From the Editors

This is the first edition of the Everit St. Weekly. It will come out every Saturday and has inside news about just this street. If you have any classified ads, news stories or anything we might want to put in this newspaper, please call Emily or Andy.

If you want to get this newspaper send in the form on the next page with 10 cents for each week, you will get a form every 4 weeks.

CALLING ALL GARDENERS

Spring is here. Time to plant flowers and lime and fertilize your lawn for all those who have crummy lawns. It's going to be very pretty around here in a few weeks because the bulbs are starting to come up. Look at Mrs. Parker's yard for an early view of the spring bulbs.
I do want this newspaper ___, for 1 week __

2 weeks __

3 weeks __

4 weeks __

After 4 weeks (if you want it for 4 weeks.) we will send you another form like this.

Name ____________________________

Address ____4_ Everit St.____ Send to 234 or 239

Everit St. by Thursday please.
SPORTS

New soccer team the East Rock Badgers opens. Two people on this block joined the soccer team. They are Meghan Cox and Ben Shiller.

Coming soon baseball... (further notice later).

- Andrew and Emily

RECYCLING A BIG SUCCESS

The Everit St. recycling is a big success! Many people have joined. They simply take their cans, bottles, aluminum foil, cardboard and many other things to the Levin's house every other Tuesday. It only costs three dollars a week and you get a good feeling that you're helping to clean up the world. Land fills in this area are rapidly filling up. If you aren't a member of this wonderful program then talk to either Rick or Jane Levin. Their telephone number is 624-7716.

--Emily Oster
This year's Easter Egg hunt was a big success. Children think it's a good chance to collect all the candy they can get including bubble gum, chocolate eggs and taffy! Also there are plastic eggs with balloons, tootsie rolls and other goodies for the younger children. The candy is so good that days after the hunt, kids are still looking for candy.

There are also prizes at the Easter Egg Hunt for the most pennies collected and the highest number of points painted on the pennies. Josh Smith won the high penny contest for the second time this year. I think we should give Mrs. Nowak a big hand for this hunt.

--Emily Oster

TRAVEL

Did you know that people on our block have been in many parts of the world. Such as the Oster - Fair's have been to Mexico, Italy, Sweden, Antigua, Portugal, Guadalupe, etc. You get the point. The people have also been to places across the U.S... The Vandykes have been to Puerto Rico, and the Hoskins have been to Massachusetts, so have the Coxs. Mrs. Parker has been to California. The Bradlys go to South Carolina every year. Some of our neighborhood kids have traveled to Boston to proform The Wild Swans the kids were Andrew Cox, Mimi Bradly, and David Cox. That about raps it up about the Travel.

- Andrew Cox
Classified

Wanted: Lost or Found

Wanted: Female kitten (6 weeks) If you have one or know someone who does please call 865-6760 ask for Emily or Sharon.

Found: Pretty female German Shepherd, Tan and black with tan and silver collar. Now at Hainsfield-Handen Pound.

New Openings

Rock Store: Stephen Fair and Chris Van Dyke have opened a rock store for one week only. The store is located at the Van Dyke store. It is open 3:30 to 5:30 PM Tuesday through Friday; Saturday and Sunday 10:00 AM to 5:30 PM with a lunch break from 12:00 to 1:00 and a 3:30-4:00 break on week ends.
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DID YOU KNOW?

John Oster learned how to ride his two-wheeler.

Gary David has learned how to sit up.

Vincent, the Bradley's cat, had an operation.

Derek Moss has had another good year on the ice.

In her first year of skating, Denise Cox got up to bedne 4.

In a book, I let my mind go
free from
the caved up science of history;
from the
language of Latin to the science
of lizards;
a book chanced to fairies and wizards.

Or girls with troubles of their own
and then
the teacher says to me
"What's 9 x 4 +
8 x 3?" "Sixty," I answer. She
gave me a book
I thought 'Why can't we put
down this
math and pick up a book?"

--Emily Oster
Ants

It's only 11:00 A.M. and night is here.

Oh, no! That storm!

Big foot.

Yep.
Letter from the Editor

This is the second issue of the Everit St. Weekly. We have had an enthusiastic response to our first edition. As you can see, we have added more columns such as Dear Andy, book reviews and movie reviews. We welcome anything for these columns or for the paper in general. We also welcome letters to the editor.

Spring

Butterflies are everywhere

Flowers are already here

Spring is coming

Bees are humming.

Andrew Cox

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Pets

So you’re all ready to bring home that pet the children have been bugging you for months about. But you are still wondering what kind of pet. Here are some ups and downs about different pets.

**Cats.** Some good points: Kittens and cats can be very affectionate, but are often skittish. They are fuzzy, soft and playful when they are kittens, but may kill small animals and birds. I just got a kitten. She is very affectionate but has to go to four vet visits in the next six months for shots!

**Dogs.** Well first of all you have to walk them, but they are very intelligent. I talked to Derek Nowak and he said "I like dogs because they are nice to pet and they follow you around, but I hate feeding them." Also, if someone is not home all day, you probably should not get a dog.

