thick dollop of the greens. Take beans, my grandmother used to say they put hat on your chest.

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Liked by Natalie Mary Carroll

Rhunette Humrich  
Oh Sherry! How positively heavenly!!!  
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Liked by Sherry Vann Natalie

DWD in Atlanta  
We eat hot corn bread, crumbled in a bowl or glass with cold buttermilk poured over it. YUM!!!  
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Rhunette Humrich  
I'm not sure if he's open to that experience! But he sure seemed happy when I gave him this steak!  
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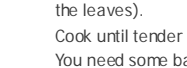
Frances Gaffney  
Did I hear collard greens? I love them. Have live in NYC for 33 yrsd but was born and raised in the south  
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Elliott  
I have an abiding aversion to cooked, green stringy things. I just can't help it.  
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Liked by Natalie Barb Rhunette Humrich

Mary Carroll  
Collard greens are really good! The frozen and canned ones suck. The fresh ones are like spinach...you HAVE to wash the grit off. Forget about steaming. Bring a BIG pot of water to boil and put in just the leaves (Actually, we cut the stems into 1" pieces and cook them until tender before we add the leaves).  
Cook until tender but not until grey and mushy.  
You need some bacon grease in the water and a little salt. Serve with cider vinegar and hot sauce. Good with corn bread like Sherry Vann said.  
YUM!  
Today, 17:23:44 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Rhunette Humrich Dorothy DWD in Atlanta

Lynda C  
Merritt - here is a little better closeup of the fabric in the shirt made for Carlos that someone posted last night from a screen capture when Carlos, Dona and Austin were on in the evening - owls in the palm tree, even background images of mice, rabbits and Dudley.

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Liked by Karen Dorothy BARBinOHIO Merritt

Lynda C  
so much for that 😊 - guess I didn't save the enlarged version. Be patient folks, I'm learning - and many of you have taught me a lot of what I know about computers 😊  
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Rhunette Humrich  
Linda, I too am technically challenged! You need not apologize!  
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Liked by Sherry Vann Lynda C Nora in Houston Dorothy

Lynda C  
Long ago learned not to apologize for things that are beyond my control 😊 I do some things well (like quilting) and others not so well (computers), but I'm happy with who I am and what I can (or can learn) to do.  
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Ingrid  
Time to feed my other critters be back for the night time folies. 😊  
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Liked by Dorothy Sherry Vann

Chris in Olympia, WA  
Gray Squirrel at that cam  
[http://www.sportsmansparadiseonline.com/Live\\_Gray\\_Squirrel\\_Nest.html](http://www.sportsmansparadiseonline.com/Live_Gray_Squirrel_Nest.html)  
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Sherry Vann  
I love this steak!  
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YTQ  
Four little owlets standing in the nest, Wes says "Mom love me the best".  
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Bette  
hey amber owlets sleeping  
Today, 16:24:18 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Merritt

Merritt  
Bette! Just signed out but have to say hello to you before I go. It's good to see you again!  
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Liked by Bette

Merritt  
Sure is good to be back, but I got to take a dinner break to be with my DH whom I also haven't seen in 3 days! I'll see you all later on tonight. TTFN

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Bette  
welcome home and continued festive birthday wishes! party on! 😊 😊  
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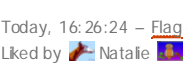
Chris in Olympia, WA  
Hoku is standing on the edge of the nest at Phoebe's site.  
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Chris in Olympia, WA  
[http://www.sportsmansparadiseonline.com/Live\\_Hummingbird\\_Cam.html](http://www.sportsmansparadiseonline.com/Live_Hummingbird_Cam.html)  
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Jeri  
He/she looks ready! I watched the other ones fledge, a wonderful sight.  
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Ingrid  
Two hummers drinking

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Jeri  
Beaut Full!  
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Jakki  
Does anyone have advice on how to keep crows, magpies and scrub jays away from the nests without scaring the hummingbirds and other small birds away?  
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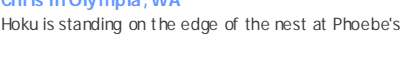
Dorothy  
The praying mantis kept trying to get to my hummingbirds and I continually would know them down from the feeders. I saw a video where a praying mantis ate a hummingbird after jumping on it's back while the hummer was feeding and could not get the praying mantis off. It brought me to tears.  
Today, 17:03:40 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

Jakki  
I saw that video and was totally unaware that mantises harmed hummingbirds. Last summer, one lurked around our feeders and I didn't chase him away as he seemed to be of no harm. He'll get his deportation this year!  
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Dorothy  
In the Kentucky, MO area are the largest praying mantis that I have ever seen. They seemed to be almost 6 inches long. I had never seen any that big and was astounded. In my area they are smaller probably about 4 inches which is large enough. I know they eat insects but going after the hummingbirds is too much.  
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Ingrid  
Oops forgot the photos here they are.

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Natalie  
Fabulous, Ingrid! I sent you a message at 6:46...  
Today, 16:15:21 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

Ingrid  
Found your message. I am in the high desert of So. Calif. About 65 miles north of L.A. Cleaner air 4 season and lots of cherries are grown here. In the summer I have so many humming birds at my feeders. All different kinds, even the rascal ones the Rufus. Go through about 8 cups of food a day. Cool thing I shop at Costco for the sugar. LOL  
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Natalie  
Oh, my gosh--that's unbelievable! 😊  
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Ingrid  
Last week I got brave and got out a tall ladder and looked into the nest. There were two very tiny babies in it. So tiny it is hard to describe. I try not to go into the garage often but sometimes I have to and the mother bird flies out the door. When ever I don't see her I worry that she has abandoned the nest and then the next time I see her again. Starting to wonder why like we did about Dudley.  
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Lynda C  
I have only seen one hummingbird nest (an empty one in the Fall when the foliage was gone) in all the years I have fed and watched them. We've always been surrounded by wood, bushes, etc. I counted 9 ruby-throated hummers at 2 of my feeders yesterday and I'm now going thru 1 quart of sugar-water a day.  
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DWD in Atlanta  
I think it was Tbyrd that asked for pics.  
It's amazing how they build their nests. They are so small and the eggs so tiny.  
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Sherry Vann  
That's one of the neatest things I've ever seen. I always feel so honored when a wild creature feels safe enough to share its home with mine. I've never had that close of an encounter though. You are blessed.  
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Liked by Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH) Ingrid Natalie

Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)  
Very resourceful, the animal world is. Thanks for sharing the photos. Now go buy a web camera (or 5) and sign up for a page here. HF might just make you famous! (extravagant fortunes and unbridled greed you will have to provide for yourself) 😊  
Today, 16:22:26 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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Ingrid  
No that's O.K. don't want anyone seeing my messy garage. LOL  
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Karen  
I like that one Ingrid!!!  
Today, 16:30:57 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Natalie Ingrid

Ingrid  
I'm back after taking off to get some pics of the hummingbird nest. After so many requests I thought it was the least I could do. (actually I think there was only one request but that's O.K. too)

I took two photos and they came out better than I thought by it being so small. The most interesting part though is the glue she made to hold the nest to the cord hanging there. Hope the person who wanted to see it is still here.  
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Jeri  
Did the owls take flight  
And leave you lonesome tonight...  
They're fickle aren't they?

Can't have an owl chat page without an Elvis mention. 😊  
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Mollie  
Jeri, apologies for not recognizing you as "that" Jeri. I was just looking at your haiku page yesterday and thinking how much work you had put into it. I guess I was too busy planning the design of my Owl Lady Hat to be thinking straight.  
Today, 16:13:42 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Lisa in Okla Lynda C Jeri Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)

Jeri  
No problem. I'm not here much so I understand. Watch the owl hat now, put that thing on and you may begin receiving messages from barn owls in space. Put a little tin foil on there...  
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Natalie  
Jeri, I visited Graceland recently--thought it would be cheesy, but it was a great tour.  
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Liked by Jeri Lynda C

Natalie  
Which reminds me, Barb--is it time for the "what's for dinner" discussion yet? 😊 (At least, it's dinner time here on the east coast.)

Us...edamame/roasted corn salad and chicken.  
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Jeri  
Roast beef with gravy and rice, salad from my garden and the season's first sweet white corn on the cob, mmmmmmm  
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Liked by Natalie

purdyfarmsBecky, WA  
Pork chops topped with hash browns and baked with apple cider, and fresh, roasted asparagus! Creme brulee for dessert. Dessert is of the frozen variety, and only if my blood sugar isn't high.  
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DWD in Atlanta  
Pulled Pork BBQ & rice  
Collards &  
Coke Slaw  
Today, 16:14:50 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Natalie Sherry Vann Lynda C

Mollie  
Can I come over??? I live in Atlanta too!  
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Rhunette Humrich  
I could die for some collard greens!!!!!!  
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Elliott

**EWWWWWW @ Rhunette !!!!!**  
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**Natalie**  
   
Today, 16:53:02 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Lynda C**  
Pizza (take out) and a beer.  
**Barb**, I think it was yesterday that you mentioned having to go put something in a dutch oven for supper. I immediately had a "vision" of you standing in colonialclothes and tending a **dutch oven** over an open fire or hanging on the fireplace arm in a fireplace of an old colonial cabin. (Forgive me, my mind does conjure up some strange images at times BTW what did you make in that dutch oven ???  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
Not Barb, but my dutch oven truly is one of my prized possessions, as are all of my well-seasoned cast iron cooking vessels.  
  
