# The Stonehaven Weekly What's Happening in the World

By: Sam Kiesel

By a reader's demand, I will provide information about things such as the Coronavirus pandemic and so forth. The first thing I'll talk about is the cases of the virus in the world. 112,072,132, that's the number of cases in the world and I won't even talk about the deaths. In America there are 28,526,532 cases. In Georgia there are 810,473 cases. This is sad, this is life, this can be changed. All we need to do is wear masks in public, minimize how much we go out to stores and restaurants and pray to God. The good news is we have a vaccine that will help. About 6 percent of America has had both vaccinations and the pace will hopefully quicken. Someday there will be a day though when we don't need masks and we can finally get back to living normal lives.

### Psalm of the Week

Guess what Psalm it is. If you read last week's paper you're probably right. If not, it's Psalm 2.

Why do the nations rage and the peoples plot in vain? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord and against his Anointed, saying, "Let us burst their bonds apart and cast away their cords from us." He who sits in the heavens laughs; the Lord holds them in derision. Then he will speak to them in his wrath, and terrify them in his fury, saying, "As for me, I have set my King on Zion, my holy hill." I will tell of the decree: The Lord said to me, "You are my Son; today I have begotten you. Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage, and the ends of the earth your possession. You shall break them with a rod

of iron and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel." Now therefore, O kings, be wise; be warned, O ruler of the earth. Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling. Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and you perish in the way, for his wrath is quickly kindled. Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

This is saying that don't let your power get the best of you and that you shouldn't conspire against God. You should respect and love him and if you do, he will reward you.

## **Breakingly Funny News**

By: Hajin King

"Mr. Wolf is responsible for fixing the three little pigs' houses." Said Mr. Badger (who was the pig's lawyer). "No he isn't!" retorted Mr. Pecker (Mr. Wolf's lawyer). "The pigs should've given Mr. Wolf some sugar or else none of this would've happened!" Bam! Bam! "Order in the court," ordered Mr. Jason. "Please say what you want Mr. Badger." "as I was saying, Mr. Wolf should pay for repairs because now the gas fireplace does not work and the electricity system doesn't work either. And the house's foundation is starting to crumble!" "How do you know that the water damaged the foundation?" Retorted Mr. Pecker. "I checked when the house was built, and it was built in 1523. It's time it started crumbling." You may make your retort Mr. Badger," Mr. Jason said calmly. "Well, well...it...well...okay fine." Stammered Mr. Badger. "Now Mr. Wolf will pay for the fireplace and electricity system and the pigs will pay for the foundation. Court dismissed!" Bam!

Bye!

# The Lightning Sword Prologue

By: Shepard Johnson and Beckam Berill

I was rejected. I tried to enter for Giddion's army, but got rejected. My name is Levi James Roberts. I live near Atnalta, the capital of Tasmania. I was wandering through the forest, when I heard the sound of battle. I ran to the edge of a cliff and saw Giddion's army fighting the enemy. Swords literally flashed, spears flew, robotic lions roared, then charged. Nearing the end of the battle, I found myself falling through the air, as the rock under me collapsed. I fell into a waterfall in the cliff below me and got launched into the middle of the battle. As the waters closed in around me, I saw a sword, different from all the others. As I closed my hand around it, the cold bronze of a sword hit my head, and all was dark.

When I regained consciousness, I was in a pitchblack room with no windows or light. As my eyes adjusted to the darkness, I noticed a figure in the corner of the room, staring at me with intent eyes. I noticed the sword I saw in the water on the man's belt, his hand resting on it, waiting to shed blood. As the man approached, the sword was drawn and glowing, but with fire, but with lighting. As he was getting ready to strike, I broke free from the bonds around my wrists and struck him in the face and he flew through the wall, with the sword knocked out of his hands. I looked down at my fist and saw lines shaped like lightning bolts changing colors varying from green to blue on my skin. And then I realized there was a hole that sucked me out of the room. I saw there was black dust where the man should've been. I realized I wasn't falling, and the lightning bolts were covering my whole body. I saw tons of winged creatures flying towards me. Lightning bolts flashed all around me. Then a huge outburst of electricity vaporized the creatures to dust.

When I returned to the forest, I noticed the birds weren't chirping, as they usually do. Everything felt like a winter day with no coldness in the air. When I came back home, I saw a crater in the place of my home. I noticed

a note on a nearby tree that said one word, "goodbye!" The word rang through my ears as I read it. Then I turned around and saw the dark man from the room in the cliff. I fell to the ground, unable to move, as he shot me with darkness. I prayed to God, to send me a miracle. When I opened my eyes, I saw that the man was gone and my house was restored. I thought it was all an illusion, until I saw the sword lying at my feet, glowing with power.



### Poem of the Week

By: Noelle Volle

#### STONEHAVEN TEACHERS

There's Miss Kesse with her big library, She teaches literature, english, and history, She is a lover of books just like me, She reads to us books with plenty of mystery.

There's Mrs. Martin with her science lab,, She teaches math, science and bible, Please make sure not to make her mad, I think you'll like her; that is liable.

There's Mrs. Tolley teachin' latin,
With her funny ways and her hair like satin,
We make fun slides, and play around the world too,
I love Mrs. Tolley plus all she can do.