**Birds.** If you like to travel a bird might be a good pet for you because it lives in a cage and can easily be transported to someone else’s house. But birds only live about three years whereas cats and dogs can live to be 20. I talked to Mimi Bradley. Here's what she said," They make very pretty noises that will cheer you up. But they do make a lot of mess."

**Gerbils.** When gerbils are little they will climb on your hand, but as they get older they won't. Here's what Stephen Fair and John Oster said."They are nice but a lot of them bite. They are also very active at night."

-- Emily Oster
MOVIE REVIEW

If you have seen a movie recently, tell us about it. We'll put your name and what you think was good, bad, scary, etc.

We had a movie sent in by David Cox. His movie is Vice Versa. He said "it was action packed." His favorite part was when a kid and his father rode through the mall on a police ATV. He said "The part that was the worst was it was too short."

BOOK REVIEW

Laura Ingalls Wilder Series. These eight books tell the fascinating tale of a young pioneer girl named Laura Ingalls. They tell a true story of the good times and bad, like once her family's wheat was almost full grown when locusts came and ate it all. This book is written at about the third to fourth grade reading level, but kids 7-12 I think will be interested in the story.

Correction: In last week's issue, we stated that it costs 3 dollars a week to recycle. We made a mistake; it only costs 1 dollar a week. What a bargain!
Hobbies

Do you want to start a hobby that will last a lifetime? Like that stamp collection of your fathers that he claims is worth 2,000 dollars. Here are some interesting hobbies.

Rocks One interesting hobby is rock collecting. This hobby can be very inexpensive because you can pick up rocks in your own backyard. Stephen Fair said, 'I like rock collecting because you find interesting rocks, but it can get boring after awhile.'

Stamps Stamp collecting is about the most interesting hobby because you can get stamps from all different countries and all different times. I interviewed Andrew Cox. Here's what he said: 'I like it because there are always more stamps to collect but I don't like it because it costs money and the hinges don't taste so great.'

Coins There are many different kinds of coins: nickels, dimes, quarters, pennies and others. You can find books for most of these. Here's what Chris Van Dyke has to say about it: 'I like to collect coins because they are interesting but if they get valuable and you lose them it's a real pain.'

--Emily Oster
Contest!

Starting this issue there will be a contest every week. The subjects will alternate and be things like writing, brain teasers and other puzzles. This week's contest is a brain teaser (pictured below) If you can figure it out, send us the answer and the logic you used. We will print the winners' names and the answer two weeks from now. Your entry should be received by one week from now.

Creature Card 12 Norleys

All of these are Norleys.

None of these is a Norley.

Which of these are Norleys?
This week we introduce a new column, Dear Andy. We will treat all questions from kids and parents on all subjects. Please send in your questions. Here is our first letter.

Dear Andy!

I hope you can help me with my problem. My children have terrible table manners. They regularly fall off chairs at dinner, eat with their fingers and dip vegetables in their milk. What can I do?

A concerned parent

Dear Parent!

I think I have a solution. First, have them sit on the floor. That will stop them from falling off their chairs. Second, try giving them knives and forks. Third, don't give them vegetables.

From,
Andy

NEW HAVEN REGISTER

You could be reading news about the world as well as the street. So subscribe to the New Haven Register. You will get the paper for just $2.45 a week and just $1.20 for the weekend. If you would like to receive the Register, contact Daniel Levin at 624-7716 or David Cox at 562-5059.
Uncle Alfred:
We want to play "William Tell". Will you stand with an apple on your head?

(H.E: Courtesy of "Punch": 1940)

Andrew Cox
Letter from the Editors

Welcome to the fourth issue of the Everit St. Weekly. We are looking forward to next week and putting out a subscription form. We hope you will all subscribe again. We will continue this newspaper, we hope, for many years to come.

Dear Editor,

I have noticed that your paper has nothing about Everit St. except in the 1st issue in the section "Did You Know That...". I think you should talk more about the street, but it is just a suggestion to improve your paper.

A Concerned Reader

Dear Reader,

We would like to write more about Everit St. But we don't have enough information. If people sent us more news articles and other things about the street we would be happy to put them in. I am also pleased to announce that we have put a Did You Know column on the last page of this issue.
Summer Camps

This summer lots of people want to send their kids to camp. There are lots of camps around here. I am going to tell you about three specific ones: Foote School, Hamden Hall and the Creative Arts Workshop.

Foote Camp

This six week program has many activities to choose from. I will describe three.

1. Vermont Exploration for ages 10-12. This program will be hosted by Cliff Sahlin. It is two weeks long and will be spent in Vermont hiking, swimming, fishing and studying nature. It lasts from July 10th to July 24th. Unfortunately, this program is already filled up! Try again next year.

2. Mudplay for ages 3-8. You can sign up for between 1 and 6 weeks of this program. It will include arts and crafts, outside adventures and much more. Many Everit Street kids did this program last year. It lasts 6 weeks from June 26 to August 4, Monday through Friday 9:30-12:30 with optional lunch to 1:00.

