



Newsletter - 4 September 2011

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Mum

(2011aug13 sat) Today I went with mum to see fred williams exhibition at the national gallery of australia. Most of the paintings were quite unusual supposedly of landscapes but it just looked like dots of paint. Some of them were decent portraits which showed he could actually paint realistically if he wanted to. We had lunch at the NGA members lounge, cold meat, cheese, artichoke, some dip kind of thing, bread, green olives, and for desert, chocolate brownie and a hot chocolate. We went shopping at coles and the fruit & vegy shop in jamison and by then it was 6pm and we had dinner at jamison southern cross club, roast beef with gravy, potato with cheese and cauliflower, cold pasta, salad (lettuce/tomato/etc), and a small potato. I had a raspberry fizzy drink. I wonder whether it was mineral water or lemonade with the raspberry syrup. We watched a dvd "limitless" it was great I recommend it, it's about this drug that makes you use 100% of your brain so he becomes very intelligent makes lots of money on the stock market, writes a book / finally finishes his book etc.

(2011aug21 sun) Today I saw mum. Mummy. Mumsy Haha. We had lunch at ricardos in jamison i had pizza and mum had salad. I had a hot chocolate and mum a skinny decaf mugacino. Hang on is it skinny mug decafacino, or is it decaf skinamugo, im confused now. Mum thought it was funny. But I do need to know what to ask them. For dinner we had lentil soup with raw kranski and broccoli from her garden (cooked in the microwave on reheat with the rest of the soup). We watched a dvd called "first dog" which was a good one about the dog of the president that was lost and an orphan boy found him and decided to travel to washington dc to return him to the president and all the adventures that resulted. i won't tell you the end but you can guess i guessed it before.

(2011aug22) On saturday 20aug2011 I saw "Cowboys and Aliens" at the movie theatre with some people I know. It was good also. Its nice to have a few special powers like aliens that can fly.

(2011aug27) Today I saw mum (surprise surprise haha) yes its that day of week again saturday. We had lunch at ricardos i had a wagyu burger with chips and mum had beef soup. She went out somewhere from 2.15-4.30pm she left me at her place and I played her piano from 2.30-3pm and then went on her computer, reading my emails as usual and listening to some youtube videos I found (hiphop) can't remember who it was now, "cranked vs mr x" or something like that, it was OK. She doesn't have stereo headphones they are only one ear which is a bit restrictive. When she came back we did a sudoku and then went to jamison southern cross club for dinner, roast pork with gravy, cauliflower, broccoli, potato, pumpkin, cold pasta salad, lettuce/tomato/cucumber salad, the pork was so soft and delicious.

We got a dvd called "arthur". it's about this rich guy who is set to marry a woman called susan who he doesn't love but he falls in love with this other woman and of course in the end they get together she wrote a book and was an illegal tour guide, they published her book because arthur bought the publishing company and told them to publish it, yes money does buy a lot of things, unfortunately she found out because susan told her. Arthur was pretty hopeless at getting a job, he tried working in a shop but he wanted to be the bear entertaining the kids instead of on the cashier so he paid him \$10,000 to let him go in the bear suit and then he was giving out free candy to all the kids and drinking his vodka and saying i'm not really a bear haha he got fired of course not surprisingly. i guess the grass looked greener on the other side and he had to use his money to cross over. he had around 900 million dollars!

(2011sep3) Today (sat 3 sep 2011) I saw mum. We had lunch at ricardos. I had salmon fritters and mum had beef soup, for desert I had a peppermint thingy and mum had blueberry cheesecake I had hot chocolate and mum had skinny decaf mugacino. I did 2 sudoku's at mums place she won of

course finishing first despite her making a mistake and having to start again. For dinner she made chicken stir fry (snow peas, cauliflower, broccoli, carrot, onion, chicken strips, into the fry pan) with white rice (cooked in boiling water in saucepan for about 12mins with lid off). There was enough chicken for 5 meals, 250g (2 meals)+125g (1 meal)+250g (2 meals) she froze 2+1 meals of uncooked chicken strips meat in small plastic sandwich bags.

For dvd we watched "flipped" which is a nice story about a boy and girl who live nearby and end up liking each other by about grade 7 i think? Well in the end they like each other. He likes her despite the fact that the most popular and beautiful girl in the school likes him. But nope he wants this girl that lives near him. He even tried to kiss her one time but it didn't happen she ran away, it wasn't the right time, with half the school (it seems) looking on.

Events

(2011aug3) Today I'm going to a comedy night. Lets hope theres a least one funny joke. In the whole night. I'm meeting a group at 7pm in the bar downstairs, the comedy starts at 8pm upstairs.

(2011aug10) On friday I'm going to a board games night.

(2011aug12) Tonight (12 aug 2011) friday, I went to a board game night from 7pm. There were spring rolls and things and chips and nuts. Apparently bought from "lemongrass" shop wherever that is :) perhaps somewhere in the city. We played "game of life" followed by "pictionary". I think last time we played "cranium" (the one with playdough and drawing things and acting out things and being a puppet (arms) controlled by someone else).