So what image does that conjure up? (no fireplace, but I do live in a real big cabin)  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Pork chops with gravy and rice and peas. This is actually one of my family's favorite meals!  
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Liked by Dorothy Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH) Natalie

**Dorothy**  
Mime too. Good stuff.   
Today, 16:42:06 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Natalie

**shari cekalovich**  
Just my thoughts! I have watched Molly and Mgege since February. Saw all the births, cried when the last one couldn't hatch! I've watched them all grow day by day and watched the parents take such good care of them. I watched in amazement the things they taught them. It has been one of the most beautiful things in my life. I of course was not alone I was only 1 along with some very amazing people. I have chatted with people from all over the world! There are so many positive people out there. The poetry, haiku, and happy talk was amazing! The caring everyone on this chat showed when someone had a problem was the greatest. I thank Molly, Mgege & the owlets for giving joy & happiness to us! Last but not least I thank Carlos and Dorna for giving me MY GREAT ESCAPE!!!

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**Lynda C**  
So nice!! Well said and so may here share your thoughts. Thanks.  
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**Barb**  
Sounds like we are about ready to make some s'mores.  
TIFN!

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Liked by Merritt Lynda C

**Merritt**  
Yurr! Please bring us back some!!!  
Today, 16:04:16 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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**Barb**  
Dark chocolate or milk chocolate?  
Today, 16:05:21 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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**Merritt**  
When it comes to s'mores, I'm a traditionalist. Milk chocolate, please!  
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Liked by Barb Lynda C Sherry Vann Dorothy

**Mollie**  
Owl cookies for Becky and Chris! I added the owl cookie and owl pellet cookies to the wiki just now, along with the conversion charts and calculator for our over-the-water friends. Thanks to DWD in Atlanta, a Mary Carroll, and Bill in SD.  
  
Anybody got any idea how the Dudley cookies were made?   
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**Barb**  
The Dudley prizes for the "bean bag toss" into the owl box were painted rocks.  
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**Mollie**  
There were cookies too. I heard a lady ask someone if she wanted one. Maybe we'll have to come up with that recipe on our own.  
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Liked by Lynda C

**Karen**  
Did anyone try my "Molly Cookies" recipe that Kristi put on the fbook page?? They are butter scotch oatmeal and really good. I made a batch for Kristi but put chocolate chips in hers....  
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**Mollie**  
Your recipe is on the wiki, too. I'm hoping Colleen will add the Owl Pellet Cake recipe that she developed by modifying her Kitty Litter Cake recipe.  
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Liked by Karen

**Mollie**  
Darig, I keep hitting Post too soon. I meant to ask if you could think up a Dudley recipe to go with the Mollys. And don't I remember that several people did make your cookies and pronounced them yummy?  
Today, 16:26:44 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Was anyone here at the Boston Area meetup today?  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
If you haven't seen that you can order limited edition prints from Chris Adams you should check it out. It's on the same page as Carlos's photos. Signed Limited Edition Fine Art Prints of Molly the Owl - Fine Art by Chris Adam - Four different Prints available. <http://mollysbox.wordpress.com/bba/>  
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**Dorothy**  
They are lovely but I am hoping for a coffee table book with hard cover that contains actual photographs by Carbs. I am sure that will never happen but that is my wish.....  
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**Dorothy**  
Merritt very good to have you back. We need your help and moxie. Sweet...  
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**Merritt**  
Thanks, Dorothy! I have been thinking about you for a long time, ever since you asked about the "comment count," remember? I finally figured out what you were talking about! The count by the word ECHO on the upper LEFT side! We'd never talked about that number before so I kept faking on the viewer count!!!! I have no idea what "4599 Items" means, which is what mine currently says now.  
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**Merritt**  
Now, 4609. It must be a cumulative number of comments, for the day, maybe?  
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Liked by Lynda C Dorothy

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**Lynda C**  
Oh yes, it still exists and they even have a Moxie festival each summer in the town where it was first made.  
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**Dorothy**  
What a great coment. I look forward to seeing your post of the Moxie drink.   
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Liked by Lynda C

**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
If you haven't already, please check out and sign the Group card at <http://www.groupcard.com/c/ko8GBD0YXm8>  
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Liked by Merritt Lynda C Dorothy

**Barb**  
Welcome back Merritt. You arrived while I was at the store. Nice to see you again. (did you peek at the owls while you were gone?)  
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**Merritt**  
Hi Barb! I did try to stay in touch with a few folks on the hotel computer and did peek into the chat room once early on. Saw where there was a greeting card, tried to sign it, but the hotel connection went out right about then so I don't think it went through! I'll have to revisit that card to see. It's nice to be back for a while!  
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Liked by George Barb Lynda C Dorothy

**George**  
"McGee's Mistress" provides proof positive that there continues to be no dearth of fools in this world.  
In My Humble Opinion.  
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**Mollie**  
Quintuple like.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Amen!! "I see stupid people"  
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Liked by Lynda C CatnapCrafts

**Natalie**  
Ingrid, are you there? You brought me good luck with your hummingbird story! A male Ruby was just at the feeder for a few minutes...I've seen only several so far this season. His stunning throat was really flashing in the late evening sun. They are my favorites, along with the owls.  
(Where are you, by the way? I'm in NE Massachusetts--we don't get tons of hummers here, and only the Rubythroats.)  
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Liked by Lucky Lynda C purdyfarmsBecky, WA

**Lynda C**  
Double like to that, Natalie. New England doesn't have any but the ruby-throats that I've ever heard of. In fact I have read that that is usually the only hummer generally, East of the Mississippi, although I have seen reports of other varieties spotted. In fact someone here (?) posted photos a couple of days ago of a calloped hummer at her feeder.  
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Liked by Natalie

**CatnapCrafts**  
Keep those nunningbirds happy, Natalie. There are "homeless" ones in your area since my mom moved away from Topsfield and her feeders came down!  
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**George**  
Welcome home, Mrs. Merritt. You were sorely missed and mentioned ten here.  
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**Merritt**  
Hi George! It's good to be back!  
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Liked by George Lynda C

**Mary Skelton Gototweski**  
Yes, good to see you back. Hope you had a nice time away.  
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**Merritt**  
Thanks, Mary.  
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Liked by George Lynda C

**Mollie**  
Jeri, I answered your questions about the wiki way down where you asked them: The wiki will be there forever, and you can ask to be a contributor and post all you want. Details below.  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
I also answered you down below Jeri.   
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**jeri**  
You guys are great. Thanks for saying something nice about what I've done. Now I'm good for at least another 30 pdfs, LOL!  
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Liked by Chris in Olympia, WA

**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Hopefully I have gotten my name back now. That really was me before, but something weird happened and I couldn't get my name to show up instead of Your Name Required. I didn't even notice it at first.  
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**Cat**  
I thought it was intended and rather funny... in an old-joke kind of way   
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Liked by Chris in Olympia, WA Merritt Lynda C Dorothy

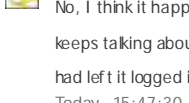
**Merritt**  
I'm so glad you have said that. I hope "your name (required)" happens to other people, too, because there have been some unfriendly things posted by "your name (required)" and I wouldn't like to think those had been done by you!  
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Liked by Karen Lynda C Dorothy

**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
No, I think it happened because I had logged in through a different computer earlier and then shut it down without logging out. Those "cookies" James keeps talking about. But I didn't even look to check to see if my name came up when I turned on the other computer that time, since I thought I had left it logged in. Ah well. Glad you all recognized me anyway.   
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Owl Cookies!!  
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**Lynda C**  
Toooodo funny, Becky!!  
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**Dorothy**  
What a stance...



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**Paula Cutcomb**  
I think they look like Emperor penguins...  
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**wiggydl**  
It is so funny how they sway when they sleep! LOL  
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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**  
Gotta go practice my song we have sing and share tonight at church  
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Liked by Karen purdyfarmsBecky, WA Lucky Natalie Lynda C

**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Merritt...here is the Owl Hat Lady for you in case you haven't seen it yet!! This just cracks me up every time I see her. Heck...any time I think of her. I know I

amso close to that!! But I haven't been able to get away from the computer long enough to find my glue gun!

