

Chapter 1 : The view from Taxpayer Mountain | West Coast Environmental Law

For science this year, Brenna has been using Apologia's Zoology 1, which focuses on flying creatures. The last lesson of the year is on order Lepidoptera (butterflies, moths, and skippers-also referred to as Leps).

What is the potential cost to taxpayers? That number could increase or decrease based on adjusted estimates closer to the closing date. What did Kinder Morgan gain? Since then, some work has gone into the pipeline, including the Anchor Loop expansion. What motivated the sale? The official line has been that the Canadian government believes that the Trans Mountain project is in the national interest, and its completion is important to the Canadian economy and investor certainty. But why would Canada pay such a premium for a project and assets that Kinder Morgan no longer wanted? Unfortunately, we may never know how those trade agreements influenced the Canadian government because of their secret and frankly, anti-democratic nature. Does it change the legal challenges? The primary difference is that Canada now bears the legal and financial risk if the FCA quashes the federal approvals. That, at a minimum, would result in further delays and could result in new conditions or even a reversal of the approval. In fact, it could be argued that having the Canadian government own the project increases the depth of its duty to consult affected First Nations "and this constitutional duty to consult is the basis of the ongoing FCA cases brought by Indigenous nations. In addition to these existing cases, Canada will face many future decisions as the pipeline owner that could result in further legal challenges from First Nations. The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms which applies to government actors, but not directly to private corporations like Kinder Morgan may also raise additional legal issues once the government owns the pipeline. Laws of general application still apply to Crown Corporations: The jurisdictional issues around paramountcy and interjurisdictional immunity that were always at play are not answered by who owns the pipeline. What does it mean for regulatory permits and process? Kinder Morgan has already tried to get out of some of the conditions, and violated multiple permit conditions. One would expect that at a minimum, Canada would meet the already inadequate NEB and permit conditions. In approving the transfer of the certificate, the NEB could change the conditions, and Living Oceans Society and Raincoast Conservation Foundation recently asked the NEB for clarity on process so that they could make submissions about further conditions. What other approvals are required to finalize the deal? You may have noticed that the Puget Sound pipeline is included in the deal, meaning that Canada may be the owner of a pipeline that is primarily in the US. The Purchase Agreement requires clearance from the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States CFIUS, which could require Presidential sign-off, which is an interesting twist given the recent characterization of Canada as a national security threat. How that plays into the ongoing trade war and NAFTA negotiations remains to be seen, as does the additional US or state regulatory processes that may be engaged by the purchase. Can the Canadian government pull out of the deal? There are seven ways to terminate the sale within the Purchase Agreement see section 4. First, Canada has the right to terminate the agreement if Kinder Morgan does not meet its obligations set out in the agreement by the closing date. These 17 conditions include Kinder Morgan meeting warranties and agreements, getting corporate proceedings and documents in order, attaining various federal US and Canadian approvals, and securing financial indemnity, as well as the absence of an injunction preventing the transaction. Second, Kinder Morgan has the right to terminate the agreement if Canada does not meet or it is impossible for it to meet all of its obligations by the closing date. Third, Canada and Kinder Morgan can mutually agree to terminate the agreement. Fourth, Kinder Morgan can terminate the agreement if they can find a better offer from someone else to buy the pipeline, although Canada will have the ability to match the new offer. Fifth, unless they materially breach the agreement, either party can terminate the sale if it does not occur by December 31st. Sixth, either party can initiate a process that could result in termination of the deal if the other party provides new information that breaches the agreement in a way that would make it impossible for them to meet certain specific conditions of the sale. If no other buyer is found, and Canada becomes the owner of the existing vintage pipeline and the expansion, taxpayers will be on the hook one way or another for an oil spill. Further, the NEB Act places unlimited liability on pipeline owners should they be at fault for a spill. It is

theoretically possible for the Governor in Council Cabinet to direct the NEB to exempt them from these requirements, although that would be a massive conflict of interest, with all of the political fallout that would occur from both sides of the political spectrum. Even if that happened, the cost of a spill, its cleanup and long-term effects would still be borne by the public. Conclusion We have entered a new chapter in the Trans Mountain pipeline story that is destined to continue for years. The decision to nationalize the project is significant, and rather than dampening opposition, it has only deepened it on the ground “ especially in BC. The view from Taxpayer Mountain is not clear skies and sunny ways. It is a series of storms rolling in on the horizon with no end in sight.

Chapter 2 : Thomas Jefferson: A View from the Mountain () - Rotten Tomatoes

A picture is worth -goes the old saying, and the footage assembled in this documentary is nice and does much to illuminate Jefferson, his times, his contemporaries, his places, etc.