3. Creative Writing and Movement, ages 9-13. Students will learn to write poetry and set it to dance. Caroline Rosenstone, head of the writing program at ECA and Susan Manthke, head of the dance program at ECA, will lead this innovative offering. It lasts from July 24th to July 27th, Monday through Thursday 9:30 to 1:00.

The Foote programs fill up quickly, so sign up in a hurry.

Hamden Hall Summer School

The Hamden Hall program includes reading, English, Math, History and Science for students entering grades over 5. There are also courses for the lower school students. There is also a summer camp for all ages. In one program, students attend 2 one hour classes from 9:00-11:00 and then have swimming, arts and crafts and sports until 2:30. This summer camp is very good but it is very structured.

Creative Arts Workshop Camp

This camp involves many things that the CAW does year round and others only associated with summer. Most of these classes are taught by professional artists. And, the CAW has exceptionally good working materials. One class this summer is called Picnic Baskets, ages 7-10. You will design your own shape and color baskets to use for the whole summer.

For more information on these camps, call Emily Oster for Foote, David Cox for Hamden Hall. I don't know anyone to call for the CAW camp.

Emily Oster
My first day at camp

Camp is awful--never go.
You'll hurt your head and stub your toe.
You'll sleep in a cabin, full of flies,
next to some guys who are eating French fries.
In the morning, they blow a busle,
right in your ears they go tootle tootle.
They feed you a breakfast of left over dinner
The only good thing is I'm getting thinner.
They take us swimming at quarter to ten
I jump in the water and then...
Blub blub blub... I sink.
The lifeguard jumped in and tried to save me,
But I went up to heaven and joined the angel's navy.
So take my advice and simply don't go
Instead of camp, just Play your Nintendo!

Andy & Emily

CLASSIFIED

TWO FREE HAMSTERS

Comes with cage and equipment.

If you are interested talk to the Nowaks.
Contest!

This week's contest was sent in by Mrs. Ely. We would like you to find the 7 errors in the picture and get them to us by Wednesday. We need people to enter our contests. Not many people entered our writing contest.

So please enter this week's contest.

In copying the original design, the artist's friend has deliberately made seven mistakes.

See if you can find the seven mistakes in the modified design.
Contest Winner

The winner of last week's contest—the writing contest—was John Oster. Congratulations John! Here is his entry:

One dark, dark night Billy was walking home. He heard footsteps behind him. He turned and he saw a bear. The bear jumped on Billy. Billy was scared and he yelled "Stop." The bear didn't stop. Billy tried to push the bear off him. Then the bear ran away.

submitted by John Oster, age 4

Book Review

Pippi Longstocking

This is a book about a funny girl whose mother is an angel and whose father is a cannibal king. She lives in a house alone except for her monkey, Mr. Nelson and her horse. She is also very strong. I think kids 6 and up will be interested in this book. And the reading level is about 2nd grade and up.
Did you know?

The Bradleys just came back from the Bahamas.
Sara David went to her first birthday party.
Leah Pillsbury was a guest teacher at Bethesda Nursery School for two days last week.
The Oster-Fairs got a new kitten named Tiger. Now there are three Osters and three Fairs in the house.
The Pillsbury's and the Shillers plan to plant Morning Glories along the fence between their yards.
Sumner Parker is up in Alaska trying to help get the oil off the sea otters.

Gardening

Dear Gardeners,

Here's a little advice about how to make your garden grow.

By now, you should have planted your peas, lettuce and spinach. If you haven't, plant them this week or your crop won't be very good. These vegetables need cold to grow.

In the way of flowers, it's time to plant pansies. There's a very pretty flowering cherry in the Shiller's yard. While you're out, take a look at Fred and Michael's yard. They always have something exotic growing.

Also, just about now the trees are budding.

Emily Oster
Little League Baseball

For boys and girls ages 9-12
Season runs until end of June
Sign up Blake Field, Saturday, April 29 2-3pm. (Rain date Sunday, April 30 2-3) Willow St. near I-91.

 Bring 25$ registration fee and Birth certificate.
 (proof of age)
For more information call Martin Pitoniak at 772-3572.

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MOVIE REVIEW

Ewok 1 is this week's movie. I interviewed Johnny Dster.

He said his favorite part was "when the boy stuck his hand in the tree
and a Thing -a-ma-jig bit him". He didn't like "when the Ewoks were jumping on
the Brother". That is all for this article.
Benjamin Franklin

I, Benjamin, was about to find electricity...

Quite close.

Oh, no! I ate that dog.

Andrew Cox
Letter from the Editors

Welcome to the 5th issue of the Everit St. Weekly. This week we have put out a subscription form on the next page. If you would like to subscribe again (which we hope you all will) simply fill out the form like the first week. And get them to us by Thursday please.

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SPORTS

Did you know that baseball is starting right now? There are four teams in the league. There are two teams on our block while in soccer, there are eight teams in the league. There are two soccer teams on the block, the Badgers and the Rockets. The Badgers won their last game. Meshan Cox blocked a goal in their last game. The Rockets are undefeated.