PICTURES



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Merritt
That gives a whole new meaning to the Red Hat Society! She might get an Owl Hat Society going with that one!
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purdyfarmsBecky, WA
LOL I never even tied the RedHatSociety to her!!!
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Mollie
I'll make one for me if you'll make one for you.... After Carlos and Donna and Austin, she was the highlight of the picnic for me.
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purdyfarmsBecky, WA
Too bad she didn't make one for Donna and give it to her when Carlos got his shirt!!
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Liked by Lynda C, Merritt

Lynda C
??? I'm sure Donna would have been thrilled ??? Can you just imagine all of the thoughtful handmade gifts they have received? And, speaking as a retired person, what to do with all that stuff without hurting anyone's feelings. We reach an age when we suddenly think - why do I hold onto all these things? - I need to start downsizing so my kids won't have to "deal" with it all some day. - Maybe the can donate many of these things to the conservation/wildlife area he supports and they could have a "Molly the Owl" museum room???

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Elliott
I admire her lack of inhibitions!
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Owninghtlong
It takes a woman of rare courage and determination to wear something like this over the top tribute.
Today, 15:43:01 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Natalie, Merritt, Lynda C

Karen
Well, if a person would sit in front of a computer watching owls most of the day, they would wear a hat like that too?? I'm just sayin!
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Karen
I'm going to start gathering stuff for my hat on my trip!!
Today, 15:44:47 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Mollie
Let's all of us make one and meet back with photos!
Today, 15:46:54 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Karen
That would be awesome!!!
Today, 15:48:28 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Elliott
Hi, Merritt. Welcome back! You asked for us to share something special that happened while you were away. Well, this morning, the focus of the chatroom changed from owls to chiggers. Yes, chiggers! We all got an education in what chiggers are and how they cause their misery, and more importantly, how they do NOT cause their misery. Mary Carroll coined a new psychiatric disorder "COD - Chigger Obsessive Disorder". As your time permits, you can share in the education which will be memorialized in the PDFs.
Today, 15:33:23 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Merritt
Hi Elliott! I really did wave a little bit to you in New York City when I saw the skyline out of the window of my plane Thursday night. It was really late when I did, though, because my plane was diverted to Albany when the Newark airport closed for that terrible thunderstorm! As for chiggers (aka red bugs), I'm sorry to say I grew up with those in sw Georgia. They love tall grass and woody areas and will be feasting on you before you know it if you take a walk through that!
Today, 15:38:03 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by DWD in Atlanta, Lynda C

Elliott
Oh, jeez, Merritt! What a drag! I won't even ask what that did to your schedule!! Thanks for the wave, though
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Liked by Merritt, Lynda C

Mary Carroll
Actually, I derived the acronym of Fink's comment "do you think it is our tendency towards obsession?"

lets call it the Carroll - Fink acronym
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TByrd
Gonna sign off for a while until it gets dark in CA. Have to eat some supper so I'll see y'owl later. Stay vigilant.
Today, 15:30:33 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt, Sherry Vann, Natalie, purdyfarmsBecky, WA, Dorothy

Jeri
I haven't been here in a few days. College is kicking me arse! My heart feels lighter when I see these guys, just can't spend the time here that I'd like to.
Does anyone know how long the Molly Wiki page will be up? There are so many days/nights of haiku and poetry I missed and I did say I'd post it. I still want to do what I said I would do. In case I'm not able to do it, I know that most people have probably saved their own. Can I get a Wik admin nod on which way to proceed? Ty
Today, 15:27:54 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Sherry Vann
good question, Jeri. I hope we get an answer.
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Mollie
Until the end of time. Seriously.
Today, 15:40:27 - Flag - Unlike - Reply
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Mollie
Oh, I missed the second question. Jeri, and anybody else, you can go to the wiki and ask to be made a contributor; I think the link is at the top right. Latrippor Chris in Oly will accept you in and then you can add your stuff.
Today, 15:43:02 - Flag - Like - Reply

Chris in Olympia, WA
Jeri is already a contributor I believe and has spent many hours adding stuff until her computer had problems and life got in the way.
Jeri, I'd say, work on it when you have time and if you don't have time, that's OK. Those who want to add their own have been doing so, but there are many that haven't bothered and probably won't. I don't think anyone wants to put an unreasonable burden on you. It should be there for quite a while if you want to work on it in the summer or sometime when your classes are not so stressful. But if you can't do it, give your self a break because you have already done plenty.
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Jeri
Thank you Chris! I will do what I can when I can. Appreciate it girrrl...
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Chris in Olympia, WA
Most free pages stay up indefinitely, unless someone makes an effort to take them down.
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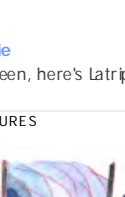
shari cekalovich
Merritt, welcome back you were missed alot
Today, 15:27:44 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Karen, Merritt, Lynda C

Merritt
Thanks, Shari. It's good to see you!
Today, 15:43:38 - Flag - Like - Reply

shari cekalovich
Thanks, I have been on but I have had the full screen on most of the time!
Today, 15:55:51 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt

Mollie
Kathleen, here's Latripp's avatar.

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Today, 15:26:37 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Your name (required), Jeri, purdyfarmsBecky, WA, AZGuest, Lynda C

Lucky
Merritt, tell them all! YOU miss me the most!
Today, 15:24:46 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Lynda C, Merritt

Merritt
I do miss you the most! Every morning for the past four mornings!!! Where have you been with my coffee??
Today, 15:28:10 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Lucky, Emily From Gulfport, Karen, Lynda C

Lucky
I was in Ft Myers, coffee in hand...OXOX, it was hot & ready!!
Today, 15:36:18 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt, Lynda C

Mollie
Kathleen wallyrusseel, are you still here? I don't see Latripp's avatar on your beautiful map. AND THANK YOU FOR THE HAT LADY!! And thanks to Becky, too, for posting it. I read that Bette prays to be saved from something like that, but I want one just like it. Only maybe a little more witchy.
Anyway, I have the picture that she got her avatar from. I'll post it as soon as I can go to my email and bring it back here.

I LOVE YOUR MAP!
Today, 15:24:04 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Bette, Lynda C

purdyfarmsBecky, WA
Lynda, and someone else in the basement were looking for the McGee's Mistress posting...Here it is along with Theresa and my answers. Okay, now that is off my chest!! On to enjoy the evening now!!

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Ms Mistress Theresa Becky
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Ingrid
Great replies to that ah...person. Couldn't of said it better myself. Hope he or she has egg on her/his face now.
Today, 15:27:51 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Sherry Vann, purdyfarmsBecky, WA, Nora in Houston, Lynda C

Jeri
Wow, that is disgusting. People like McGee's Mistress are hardwired to make everyone around them upset. They get a lot of pleasure out of doing it. It's sick behavior. There are meds for that, perhaps the aerial spraying of Thorazine, LOL.
Today, 15:35:34 - Flag - Like - Reply
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Meta Davidson
I will be back also... when the sun starts to go down in CA!
Today, 15:21:01 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt

Cat
First thing that came to mind, with this view, was "zombies sleeping, waiting for nightfall"
Today, 15:18:03 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Ingrid

Cat
Or insert "mummies" or "vampires" or your choice of sleeping, waiting menace ...
Today, 15:18:50 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by martha

Sarah near Montreal
gotta go, but will try & pop in later this evening...
Today, 15:16:11 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Natalie, Merritt

Meta Davidson
Merritt - lots of folks were missing you on here last night! Also glad you are back!
Today, 15:13:01 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt, Lynda C

Merritt
Thanks Meta. My BIL and SIL live in New Orleans now. Wanted to visit them for Mardi Gras but didn't want to leave the owls at that time!!!
Today, 15:14:41 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Emily From Gulfport, Lynda C

Meta Davidson
New Orleans is coming back... will be going down soon with DS and fmyl in from Houston.
Today, 15:17:08 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Merritt, Lynda C, Nora in Houston

Merritt
I had seen where you have said you live in Louisiana. I love that you also have family in Texas, since that's where I live now!
Today, 15:18:30 - Flag - Like - Reply

Meta Davidson
TByrd - reply would not work so post here. Thanks! Hard to imagine one day this will not be home base for them! Wonder how long they will return?!

TByrd
Hi Meta. I must have missed the reply you mentioned here. What was it?
Today, 15:20:36 - Flag - Like - Reply

TByrd
OK, I found it in the basement. There are still four.
Today, 15:29:10 - Flag - Like - Reply

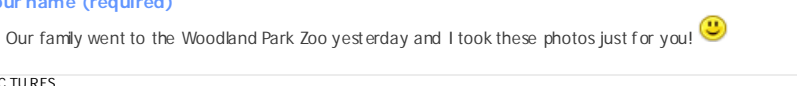
Your name (required)
So, Merritt is back, huh? Sounds like you had a good time! Are you still here?

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Merritt
Hi Chris! I am here and glad I can "see" you!
Today, 15:12:57 - Flag - Like - Reply
Liked by Lynda C

Your name (required)
Hi! Our family went to the Woodland Park Zoo yesterday and I took these photos just for you!

