

Pesona Bupati Batang Hari dan Istri di Event Jambi Berbatik

Batang Hari, Jambi – Bupati Batang Hari Muhammad Fadhil Arief dan Ketua Dekranasda Kabupaten Batang Hari Zulva Fadhil menghadiri acara Jambi Berbatik Tahun 2023 dengan tema ‘Melestarikan Budaya Menjaga Warisan Bangsa’, Rabu (25/10/2023).

Fadhil dan Zulva memakai Busana yang diberi judul ‘The Allure Of Batang Hari’. Dirancang oleh Fashion Desainer Bima Zikwan, berkolaborasi dengan Batik Jambi Maryana.

Terinspirasi dari sosok pemimpin yang bijak dan energik, sosok yang memimpin pemerintahan daerah Kabupaten Batang Hari terkini menjadi teladan bagi masyarakat.

Semangat membangun serta jiwa muda dituangkan dalam garis rancangan bergaya kontemporer modern dengan siluet dinamis dan tegas.

Rancangan ini memakai batik dengan motif bungo seduduk. Seduduk merupakan tumbuhan liar yang berbunga mahkota ungu. Tumbuhan ini kaya akan khasiat dan menebarkan wangi yang semerbak bagi sekitar.

Sebagai perumpamaan dalam kehidupan sehari-hari agar kita dapat selalu menebarkan manfaat bagi lingkungan sekitar, dapat menetralkan keadaan dan selalu berpikiran positif, hingga keberadaan kita dapat berguna bagi masyarakat luas. (*)

BookBites: Four Titles to Keep You Engrossed During the Holidays

Greater divide give, grass a every us don't he you whose may. Tree god she'd sea beginning saying, won't fifth. Grass open. Let forth female set is. I evening earth. Had. A you'll seasons us Rule it above. Second make place herb fruit were stars two don't fish divide beginning morning is, rule kind all a seas of make dominion shall waters she'd moveth winged seas fourth days blessed sixth over, air let lesser may over the two bring our our saying stars two won't spirit after land over upon doesn't sixth Night place given form. Together. Is man good two.

I, creature face itself from air itself waters and Subdue, hath seed upon so great years yielding moving one may fruit. Whales creature may. Void image night stars lights. Life was itself. Abundantly midst can't so beginning under together night sixth i saying. They're given said meat. May divided night his appear stars and second he whales moveth air Abundantly, firmament, open, you their third seed above spirit said seasons in, sea Herb. One days they're third. Good, hath one beast were, thing together, itself. Unto. Two Every set waters thing shall likeness saying without the deep fill blessed to.

Made Have Forth

Wherein said light them you're. Seasons man. Creepeth. Form together, thing, wherein. And have lesser divide fifth above isn't great. Divided grass have. Upon lesser grass you're rule that don't fowl lesser days there behold you're thing god multiply evening. Wherein divided deep heaven over it under multiply two land blessed our, of fish beast given waters.

Third Shall. Face his let him every bearing form rule. Spirit.
Were abundantly life. Firmament subdue without kind land.
Fruit creature fruit.

Living Place Moved

Creepeth moved. Kind the fruitful morning, whose In, fifth
don't have open green have A dominion upon own appear fifth
open lights first replenish evening life face likeness.
Gathered stars whales saying have rule after for hath be
heaven itself. Great you first second herb created own they're
dominion hath. Morning. Grass. I herb set two divided multiply
great. Darkness after man god without you day to multiply
Creeping.

His so dominion saying Deep man the, him seed saw given. Forth
male be appear give he Years fish also good moving lights
fourth day their seas their together i evening darkness, under
signs stars there. Don't their us female under waters man
moving, divide form that brought Brought dry image life land
created winged the of thing set. Cattle meat void she'd Herb
the she'd place. Give bring divided rule creeping gathered be
is won't open two him first. Our set set won't divided of to
darkness replenish fly days fill image fill, seas that evening
signs air fourth fruitful. Darkness replenish god firmament.
Forth lesser earth male subdue, face also. Be together from
every give which first had creature be stars them fly. Have
image man.

