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2021 YEAR IN REVIEW

January

President Biden signs 10 Executive Orders to fight COVID-19 on his first full day in office.

Jan. 21

Jan. 6

Mob storms the US capitol

February

The TB Buccaneers win the Super Bowl giving Tom Brady his 7th ring.

Feb. 7

Feb. 2

Jeff Bezos announces he will step down as CEO of Amazon later in the year.

Feb. 15

Texas experiences a major deep freeze causing outages that lasted for days.



March

2nd COVID-19 stimulus package passes

March 11

March 23

The container ship Ever Given blocks the Suez Canal for over 6 days

April

MLB opens the 2021 season with a limited number of spectators allowed to attend games.

April 1

April 20

Murder conviction in the George Floyd case

May

May 7

Cyberattack cuts off a key gasoline supply on the East Coast

June

June 17

Juneteenth, a day to commemorate the end of slavery, is made a federal holiday by President Biden

A condo in Florida collapses

June 24



July

July 23

The 2021 Olympics open in Tokyo without spectators

July 28

CDC recommends all people go back to wearing masks indoors

August

Aug. 29

Hurricane Ida makes landfall

Aug. 30

All troops are withdrawn from Afghanistan



September

Sept. 1

Pandas are no longer an endangered species

Sept. 22

FDA approves booster shots for COVID-19



October

Oct. 25

Tesla stock market value surpasses \$1 trillion

Oct. 31

Delta variant waves moves past its peak in the US

November

Nov. 8

US borders reopen to citizens of 37 countries

Nov. 13

More than 190 nations reach a climate change agreement

December

Dec. 10

Tornado outbreak across 6 states

Dec. 20

Omicron variant spreads rapidly



Check out a few of our favorite winter recipes to warm yourself this year!

Homemade Churros

INGREDIENTS

1 cup + 1 tablespoon water
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
Olive oil for frying you can substitute vegetable oil if you must



INSTRUCTIONS

1. Sift the flour and stir in the baking powder, salt, and cinnamon.
2. Bring the water to a boil, then take off of the heat and whisk in the dry ingredients.
3. Stir for two-three minutes until the dough is consistent and lump free (you could also beat the mixture with an electric mixer for one minute on a medium speed)
4. Let the dough rest and cool for about 5 minutes
5. Fill a churrera (churro maker) or a pastry sleeve with a star tip with the churro dough
6. Heat the oil to a medium heat and when it's hot enough pipe the dough in a circular motion.
7. Separate the spirals so that they don't stick and flip the spiral if necessary
8. When they are golden on the outside take out and let rest on paper towels
9. Repeat the process until all the churros have been made
10. Cut the spirals into sticks of churros and serve with hot chocolate or sprinkle with sugar.

Recipe from <https://spanishsabores.com/homemade-churros-recipe/>

QUOTABLE

"I don't know where I'm going from here, but I promise it won't be boring."

--David Bowie

"No matter how hard the past, you can always begin again."

--Buddha

"Sometimes a year has been so disastrous and so terrible that entering a new year will automatically mean entering a wonderful year!"

--Mehmet Murat Ildan

"Enter this new year with a gratitude for this new chance to create your dreams."

--Avina Celeste

"Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any other."

--Abraham Lincoln

"Cheers to a new year and another chance for us to get it right."

--Oprah Winfrey

Rumchata Hot Cocoa

INGREDIENTS

2 1/2 c. whole milk
1/4 c. granulated sugar
2 tbsp. cocoa powder
1 tsp. pure vanilla extract
2 oz. chocolate chips (or chopped bittersweet chocolate)
1/2 c. Rumchata
1/3 c. warm caramel
Whipped cream, for serving
Cinnamon sugar, for garnish
Cinnamon stick, for garnish

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Bring milk to a simmer in small saucepan over medium heat. Whisk in sugar and cocoa powder and stir until no lumps remain. Stir in chocolate chips and vanilla and cook, stirring occasionally, until the chocolate is completely melted. Stir in Rumchata, then turn off heat.