Stephen Fair
Old_Everit_Street

Did you ever wonder what it would have been like to live on Everit St in the 1960's. I interviewed Mrs. Ely who moved here in the 1960's. Here's what she said:

'I moved here in 1964. Our house cost thirty four thousand dollars. We had six children, and one married already. At this time, there were about 66 children on the block. The average age for the children was about 10 to 12 and the children were mostly girls.'

Now, take a moment to realize how Everit St has changed over the last 25 years. Now there are more boys than girls on the block and the houses are much more expensive. On average the number of children in the country has decreased since the 1960's. That is also true on the block. While there used to be about 66 children here, now there are only about 40.

Also, did you ever wonder what games kids played in the 1960's? I also spoke to Mrs. Ely about that and here's what she said:

'Some of the games you play now, they also played then like baseball, touch football and basketball. But they also played games you don't play now. The children used to play a game called Stealing Sticks, It's like Capture the Flag but you have 24 flags. Also, once the children had a dog show with prizes for things like the dog with the longest tail.'

You may not care what Everit St. was like a long time ago, but when you get history homework, believe me, you'll need to know!

Emily Oster
Gardening

Dear gardeners,

If you have planted a flower garden it should be very pretty now because the daffodils, marigolds, tulips and many other flowers are in bloom. It's also very pretty down at the garden plots in Brewster Park. Remember it is still too early to plant your tomatoes and other delicate plants. Be patient! Next week we will have a special report on fruit trees.

Happy Gardening!

-Emily Oster

Now and Then

When I was young, we bought a house
Fifty rooms without a mouse,
So how much did this great house cost?
Fifty thousand at the most.

Now when I went to buy a place,
One hundred thousand was the case,
And when I stepped into this house,
I saw a mouse and then a louse
And then an Itchy-witchy-bichy-bug.

We bought a car when I was young,
Eight hundred bucks it cost us then,
And that car ran, oh how it ran,
For 80 years without a jam.

And when I went to buy a car,
Twenty thousand didn't go too far,
And that big car it never ran,
We took it to the repairman,
And he said it would never work!

So, take my advice, it's hard to find,
The cheaper things are the better kind!

Emily Oster
MOVIE REVIEW

The week's movie is BIG. I interviewed Stephen Fair. This is what he said. "My favorite part is when the mother was chasing the kid." he also said, "it was too short."

Book Review

This week's book is James_and_the_Giant_Peach. It is about a boy named James who lives with his mean aunts, aunt Spode and aunt Spiker. They make him work very hard. One day he meets a man who gives him some pills and tells him a bunch of things to do with them that I won't mention here. The man tells James not to drop the pills but by accident he does. The pills start burrowing in the ground. One reaches a peach tree's roots and the tree starts growing an enormous peach. The next thing you know is James is flying through the air on the peach! Finally he ends up in America (he lived in England) and lives happily ever after. I think this book will excite children of all ages.

Subscription

I want 4 week's of the newspaper--------

Name:

Address:

Remember, some of you original subscribers signed up for 10 weeks, so you do not have to renew yet!
Contest!

This week we will have two contests: a drawing contest and a contest something like 'norleys' sent in by Ben Shiller. For the drawing contest we would like you to draw a picture of what you think spring is about. Also we had a late entry for last week's contest. The author wishes to remain anonymous and the story is shown below. Also shown below is the answer to the 7 errors. Chris VanDyke sent in a correct answer.

Contest entry

One dark and stormy night Billy was walking home. He heard footsteps, he turned and behind him there was an elf-like man.

"Aaahh," Billy screamed.
"Don't be frighten, the man said.
"What are you?" Billy stammered.
"I am an elf-say, said the elf and my name is Canner.
"How did you get here?" asked Billy, raising bravely.
"My rainbow broke," answered Canner as if it were common.
"I'll help you," said Billy.
"What's your name, child?" asked the elf.
"Billy, Billy Thomas,"
"Well, Billy, we must be on our way,"
"Where are we going?"
"Why to my rainbow of course."
So, Billy and Canner went to Canner's rainbow.
"Well, we're going to need a little light," said Canner who magically rose to the sun to Billy's surprise.

"Now, see where it's cracked?"
"We can use paste" cried Billy.
"Why, what a great idea," said Canner.
Billy ran to the market and got a bottle of paste for $2.95.
"This better be fun," said Billy handing over the paste. "Because this is taking a real load off my piggy bank."
"Don't worry," said Canner finishing the job, "Well, bye, Billy."
"Please can I come?"
"Okay,"
So hand in hand they boarded the rainbow and lived happily ever after.

Answers to the "France Soir 7 Erreurs": The Snake-charmer

1. The snake-charmer's ear was completely drawn in.
2. There is one more loop of the snake under the right arm of the snake-charmer.
3. One more finger is showing on the snake-charmer's left hand.
4. The left pedal of the bicycle has been changed.
5. The left hand of the lady has been changed: no fingers.
6. The left foot of the snake-charmer has longer toes.
7. The chin of the snake-charmer has been completely drawn.
All of these are Spadacadacos.

Contest!

None of these are Spadacadacos.

Spadacadacos!

Which of these are Spadacadacos?
Calvin and Hobbes
by Leah Pillsbury

Hey Hobbes

where my water gun

Cloud

New I remember

Oh no

on the table spraying

red for
Did you know?

