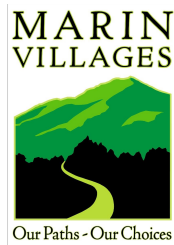


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## THINGS TO DO

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When you need relief from the 24 hour news cycle, consider some of these options!

### ART

**Paper Cut Art.** [Myriam Dion Transforms Newspaper Headlines Into Intricate Collages \(mymodernmet.com\)](#)

**The Top 10 Online Exhibitions in 2020.** [The Top Ten Online Exhibitions of 2020 | History | Smithsonian Magazine](#)

**Art Exhibitions for 2021** [The biggest and best art exhibitions opening in 2021 | The Art Newspaper](#)

**THEATER, MUSIC, OPERAS, POETRY, BALLET, DANCE, COMEDY SHOWS ONLINE**

**Dance**

**Baryshnikov Solos.** [A combination of clips of his dancing and explanation of his creativity.](#)

[Aayat Indian Classical Dance.](#)



## Movie stars dancing to...'I'm So Excited!'

### Theater

**Free Plays and Musicals to Stream.** A list and links updated weekly.

[Free musicals and plays you can now stream during the Coronavirus outbreak \[UPDATING DAILY\] \(filmedonstage.com\)](#)

### Music

[Yo Yo Ma and Kathryn Stott perform \*Over the Rainbow\*](#). From their new CD *Songs of Comfort and Hope*.

**30s and 40s Dance Band Music.** [About 40 minutes of old dance band tunes.](#)

[Rhapsody in Blue with Leonard Bernstein at the Piano.](#)

**Chopin Concert.** Evgeny Kissin plays Chopin's Piano Concerto #1. [Evgeny Kissin: Chopin – Piano Concerto No. 1, Op 11 \(Tel Aviv, 2011\) – YouTube](#)

**Beethoven's Eroica.** Kennedy Center Symphony Orchestra. [Beethoven: Symphony No. 3 \("Eroica"\), Movement I – National Symphony Orchestra | Kennedy Center \(kenedy-center.org\)](#)

**Smooth Jazz.** About an hour of music.

[Smooth Jazz Chillout Lounge • Smooth Jazz Saxophone Instrumental Music for Relaxing, Dinner, Study – YouTube](#)

## ARMCHAIR TRAVEL

[The Tomb of Tu Duc at the at the Complex of Hue Monuments in Vietnam.](#)

## FUN OR CUTE ONLINE VIDEOS AND CLIPS

[Venn Diagrams to Explain Career Choices.](#)

**Olive and Mabel on December 31, 2020**

[Olive and Mabel look forward to 2021 in heartwarTwming NYE dog video from Andrew Cotter | Evening Standard](#)

[Two Talking Cats.](#)

## CLASSES, ONLINE GROUPS, TALKS, WEBINARS, PODCASTS, BLOGS, EDUCATIONAL ARTICLES

**How Native Artisans Bring Humor to Their Craft.** [How Native Artisans in Alaska Bring Innovation and Humor to Their Craft | Arts & Culture | Smithsonian Magazine](#)

**In Many Parts of the World The Ground is Literally Sinking.** [In Many Parts of the World, the Ground Is Literally Sinking | Smart News | Smithsonian Magazine](#)

**Building for Mars.** [Building for Mars – RocketSTEM](#)

[10 Proven Ways to Stay Happy.](#)

## EXERCISE

**Intergenerational Center Classes** – Check the [Intergenerational Center website](#) for information on classes.

## RESOURCES FOR ON RACISM AND SOCIAL JUSTICE ISSUES IN AMERICA

**Racism and the DC Riot** [Racism and the DC Riot | Mental Health America \(mhanational.org\)](#)

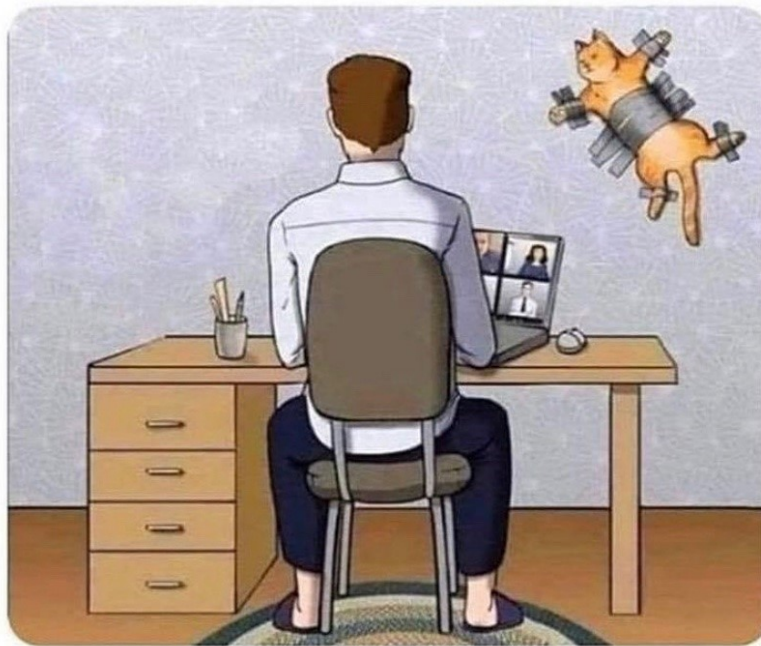
**A Tale of Two Protests: Police Treatment Differed in Black Lives Matter vs. US Capitol Riot.** [US Capitol Police Black Lives Matter Plaza respnse difference | wusa9.com](#)

**The Equal Justice Initiative.** [Segregation in America \(eji.org\)](#)

## 2021 Humor:



# How to prepare for a Zoom meeting





Once again, The Washington Post has published the winning submissions to its yearly neologism contest, in which readers are asked to supply alternate meanings for common words...and the winners are:

1. Coffee (n.), the person upon whom one coughs.
2. Flabbergasted (adj.), appalled over how much weight you have gained.
3. Abdicate (v.), to give up all hope of ever having a flat stomach.
4. Esplanade (v.), to attempt an explanation while drunk.
5. Willy-nilly (adj.), impotent.
6. Negligent (adj.), describes a condition in which you absentmindedly answer the door in your nightgown.
7. Lymph (v.), to walk with a lisp.
8. Gargoyle (n.), gross olive-flavored mouthwash.
9. Flatulence (n.) emergency vehicle that picks you up after you are run over by a steamroller.
10. Balderdash (n.), a rapidly receding hairline.
11. Rectitude (n.), the formal, dignified bearing adopted by proctologists.
12. Pokemon (n), a Rastafarian proctologist.
13. Circumvent (n.), an opening in the front of boxer shorts worn by Jewish men..
14. Frisbeetarianism (n.), (back by popular demand): The belief that when you die, your Soul flies up onto the roof and gets stuck there.

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## LOOKING FOR SOMETHING ELSE, OR SOMETHING ON A PRIOR LIST?

You can look back at recent lists [on our website.](#)

For the online items noted in this list and previous lists, we've

done our best to make sure the links work. But if they don't, we suggest you Google the name of the place or activity to get to the site. Most of these activities are free, and most are not time-sensitive (although a few have a minimal charge or a deadline).

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