2. Pour caramel into a small dish. Dip cups in the caramel to coat the rim. Pour hot chocolate into each glass, then top with whipped cream, a sprinkle of cinnamon sugar, more caramel, and a cinnamon stick.

Recipe from <https://www.delish.com/cooking/recipe-ideas/>

Turkey Biscuit Stew

INGREDIENTS

1/3 cup chopped onion
1/4 cup butter, cubed
1/3 cup all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1 can (10-1/2 ounces) condensed chicken broth, undiluted
3/4 cup 2% milk
2 cups cubed cooked turkey
1 cup cooked peas
1 cup cooked whole baby carrots
1 tube (16.3 ounces) large refrigerated buttermilk biscuits

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Preheat oven to 375°.
2. In a 10-in. cast-iron or other ovenproof skillet, saute onion in butter until tender. Stir in the flour, salt and pepper until blended. Gradually add broth and milk.
3. Bring to a boil. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly, about 2 minutes.
4. Add the turkey, peas and carrots; heat through.
5. Separate biscuits and arrange over the stew.
6. Bake until biscuits are golden brown, 20-25 minutes.

Recipe from <https://www.tasteofhome.com/recipes/turkey-biscuit-stew/>



Meet the Bulldog Team

When you work with the Bulldog team, you are working with a local, caring, and compassionate group of attorneys and staff. We treat you as a person and not just another number and we believe it is just as important that you get to know us. Each issue we will feature a member of our team. Read below to learn about Larry and Mark.

Larry Levin - Attorney

Lawrence “Larry” Levin, Esquire is a senior partner of the Willow Grove firm of Shor & Levin. Since 1971, Larry has dedicated his practice to workplace injury issues. He is past chairman and founder of the Montgomery County Young Lawyers, past committee member of the Pennsylvania Disciplinary Board, and former Assistant District Attorney and Judicial Law Clerk in Montgomery County.



Recently, Mr. Levin has lectured to various Bar groups on the topics of ethics and professionalism. In August of 2002 his article entitled “Creating a Successful Claimant’s Practice” appeared in The Legal Intelligencer. In December of 2002, his article entitled “Succeeding in Your Practice from the Inside Out” appeared in The Legal Intelligencer. He is the author of “Power of Attorney” and is the only Pennsylvania attorney licensed to facilitate the programs “Goal Achiever and Principles of Prosperity” to the legal profession. CLE certification by The Montgomery Bar Association. Mr. Levin received his B.S. in Political Science from Penn State University in 1967 and his J.D. in 1971 from Temple University School of Law.



Mark Gordon - CFO

Mark grew up in the Glenside area of Philadelphia. He went to The Pennsylvania State University and graduated in Accounting in 1976. Mark worked in public accounting for the firm Seidman and Seidman. He then worked for the children’s shoe firm, Joy Stride Rite. Since 2019, he has been the CFO for Shor & Levin and The Bulldog Lawyers.

Mark enjoys spending time with his 2 grandchildren and the rest of his family. He has a dog named Cody, who is the sweetest dog he has ever owned. In his spare time, he is an avid golfer and skier. Mark enjoys traveling to many areas of the United States and Europe, as well as being a loyal Eagles fan.

Top 10 New Years Resolutions

1. Exercise more
2. Lose weight
3. Get Organized
4. Learn a new skill or hobby
5. Live life to the fullest
6. Save more money/spend less
7. Quit smoking
8. Spend more time with family/friends
9. Travel more
10. Read more



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Trivia Contest Question

What was the first year there were fireworks for the New York New Year's Eve celebration?

- (a) 1902
- (b) 1907
- (c) 1904
- (d) 1910

First correct 50 answers will receive a \$25 Walmart gift card - email your answer to mark@shorlevin.com

10 Tips to Start a Successful Year

1. Review last year
2. Plan to stay on top of your health
3. Plan to stay updated on relevant news
4. Revisit your reading list for the next year
5. Set a target for adding/learning a new skill set
6. Plan all the mandatory family or friends events and trips
7. Zoom-out and revisit your job or business objectives
8. Plan ways to be more environment friendly
9. Plan ways to know more about yourself and your purpose
10. Visualize your successful year



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