There's Mrs. Johnson who teaches choir, If you don't do choir the consequences are dire, We have learned some fun little songs, Music class never feels long.

There's Mrs. Hand who teaches P.E., I love the way she teaches me, We play fun games and exercise too, I love P.E. and everything we do.

Stonehaven is awesome as I wrap up, We talk about it at our table as we sup, My friends are great and so are the teachers, So is Mr. Edwards who is our preacher.

## **Awesome Animal Facts**

By: Reese Corley

An Aardwolf is a cat-like animal that lives in grasslands, savannahs, and rocky areas. It has a yellowish coat, with black stripes on it's back and legs. They weigh about 8 to 12kg and they are 40-50 cm tall. They are carnivores and eat termites and ants kind of like an anteater. The females usually have about 2 to 4 cubs. They are solitary animals except for breeding times.

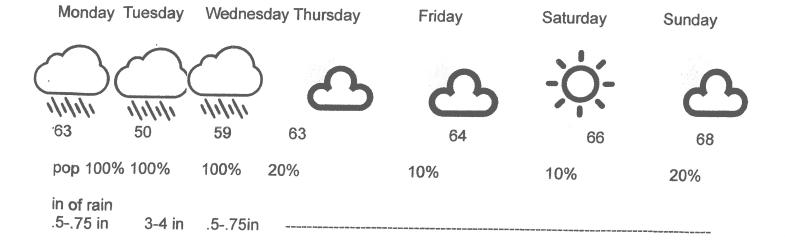


#### March Madness

March Madness is coming and the Stonehaven Weekly has got you covered! We will have a March madness bracket for you all. We will have reports on on who is winning, And will have the brackets out on Monday March 15<sup>th</sup>

#### **RULES**

NO:messy handwriting, you will have to write small, if you can not, get help. Brackets must be turned in by Thursday the 18, we do not accept late Brackets We MAY have a prize for the winner although we may not have a prize. Have fun!



## Right or Left

## By: Carlton Sheerin Introduction

This book is different than most other books you've read. You see, with this book, it's you who shape the story. You will be confronted with different decisions throughout your journey and you will (as a class) vote for which choice the characters should make.

Different choices will lead to different endings and once you make a decision, you've got to stick with it. There's no turning back in this story. Well, I hope you enjoy your journey. Good luck!

#### Chapter One

Hello! My name is Alan Goodby. I am about to begin my next mission, and I will need your help to get out of here in one piece. I am currently on a helicopter above an unknown volcanic island in the middle of the Pacific Ocean.

Three months ago, nine scientists traveled to this island to explore the volcano, and to figure out how to make it dormant once again. They had come up with an invention: the Cooler, that was supposed to do just that; but they had yet to build or test it. They claimed that it would make an end to all volcanic activity around the world; or at least provide a solution for it. People got interested very quickly and provided the three billion dollars that the scientists asked for in less than a year. The scientists bought the island and began work on it almost immediately. They arrived with the Cooler a week later and began to move in the supercomputers they would need to run it. We dropped in with them every day until about two weeks ago, when we couldn't receive any connection at all. We've heard no word sense then, so we've decided to send a rescue party in search of the missing scientists. I was chosen as the head of the party because of my experience in volcanic islands such as this one.

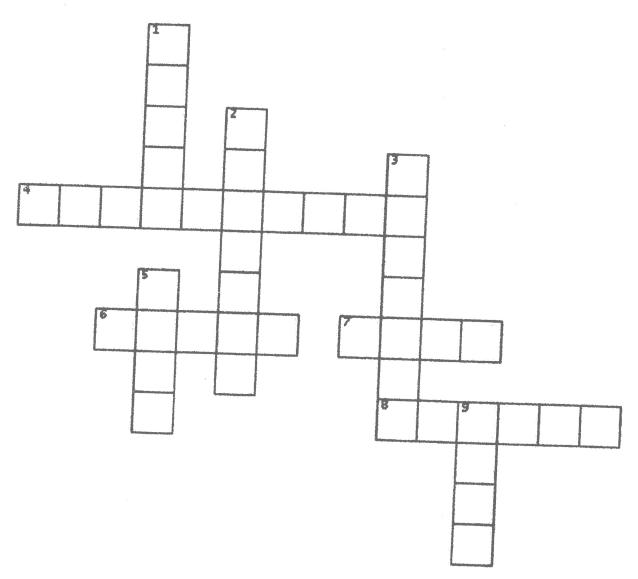
We are about to land onto the one landing pad on the island, and we already have a decision to kick off our mission: Should we go ahead and

land here? It may be a safer decision, but it'll be a long trek to the foot of the mountain where the scientists' concealed base is. Or should we tell the pilot to keep on going and try to look for a break in the trees of this heavily wooded area, and land there. Not much rests on this decision, save time itself. It's your decision, you choose.

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## **Daily Crossword**



#### **ACROSS**

- 4. March Madness sport
- 6. Month after February and before April
- 7. Religious season before Easter that lasts 40 days
- 8. One of the four seasons

#### DOWN

- 1. Turn this back for Daylight Savings
- 2. Irish Saint
- 3. Bloom in the Spring
- 5. Waters the flowers
- 9. Drop Everything And

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