Sara Levin has her first lacrosse game on May 6th. Good luck Sara!
The Hoskins have a family of cardinals and a whole flock of
goldfinches in their bird feeder.

Mrs. Watt had her birthday on April 15th. Happy Birthday to you!
Stephen Fair has joined the Everit St. Weekly staff,
The Levins planted a Weeping Willow in their backyard.

NEW RANGER STATION

The new Ranger Station is much bigger. The opening was on Sunday, April 30th. There were refreshments and slides on a TV type thing that belongs to the ranger station. There is a water fountain and a large room in the back of the station for activities with schools or the people in the neighborhood. We hope you think this new building is as good as I think it is.

-Andrew Cox
Letter from the editor

Welcome to the 6th issue of the Everit St Weekly. Many of you have subscribed again and we have some new subscribers too! If last week you did not get around to filling out your subscription form, you can send it in now, but hurry-- supply is limited and they're going fast! We appreciate that more people are sending in news items and contests for the paper. Keep up the good work.

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an operetta directed by Vincent Cardinal and Carol Heath

May 17 1:00
May 18 9:45
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May 20 1:00

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Book Review

Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle books! I would like to tell you about 4 great books (but if you are too busy I won’t bother). Well anyhow, these books are about a funny little woman who loves children. She lives in an upside-down house and gives advice to all the mothers who call. Why do they call? They call because they have trouble with their children, like when a child lives in almost a pigsty. Then their mother calls Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle and she advises them. The author of these fabulous books is Betty MacDonald.

The reading level for these books is about the third or fourth grade and kids of any age will love these books.

Birds

The birds they soar above our heads,
They only stop to rest in bed,
Then they’re up again and flying around,
Never making contact with the ground,
They eat the worms beneath the earth,
In early morning they search the dirt,
The nest is built strong and high,
So the eggs won’t fall and the chicks don’t die.

- Andrew Cox
Dear Gardeners,

This week we have a special update on fruit trees. There are many different kinds of fruit trees, I will describe 3 that do well in this climate.

Apple: These trees can grow up to 50 feet if you let them but for the best fruit you should keep them low. I interviewed Mrs. Hoskins and she said "I don't get such great apples because you are supposed to spray them with a lot of stuff that is poisonous and I don't like to spray with that." Apple trees will not pollinate themselves so to get apples you must have two.

Peaches: A big peach tree can grow a little smaller than an apple, about 45 feet. I interviewed Sharon Oster who owns a dwarf peach tree. She said "We have an Elberta peach tree. It gives us peaches and we don't have to spray it. It seems to be doing very well." Peaches are self-fruitful so if you only have a little space and you want fresh fruit, a peach tree might be a good idea.

Pears: These trees can grow to be 40 feet, but most are much smaller. They set fruit in the late summer and early fall. I interviewed Mrs. Hoskins who also has a pear tree. Here's what he said: "Our pear tree is too big and the squirrels eat most of the pears." These trees are not self-fruitful so like apple trees, you must plant two in one place.

Happy Gardening!

Emily Oster
Parties

A lot of kids have birthdays around now and parents are wondering what kind of parties to give kids who only say "Just give me something cool!" Here are just a few ways to spend a couple of hours with 15 kids.

1. Swimming Party: A swimming party is kind of expensive, but you can invite a lot of kids. At many public swimming pools, there are party rooms where you can gather the kids as they come in and also eat the cake. This kind of party is nice and also easy for the parents.

2. Roller skating party: These parties are relatively inexpensive and can also hold a lot of kids. But most inexpensive roller rinks (the ideal place to have a roller skating party) are very loud. At many rinks, there is a party room to escape from the noise.

3. A party at home: Parties at home are basically free. But many parents don't know what to do with the kids. I have some suggestions. In a scavenger hunt, you divide the children into as many teams as you want and then give each team a list of things to find. In a treasure hunt, you put clues out either in your house or in your yard or both. Send the kids all over and finally lead them back to one place.

If you are really still stumped, take heart. At some age, they will be too old for birthday parties!

Emily Daxer

(4)
**My Birthday**

Oh boy, the day is almost here  
I have been waiting all the year.  
Tomorrow is the very one,  
I know that I'll have so much fun.

I hope that I'll get lots of presents  
And no old crows or stuffed peasants.  
Oh, boy Oh, boy I cannot wait.  
I do hope my friends aren't late.

The day has come. It's here! It's here  
I always knew it was coming near.  
I know I will have lots of fun  
even if someone's sick and can't come.

The day is over, I had a great time  
now it's just sorrow till Christmas time.  

**Emily Osfort**

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**Sports**

Did you know that Ray Fair came in third in his age group in the 6.2 mile Legal race and won a medal? He ran 37.15 minutes. Well, in soccer we'll have a soccer report every week if it does not rain on Saturday. Baseball games start at the end of May.

**Stephen Fair**
Contest!

This week we have 2 contests, a scrambled letter contest and a math contest. The scrambled letter contest is shown below. Just follow the directions. For the math contest there is also an explanation. But this contest is mostly for older kids and adults.

