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Fast Facts

- Despite their size, bison are very fast creatures, able to run up to 55 kilometres per hour. They are also excellent swimmers, but are so buoyant that the head, hump and tail stay above the surface of the water.
- Bison are mostly active at night time and at dusk.
- Short, black horns stick out from the bison's massive head, just above their eyes. These horns are used to defend themselves against predators.
- Bison's eyesight is poor, but their hearing and sense of smell is very good. In fact, a bison can smell an animal three kilometers away.
- Bison are also known as buffalo

On the Lighter Side

Q. What do you call a lazy bison? A. Buffa-loafer.

Q. What did mama buffalo say when her youngest went off to college? A. "Bison."

After eight days of backpacking with my wife, we were looking pretty scruffy. One morning she came to breakfast in a baseball cap, her shoulder length hair sticking out at odd angles. "Darling," she said, "does my hair make me look like a water buffalo?" I thought for a moment, then said, "If I tell you the truth, do you promise not to charge?"

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Trivia

1. What is the Scientific name for the Bison?
2. How much does a bison typically weigh at birth?
3. Do bison "moo" like cows?
4. How high can a 2,000 pound bison jump?
5. How old will a bison be before it reaches its maximum size and weight?
6. Is a buffalo a bison?



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0648 -BC- Earliest total solar eclipse; chronicled by Greeks
1204 The armies of the Fourth Crusade captured Constantinople and established the Latin Empire
1722 Peter the Great ends tax on men with beards
1830 Joseph Smith & 5 others organize Mormon church in Seneca County, New York
1849 Safety pin patented by Walter Hunt (New York NY); sold rights for \$100
1869 Hudson Bay Company cedes its territory to Canada
1879 Milk is sold in glass bottles for 1st time
1881 River ferry "Princess Victoria" sinks in Thames River Ontario, 180 die
1886 City of Vancouver British Columbia Canada incorporated
1906 Einstein introduces his Theory of Relativity
1938 Teflon invented by Roy J Plunkett
1945 Canadian troops liberate Nazi concentration camp Westerbork, Netherlands
1955 Dr Jonas Salk successfully tests Polio vaccine
1970 Paul McCartney announces official split of the Beatles
1974 Magicians Penn & Teller 1st meet
1978 Guttenberg bible sold for \$2,000,000 in NYC
1980 Post It Notes are introduced

Birthdays this Week

April 6
1483 Raphael [Raffaello Sanzio] painter/master builder
1806 Elizabeth Barrett Browning poet
1945 Bob Marley reggae musician/singer
1976 Soleil Moon Frye actress
April 7
1884 Charles Dodd English new testament authority
1939 Francis Ford Coppola film maker
1954 Jackie Chan martial art actor
April 8
1893 Mary Pickford [Gladys Louise Smith] actress
1984 Taran Noah Smith actor (Mark Taylor-Home Improvement)
April 9
1979 Keshia Knight Pulliam Newark NJ, actress
April 10
1829 William Booth founder (Salvation Army)
1847 Joseph Pulitzer publisher
1988 Haley Joel Osment actor
April 11
1866 Carla Ford Henry's wife
April 12
1932 Tiny Tim [Herbert Butros Khaury] singer

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Thursday April 6, 6:30 - 7:45 pm at Three Hills Community Centre. For info call 443-1490 or e-mail bluechipkids@gmail.com
Watch for upcoming info on the summer series!

Oatmeal Peanut Butter Cookies

Prep Time: approx. 15 Minutes. Cook Time: approx. 15 Minutes. Makes 4 dozen (24 servings).

- 1 cup butter, softened
1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup packed brown sugar
2 teaspoons baking soda
3/4 cup white sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup peanut butter
1 cup quick-cooking oats
2 eggs

Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C).
2. In a large bowl, cream together shortening, margarine, brown sugar, white sugar, and peanut butter until smooth.
3. Beat in the eggs one at a time until well blended.
4. Combine the flour, baking soda, and salt; stir into the creamed mixture. Mix in the oats until just combined.
5. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto un-greased cookie sheets.
6. Bake for 10 to 15 minutes in the preheated oven, or until just light brown. Don't over-bake. Cool and store in an airtight container.

Bison

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Answers to Trivia

- 1. Bison Bison is the scientific name for North America Plains Buffalo.
2. 40 to 50 pounds
3. No
4. 6 feet
5. 6 to 8 years
6. No Real Buffalo only exist in Africa and Asia

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Mar 30th Solution: April Fools