I won at game of life (most income at the point we decided to stop at). And my group won at pictionary. Seems like a lucky night. I was just lucky to get someone with a high income in game of life, I had the athlete with \$60,000PA income plus a payrise of \$10,000PA. The next highest was a lawyer with \$90,000PA income but, he had to study first so he was far behind me in income. I had \$505,000, 2 kids(twins), a wife, and a log house. When we decided to end the game. As someone remarked, its funny that your born with a car, but you have to pay to study, like in america.

Pictionary in the last winning round I was supposed to draw a trombone or a big toe. I chose big toe, quite easy to draw a foot with toes and put a circle around the big toe. Trombone would have been hard, I demonstrated what I would have drawn, I accidentally drew a trumpet instead, except it just looked like scribble lol haha. It's quite hard drawing from memory, without seeing in front of you what your trying to draw. But our team did win, I think that was mainly due to my other 2 team members, they guessed some of my drawings and did some good drawings themselves too.

(2011aug18) Today I went to APK (australia pizza kitchen) in woden for lunch with some people from canberra friendship group. It was a happy occasion. I was the only guy. There were 6 people including me. We all chatted a bit. It went from 12.30pm until 1.30pm I brought 2 slices of pizza home because it was too much to eat it all. They gave me some aluminium foil to put it in. I had a diet coke to drink.

(2011aug25) Today I saw gertrude's hamlet. i was a volunteer for it at tuggeranong arts centre. great play. hamlet from his mum gertrude's perspective. there were 3 gertrude actors, the mother, the queen, and the woman.

(2011aug28) Today I went to see strings and saxophones- music for everyone. First strings then saxophones. Classical music plus a bit of jazz. After we went to the lighthouse bar for drinks. i had a vb (schooner). i will try something else next time it wasn't too tasty. i also had a free sausage in bread with tomato sauce and onions. they were giving them away to patrons. nice of them. i guess it might convince us to stay longer and buy more drinks if they give us some free food. but i'd already had my beer. one was enough for today.

(2011sep2) Today (fri 2 sep 2011) mum and I went to mt stromlo for their public viewing night. There were no tables available but fortunately I was a member of canberra friendship group and they had 2 tables booked so we sat with them. We shared half a pizza each (tandoori chicken). Then we looked at some stars and then for desert we had a chocolate brownie each, i had a hot chocolate and mum had a decaf skinny mugacino. Then we looked a more stars. I saw neptune, saturn (saw some rings), the moon, and two nebulas. The telescopes looked much better than the binoculars. The telescopes seemed to have some kind of automatic positioning system. There were quite a lot of telescopes and short queues for each one (3-4 people to wait but it didn't take long). There was one really huge telescope (16") that looked at a nebula I could see some white fuzz and

stars which was apparently fluorescent.

David Peterson was saying the west coast of tasmania rains 300 out of 365 days a year which is why they have so many rivers, waterfalls, and hydro electric power generators. Mum was saying she went to a torture museum in milan (italy) and it was horrific she kept thinking she doesn't want to see this and it just got worse, people in cages left to die in the open with people watching etc. Fifi was saying she didn't want to go on the haunted tours because it seemed to scary. Haha. Dave was saying he went in a mine at crooked creek? and it was designed for people 4.5" tall so it was necessary to bend over for a kilometer walk and it was a relief when it went up and was taller they could stand finally, apparently the chinese don't like corners so all the corners are rounded but this wasn't made by the chinese i don't think so it had corners.

Jobs

(2011aug10) I didn't get the fujitsu job. I've asked them to email me feedback from the interview, but I haven't heard from them yet. I doubt they'll bother. He said there were better qualified applicants.

Other

(2011aug4) Theres a thread on my tie. I guess I'd better not pull it, the darn thing will probably fall apart. Can barely see it presently. Probably how it should stay. Just before my interview and my tie is falling apart Lol. Just Joking its not really falling apart. Just I can see a thread if I look closely.

(2011aug4) There seem to be a lot of flies in my bedroom, bathroom, lounge lately.

(2011aug7) I've got a cold. Cough. Blocked nose. Though it seems to be clear a bit by blowing it it just seems to block up again.

(2011aug7) see www.jevan1.com click on music/karaoke and find the sing snap link for me singing "Sometimes" by brand new heavies. I had a cold when I recorded that.

(2011aug8) Today for lunch I had vegetarian- lentil burger, from rainbow dreams cafe in dickson, and a drink that was pineapple and mint and described as organic. It's fresh. Tasted like pineapple to me. Quite nice though. Seems a relaxing experience going to that cafe, its run by a meditation group call sri chinmoy.

(2011aug9) I've applied to do a masters in Information Technology (study) at UC.