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Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)



**Hey Christ!** cool pics of merritt 😊 😊

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**Merritt**

Oh, Christ! How wonderful!!!! I love that you've posted these for me to see!!!  
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**Your name (required)**

Tigers are really beautiful!  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**

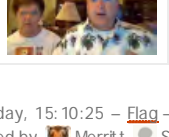
Did anyone notice that my name was missing here? Weird huh? I had quite a time getting it to take my name again.  
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**Ingrid**

Welcome back Merritt. You missed the picnic and the wonderful gifts that were given to Carlos; and Donna. A beautiful shirt was made for Carbs' with special material made just for him.  
See photo.

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**Merritt**

Thanks, Ingrid! That shirt is fantastic!  
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**Darlene Salisbury**

Wesley is being a camera hog  
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**Joan Schultz**

I just read some of that BOA drivel. But those kind of people scare me. They're the type, Ingrid, that will come & have you ticketed for having a hummingbird nest in the evil, dangerous, hideous mini-blind cord. Good grief. They make it sound like Carlos had this phenomena all planned out ahead of time.  
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**Kasey**

I read it also, they really have it in for the Royals and sounds like us, too, I believe it said something about the chatroom people blindly believing everything Carbs says.  
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**Cat**

"Bitter" is the word I use. They could be soooooo much more effective without the witch hunt aspect.  
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**Joan Schultz**

That "exclusive right to the truth" is usually evident in politics and religion. I wouldn't think that those who claim they are "scientists" would use that tactic. Sheesh  
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**Joan Schultz**

(eyes open wide & arms extended in front of me...) "take me to your leader..."  
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**Ingrid**

Kikes! I hope they don't read my post. Better tell my little hummer to beware of strangers lurking around my garage.  
You know you almost have to feel sorry for people that have so much hate in their hearts so sad for them as they miss so much of the good things in life.  
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**Your name (required)**

I was out for a bit. What is BOA - Bank of America?  
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**Merritt**

Barn Owl Alliance. The new group started by you know who.  
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**Joan Schultz**

Barn Owl Alliance, I think the whack-job fanatics  
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**Sherry Vann**

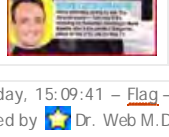
For sure. Those people are vicious and scary.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**

Adam...Saw this in a mag today, and thought of you. Just scanned it, hope you can enlarge it here!

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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**

I've seen the cartoons and if they are making him the wizard guy the movie is going to suck!  
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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**

P.S that's me in my smurf huntin days 😊  
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**Judi Anderson Seal**

That's my carcass!  
No, that's MY carcass!  
Talons off MY carcass!  
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**Lucky**

No I did ant miss you!! DONT EVER LEAVE ME..

**Could swear I saw you 😊 at the picnis w/Kristi in your pocket!!**

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**Merritt**

That would have been funny if I had shown up in California instead of New Jersey! 😊  
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**TByrd**

Ahhhhh yeah. Right there. That feels soooooo good."  
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**Meta Davidson**

Peeking in during the day for a change. are there 3 in there or 4?  
Today, 15:04:21 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**TByrd**

All four.  
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**Sarah near Montreal**

well, I tried to post a webshot... oh well. Still doesn't load!  
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**TByrd**

We had bad weather up here in the panhandle of Florida so we bst our internet connection. Did we have a Smurf invasion earlier? I know we have some good Smurf eradicators on board who can handle them so just let them know and they will take care of the problems. Good to be back on though.  
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**Colleen**

I tried to join the yahoo group, but I don't understand the server questions. POP3, IMAP, or HTTP. I haven't got a clue what it is talking about. Sorry.  
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**Colleen**

Shoot, it looks like I have to leave again. I will have to try and figure this out another time. Hopefully I will see you all tonight.  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**

No need to set anything up. Just send an email to the subscribe address. Subject can be just "subscribe". You'll get back an email asking you to click a link to complete the subscription.  
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**Dorothy**

James it seems Yahoo has my personal information wrong. I went in and tried to change it and it still appeared wrong in the group setup by Bill. I went in and unsubscribed until I can figure out how to get it changed. If you can help, give me a shout out. Thanks.... 😊  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**

**Lynda**, I just replied to your post below with a few images you may find interesting. The one about negative comments on the news article.  
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**Sherry Vann**

Well, that's some heavy stuff over there and I just read the first one. It was enough for me. Debbie Downers for sure.  
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Liked by [Lynda C](#)



**Kasey**

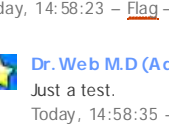
HMMM, better get an avatar if I want to be part of the poster.  
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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**

A new test of the smurf alert system

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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**

Just a test.  
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**Sarah near Montreal**

of your emergency broadcast system..  
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**zesty**

from fuzzy owlet butt view to speckled gold and silver wing view  
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Liked by [Kasey](#)



**Merritt**

Hey y'owl, I am home!  
Miss me while I was away?  
How are the owlets?

Haikul

I have 2 amusing things to tell you: On the plane, I read Baby Proof by Emily Giffin and in it the cert rat character writes a haikul. Also, in SkyMiles magazine, I read that Katy Perry (the pop singer who likes the taste of cherry Chapstick, if you know what I mean), is a voice in "The Smurfs" movie coming out! I of course thought of all of you when I read both of those things. 😊

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**Natalie**

Happy to see you, Merritt--hope you had a wonderful reunion!  
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**Merritt**

I did! Good to be back with all you good folks, though.  
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**Mollie**

Hi, Merritt. This is an Easter egg in the basement reply. Welcome back. We all missed you at the virtual picnic. Emily Giffin has a new one just out.  
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**Merritt**

I'm glad you found my greeting to everyone, Mollie. Looks like the virtual picnic and real one were both fun! I have read all of Giffin's books and look forward to the new one, too.  
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**Guest in Gig Harbor, Wa**

just look at these amazing creatures!  
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**Jerry Madera**

I hear music in the background --- Have they learned a new talent?  
Jerry  
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**Colleen**

**Bill in SD** I was reading in the basement about the yahoo group. It is safe against smurf's to send our regular email to that group, or what are we supposed to do?  
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**Bill in SD**

I'm in only one other group and have never had "smurf" problems since the msgs go only to the members. But, if it should happen they can be banned.  
I've tried other Yahoo groups and never had a problem.  
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**Colleen**

OK thanks!  
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**Deb**

I belong to and/or run several yahoo groups - never a problem (as long as the moderator is good, and entry requires an ok)  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**

Lynda...I just posted on the SD news site you posted earlier. I was so mad at that McGee's Mistress I had to! Now I feel better!! Thanks again for posting it!  
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**Leslee**

We had did McGee's Mistress say, Becky? I looked back, but couldn't find it.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**

Try again...it was just there!  
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**Mary Carroll**

I did not see it either.  
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**Mary Carroll**

What did it say? McGee has another family???  
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**Lynda C**  
Leslee - it was just a comment made on the news page - not a comment made here.  
Today, 15:03:54 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Lynda C**  
Well, Mary Carroll put it best - "everyone to their own opinion" - and she's right. I just didn't like it and probably shouldn't have even mentioned it here.  
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**Nancy**  
What long legs they have now!  
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**Leslee**  
Are moderators on the site all the time? Are they volunteers or do they get paid...and if they get paid...who pays them? What powers do they have? Just wondering...  
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**Lucky**  
Hi Merritt,  
WELCOME HOME! 😊  
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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**  
And Happy B-day again!  
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Liked by Merritt

**Merritt**  
And just HOW did you know I was home? lol! I'm going to say hello to everyone in my next post, but you are indeed my Lucky charm. 😊  
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Liked by TByrd

**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**  
Hey everyone I am not going to be able to watch owlets but we might go and see the owl box while we are in the area this week  
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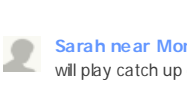
**Sarah near Montreal**  
...I think I just figured out what Bentley's "EWWW" was for!!  
Hi everyone! Hope the picnic was a huge success.  
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**Bill in SD**  
If you've missed Carlos' live reports it was a great success.  
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Liked by JT

**Sarah near Montreal**  
will play catch up on the blog/wiki :)  
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**wiggyl**  
ohhh that is kinda cool and gross all at the same time.  
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Liked by Cheryl Owen

**wallyrussell**  
Head getting heavy almost fell asleep. Oh, must chew rat guts of my claws first..... WHERE ARE MY MANNERS! (drowsy owlie)



**Ingrid**  
Just scrolled down a ways and saw the humming bird nest photos James posted. I have so many humming birds around here and go through a lot of sugar making their sweet treats. I have rarely found a nest but this year I have on in my garage of all places. I was wondering why every time I went in there a humming bird flew out. Finally figured out there must be a nest and after days of searching for that tiny nest I finally found glued on a cord from some window blinds that were hanging down.  
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**Natalie**  
My husband is so jealous. Ingrid. He's a real birder, but finds it very difficult to find the nests of hummers.  
Today, 14:46:54 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Ingrid**  
They are smart little birds and are very good at hiding the nests. I sure do love them a lot.  
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Liked by Natalie