-----FLOWERS-----

in

--SCRAMBLED WORDS--

Below are the names of twelve common flowers in scrambled spelling. Can you tell which flowers they are?

1. PULIT
2. CILLA
3. ERCOS
4. THINACHY
5. SIIR
6. LADDYNINO
7. FOLDIFAD
8. WESTE APE
9. YILL
10. TURSAMTUNI
11. TELVIO
12. PRUCTBUTE

MATH CONTEST

Put a unique digit from 1 to 9 in each of the nine boxes so that the sums in the circles are all equal.
Last week we had two contests. The first one asked you to identify spadacadas and was submitted by Ben Shiller. We had two winning entries—Mrs. Eli and John and Dot Bowe. In our picture the first and fourth pictures are correct. They have two arms and two eyes.

We also had a drawing contest and Meghan Cox submitted the winning drawing, pictured.
Letter from the Editor

Welcome to the 7th issue of the Everit st. Weekly. This week we have added a new column, science. Stephen Fair will be the writer of this column. We hope you enjoy it. Did you know that this newspaper is so good that we even have some out of state subscribers? They are Emily Oster's auntruncle and grand mother.

Did you know?

The Bradleys are moving to Bethany. We will miss them.
Emily Oster got her ears pierced and Mimi Bradley got hers double-pierced.
John Oster jumped off the diving board for the first time.
Mr. and Mrs. Ely are going to have a 50th wedding anniversary in June.
Brett Nowak has just had his eighth birthday. Happy Birthday Brett!

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Remember several issues ago when we had an article on pets? Well, I did a survey on how many pets and what kind there are among our subscribers on the block.

There are fourteen cats on the block. That's the most out of all the animals. From my surveys, I also learned that:

1. The family with the most pets is the Bradley family. They have six pets.
2. Only four families among our subscribers have no pets. They are the Glickson-David family, the Shillers, the Zviedals and the Schwartz's.
3. There are a total of 38 pets on the block.

Below are some interesting graphs. The bar graph tells you how many of each pet there is, and the pie chart tells you the percents. As I said before, the most pets of any one kind is a cat. You can see that on the bar graph. The cat bar stretches out the most. And, on the pie chart, you can see that the piece labelled cat fills out almost half the pie (36.8%).

If you are wondering who owns a frog on the block, I will tell you it is Andrew Cox. He owns a Pitibae frog. The frog is African and it is named Piri for short.
Science

What we have new today in science is globes. Did you know that globes have to be round? If you look at your globe, you will see little lines and if you look on the lines you will find numbers. The lines and numbers help you find places. Now I'm going to give you a quiz. If you look at the numbers they are on the lines and where the lines connect is a place. Can you find 105W and 20N? If you can, then come to the Oster-Fairs and tell us.

Stephen Fair

EAST ROCK NEWS

Here are some events that will be coming up next month. Some are for young children all the way to adults. The whole family will enjoy these fun and education walks with the rangers, Dan and Vinny.

Canoeing on the Mill River Saturday, June 10th. Bring your own canoe and life jacket. Call to register and for the time at 787-6086.

Kite making workshop Saturday, June 24th. Make a kite that really flies and soars above the skys. It's at 10:00am to 11:30am and the fee is $1.00. Registration a must.

Life along and in the Mill River Thursday, June 29th. Find how the animals live in and around the water and discover life around the fresh and salt waters. From 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

Nature crafts series Wednesday's, July 5th, 12th and 19th from 10:00am to 12:00 noon. Learn how to use natural items to make unique crafts.

Nature hikes for 3 years old to 5 years old with an adult. Thursday, July 6th, 13th and 20th from 10:00 am to 11:00.

I hope you get to do all these activities and have a lot of fun.

Andy Cox
This week's contest is like Horus but there are flubbylofers instead. We still encourage people to send us contests for the newspaper.


9 2 5 4 6 1 7 3 8

**Creature Card 11  Fubbylofers**

All of these are *Fubbylofers.*

None of these is a *Fubbylofer.*

Which of these are *Fubbylofers?*
Sports

Did you know that both the Rockets and the Badgers won their games this week? The Rockets won 13 to 0, and the Badgers won their game 7-3. While in the baseball, I hope you heard that the games will be starting in the end of May. And, for Sara Levin’s lacrosse team, they had a good game.

Stephen Fair

Movie Review

If you like Adventure, if you like excitement then watch the Movie of the week which is Beetle Juice. I interviewed Andrew Cox and asked him what his favorite part was. He said "My favorite part is when Beetle Juice was dug up from his grave." He also said "That's all". Well there you have it folks the good movie Beetle Juice.

Andrew Cox
Dear gardeners,

Right now there is a gardening show at the Fardee Rose garden green house. It has many interesting plants. One of the most interesting is the sensitive plant. This plant is called sensitive because as soon as you touch the leaves the plant shrivels up and pretends to die, but in a few hours it sets right back up again. Another very interesting plant at this show is the peanut. Also your peas and lettuce (if you planted some) should be doing very well. For people who are impatient you can plant your beans now, but it is a good idea to wait another week.