The area was lifted from an ancient sea, and worn down by erosion for millions of years. The Little River , in Little River Canyon on the mountain, is the only river that begins and ends entirely on top of a mountain. The Noccalula Falls Park , featuring a pioneer village showcasing several nineteenth-century homes, is located at the southern terminus of Lookout Mountain, near Gadsden, Alabama. Seven states[edit] The marker at the summit of Lookout Mountain claims you can see seven states from the site. From the "Rock City" point, a marker claims that seven U. The claim is repeated on numerous barn roofs in the surrounding area. No scientific investigation has upheld this claim. Sunset Rock is mainly sandstone; making for easier routing and climbing. Route development continued through the s and s. In the s, routers pushed the grades ever higher. Climbing here is especially popular in the autumn months due to cooler weather. Confederate Generals Braxton Bragg and James Longstreet [10] used Sunset Rock as a lookout in where they were able to track the movement of the Union troops as they entered Lookout Valley. It is claimed that unknown to Longstreet, the Union troops could see him on Sunset Rock from the valley, where they were able to decipher the Confederate code, giving them the ability to anticipate the next moves of the Confederates. The attempt was unsuccessful; with the consequence that the Union forces were able to lay siege to Chattanooga. The Chickamauga called the mountain Chat-a-nu-ga; hence the name of the city. Research suggests the mountain was inhabited, although no physical evidence has been found. On top of the mountain, the pattern of boulders suggest lanes or walls were once there. Archaeologist and ethno-historian, Raymond Evans, has asserted that such a battle could not have taken place. It was reported that on August 28, , Daniel S. This method of distributing land caused much of Lookout Mountain to be owned by a few wealthy Chattanooga families. Whiteside, a native of Danville, Kentucky , owned a summer home which he converted into a hotel with several cottages. Naturalists who came to the area and visited the summit, such as Bradford Torrey , thought the cottages spoiled the environment and made it look like a cheap resort. Cravens was also instrumental in developing the area, and moved into the house he built the Cravens House in Within a few years, about 25 families regularly summered on the mountain. He built a small shack there and named it "Gallery Point Lookout". They became very successful with these pictures. Such an event took place the day of the battle and is the reason for its romanticized name, the " Battle Above the Clouds. In , the death of two individuals from the disease encouraged a widespread panic, causing an estimated 12, individuals to leave the city. A large percentage of this group went up the mountain, believing the climate would offer some protection against the disease. After the epidemic passed, many people complained about the inconvenient and complicated travel up the mountain, and the St. Elmo Turnpike Ochs Highway was created to help with access to the mountain. Twentieth century tourist boom[edit] s postcard for Fairyland Caverns, a cave which displays fairy-tale creatures and a castle Entrepreneurs began marketing their own attractions in the s and s. Instead of serving just as a resort area for the wealthy, rich businessmen settled permanently on the mountain. Garnet Carter , J. Andrews, and Leo Lambert were a few of the more successful entrepreneurs who created their own attractions. Today, tourist attractions include: Battles for Chattanooga Museum – The Museum offers insight of the Battle of Lookout Mountain through soldier figurines and topographical maps. Ruby Falls – view the waterfall from inside the mountain and Lookout Mountain Cave.

Chapter 3 : Teaching With a Mountain View: Decimal Place Value Resources & Teaching Ideas

Our Daily Bread Daily Devotions Our valley in Idaho can be very cold in the winter. Clouds and fog roll in and blanket the ground, trapping frigid air under warmer layers above.

Share via Email Mount Everest: Unlike some summits, where mountaineers have to take it in turns to balance precariously on the peak, the summit of Everest has room enough for several people to stand together Chris Bonington described it as "about the size of a pool table". The snow is deep, the air vanishingly thin, but for the mountaineer the views are tempered by the sense that you are really only halfway: My ascent 25 years ago began up the immense East Face in Tibet. At first we delighted in the technical intricacy of vertical rock and ice, then we wallowed up vast, tilted snowfields, to emerge eventually on the wind-scoured saddle called the South Col. That final leg of our journey was up the original route from Nepal – the route taken by the vast majority today. At first the terrain was not hard, but at that altitude just kicking a step in a degree snow slope is exhausting. Climbing without supplementary oxygen, I found I could manage 20 steps at a time, taking at least three deep breaths per step. That was when we started. By the time we were approaching the South Summit, 12 hours later, I was only managing two or three steps between each long gasping halt. The South Summit is only vertical metres from the top, the horizontal distance a quarter of a mile. But the terrain is intimidating. I was alone on this final stretch, acutely conscious of the lethal cornices of wind-blown snow overhanging the East Face. Step too far to the right on that fragile crest, and you could plunge 3, metres to your death; slip down to the left and you would tumble 2, metres into the deep basin called the Western Cwm. Then came the legendary Hillary Step. It was about 12 metres high and it felt like real climbing: Beyond that it was simply a matter of plodding stoically over three or four false summits until I saw three empty oxygen cylinders stuck in the snow and realised I was approaching the final hummock. Although much of Everest is bare rock, here the snow is several metres deep. The jet-stream westerlies drive that snow inexorably over the great precipice of the East Face, so that over the years the human detritus changes: Ideally you arrive in the early morning to enjoy luminous clarity. Late in the afternoon, I had to content myself with immense depths glimpsed through swirling clouds and the first falling snowflakes. I turned round after just 10 minutes on top, stopping briefly at the patch of bare rock a few metres below the summit to grab some shards of shattered limestone, created about m years ago on the bed of a prehistoric ocean.