**JT**  
I, Jealous.... I want hummers..... 😞 I live in Cincinnati, send a few to me... LOL  
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Liked by Natalie

**Ingrid**  
More than enough to share here, they might not like the cold winters though.  
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**TByrd**  
Oh Ingrid. Take pics if you can please. Would love to see them.  
Today, 15:04:27 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
Liked by Cheryl Owen

**FM Goranson , Walkkill NY**  
How many are left? Or are they all coming back in during the day?  
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**Kasey**  
They all still come back during the day.  
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**Lynn in Georgia**  
Back from being in and out and checking out the basement. So much has gone on and it seems there was some real good eating going on here at the picnic yesterday. James, thanks for keeping the wiki updated for people like me who are in and out.  
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Liked by Natalie, AZGuest

**wiggyl**  
wow they grow up sooooo fast!! Hard to believe.  
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**Lizuk**  
I'm going to tear myself away from gazing at Wesley's face (it's so amazing to watch it so close up) and get myself off to bed. Goodnight everyone.  
Today, 14:38:06 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Cheryl Owen**  
Night Liz - Think I'm going to do the same shortly - see you in the morning 😊  
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**Lizuk**  
Night Cheryl, sleep well 😊  
Today, 14:41:17 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**CatnapCrafts**  
Good night, UK. I'm just catching up with Sky Sports News in the Eastern US. Time to see the England/Japan friendly recap. 😊  
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**wiggyl**  
Hi everyone. We were here about a month ago when these owls were sitting on eggs. Are these the babies grown up??? or is this a different nest?? or is this mom and dad???

**Kasey**  
These are the babies grown up! Mom does stay in the box anymore.  
Today, 14:36:37 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Kasey**  
Molly DOESNT stay in the box anymore, sorry.  
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**Bill in SD**  
These are those eggs you saw. Amazing, isn't it?  
Molly and McGee only come around after dark to deliver food.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
These are the babies all grown up.  
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**AZGuest**  
Just popping in for a couple of minutes to say hello to everyone. I will have to sneak in and out to check on the owlets and hopefully will get to see them a bit tonight. Thank goodness for wireless laptops! Hope everyone here is having a great Sunday and holiday weekend. Check with you all later...  
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**Colleen**  
Hi AZ, just checking in myself between cook outs. I hope I am back tonight with you all also!  
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**AZGuest**  
Hi Colleen, We did not know we were having visitors this weekend. They asked to come over from CA to "get out of Dodge - the craziness of living in So. CA" Glad to have them but hate missing everyone here and also watching the ever growing owlets. Did get to see Carlos very early this morning so that was nice for me. So I hope to see you and everyone else later on. Have a fun day Colleen! 😊  
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**Bentley J.**  
EWWW!  
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**Dr. Web M.D (Adam Curry)**  
good afternoon everybody  
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**Kasey**  
Hello  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Hello!!  
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**Sarah near Montreal**  
or Carlos's vacation video for real!  
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**Natalie**  
That's cool Adam! But we will miss you 😞  
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**Lynda C**  
Becky - go back to my post about the news article for an explanation of the post that was gone from the newspaper site.  
Today, 14:27:49 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
I just read the comments. That "McGee's Mistress" is making me mad. Her comment is still there. Theresa made short work of her though. I hope the Ms Mistress saw it.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
McGee Mistress?? I missed that. What was THAT about?  
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**Rebecca Breest**  
That must be wes in the front... i see his fluff -n- stuff  
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**Kasey**  
Yup, big guy up front.  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
Wes: "Hey... could one of you guys de-fluff my head and back?"  
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**Elliott**  
Mary Carroll, are you there?  
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**Mary Carroll**  
I'm back. I was proving the Internet.  
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**Elliott**  
Hi, there. I was bottomrawing the day's postings. At one point I posted something about a "Chigger Obsessive Disorder". You commented in a way that led me to believe you had already come up with the same idea. I wanted to let you know that I did not know that and in no way meant to take credit for something that had occurred to you before it had occurred to me. Please forgive me if that was the case!  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Great minds think alike.  
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Liked by Natalie

**Elliott**  
I'm impressed that I might just possibly be in your league! 😊  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Drool...flattery will get you anything.  
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Liked by Natalie

**Lynda C**  
Saw JT's post about the San Diego news clip a while ago <http://www.cbs8.com/Global/story.asp?S=1253584> I read the text, but didn't watch the video yet (saved for later time) but there are a few comments with some very differing comments and opinions there !!!  
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**Lynda C**  
POOF - just went back and the controversial comment was gone !!! Just a rant about Carlos making big bucks, etc. etc. Must be a "smurf patrol" for comments there as well  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
My, things have a way of coming and going so quickly here! Sorry, not sure of the exact quote from the "Wizard of Oz". But the internet is like that too! That Dorothy was so far before her time!  
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Liked by Natalie, CatnapCrafts

**Lynda C**  
It wasn't a comment posted here, Becky. There is a space on the news page about Molly where people can post comments. I saw one that I really didn't like there and reposted the URL here. I went back to it and the controversial post was GONE. People can "flag" there just like here. BTW saw at least one comment from people here - a good one.  
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**Dorothy**  
I just came back on what is happening? 😊  
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**Bill in SD**  
Just checked and the slam comment is still there. "Theresa" answered with the proper facts.  
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**Lynda C**  
It wasn't Theresa's comment, Bill. And, yes I see now that the "slam" comment IS still there. Like Mary Carroll said - it's a free country  
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**Mary Carroll**  
I saw the comment... oh well. It's a free country.  
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Liked by Lynda C

**Kasey**  
Thanks for posting that link, I hadn't seen this before.  
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**JL**  
It just takes going over and reading a certain blog and yahoo group and you can form your own opinions, personally I think it is all just jealousy, envy over what a couple of people have accomplished through their generosity and sincerity. Even the statement that the mother stays with the owlets until they fledge, well perhaps they only do so when they feel a "threat" and perhaps the scientists that were observing posed a "threat" so the mothers stayed with the owlets. Thank goodness for people like Teresa, we need more honor and truth in everything. Give me just facts any day over false statements and distortions. Again these are JUST MY THOUGHTS...  
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**Owlominable Snowman** (a.k.a. JH)  
Likely one of the -cult- group members from BOA on yahoo. Some there are still somewhat adamant that Carlos is Satan and his "venture" is going to be the downfall of the barn owl species. They have been passing funny/sad/pathetic notes back and forth over on their group page. I highly recommend you subscribe to their group to read some of the satire/humor/overreaction over there. Sad really, because their stated mission is a sound one, it's just being muddled by overzealous protectors without much rational thought on how to be diplomatic and professional. Examples below. I suspect that the folks at Fish & Game are cringing at the thought of any more irrational emails now that they have pardoned Carlos from wrongdoing and in fact commended him for his efforts.

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**Robin**  
O.M.G. Geez. These folks need a life.  
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**JL**  
My only comment after reading many of their posts, both still online and deleted is that they are one 'sick' group. Again this is just MY thoughts.  
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**JL**  
Meant to add also, if this group, the leader had not been so egotistical, she could of really reached a lot of people, the thing that really sent my radar antenna off is the comment that Wesley was in poor health and probably would not make it, then she blogged that the poor owlets had so much impacted gunk (not sure if those were her exact words but she did state her concern.) on the back of their legs from hobbling around in the nest, that there would be permanent scarring with no feathers, then the comment of the mother not leaving until they fledged. It totally did not make any sense. Now the blame is on the urbanization of society, well, heck how about the natural habitats? Then the total negative comments about the Royals and trying to get authorities to actually bring up charges was way over the top. Professionals do not do this. Again just MY thoughts...  
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**JL**  
AND... 🚨 The San Diego Wildlife and Game authorities COMMENTED Carlos on his whole set up and told him that taking pictures of the family with his flash posed NOT THREAT or HARM to Molly, LeGGs McGEE, MAX, AUSTIN, PATTISON & Wesley. One post by one follower made the comment, that she HOPED something bad would happen to Wesley, just to prove that biologist point, now that is really SICK. I have it ALL fled away in a file of that blog.  
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**Jerry Madera**  
I thought that the owls would be less interesting as they aged. They are more beautiful and much more interesting as they mature!  
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**Lizuk**  
Absolutely. I've just been mesmerised by Wesley's eyes.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
For those who like pork chops...My Mom's recipe (she hated to cook, so everything had to be easy!) I should of put it in the cook book, but Merlin was sick, and didn't have the time. Fry pork chops, or boneless chop seasoned with salt and pepper. Move to large foil pan. Top chops with frozen hash browns. Pour apple juice or cider over chops and spuds and cover with foil. Cook on 350 till tender. Take off foil and brown spuds. Yum!  
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**Cheryl Owen**  
Will have to try that one - I hate cooking too, so anything easy is good for me!... and funny enough I bought some pork chops today for the first time in ages - will try it this week some time 😊  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
Sounds yummy! Pork chops are a big fave of The Men in my house.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
These are really good, and taste like you took hours! Hope you all enjoy!  
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**Darlene Salisbury**  
Becky do you know about how long to cook them? It sounds yummy.  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Posted a PDF of the chat to the wiki through 1:30 pm PDT. Also shrunk and replaced the one through 6 am. Going to watch a program with my husband back later!  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Thank you Chris, for all you do!! Have fun, and hurry back!!  
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**Lynda C**  
Oh my gosh - I have missed SO much today 😊 but outside work just had to be done. Checked in for a bit at noon and chuckled at the long discussion about "chiggins" and now into avatar collages, joining Yahoo groups and poignant messages from so many "Molly friends" - and that was just the current page. Guess I have a bit of "scrolling back" to do to catch and "save" some of your posted blogs and then check the PDFs (thanks for whoever thought to capture the chat that way and to those who have worked hard to keep them up to date!). **Kathleen**, your avatar collage is a wonderful idea and I'm sure you will be adding to it daily for a while and your message to everyone just below brought tears.  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Hi Lynda!!!  
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**Barb**  
Good afternoon Lynda  
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Liked by [Lynda C](#)