Happy Gardening!

Emily Oster

Book Review

How do you tell a real witch when you see one? If you would like to know, read this week's book, *Witches* by Roald Dahl. This book tells a story of a boy who lives with his grandmother in Norway. One day they go to a hotel and the boy finds himself, somehow, in a room full of witches. If you wonder how he gets out, read the book!

Emily Oster
Rain

[Image of a comic strip]

I can't touch
the

What is
this?

I don't know

Andrew Cox
Letter from the Editors

Welcome to the 8th issue of the Everit St. Weekly. Next week we will not be putting out a subscription form we will simply come around to our subscribers houses and ask them if they want to keep getting our newspaper. We would like it if more people wrote letters to the Editor for our newspaper.

Today in sports, the Rockets won their game 4 to 0 and the Badgers won their game against the Marvels 1 to 0. The Rockets, Mr. Zwiegal's team, are still undefeated but the next game is going to be the Lions against the Rockets. This is going to be a close game.

In baseball, Mr. Cox's team, AJM, beat Mr. Nowak's team, Bernie's Pharmacy, 27 to 6. Mr. Cox's team had pretty good pitching.

Stephen Fair
Today in science is whales. Did you know that a whale is not a fish? It is a mammal because it has hair. The whale doesn’t have much hair. The whale has about 50 strands of hair on its whole body. Did you know that in the old days they used to kill the right whale and the sperm whale because they floated when you shot them? But, nowadays they kill most any kind of whale because they blow up the whale to make it float. There are two different kinds of whales. One of the kind of whale is the baleen whale. Baleen is in the mouth of the whale and each strip is ten feet long. Baleen helps the whale eat. The baleen whales open their mouths while eating and they swim along. They get all the little shrimps which are called plankton and then they close their mouths and the plankton stick to the baleen inside their mouths and they squirt the water out. The toothed whales don’t have baleen. Instead, they have teeth to eat other things. The killer whale is the only whale to eat other whales. The blue whale can get up to 101 feet long. It is the biggest whale.

By the way, in the last science article in the test on slobes, the answer was Mexico.

Dear Gardeners,

Now is a good time to plant your beans. It is also a good time to plant your tomatoes, green peppers and other sensitive plants. Now it is warm enough (finally)!. The weather we are having now is very good for your lawn. Even mine is setting some grass! That’s all the good news now I have some bad news. If your peas haven’t come up yet they probably flunked.

Happy Gardening!

Emily Oster
Girls and Sports

When you think of girls playing sports, you probably think of them playing softball or field hockey, right? Well, girls also play things like baseball and basketball. But sometimes the coaches don't want to let girls play. I read in a Sports Illustrated for Kids that recently a girl was playing in a boys' basketball league and her team won. After they won, she almost got kicked out of the league because she was a girl but finally after some debate, they let her play. The headline for this story was: Sure a girl can play as long as her team doesn't win!

It used to be in college that they spent a lot of money on boys sports and almost none on sports for girls. Now there is a law that makes all college use the same amount of money on girls and boys sports. If everyone realized that girls like many of the same sports as boys, then maybe coaches would let more girls play sports.

Emily Isar

DID YOU KNOW

that Mrs. Heath is one of my teachers. This is her last year at Hooker school and then she will retire. She is my music teacher. When she retires there will be another music teacher. And did you know that she put on two operas but one had puppets. They were Hansel and Gretel and the Wild Swans. She was the one that taught us the songs and the dances for May Day. Mrs. Heath taught us other songs too like Star Light and See-saw and I See the Moon. I have had her for 2 years in kindergarten and 1st grade but the time does have to come when she will retire and she will at the end of the year. I will miss her very much.

by Meghan Cox
Contest!

This week's contest is shown below. What you are supposed to do is write what you see. For example the first one is Forgive and forget. That is four gives and fore sets! You adults should be able to get this because I had it for homework last week!

Dear Emily,

I am doing a school project with my friend, but he never shows up. What should I do?

A soon to be poor student!

Dear Reader,

You could do one of two things: either do up to your friend and say 'Look you don't do any of the work. If you don't do more I will tell' or you could just grin and bear it.

Emily.
Learning a Foreign Language

Do you want to learn another language? If you do the first thing I will say is don't under any circumstances just buy a dictionary and try to learn by reading one page a night. But a dictionary would be a good idea if you buy a book of stories in the language you want to learn also. You are probably wondering what the book is for, right? Well the book is for reading (of course) and how do you read it? Well you know that if you read a story lots of times you sort of memorize it. It's sort of the same when you read a foreign language. You read a story a lot and some of the words become clear. Then you can find the rest in a dictionary of the language and English. An easy first second language is French. I even read somewhere that kids can learn it in preschool! It is true that kids can pick up foreign languages better than adults but adults can learn also.

So if you want to learn a foreign language I have two more words they are: Good Luck!

