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THE GARZA GAZETTE:  
VALENTINE'S EDITION



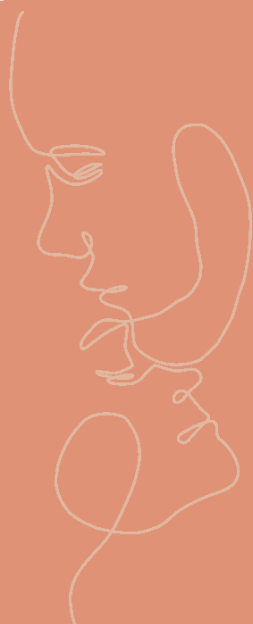
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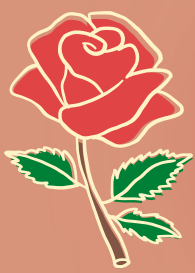
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# Valentine's Day



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Roses, confessions of love, store-bought chocolates, and those humongous stuffed animals. Yes, that's right! This week's newsletter focuses on February - a month that will always remain iconically known as the "month of love." Its most popular holiday, Valentine's Day, is traditionally celebrated on February 14th annually. But where exactly does the notion of Valentine's Day come from?

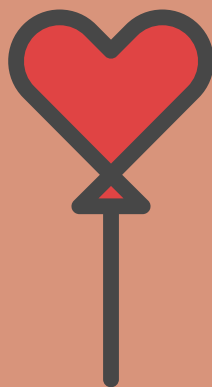
The origins of Valentine's Day come from a dark beginning.

The name Valentine comes from the men that were executed on the 14th of February in different years. These men were both called Valentine. During the glorious age of the ancient Roman Empire, the Romans celebrated the Feast of Lupercalia from February 13-15. During this celebration, the Romans would participate in a matchmaking lottery where men would draw names of young women from a jar. The couple would then be together for the duration of the festivities. Other activities in the Feast of Lupercalia would be considered to be disturbing nowadays, such as animal sacrifice and whipping women with the hides of the animal they had just slaughtered.

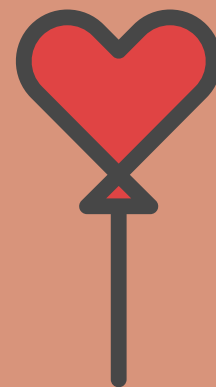


## WAYS TO CELEBRATE

### *valentine's day*



- Ask someone to be your Valentine date
- Take your significant other on a special date
- Gift a present to your Valentine date
- Set up a virtual date with your Valentine
- Tell your significant other how much you appreciate them