**AZGuest**  
Lynda, Don't feel alone in having to miss so much today. We have company and this is the first time I have been able to check in myself. I just told the couple visiting us about Molly, McGee and the Owlets and showed them the live feed in the owl box. Guess what the response was??? You and anyone else reading this have guessed it. "Who cares about watching some owls, this stuff goes on every day." I said "yeah, whatever you don't understand. I am sure that most everyone in this chat room has probably had the same type of response at one time or another when they talk about watching the owlets. Their loss!" 😊  
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**wallyrusell**  
Thank you Lynda C. I can't take credit for thinking up the idea of the avatar collage. **James** did a short version yesterday and I just started playing around with a more expansive version today. I am thrilled how many have shown an interest. Maybe we should design a fabric! (Just kidding)  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Who's kidding...  
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**Lizuk**  
Good Evening! Kathleen, I've just seen your avatar collage, how amazing! You are sooo clever. It sort of tells a story. I'm going to scroll down and look at it again 😊  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Bratwurst, goat cheese, home-made potato salad, sauerkraut, dill pickle, rye bread, "the Deadliest Catch" on the tube, friends to talk to.....priceess  
Lest we forget...my uncle was a Seabee during WWI and our son retired from the Navy.  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
"Deadliest Catch" is awesome. Edgar Hansen's obsession with "flame" scares me a little. 😊  
I wonder what'll happen with the Cornelia Marie... I really feel for Capt. Phil's sons.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
I looked on their web site. Here is what they said:  
"Cornelia Marie is a fishing boat and needs to keep on working. Appearing on the TV show doesn't pay the bills, only bringing crab aboard does that. We were fishing before the TV show and we'll be fishing after the TV show."  
<http://www.corneliamarie.com/featured/the-future-of-the-cornelia-marie/>  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
Yup, I've followed their website too. I wonder if his crew, especially Jake and Josh, will want to continue working on the CM.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Don't know. He wanted them to but it is a tough way to make a living.  
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**Linda Greubel**  
Ahh it's Wesley!  
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**Jenn in mn**  
The fluff is flyin'!  
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**Angelbear**  
Did he go out of the box? The adjusted and I lost him?  
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**Kasey**  
He seriously needs a good brushing!  
Today, 13:58:32 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Kathryn Russel - If you are interested, here is my original "tax season" avatar. "Everyone remain calm, I am an accountant". 😊

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**wallyrusell**  
Chris added to bottom right. CUTE! Kathleen  
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**Karen**  
We won't hold that against you Oly girl!!!! lol  
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**Karen**  
You might have some of my Oly relatives as clients??  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Not likely. I'm pretty small potatoes here. Part-time out of my house. Keeps me busy but enough time for my family as well. 😊  
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**Barbara**  
I LOVE Olympia! My son lives there and works at the Olympia Food Co-op. Great little city minus the weather.  
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**Angelbear**  
giggles - "midnight" snack for the owl yum.....  
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**Angelbear**  
what is it? Looks like a tail????  
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**Beth Vanzo**  
Rat tails are so much fun! And such a puzzle as to how one eats one politely.  
And what is this blyng down thing? I love the look on our owl's face. "What are you doing?!"  
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**Ingrid**  
Very very cool! I saved it to folder so I can look back at everyone's avatars with fun happy memories.  
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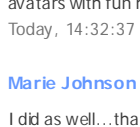
**Marie Johnson**  
I did as well...thank you for having me on it 😊  
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**Judith C.**  
Dear Dorothy - Many thanks for posting the seatbelt video from the U.K. Husband, daughter, s-i-l, and granddaughter just watched it and it is wonderful. My granddaughter who is 5 had to re-play at least 6 times and each time added to the "story". It should be shown here. Will pass this on for sure.  
Today, 13:43:20 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)  
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**Dorothy**  
I have been gone for a while. My friend said this was made as a home video but became popular and commercialized when it was so popular with people. I liked it and hoped you would too.  
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**wallyrusell**  
What I want to say can't really be expressed in words. You are all simply the best. I have never participated in anything like this and it has been such a joy. Thank you to all who helped me step in carefully, for your caring, guidance, humor, photos, stories, etc.. I am surprised I owned some preaching, politics, bad language or meanness. Maybe I was one of that to people doing a quick vacuuming job before my eyes fell upon something. My husband has an account with YouTube and would be a way to contact me. (It's under WALLYRUSSELL)  
THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!!!!!!! love, Kathleen Russel, Seattle, Washington

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Thanks for an extraordinary journey, my friends  
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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
And thank you to you!!!! For bringing us all together in a different and wonderful way Kathleen!  
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**Natalie**  
What a nice message, Kathleen. You expressed it well for most of us, I should think.  
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**Owlominable Snowman** (a.k.a. JH)  
Feeding time for little hummer...

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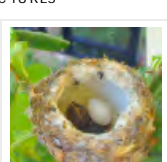
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**Jenn in mn**  
You want to aim than beak verrrrrrrrrrrry carefully!  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
A very precise operation, that is.  
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Liked by Lynda C Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH) Karen fromMssissippi

**wallyrusse11**  
James, thanks for updating me on the hummingbirds. I sorta let them slide as I became involved with this site. I was so sorry to hear one baby was gone.

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the egg is the size of a jellybean

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**Jenn in mn**  
Nom, someone's having a little snack  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
Not sure what it is.... not sure I want to know.... but it seems like fun (for an owl).  
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**Jenn in mn**  
Kinda like watching a person with a chicken wing I guess ...  
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**CatnapCrafts**  
Seems like it's equal parts snack and toy.   
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**Elliott**  
Natalie, I must set the record straight about a recent post of yours. I do now remember the suet post. I must have had a senior moment this morning. And Rhunette absolutely DID pass on your message. I found it in my e-mail. I apologize for my memory lapse and for any angst I caused my Sister!  
Today, 13:31:28 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**Natalie**  
No apology needed, Elliott--sorry you had to go through all that. It was just that I had told you I'd check to see if the recipe was okay--I finally did--and I wanted to let you know. I sure never meant for you to go to all that trouble.

And I bet I have way more senior moments than you do!   
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**Melissa**  
Bill in SD -  
Clicking on [mollymods-subscribe@yahoo.com](http://mollymods-subscribe@yahoo.com) takes you to e-mail. That is not how I have joined yahoo groups in the past. Is this correct?

When I signed into yahoo and entered mollymods into the find group box, it took me right to your newly created group.  
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**Barb**  
The email subscribe can be used by those w/o a yahoo account. I'm on a google group that way but google has since changed the requirement and you have to have a google account to subscribe to a google group. I don't think Yahoo has done that yet for their groups.  
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**Natalie**  
Melissa...I have a yahoo email acct...but I don't see anything on the email page that says "find groups"--is it on the page you get when you sign in for email? (sorry -dope here)  
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**Barb**  
Natalie, go to the yahoo home page and click on "groups" in the sidebar. You can do a search from the groups home page.

It sure would be nice if Yahoo added a groups link on the email page but that's the way it goes.  
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**Barb**  
Natalie, I just checked the Yahoo page and there isn't a link to groups and I couldn't find it in their list of things you can add.

You should see one on the MyYahoo page (at least I do).  
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**Natalie**  
Barb, thanks a million. I did find it on the yahoo home page, but it's at the bottom of the page in very small print. I tried it and it works--thanks again!  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
Direct link to the MollyMODS yahoo group - <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/mollymods/>  
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**Bill in SD**  
Thanks, James. I just got back and saw the questions. Now to see if Yahoo works for people. I have Yahoo only because I have ATT DSL and sometimes Yahoo is frustrating as @^^^%\$!!  
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**Barb**  
Does ATT send stuff to your yahoo email? I had one from before (to join a homeschool group) and we have NEVER logged into the yahoo add that ATT gave us. I'm not real happy with the latest revisions they have made.  
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**Natalie**  
Bill, so sorry to have to ask...but if I click on the "subscribe" part of the Yahoo link you posted, it just opens my email program. What do I do/say in the email?  
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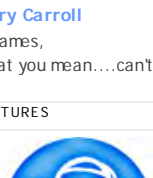
**Barb**  
just type subscribe and it should work.