(2011aug10) It could be a little slow to load the home page of [jevan1.com](http://www.jevan1.com), Sorry. I'm not sure why its loading so slow. Maybe the internet is just going slow sometimes. The "model jevan" image is about 300kb that's the biggest one. It seems to take about 6-10 seconds to load, which seems to be rather slow to me. There I've resized it. Now the biggest one is 153Kb. Much more reasonable and all the others are 88kb or smaller. Thanks to microsoft paintbrush.

(2011aug20) www.jevan1.com click on other/dance and see "Jevan Dancing to 8000below - Natural Superwoman - 2011aug20 1552" youtube link. My latest creative urge. Maybe it will give someone some ideas. Oh its all in the name of a bit of fun thats all.

(2011aug23) www.jevan1.com click on music/karaoke and see me singing "I remember" by keyshia cole.

(2011aug23) "Ledisi -- Pieces Of Me W/ lyrics" is a good song to sing
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wM7-3jWy-q4>

(2011aug29) I'm drinking lemon juice with raspberry cordial and mineral water. Its a bit sour! Maybe I put too much lemon. Nope its fine actually just drank the last sip. Good with this much lemon, two squirts from the bottle. Apparently lemon juice can lead to weight loss and other benefits. I seem to have lost a bit of weight already.

(2011aug29) Presently my dinners are I'm having salad on mon/tue, pancakes on wed/thu, yoghurt on fri/sun, and mum makes me dinner on sat. You see one packet of salad or pancakes or yoghurt (comes with 2 tubs) lasts for 2 days each.

(2011sep2) I'm moving up in the world- I've now got a 500ml bottle of lemon juice in my fridge and it only cost \$2. Actually I couldn't find the smaller bottle in the supermarket.

Funnies

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(from emails sent)

(2011aug3) Every man and his dog seems to have a degree these days. Degree in dog walking (maybe even). Degrees in everything too haha. Degree in pedigree barking. How to bark posh. Your dog can qualify for this degree program at our prestigious dog university. How to fetch a bone, or even (gosh) a stick!

(2011aug3) Are they really poker or just push a button and it spins and then win or lose, like most of them seem to be. Or do they have full house (whats that haha) straight big straight small straight and round the bend curvy and a big bendy or a small bendy. Just Joking hahahahaha. Shows how much I know about power i mean poker.

(2011aug6) I've got a cold. I'll be OK. Just blowing my nose a bit. Blowing my trumpet haha. Well that could mean something else or maybe thats blowing my own horn. Funny how they all seem to make musical sounds. Well its not as if someone else could blow my horn I mean, people get attached to their instruments, I guess they could though. Hope you dont mind my joking about this. I mean I don't have a trumpet/ horn, its just a joke. I mean blowing my nose. Not that other thing it could mean. haha. Maybe thats where the term Horny came from. Something to do with horn.

(2011aug7) There are no cats not worth patting, no dogs not worth woofing, to be with you. Killer dogs beware because i'm on my way, so lookout. Just Joking hahahaah

(2011aug7) Three croaks for me the frog. who says im handsome im not. your just imagining things in your happy feet world. have you seen happy feet. its a happy movie. i loved it. i think he could sing couldn't he? all penguins can sing. nope he could dance instead.

(2011aug10) A pancake and a horn interact and produce a baby flute? Because they weren't using a protective trombone Lol. Is that right?

(2011aug12) doggy did a dig, he dug it, not rib-bit like a frog, but dug-git like a dugg-on doggit. Lol hahahaahah. In common english, the landlords dog seems to have dug up a bit of the garden/ grass, in the middle. I wonder if there's a bone or anything hidden underneath.

(2011aug14) Idle hands make light work? Hang on isnt it Many Hands make Light Work. Idle Hands Make Big Boredom?

(2011aug19) Hi there just thought i'd drop you a line i mean message, fishing line? phone line?

(2011aug21) How about it? Haha. Too forward? Better than being backward Lol.

(2011aug22) "skinny decaf mugacino" which is what my mum has, is coffee with skim milk decaffeinated in a mug. the other ones i said were jokes. eg muggy decafaskino

(2011aug22) Today I had chinese for lunch.. broccoli, cauliflower, brown spaghetti and 3 spring rolls. Yes its almost spring but at the moment they should be called winter rolls. In just over a week they could be called spring rolls again. Just Joking hahahahaha. I know they are always spring rolls. Even in summer. Just to think it will be summer sometime it will boil out my cold. Ahh my cold is gone now anyway pretty much, just a minor nose blow left and a bit of occasional cough.

(2011aug22) short skirt is good too especially when it falls off haha

(2011aug22) No Dates. Just Mushrooms and apples. Haha and hot Dogs for you Woowoof Lol

(2011aug27) So your a good girl not a bad girl naughty? deserving any smacks on the bottom? Just Joking i know your good. Here have a tap on the behind to celebrate? Needs a few taps to wake you up even though your good? Just Joking hahahahahaahhaa.

Don't worry i'm a good boy too good boy can be friends with good girl and we'll make good friends not bad friends we won't get up to any mischief now will we no missing the chief we won't miss him we will celebrate his demise hahahaha but who is (was) he?

Goodbye

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