Emily Oshin

Movie Review

The movie for this week is full of excitement and joy you will love this movie it is The Rescuers. I interviewed Meghan Cox she said her favorite part was" When the girl mouse was talking to the boy mouse when he was inside a bottle that a message had been sent. He sounded weird." That's what Meghan says about this Movie see you next week

Andrew Cox
Book Review

What would you feel like if your twin brother died? Probably awful. Well that's exactly how Jenny feels when she suddenly realizes that she is no longer 'one of the Hagreser twins' all this is in a book called Home from Far. Then her family adopts two kids whose mother is dead and whose father can't support them. This book tells the story of how one troubled family reaches out to help another. The reading and interest level is about third grade and up.

Emily Oster
Letter from the editor

Welcome to the ninth issue of the Everit St. Weekly. This weekend we will come around to your house to collect for subscriptions. We hope you all continue to subscribe. We hope to have more time to spend on the paper once Little League season and school are over.

sports

Today in sports it was Memorial day weekend and we didn't have soccer. In the baseball Mister Cox's team lost and Mister Nowaks team got rained out.

Stephen Fair
Summer plans

Many people go away in the summer. Some go to the same place every year and some go to a new place every year. One of the good things about going to the same place every year is that you always know where to go and how to get there. Also you always know what to wear and therefore you are almost always dressed right.

But all these good things don't mean there aren't some bad things. For example sometimes going to the same place every year can get boring but if you go to different places then your trip probably will be very interesting. While some people are relaxing on rafts at their favorite summer spots, others are enjoying new and interesting places. If you go to a new place every year the probability that you will get bored is 99-1. But going to a new place means weird airports, strange food and other unnatural things.

I interviewed several people about their vacations. Jane Levin goes with her family to Mohawk every year. She said "I really like it a lot, I especially like the hiking. The place we go to has 7,000 acres of wilderness." I also interviewed Chris VanDyke and Sharon Oster about their vacations. Chris goes to Canada every year and he said "I especially like the sand dunes". Sharon Oster goes with her family to a new place every year. She said "I like going to foreign countries where the children can see new things and meet other people."

I am sure wherever you go you will have a great time.

Emily Oster
Numbers

There are interesting things about numbers that you may not know. Do you know what a prime number is? A prime number is any number that you can only divide evenly by one or itself. For example, 5 is a prime number, but 4 isn't because $4=2\times2$. Another prime number is 41. The highest prime number has 65,050 digits. It was discovered by a computer. Do you think 3894 is prime?

There is another interesting thing about nines. If you times any number by nine, the digits in the answer always sum to nine. For example, take 3085 times 9. That adds to 27,765. Those digits add up to 27 ($2+7+7+6+5$), and 27 adds up to 9!

There is another interesting thing about numbers. Do you know what a perfect number is? A perfect number is a number where if you add up all of the numbers that can go into it, they add back to the number. For example 28 is perfect. What numbers go into 28? 2, 14, 7, 4 and 1. These add up to 28. By the way, no primes can be perfect numbers.

Stephen Fair

Book Review

Would you like to live in a place where there are beautiful flowers, clean air and huge fir trees? Well that is exactly where the story I am about to tell you about takes place. The name of this book is Heidi and it is about a young girl who lives with her grandfather in the Alps. Her grandfather is very nice but one day Heidi's aunt takes her to Frankfurt. Heidi hates it there and longs for the beautiful Alps. She is so homesick she even walks in her sleep. Will Heidi ever get away? To find out read the book.

Emily Oster
THE TURTLE

The turtle slow
as a car
in a
traffic jam.
Trying
to run across
the
yard. The turtle
eats
slowly;
chewing
every bite.
She’s
a vegetarian.
Lettuce, tomatoes
ummm. She’s
a
wood turtle
walking
under trees
and
bushes.

Emily Oster

Dear Gardeners,

The weather around here has been pretty
good, except for that huge storm we had on Thursday. The flag pole at Foote
School was hit by lightning during that storm. If any of you are growing
asparagus your trenches are probably filling up with all this rain we’ve
been having.

Happy Gardening!

Emily Oster

Movie Review

This weeks Movie is Space Balls. I interviewed myself, I said "It was
real funny and I kept laughing. My favorite part was when they blew Mega
Maid.". This movie was a funny copy of Star Wars. So if you like Star Wars,
you would love this movie.

Andrew Cox
Two Word Games:

Each blank is to be filled in with a four-letter word, and every word in each puzzle uses the same four letters, re-arranged. Puzzle No. 1 has nothing in common with the Puzzle No. 2, except for the policy of rearranging letters to make words. An example of this is: TEAR becoming RATE.

Good Luck!

PUZZLE NO. 1:

Said the Tiger to the Lion:

Will you and your ________
Make a ________ for our game?
It will help at the gate,
If you try to look ________
Red ________ is the prize,
And if I survive,
I'll beat you
I'll eat you,
And win jungle fame.

PUZZLE NO. 2:

O, Landlord, fill the flowing ________
Until the ________ flow over.
Tonight we ________ upon this ________
Tomorrow, ________ to Dover.

(This puzzle is from English 18th Century Life style, particularly in travel—the last line.)
Three Little Kittens

Hey look over there!

Man, where our mittens?

Lost and Found

Do you have any missing mittens?

签: David Cox