If you are already on yahoo you can subscribe through there and ask for a digest version or no-email at all and just check online as I assume the messages will be archived (I didn't go check).  
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**Natalie**  
Thanks, Barb--I'll try it. Never was in any sort of group before, so it's all new to me.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Hi James,  
What you mean....can't copy?

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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
No, I didn't say it couldn't be copied. (although, with my [stealthy stolen image searching abilities](#), I can locate it in a jiffy)  
Just that I made it, so that meant it would not be found by doing a google image search, unlike many of the other named avatars.  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Ah...hah!  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Thank you.  
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**Mary Pat Hyland**  
Hey all, just back from mini-vacay. How was the picnic yesterday?  
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**Cheryl Owen**  
The picnic was very entertaining! They did a very good job streaming live from there - a couple of hitches where batteries ran out and the sound wasn't fantastic but we all enjoyed it all the same! (well I did anyway LOL!) How was your vacation?  
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**Mary Pat Hyland**  
Wonderful, Cheryl. I was staying at the family cottage on Keuka Lake in the Finger Lakes (upstate N.Y.) Glorious weather and I took my first swim of the year.  
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**Bill in SD**  
I just made a new Yahoo Group if you want to use it:  
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**Bill in SD**  
Holy smokes! How did all that happen?!! I'll try again  
Post message: [mollymods@yahoo.com](mailto:mollymods@yahoo.com)  
Subscribe: [mollymods-subscribe@yahoo.com](mailto:mollymods-subscribe@yahoo.com)  
Unsubscribe: [mollymods-unsubscribe@yahoo.com](mailto:mollymods-unsubscribe@yahoo.com)  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
How does this work? I know nothing about yahoo groups.  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Bill, Why is this so long?  
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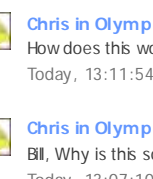
**wallyrusse11**  
Bill What does this do if I send my email there?  
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**Bill in SD**  
If you send an email to [mollymods@yahoo.com](mailto:mollymods@yahoo.com) everyone who's subscribed to the group will receive it in regular email.  
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**Bill in SD**  
Just read my second entry. I don't know how that long string got there. Must be one of Yahoo's "great" features. (sarcasm meant)  
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**wallyrusse11**  
Avatar collage so far Kathleen

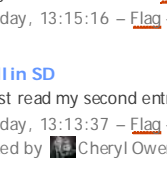
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
I saw some discussion earlier about the Princeton logo. Were you looking for Merritt's avatar?  
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**Barb**  
Maybe I should go find those gleaners for Bill in SD!  
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**Karen from Mississippi**  
Hazel--I think it was just a matter of who's online chatting at the time the collages were done. Kathleen has said she'll continue to add avatars if you reply requesting for her to do so...  
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**Melissa**  
Hazel... If you have MOD, then you belong!   
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Liked by Karen fromMississippi

**Debbie**  
Watching them makes me sleepy. Wesley's fuzzi is blowing in the wind.  
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**Chris in Olympia, WA**  
Owlbominable, would you like me to make a PDF this afternoon? It looks like you have been doing them about this time each day, and I have the time now if it would help. Or have you already done it and just not posted it yet?  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
I have not done one yet. Help your self.   
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**vicki knutsen**  
Has Carlos announced yet when he might be shutting the cameras down? ANYONE??  
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**Lucky**  
Becky, I would like to SALUTE your nephew!. And say I feel your pain about your Dad. It will get better!, you know that.   
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Liked by Cheryl Owen

**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
Thank you SO much Lucky! I lost my Mom 13 years ago, but feel them both with me all the time. It is such a comfort!  
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**wallyrusse11**  
Becky, Just added you to the avatar collage I'm making. If anyone who's not already in it, reply now. I'll post again later. I'm going for lunch and nap.  
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**Bette**  
would you add me too, pretty please and thank you...looks great!   
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Liked by Karen fromMississippi

**wallyrusse11**  
BETTE YOUR BEAUTIFUL AVATAR IS ABOUT 1/2 WAY DOWN AND 4 OVER FROM LEFT MARGIN. KATHLEEN  
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**Mary Carroll**  
This was posted on the site at  
<http://www.cbs5.com/Global/story.asp?S=12535584>

"Fortunately, a Yahoo Support Group had been established in advance to prop those of us up who suffer from MOD (Molly Obsessive Disorder) once the babies have fledged and Carlos and Donna move on with their lives."

I have not heard about a Yahoo support group. Does anyone know what they are talking about?  
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**Barb**  
Might be this one  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/WildLifeCams-MOD/>  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Is the Stacey, the founder of this group, the Stacey of *Wesley the Owl* fame?  
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**Barb**  
The MODs yahoo group was founded by Stacey in LA, not the author of Wesley the Owl  
Ms. O'Brien has her own group  
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**Lynda C**  
Thanks for clarifying that, Barb. There is a BIG difference between the two Staceys !!!  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
...Just a bunch of yahoos... mumble, grumble....  
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**Bill in SD**  
Exactly!  
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**Melissa**  
I believe Stacey O'Brien has a yahoo group.  
Hunting/Fishing has said that this chat will stay active once the owls leave, so we can continue chatting occasionally.  
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**Barb**  
I think I'll stay here and roam the world of webcams. Love those night sounds in Africa and PA.  
  
Stacy in LA, who was a chatter here, also started two groups. One for homeschoolers and the other for MODs.  
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**Messa**  
ticks, ugh  
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**Jessica**  
seems are little ones are resting well-  
Exhausted from last night -  
revving up for tonight-  
see you then  
  
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**Dorothy**  
A friend emailed this to me a bit ago...hope you enjoy it, I did and wanted to share. Gone again for a while.  
<http://www.bing.com/videos/watch/video/embrace-life-always-wear-your-seat-belt/b97b5b3535c05814fce6b97b5b3535c05814fce6-55665623524>  
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**Bill in SD**  
Yep, that UK commercial has become famous all over the world.  
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Liked by Melissa

**Cheryl Owen**  
I did not see that before - its far more effective than the "shock" ones - which is actually where I thought that one was heading as I was watching it. I wouldn't dream of not wearing mine - I've been involved in 2 fairly serious car accidents and if it wasn't for my seatbelt I wouldn't be here now.  
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**Dorothy**  
My friend who sent the email said a man did it at his home with his family and it became so well liked that it was picked up as a commercial. I don't know if this is true or not.  
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**deirdre fenlon**  
The saying, "a picture paints a thousand words" is really apt here. I will be sending this video to the people I know.  
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**tigermo**  
They look like they are in prayer...  
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**susan**  
the rat pack, swaying to the sounds!  
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**Barb**  
Hi James, I made it past the chiggers and saw your reply to me about using "that word" in my post that may have sent it to the bot so it couldn't be seen by some people.  
I had reloaded the page and since I got as far as your reply I thought I would go see if I could still read it, and it showed up. Weird.  
I'll be more careful next time and no more talk about ticks please--already have my own nightmare baby tick swarm story.  
  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
Barb, log out and go look. Most of the time it still appears for the person who made the comment but no one else. I keep two chat windows open, one logged in and one logged out. When I post links, I always watch to see if the post was blocked. When a post is blocked, it will still show on my logged in screen, forever. Even though no one else will ever see it.  
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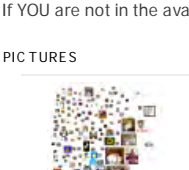
**Barb**  
I can't see it in my other browser so I assume it would disappear. Someone else did say they could see it. Anyway, at this point it's just a curiosity.  
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**wallyrusseII**  
Barb you're bot tom left Kathleen  
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Liked by Barb

**Barb**  
I'm glad I looked at your other post before I read this one 😊! My first thought was "where did it go?"  
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**JT**  
for those who missed the San Diego news clip the other night. Very Well done story! I commend the local news persons!!  
<http://www.cbs8.com/Global/story.asp?S=12535584>  
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**wallyrusseII**  
If YOU are not in the avatar collage I'm making but want to be, reply to this message NOW.