**Despite Valentine's Day, you should always make your significant other feel loved** ❤️

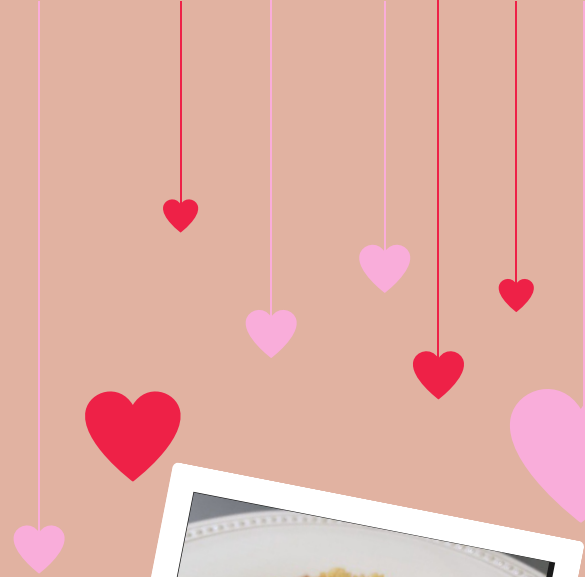


# What has the culinary club been up to?



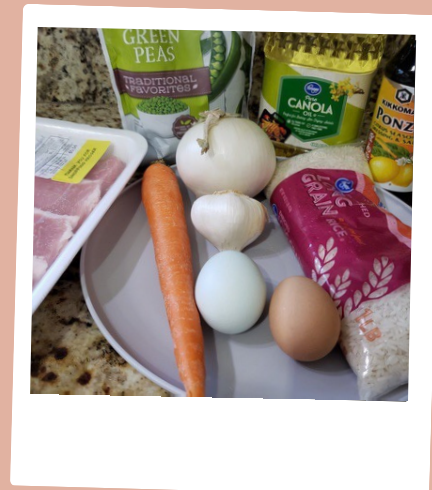
by *Melanie Maldonado*

We have been in quarantine for over 10 months now, which means most of us have had to prepare breakfast and lunch for ourselves. Many of us are capable of making a quick sandwich, but wouldn't you want to learn to cook other dishes that are easy and quick to make? In the culinary club we do not just learn how to make food, but we also get to learn how to bake all kind of tasty desserts! You can even teach other students how to bake your favorite dish! The culinary club meets every Thursday at around 5:30pm feel free to join us any time you like! We hope to see you next Thursday!



Some things the culinary club has done:

- Strawberry Jam
- Pizza
- Cake Pops
- Churro Cheesecake
- Sushi
- Macarons
- Omelet
- Fried Rice



# Paranormal Activity

By Gianna Reynoso

## THE CEMETERY OF LOST INFANTS

There is a history behind the Cemetery of Lost Infants. This place did not start off as a cemetery, but rather as a home for mothers who were pregnant out of wedlock. This place was started by a man named Reverend James Tony Upchurch. He named this home the Berachah Industrial Home for the Redemption and Protection of Erring Girls. While many people would assume that the story behind this home would be evil, it isn't. After some research I found that Upchurch truly wanted to help these girls. The home was meant to teach these women how to be useful members of society once again. There were only three rules for the women at the home: they had to do their chores, go to church every Sunday, and finally they must care for their newborn for at least a year before they were able to make the decision of whether or not they wanted to give the child up for adoption. The cemetery began when some of the labors went wrong. The home created a small cemetery for the mothers and infants that hadn't made it, or had passed.



This past weekend, I made plans to go visit this cemetery with the intentions of bringing offerings for the lingering spirits and clean some of the stones that are still left in the ground. While I was not able to actually visit this place, I am able to tell you how to find this place yourself.

This cemetery is hidden in the Doug Russel Park in Arlington right off UT Arlington's campus. It is said that the cemetery is hidden behind overgrown bushes and a fence. Many people stumble onto this place by accident but when you know what you are looking for, it is said that it practically appears before you.

If you are planning on visiting this place yourself, maybe consider bringing childrens toys and ghost trackers to see if you could capture any paranormal activity. But please be warned, if you are going into this place with bad intentions, you may leave yourself open to bad and negative spirits that can attach themselves to you.



