



# The Milford Gazette!

*By children, for children!*

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## Country Corner

### UAE

by Adam



Capital: Abu Dhabi

Highest mountain range: Jebel Jais

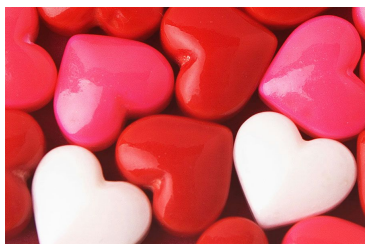
Main Attractions: Tallest building in the world, Burj Khalifa is in Dubai; go golfing in Dubai Creek; visit Shiekh Zayed Mosque in Abu Dhabi; and Wild Wadi water Park in Dubai.

Population: 9 million including expats, only 1.5 million are local Arabs.

Language: Arabic and English

Interesting Facts: Burj Khalifa is 828 metres tall!

Currency: UAE Dirham



## Valentine Poems

by Saoirse

Need some ideas or rhymes for your Valentines cards? Look no further....

## International Day

by Saoirse

Wednesday 10th February



I was in the International Day Parade this year representing Australia. The sun came out especially for it! There was a large array of children from all over the world. There were lots of people proud to support their country in front of everyone else. We enjoyed seeing all the countries including Germany, Australia, Italy, Lithuania, England, America, Poland and Spain. There was also lots of colours in the parade. The Polish children wore colourful clothes of red and white, the Spanish children wore yellow and red and the Indians wore many beautiful colours. It was a lovely day.



## Recipe of the Month

### Brownie in a Mug

by Molly



### Ingredients:

- 1egg
- ½ a teaspoon of vanilla extract
- 1 ¼ cup of coffee
- 2 tablespoons of cocoa powder
- ¼ cup of brown sugar
- ¼ cup of all purpose flour

### Method:

1. Mix all the dry ingredients together.
2. Add in all the the wet ingredients slowly.
3. Put the mixture in a microwave safe mug.
4. Put it in the microwave for a minute and thirty seconds.
5. And there you go, a Brownie in a Mug!

## Pointless Piece of Research of the Month....!

by Adam

Did you know, there is a tribe in Alaska that ride reindeers like horses?!

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
Whenever I'm happy I'm reminded  
of you.

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
You are great, I love you.

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
Sugar is sweet and so are you.

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
Love never crossed me until I met  
you!

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
There isn't a star that sparkles like  
you.

Roses are red, violets are blue,  
As deep as the ocean is my love  
for you.

Print your free card at:  
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Valentines\\_Day\\_4/Happy\\_Heart.p  
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## The Quick Quiz of the Month!



What's the yellow Teletubby  
called?

The answer will be revealed in  
next month's edition....!

Answer to last week's question:  
Which has the highest mountain,  
Earth or Mars: Mars

## Short Story Northern Lights

Part 2  
by Saoirse



Ten year old Aurora's father was a hunter. He also admired the Northern Lights. He loved them so much he gave his daughter the name Aurora, which was Latin for light. He hunted polar bears, skinned them and hung them up for storage, selling their furs to the locals. Aurora and her brother Marcus had to help with the lifting and the preparation of the furs, and on the stall at the market. Aurora despised it. Every time Aurora was sent down into the cellar and she passed the skins and the blubber she cried. She had never liked the cellar. The first time she, Marcus and their father had gone into the house, that they had bought when they moved from England to Greenland, she had gone into the cellar and she had hated it immediately. It had smelt of dead whales and had a polar bear head in the corner. Her room was right above it and when she saw where it was she actually got sick. She and her brother had switched rooms after that.

## Movie Review: "Daddy's Home"

by Seth



*Daddy's Home*, starring Will Ferrell and Mark Wahlberg.

Will Ferrell (aka Brad's) big dream was to be a father, but instead he chose to be a stepfather. When Will Ferrell realises that Dusty (Mark Wahlberg) the *real* dad comes to visit, Ferrell tries to take the easy approach but Dusty on the other hand is a tough nut and both of them get into a '**DAD OFF**'. Skateboarding, tree house-building, celebrity meeting and Christmas in the middle of April!! This **DAD OFF** is going to be a long tough war...who will get the family?

## Ten Things to Give/Take up for Lent



1. Give up Sweets
2. Give up TV
3. Give up Chocolate
4. Take up a sport or new hobby
5. Start reading more books
6. Break a bad habit
7. Help more around your house
8. Give up Social media
9. Give Fizzy drinks
10. Give up your phone at 6pm!

