**Modern History Notes – 2nd period**

**9-12-2019**

**Presidential**

* Trump unloads on 'disloyal' Democratic House candidate at fiery rally ahead of pivotal North Carolina special election.  he was in North Carolina at a rally for the upcoming election  . - Kayla
* Trump administration moves to ban flavored E- Cigarettes.  all flavored e-cigarettes other than tobacco flavor would have to be removed from the market.- Kayla
* Trump touts border wall progress, optimistic after recent court victories. Trump is making an effort to build a wall along the U.S - Mexico border. -Hailey
* Why Trump is taking flak for inviting the Taliban to camp David.  secret session had been canceled, in the wake of a Taliban attack whose victims included an American soldier.
* Trump mocks Sanford for 2009 affair after GOP Primary challenge announced.he doesn't waste no time going after Sanford after the former south Carolina governor became the third republican to challenge the presidential party.-
* Kamala Harris apologizes for laughing after audience member calls Trump "mentally retarded" she didn't hear the audience member call him retarded . "her staff played the video from my town hall yesterday, it was upsetting"Harris tweeted Saturday

**Health**

* A bug found in 25 water supplies around the country causes you to have serious stomach illness. It is called cryptosporidium and can cause a serious health risk. It can cause you to be very dehydrated and just generally make you feel unwell.
* Over half of the people why have a heart attack have multiple arteries that are clogged however the doctors only fix one. But now they are trying to make it a recommendation that they need to unclog all arties. If not they are a lot more likely to have another heart attack.
* E.coli outbreak in Philadelphia 14 people sick so far from the outbreak they present with signs of gastroenteritis the outbreak happened in restaurants.
* There was just a study done that if you take a nap once or twice a week it can lower your chances of having a heart attack or stroke.
* A strange thing happens when you use mouthwash. When you exercise your blood vessels open from the production of nitric oxide. Which increases the diameter of blood vessels. The process is called vasodilation and it increases blood flow circulation to active muscles.

**Florida**

* Authorities say nine students from a Florida charter school ate marijuana infused candy and were hospitalized with stomach pains.
* In Tallahassee, Florida a 41 year old man, Antwann D.  Brown, stabbed and killed 5 people at Dyke Industries
* Florida school finds a bearded dragon in a students backpack. The student said they brought Jango to school because they didn’t want him to be sad home alone all day.
* A transgender woman Bee Love Slater, was killed in Florida last week. He/she was tied up and shot and then burned in a vehicle on Wednesday last week. This is the 12 transgender person to die from gun violence.
* A Florida woman, Sherry Tina Uwanawich, who’s a fortune teller was forced to pay 1.6 million dollars to a woman who she had convinced that she was cursed. She was also sentenced to 40 months in prison.
* A bottle containing a Texas man’s ashes along with some handwritten notes from loved ones has been returned to the Gulf of Mexico, resuming its ocean journey after it washed up on a Florida Panhandle beach.

**National**

* 150 pound green sea turtle was found with a 3 foot long spear in it's neck in Florida. It was rescued and taken into a hospital for surgery. His name is splinter and the spear was successfully removed and he's recovering well.
* Tremaine Jackson is a 43 year old man who was a Arizona State trooper for 13 years. He was arrested on Tuesday for 61 sex-related, kidnapping, and fraud counts. Investigators said they have identified 8 victims and believe there are more out there. They have opened up a hotline for anyone with more information.
* A planet about 8 times the mass of Earth is the only known world orbiting a star outside of the solar system to have both water and temperature that could support life.
* Rescuers are searching for a missing hiker in Hawaii, who has been gone since July. Kyle Brittain was last seen near Waipio Valley lookout. He told his family he was going for a bike and never returned. He has been spotted several times since then but hasn't came home.
* 13 year old boy from Gloucester was rescued from the ocean Saturday after be fell off a rock at Rafes Chasm. The U.S. Coast Guard came and successfully rescued him.
* Luzerne county man attacked by Rabid Bat. His dog was outside barking about something so the man went outside and the rabid bat attacked and bit him. He immediately called the Pennsylvania Game Commission and got treated in the hospital. He is currently recovering.

**Environment**

* Researchers may have uncovered a new mass extinction event that occurred about 260 million years ago. This new study may eventually increase the mass extinction number to six.
* Studies have been done on Lightning Superbolts. These lightning strikes occur between November and February over oceans. These strikes contain about 1000 times more energy than a normal lightning strike over land. Full understanding of these strikes have not been achieved yet.
* Rolling Stone frontman Mick Jagger attacks US for reneging on environmental measures saying trump administration should have gone the other way.
* California is close to adopting strict Obama era federal environmental and safety rules that the Trump administration is dismantling
* The environment protection agency is planning to phase out the use of animal testing to determine whether chemical are safe, setting the year it should be completely eliminated in 2035.
* Water has been detected on a planet that orbits a distant star. The planet has been given the name K2-18B, and is an estimated 650 million miles away, too far for a probe. Temperatures on this planet are estimated to be between 0 and 40 degrees Celsius, because water exists in liquid form. Within 10 years a new telescope will be released that will allow scientists to search for gasses that can only be produced by living organisms.