*Announcement*

*Senior's  
Picture Day*

OCCURRING JANUARY 22, 2021

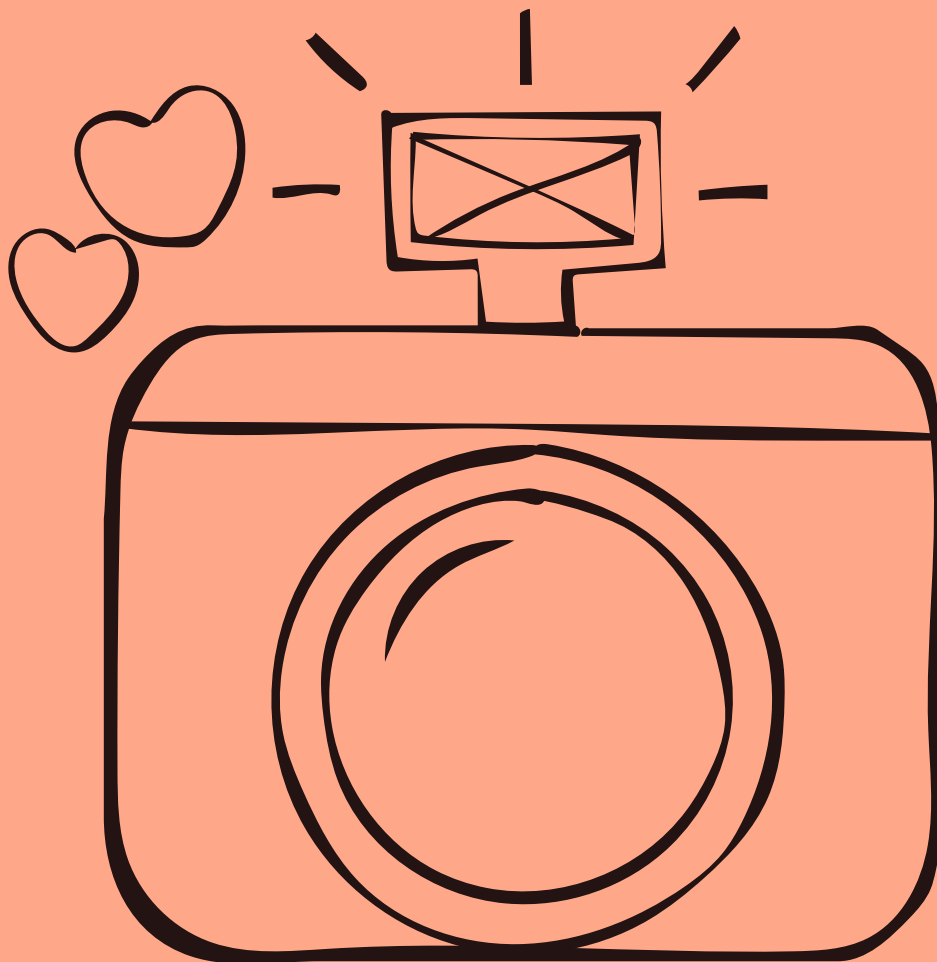
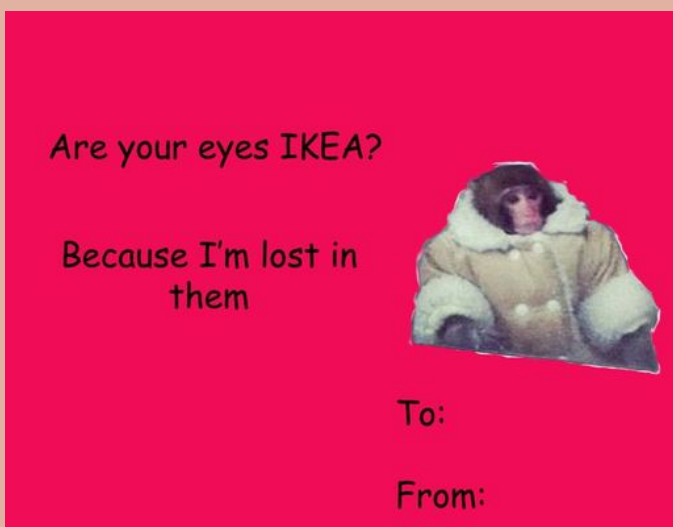
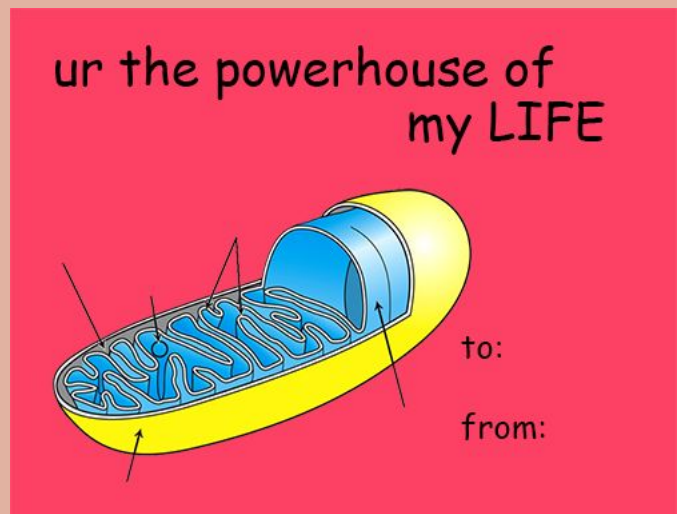
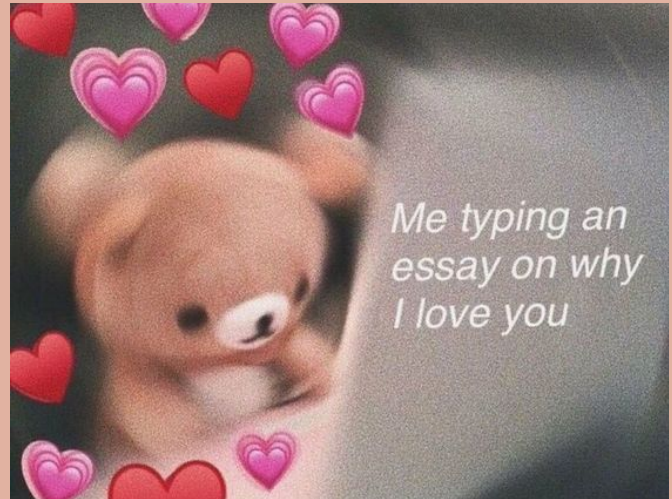


