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Peace arises following “friendly fire” accident

by Kent Roberts

Kent HQ, Earth – At 3:45am today, soon after the *Kent* staff got to the office to start work on the new issue, turmoil erupted at Kent HQ, with one cranky staff member name-calling and berating another.

“All you’re doing by giving him press is making the situation worse!” – Task Lisk Progress Monitor Roberts

“You’re a non-doer!” yelled Kent Task Lisk Progress Monitor (KTLPM) Kent Roberts at Kent Special Projects Coordinator (KSPC) Kent Roberts. “I would say no action, but you do move your tongue a lot.”

The attack came as it became clearer that repeated delays in preparation and release of the official hotline were threatening the forward trajectory of the entire news outfit.

“Can somebody shut this guy up?” asked KSPC Roberts.

“No, conflict is inherently positive,” said Kent Interfaith Chaplain (KIC) Kent Roberts. “It helps us to grow.”

“Yeah, I’m writing all of this down,” said Kent Feature Reporter (KFR) Kent Roberts. “Top story.”

“All you’re doing by giving him press is making the situation worse!” spazzed KTLPM Roberts shrilly. “Don’t make me take this situation into my own hands!”

“I said *conflict*, not violence,” said KIC Roberts. “Everything must ultimately lead toward peace, or we will tear ourselves apart.”

“I’m treating this as a teachable moment,” said KSPC Roberts, “that this production-fetishist has become a hostile threat.”

On cue, KTLPM Roberts ran straight at KSPC Roberts and into the wall, immediately knocking himself out and drawing a burst of applause from everyone else.

“Good! Finally we can get some peace and quiet around here,” announced Kent Peace & Quiet Associate Director Kent Roberts matter-of-factly.

Disclaimer: I am KFR Roberts, quoted in this piece.

Laundry situation

by Kent Roberts

The last three loads of laundry have been performed in whole or

part at Kent Parent HQ after a belt broke on my dryer. Kent Mother Judy (KMJ) did provide a free dryer removal and

folding service during this period, making it easier to adjust to a temporary shutdown of laundering services at

Kent HQ. Thank you to KMJ for her pro-bono work supporting the staff.

Kentphorism:

“Inconsistency is central to accomplishing the goal of partially meeting expectations.”

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Kentphorism:

“When you realize you are naked and your blinds are open, that’s a good time to get your crawl on.”

WORLD’S MOST MACHIAVELLIAN-YET-GROSSLY-IGNORANT BACKSIDE OF A KENT ROBERTS PUBLICATION

Interview with Kent Lovelife Consultant Kent Roberts

by **Kent Roberts**

After uncovering evidence that my efforts to identify the SheKent have begun anew, I reached out to a self-esteemed relationship guru to better understand why Valentine’s Day is so terrible and stupid.

Kent: Given the revelation, occurring currently, that I rejoined Kindling last night to try to start a love fire with the SheKent, WTF am I doing?

Kent: Relax. Everyone is looking for love. Remember what your acting instructor said about motivation.

Kent: OK sure, but I question my intentions. Am I looking for the SheKent or just sex with someone I can tolerate?

Kent: That’s a fair question.

“You are looking for the SheKent. Don’t get distracted by breasts and thighs and whatnot.”

– lovelife expert Kent Roberts

Luckily I have full access permissions to KentMind. You are looking for the SheKent.

Don’t get distracted by breasts and thighs and whatnot.

Kent: Right. So, why am I using Kindling after I told myself I would never return to it because it is dehumanizing?

Kent: Let’s be clear: what drew you to Kindling was the SheKent’s breasts and thighs and whatnot.

Kent: Wow, I am superficial.

Kent: Don’t be so hard on yourself.

Kent: The fact that all I just heard was “hard-on” is an indication of the progress that must be made in this area.

Kent: I couldn’t agree more.

Resistance corner

by **Kent Roberts**

Resistance is horrifying, when it comes down to it. What

does it mean to *resist* a foreign agent posing as the leader of the nation? Fear gives way to anger. Anger is

essentially a crude and dimwitted emotion. Non-violent resistance is about knowing what is true and right, and

operating from a position that peace and love must not just be embraced but embodied.

Fact & Fiction About Kent Roberts

Fact: Kent Roberts sometimes likes to think of the plant next to his bed as his girlfriend.

Fiction: Kent Roberts loves the plant next to his bed so much that he has decided to marry it.