**Odd**

* charged $67,689 for a beer that was supposed to cost $6.76.
* A neighborhood in Richmond Virginia rounded up 14 goats and a sheep that decided to take a stroll around the neighborhood.
* A couple from SC were walking on a beach after Hurricane Dorian. While walking they discovered the storm had washed up some historical pieces. It turns out, a pair of Civil War cannonballs had washed up on the shore that’s couple was walking on.
* Hunter
* A traveler on Massachusetts highway was caught sleeping while driving with a Tesla on autopilot. The front seat passenger and the driver were both asleep and the driver aside of them tried to wake them up by laying on the horn, but it didn’t work. The Massachusetts State Police said there are no laws on banning sleeping behind the wheel of a self driving car.
* Florida school district is checking kids backpacks before they walk in school because a boy smuggled a bearded dragon into the school.
* a 73 y/o indian woman gave birth to twin girls, she is now the oldest woman to give birth.
* A Colorado teacher who went into labor at a middle school and ended up delivering her baby on the school sidewalk. Marissa Kast, a seventh grade teacher went into labor, so they put a sleeping bag on the sidewalk in front of the school and the principal and dean handled the delivery until firefighters arrived.
* Supposedly there are “drunk” raccoons in a Canadian neighborhood. The one resident said that the raccoon could barely move. Saying that its legs were dragging, wobbling and having a hard time standing up.
* An off-duty pilot on his way to his summer vacation with his family, when he ended up having to fly the plane to Spain himself after the original captain did not show up. Micheal Bradley, an easyJet employee, informed the passengers he would be flying to avoid an unnecessary delay.
* A drunk 19-year old Marine broke into a Florida home and made himself feel at home by cooking and eating food. He told the man to “go back to sleep.” The man didn’t go to bed he called the police and the intruder rushed out of the home.
* a 20 foot roller coaster was reported stolen from the Ohio Fairgrounds. The rollercoaster was put on a trailer and pulled away with a white dodge.
* A tennessee man was arresting for drinking and riding a horse, they knew he was drunk bc he fell off the horse in the middle of the road.

**Entertainment**

* Bobby Brown was taken off a plane by a jetblue rep. After crew members and passengers observed he was intoxicated he was offered a later flight but declined and wanted a refund. September 9th
* Kevin Harts classic car crash was  because his car was not restored probably. CHP is now pushing legislation over salvaged classic cars that are restored and are unsafe have to be inspected to see if they are safe now
* Teairra Mari pled guilty in her DWI case in New York. She entered a guilty plea Monday to one count of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence. She is avoiding time behind bars for now.
* Kayne West leads Sunday service along with chance the rapper on september 8th 2019 with 30,000 people attending there we no security issue although there was security close by.
* Nicki Minaj went into retirement on September 5th in tweet. In the tweet she said about retiring to start her family with her fiancé Kenneth Petty. The retirement is already being taken back. She has collabs lined up and studio time lined up. She also tweeted that the tweet was abrupt and she apologize for being insensitive.
  + Kim Kardashian sells out of her new “skims” and makes millions in minutes after released, the story was posted September 11 2019.
* Ben Stiller wants America to coke together like they did the day after 9/11. He says that there’s one magic word we all should he using and showing more. He was asked what the day means to him and he couldn’t find the right words for it.
* Robin Thicke’s fiancee is at fault fir a 2-car crash in Malibu. Cops says she April Love made an unsafe left turn on September 8th
* Swae Lee ex-girlfriend began throwing objects at Swae Lee, then called the cops herself claiming that he sexually assaulted her. Then when the cops came she changed her story. She admitted to starting the altercation by breaking items in the house and hitting him, but also claimed the rapper strangled her. She was then taken out in handcuffs.

**Local**

* Pottsville man was selling drugs and another man held a gun to his throat then pulled a knife and slashed him and he then needed 18 stitches.
* Pottsville plice say that dui check points will be going on form now til sept 17th to try and keep mthe roads as safe as possible and they’ve had to many accidents reagarding drinking while driving.
* A dog pool party was held at JFK memorial pool in Pottsville. It was a way to raise money for a dog park to be built in another area.
* Even though the monarch butterfly isn’t endangered a couple from Schuylkill County decided to raise monarchs to boost their numbers.

**International**

* North Korea fires 2 projectiles after offering to talk to the U.S
* Three dead in shooting in Dutch city of Dordrecht
* Activists: Airstrikes on Iran-backed groups in Syria killed 18
* A cargo ship in the St. Simans Sound started listing Hearly just of the coast yesterday 4 crew members remain missing
* Ex-Venezuelan spymaster won’t waive extradition to U.S. A former military spy chief told a Spanish court Thursday that he won’t waive extradition to the United States, claiming that the drug smuggling and other charges against him are politically motivated.
* China’s lunar rover Discovered a gel-like substance on the far side of the moon. The rover lunched as part of the change 4 mission, has been on the moon since January.
* US women arrested at Manila airport with a six day old baby hidden in a bag Levi A Taliban suicide bomber killed 16 and injured over 100 civilians at a U.S embassy

**Sports**

* Kyle Crick, the Pittsburgh Pirate’s pitcher has a season ending hand injury over a physical trubute with teammate Felipe Vazquez.
* San Diego Charger’s running back is still holding out for a trade or new contract.
* Jaguars might sign Colin kapernick after foles broke his collar bone
* David Ortiz throws first pitch at boston Red Sox game after being shot.
* The Broncos season kicks off tonight in the Los Angeles Coliseum.
* After being released by the Raiders. Antonio Brown signs a one year 15 million dollar deal with the Patriots.