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# Valentine Memes

organized by juanita oliva



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# Comedy

your weekly memes  
organized by juanita oliva

Yo, en la madrugada, bien aburrido por la cuarentena, sacándole plástica a la llorona...



Anime Character: We need to find the villain, it could be anyone


Villain:



Me: "when I get home I'm going to be so productive, do all my work, and get my life together"

Me when I get home:



 king Follow  
I'm watching chamber of secrets with my bf and the scene Harry's scar came on and he just turned to me and touched my forehead and



# GIFT GUIDE

By: *Nayeli Garza Ramos*



## FOR YOU

*A lot of people struggle to find out what to buy for their significant other on Valentine's Day. This gift guide will surely help you in your search for the perfect gift. Although, please remember it's not all about the flowers and chocolates.*

## REGARDE TOUT L'AMOUR

*You can never, go wrong with a plushie. They're adorable and low-cost. Plus they work for all genders and ages. You could also add a personal touch to it by attaching a note, with a cute message written on it for your loved one.*



## QUARANTINE VALENTINE

*Sadly the pandemic will not be over by Valentine's Day, which means it's probably you and your significant other are apart. But all is not lost invite your loved one on a zoom date. Each of you set up a background and get glammed up. You could watch movies or play games the possibilities are endless.*

# SUPERBOWL SUNDAY

By: Ricardo Garcia & Anthony Garay

The NFL season is officially over with Tom Brady winning his 7th ring, this year with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. The Bucs beat the defending champs, the Kansas City Chiefs, in Tampa Bay, Florida in a 22 point game, 31-9.



A disappointing night for the Chiefs, not only because of their loss, but also because of the way they lost the game. Many knew the game was not going to be easy, but they did not know it would be a blow out. The Chiefs left Florida with a disappointing performance, as they were not even able to score one touchdown.