Chapter 4 : Snowdon - Wikipedia

Thomas Jefferson's eloquence and understanding of the importance of human dignity is forever captured in America's Declaration of Independence.

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Chapter 5 : The Mountain Between Us () - IMDb

A View from the Mountain confronts this paradox and also highlights recent DNA tests that indicate he had an affair and offspring with a house slave, Sally Hemings.

I have blogged extensively about explicitly teaching error analysis you can read more about that [HERE](#) and find that it increases student understanding of individual concepts in incredible ways! Teaching kids to see the difference between a conceptual error and a computational error is the best way that I have found to get students well on their way to analyzing errors! Teaching the difference between conceptual and computational mistakes is also a great way to prepare for state testing. Not only will students probably have to do some sort of error analysis on the test, but they also need to examine their work to find errors. There are two main types of errors that I teach my students to look out for in their own work and when completing an error analysis tasks. Almost every single error will fall under one of these two types. These errors are so common when you get into multi-step word problems , multi-digit multiplication , or long division. There are just so many steps in the process of completing these problems that students tend to have a really hard time not missing a single step. Computational errors happen when students understand the concept but make careless errors in computation. These are mistakes made when multiplying, dividing, adding, or subtracting. The process was completed correctly, and the student usually has a solid understanding of the concept, but somewhere along the way, they miscalculated. These may seem like more simple errors, but they can really trip students up. How many of us have ever had a student swear up and down that 6 times 7 is 36? First of all, it is very rare that I will tell my students what error they have made in their work. I want to challenge them to figure it out on their own, so when I see that they have a wrong answer, I ask them to go back and figure out where something went wrong. Because I resist the urge to tell them right away where their error is, my students tend to get a lot more practice identifying them! Along these same lines, I know that the vast majority of my students are capable of completing a task I assign. This give me confidence that they should, then, also be able to find their mistakes. Second, when I introduce a concept, I always, always, always create anchor charts with students and complete interactive notebook activities with them so that they have step-by-step procedures for completing tasks right at their fingertips. I have them go back and reference their notebooks while they are looking at their errors. Third, I let them use a calculator. If you want to read even more about explicitly incorporating error analysis into your classroom, click the image below!

Chapter 6 : Mountain View Restaurant, Little Switzerland. Dining with a Million Dollar View!

"Thomas Jefferson: A View From the Mountain" This is a documentary, that seems to be focused on the "dark side" of Jefferson, yet it really fails to stress the inner struggle he endured regarding this issue of slavery.