**wise old avatars**  
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**Lourdes**  
me too!  
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**wallyrusseII**  
you're there: it's like finding Waldo  
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**Rebecca Breest**  
me too! thank you  
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**wallyrusseII**  
Rebeccas Breest, you're above Eric Behm  
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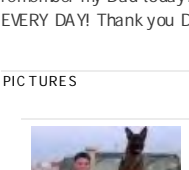
**wallyrusseII**  
butterfly, you've just been added to the avatar collage. Thanks for providing it for me. Kathleen  
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**Lourdes**  
Don't forget about me! Thanks!  
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**butterfly**  
thank you for adding me..  
Today, 12:30:18 - [Flag](#) - [Like](#) - [Reply](#)

**wallyrusseII**  
butterfly CHEERS, WHERE EVERYBODY KNOWS YOUR NAME  
  
THANK YOU FOR BEING MY FRIEND (what tv show WAS that?)  
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Liked by Bette

**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
This is what I am thankful for on this holiday weekend. My nephew. He has been to Iraq twice, and is now home for good. He is now training dogs for all branches of the service. He is 26 years old. This picture is of him and his bomb sniffing dog on his last tour in Iraq. I am so very proud of him! I am also remember my Dad today. He was in the Navy, and a cook on an air craft carrier. Today would have been his birthday. He passed away 4 years ago. I miss him EVERY DAY! Thank you Dad and all those who have been best. Thanks everyone for letting me share that!



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**purdyfarmsBecky, WA**  
This is a re-post from Friday and Saturday. Thanks again for letting me share!!  
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**Mary Carroll**  
Thank you for sharing.  
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**tigermo**  
Great picture of your nephew... I am sorry about your Dad... thank you to both of them and all the others in the service and their families!  
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**Bill in SD**  
That reminds me, if you have HBO, they're playing "Taking Chance" again today. It's a must see!  
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**tigermo**  
People were talking about the owls and their cats earlier... in the Northwest we have Great Horned Owls and they get to be about 3ft. tall... I was a welder at the bird here and rescued 9 cats... One year the owls got 3 of them before I knew what was going on. They were smart about coyot es... but had no clue that birds would get them... I would talk back and forth with owl noses and find them in the trees with a flash light. Then they had little ones and I spotted like 9 one night. I could hardly sleep with all the noise and then they moved on. : )  
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**Mary Carroll**  
We had barred owls and I had to take one of my cats (part Siamese) to the vet to patch up claw marks in his back (I bet there was an unhappy owl).  
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**tigermo**  
that was a closeeeeee call!  
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**Lourdes**  
I used to live in WA and we had a resident owl in our backyard who got 2 cats.  
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**Kat in IL**  
Beautiful view  
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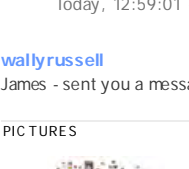
**tigermo**  
Thanks... I don't even have a house on there. I sleep in my Avalanche just so I can wake up and take pictures of the eagles. One night I was taking pictures across the Canal and I had a huge bird hover over my head.... It was back winging it... I took off and then another one did the same thing. I have been out there for 2 years and have never even seen a bird at night and then 2 in a row... everyone says they must have been owls. It was like 1:30 am... I was taking timed exposures and couldn't get a pic of them. Cool but spooky!  
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**tigermo**  
I live in a house in Issaquah... don't just live in my truck! :)  
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Liked by Jessica

**Mary Carroll**  
Years ago, my husband, who had brown hair, went walking in our woods one night. He had an owl swoop VERY close over his head. I told him the owl must have thought he was a big bunny.  
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**tigermo**  
to funny... another close call! I had on my sweatshirt hood.  
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**wallyrusseII**  
James - sent you a message below with avatar collage I am making for everyone. (sent 12:15 Kathleen)



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Liked by butterfly Cheryl Owen purdyfarmsBecky, WA

**wallyrusseII**  
must go down to 11:42 in reply area.  
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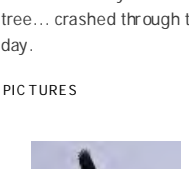
**Lourdes**  
Cool!  
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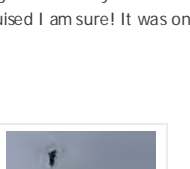
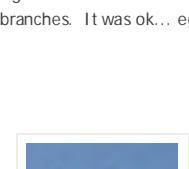
**Jessica**  
you do the best stuff!!  
And I know that picture on the upper right - & ME! LOL  
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**JSZB**  
Awesome!  
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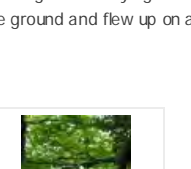
**tigermo**  
Becki from Purdyfarms... thought I would share these with you and everyone else... The eagles were flying all around my property last week... then one hit the tree... crashed through the branches. It was ok... ego bruised I am sure! It was on the ground and flew up on a branch. Spotted the eagles like 50 times that day.



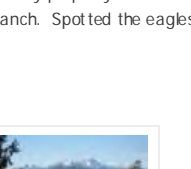
**Eagles flying around**



**One hit the tree!**



**crashed down through the trees...**



**My view... Unbon Washington**

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**Kate**  
beautiful birds, tiger  
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**Jessica**  
What beautiful pictures.

Unsure which favorite.  
Solo soar or perched in tree...?  
We have property in Squim  
Where is Union to that?  
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**tiger mo**  
Union is at the bottom of Hood Canal... South Shore. Right by Alderbrook and where Billy Gates has all his summer houses. Kind of by Shelton... I am across the Canal from Hoodspport. [www.VisitUnion.com](http://www.VisitUnion.com) is the towns site.  
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**Cathy, Vancouver WA**  
Gorgeous view and pics! I am in Vancouver, WA -- hubby and I are planning a trip around Poulsbo area, then another to Sequim area, now going to have to add Hood Canal and Union!  
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**purdy farmsBecky, WA**  
You won't be sorry! Hood Canal is beautiful!  
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**gracie**  
Wow-- what wonderful photos & such a gorgeous view!!! Thanks for sharing it  
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**purdy farmsBecky, WA**  
Thanks so much for the pic!! They are such beautiful and majestic creatures!! When I see one here, I think of it as a good luck omen!! Also, your view in Union looks great! So peaceful!! Are you near the Pine Lake area in Issaquah? My Dad grew up on 50 acres there. I sure wish we still had the property today! He went to Issaquah High too!  
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**tiger mo**  
I live on Tiger Mt.... Wow... if you had 50 acres there now... well you would be broke from property taxes... LOL. That would have been one of the biggest parcels there. My son is graduating from Liberty High in less than 2 weeks... He's flying the coop!  
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**purdy farmsBecky, WA**  
Toll him congrats!! I just sold my parents house in Seatlb last year. The taxes on that house was 3 times what I pay for mine!! And I have one and a half acres! That is why I bought in Kitsap though! Low taxes!!  
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**tiger mo**  
My Union one more than doubled... and that is with nothing on it... not even water or power. I use to live up on Greenwood with my grandma. After I graduated I lived in Ballard and worked in the shipyards. Ballard is yuppyville now... nothing like the older days.  
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**purdy farmsBecky, WA**  
I agree! First place of my own I had when I moved out the house was on Greenwood and 85th! Small world!! Haven't been there for years!! But if you need plumbing fixtures for old houses, Ballard is still the place to go!!!  
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**tiger mo**  
My grandma use to walk from 45th and greenwood to 85th everyday... She would go to Fred Meyers and back. That's a small world for sure!  
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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
Snagged a lit tb while ago...

[image URL for those reading the PDF later - [http://is-kit.com/blcb/ikBk6x\\_mUOwKxMxXhJ6.png](http://is-kit.com/blcb/ikBk6x_mUOwKxMxXhJ6.png)]

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Airing out the wingpits.

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**Cheryl Owen**  
oh dear! Reckon theres still a bit left of that bunny that was caught last night - im pretty sure that's its foot near the bottom left hand corner of the first piccy!

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**Owlbominable Snowman (a.k.a. JH)**  
That is probably a safe guess. 😊  
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Liked by Cheryl Owen Bill in SD

**tiger mo**  
I woke up at like 3:30 this morning and say the bunny hanging there... I tried to get a picture of it with my cell phone and then it flew to the other perch with it... glad someone got the picture.  
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**John52John**  
Great Picnic. Attached is a picture of the results of the voting for the owlets sex.  
MOD Dorrie

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| Sex for (Owlet's) Sex | Yes | No |
|-----------------------|-----|----|
| Male                  | 12  | 78 |
| Female                | 33  | 47 |
| Unsure                | 33  | 24 |
| Unsure                | 32  | 34 |

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**purdy farmsBecky, WA**  
Did you go to the picnic? Where did you get the picture?!! Thanks for sharing!!  
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**Bill in SD**  
I'm surprised we haven't seen MORE pictures from the picnic.  
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**Barb**  
Well, Bill, if you had gone to the picnic we'd have someone who could post pictures 😊  
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**Marie Johnson**  
excuse me move a lil bit to your right, please... pellet is coming 😊

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**Dorothy**  
One for the road.

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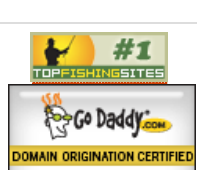
**owcaholic**  
Was that a brief pedicure?  
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**Marie Johnson**  
someone is preparing a pellet 😊  
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