# Some Love Songs for Your Playlist

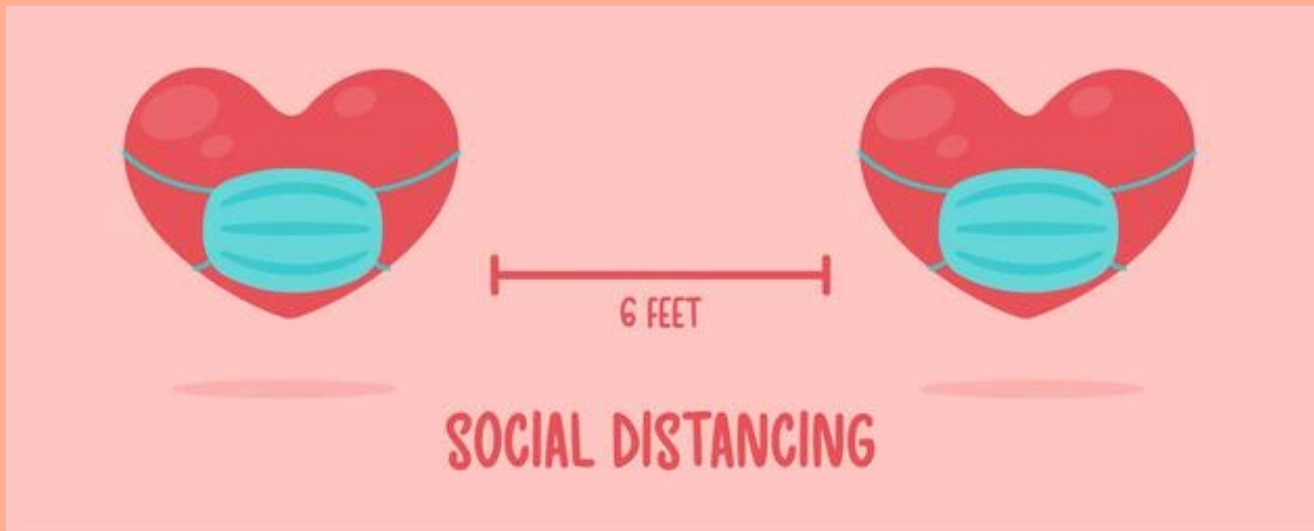
WRITTEN BY ARIANA MOCTEZUMA

## The songs would be:

- **Just the Way You Are by Bruno Mars**
- **Lemonade (ukulele version) by Jeremy Passion**
- **Something by The Beatles**
- **If I Ain't Got You by Alicia Keys**
- **Yellow by Coldplay**
- **Kilby Girl by The Backseat Lovers**
- **Issues/Hold On by Teyana Taylor**
- **All I Ever Need by Austin Mahone**
- **You Belong With Me by Taylor Swift**
- **Ballerina by Jeremy Shada**
- **All of Me by John Legend**
- **Perfect Harmony by Madison Reyes & Charlie Gillespie**
- **Love Story by Taylor Swift**
- **Unchained Melody by The Righteous Brothers**
- **Can't Help Falling In Love by Elvis Presley**
- **Stand By Me by Ben E. King**
- **Perfect by Ed Sheeran**
- **If You Love Her by Forest Blakk**
- **Bleeding Love by Leona Lewis**
- **No One by Alicia Keys**
- **One Call Away by Charlie Puth**
- **A Thousand Years by Christina Perri**
- **Anyone by Justin Bieber**
- **Rewrite the Stars by Zac Efron & Zendaya**
- **If the World Was Ending by JP Saxe & Julia Michaels**
- **Thinking Out Loud by Ed Sheeran**
- **Put Your Shoulder by Paul Anka**
- **I'm Yours by Jason Mraz**
- **Marry Me by Jason Derulo**
- **Every Breath You Take by The Police**
- **I Won't Give Up by Jason Mraz**
- **Adore You by Harry Styles**
- **When I Look At You by Miley Cyrus**
- **Boo'd Up by Ella Mai**
- **Love Songs by Kaash Paige**
- **Stuck With You by Ariana Grande & Justin Bieber**
- **Mi Corazón Es Tuyo by Kaay & Axel**
- **Niña Bonita by Chino & Nacho**
- **Si Pudiera by Los Pescadores Del Rio Conchados**
- **Para Siempre by Grupo Legitimo**
- **Me Estoy Enamorando by Marca MP**
- **Hablame De Ti by Banda MS**
- **Perfecta en Mis Ojos by Angel Perez**
- **Me Enamoré by Jay Wheeler & DJ Nelson**

# CELEBRATING VALENTINE'S DAY SAFELY

WRITTEN BY JESSICA TORRES



## SPENDING VALENTINE'S IN THE SAFETY OF YOUR OWN HOME! A FEW IDEAS..

Valentine's Day is just around a corner and with the virus still posing a threat, here are some ideas you can do with either your significant other, family, or friends.

In order to celebrate Valentine's in the safety of your own home, you can fun craft while watching comedic movies, go outdoors for a picnic while keeping social distancing, write letters to your loved ones, or simply plan a big dinner. Remember as long as you stay safe and keep social distancing, you can still enjoy Valentines with loved ones.

### WHAT IS THE ISSUE?

Since Covid-19, many couples, friends, and families won't be able to celebrate it properly.

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