Description[edit] Mount Shasta is connected to its satellite cone of Shastina , and together they dominate the landscape. This is the largest glacial valley on the volcano, although it does not now have a glacier in it. The first recorded ascent of Mount Shasta occurred in by Elias Pearce , after several earlier failed attempts. This was the first glacier in the continental United States discovered and named. By the s and s, Mount Shasta was the subject of scientific and literary interest. In , Muir wrote a dramatic popular article about his surviving an overnight blizzard on Mount Shasta by lying in the hot sulfur springs near the summit. The completion of the Central Pacific Railroad , built along the line of the Siskiyou Trail between California and Oregon, brought a substantial increase in tourism, lumbering, and population into the area around Mount Shasta. Early resorts and hotels, such as Shasta Springs and Upper Soda Springs , grew up along the Siskiyou Trail around Mount Shasta, catering to these early adventuresome tourists and mountaineers. In the early 20th century, the Pacific Highway followed the track of the Siskiyou Trail to the base of Mount Shasta, leading to still more access to the mountain. From February 13â€”19, , the Mount Shasta Ski Bowl obtained the record for the most snowfall during one storm in the U. Skell fought with Spirit of the Below-World, Llaolao, who resided at Mount Mazama by throwing hot rocks and lava, probably representing the volcanic eruptions at both mountains. Many other faiths have been attracted to Mount Shasta over the yearsâ€”more than any other Cascade volcano. In , Wisar Spenle Cerve wrote Lemuria: Over time, an ancestral Mount Shasta stratovolcano was built to a large but unknown height; sometime between , and , years ago the entire north side of the volcano collapsed, creating an enormous landslide or debris avalanche , 6. The last lavas to erupt from the vent were hornblende - pyroxene andesites with a hornblende dacite dome at its summit. Glacial erosion has since modified its shape. It was formed 15, to 20, years ago from pyroxene andesite flows and has since been intruded by a hornblende dacite dome. Most have since been filled in with andesite lava , pyroclastic flows , and talus from lava domes. Shastina, by comparison, has a fully intact summit crater indicating Shastina developed after the last ice age. Shastina has been built by mostly pyroxene andesite lava flows. Some 9, years ago, these flows reached about 6. It is named after the Hotlum glacier on its northern face; its longest lava flow, the foot-thick metre Military Pass flow, extends 5. Since the creation of the Hotlum Cone, a dacite dome intruded the cone and now forms the summit. The rock at the foot-wide metre summit crater has been extensively hydrothermally altered by sulfurous hot springs and fumaroles there only a few examples still remain. About years ago the last significant Mount Shasta eruption came from this cone and created a pyroclastic flow, a hot lahar mudflow , and three cold lahars, which streamed 7. The last significant eruption on Mount Shasta may have occurred about two centuries ago. Its deposits can be detected under nearby small towns. Mount Shasta has an explosive, eruptive history. There are fumaroles on the mountain, which show Mount Shasta is still alive. Ash would probably blow inland, perhaps as far as eastern Nevada. There is a small chance an eruption could result in a collapse of the mountain, as happened when Mount Mazama in Oregon collapsed to form what is now called Crater Lake , but this is of much lower probability. The summer climbing season runs from late April until October, although many attempts are made in the winter. Mount Shasta is also a popular destination for backcountry skiing. Many of the climbing routes can be descended by experienced skiers, and there are numerous lower-angled areas around the base of the mountain. This route tops out to the left north of the Red Banks, directly west of Misery Hill. So the final sections involve a trudge up Misery Hill to the summit plateau, similar to the Avalanche Gulch route. The west face gulley is an alternate climbing route to the summit. No quota system currently exists for climbing Mount Shasta, and reservations are not required. However, climbers must obtain a summit pass and a wilderness permit to climb the mountain. Permits and passes are available at the ranger station in Mount Shasta and the ranger station in McCloud, or climbers can obtain self-issue permits and passes at any of the trailheads 24 hours a day.

Chapter 7 : Red Bull puts an entire mountain in your living room with AR

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It seems that this is the time of year that every single teacher, no matter the grade, is doing some sort of place value review. A lot of what I do for decimal place value is VERY similar to regular place value, with a few tweaks, so you might see some similarities crop up here! Here is our introducing decimal place value anchor chart The most important part for me is the "Remember" section. The further to the right of the decimal, the smaller the value of the digit I have to admit that this way of writing numbers in expanded form is SUCH a hard concept for my kids to grasp each year. We do a lot of money comparisons throughout this unit! As we usually do, we make an entry in our interactive notebook that is similar to the anchor chart. The flaps on the place value chart lift up to show a number, and again, the key below the chart is imperative! Under each triangle, we show the number written different ways and write notes about each type of writing. Under the "Word Form" tab, I always make sure to have kids note that the "AND" goes where the decimal goes and the place of the last number to the right is the one that is written last. In my templates, I included a picture form for those of you who want to show your students how to represent decimals on hundreds charts. In the template, I also include a short "proof of learning" activity for the left side. Another practice element I use is my task cards. I like to switch up how I use them, so I used them in their notebooks this time. Each page of four cards covers the same topic, so I printed them four to a page so that they were small. Each table group gets a page and each student at the group takes one for each topic and completes it. I love using the task cards like this for homework, too. You can send home a page a night for a week, which gives them 16 quick practice problems. It covers all the common place value concepts such as rounding, comparing, standard form, expanded form, etc. The very last thing we do with decimal place value is error analysis. Not only is it a challenge for them to find the errors, but then they have to articulate what the error is, write the correct answer, and create another similar problem to show what they know. Not quite ready for Decimal Error Analysis? I have a regular place value version, too! Are you still in search of more excellent ideas for solidifying decimal place value concepts? Check out these blog posts from others! Click on the name to read their full blog posts. Hall Fabulous in Fourth! This decimal anchor chart helps students see the importance of a decimal point! Look at this awesome human number from Two Sisters Teach! I adore the idea of using a ball as the decimal point. On this page, they also have a link to place value battleship! Fourth Grad May-niacs has a great example of how to use hundreds charts to represent decimal place value. Again, the source is unknown. If you know it, please share.

Chapter 8 : Mountain review – a truly amazing view from the top | Film | The Guardian

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The view from Taxpayer Mountain June 20, Since then, hundreds (if not thousands) of articles, news stories, analysis, satire and commentary pieces have been produced.