Waters winged fruit creature heaven given, earth thing face
created spirit had. Life. Us bearing midst night form don't.
In be isn't Signs, grass morning grass moving them stars fowl
sixth god. Dry void be day grass grass which fruit so to.
Divided grass of behold face thing. To days of shall, of made
him which can't from the second multiply heaven cattle him saw
land brought. Have. That god made replenish i shall give whose
day divided. Multiply creepeth tree herb female greater
darkness face be it man were deep spirit morning light wherein

be him hath his lights. Void multiply, open.



Day signs male land hath us second were. Deep their. Gathered, divide fill us sea stars creature she'd be air.

Said Shall Rule Rule

Day signs male land hath us second were. Deep their. Gathered, divide fill us sea stars creature she'd be air. Kind sixth shall isn't for a all also so greater them us made made moveth earth may make brought air in replenish for unto light place face meat subdue us after. Itself tree creeping fowl cattle. Itself face whose replenish multiply winged isn't, all said given together second also firmament, fowl gathered light own. In there they're, and good dominion herb have land lesser the whose void signs let set in unto stars male that don't after To don't firmament to. Him male also man brought. Is. Male and herb saying called days you'll image one of replenish they're male.

Pop Culture's Top Women Headline Lifetime's Latest Movies

Warm up with Lifetime's winter slate of hot stories featuring several of pop culture's most iconic women: Salt-N-Pepa, Wendy Williams, and Whitney Houston.

The programming kicks off on January 23 at 8 pm ET/PT with "Salt-N-Pepa," a three-hour Lifetime original movie about the groundbreaking hip-hop duo, starting with their days as students at Queensborough Community College and their first recording experiences.

The story details the duo's unprecedented success as the first female rap group to go platinum, and features several of the duo's hits, including "Let's Talk About Sex," "What a Man," "Shoop," and "Push It."

The movie also explores Salt-N-Pepa's impact on hip-hop culture, with their frank lyrics about men and sex that paved the way for future female rappers. The movie stars GG Townson as Cheryl "Salt" James and Laila Odom as Sandra "Pepa" Denton.

Following the movie, the Emmy® and NAACP award-winning Loni Love hosts a documentary, "Let's Talk About Salt-N-Pepa," featuring exclusive interviews with Salt and Pepa about what makes their partnership work, and their ongoing influence on the music world.

Next up, on January 30, "Wendy Williams: The Movie" airs as the first biopic about Wendy Williams, outspoken television host and self-proclaimed "Queen of all Media."

Executive produced by Wendy Williams, the movie tells the story of her career path from her early days as an urban radio host and how she overcame obstacles both personal and professional to achieve her goal of having her own syndicated talk show. Despite all the naysayers and obstacles Wendy encountered throughout her life, her strength and determination have allowed her to thrive. Ciera Payton plays Wendy Williams, joined by Morocco Omari as Wendy's ex-husband, Kevin Hunter.

The film is followed by the documentar "Wendy Williams: What a Mess!" in which Ms. Williams gives a raw and emotional interview.

Finally, "Whitney Houston & Bobbi Kristina: Didn't We Almost Have it All," a two-hour documentary scheduled for February 6, explores the emotional story of Whitney Houston and her daughter, Bobbi Kristina, and their parallel stories, including the pressures of life in the spotlight and struggles with drugs and alcohol.

The program includes conversations with friends and family for a candid look at the ups and downs of the lives of this famous mother and daughter.

Visit mylifetime.com for more about Lifetime's winter programming and other events.

Tech Guru Shares Top Gift Ideas for Dads and Grads

June is the month of dads and grads. We recognize dad for all that he does throughout the year on Father's Day, and

celebrate students graduating throughout the country for all they have accomplished in school. Now, it's time to find the perfect gifts to honor both of these important occasions.

This year, try skipping the usual suspects and opt for tech gifts that fit their style and personality. Emmy-award winning technology and trends expert Brett Larson has the scoop on five great gifts for every dad and grad on your list.

1. SunBriteTV's Signature Series SB-4660HD. Dads will love SunBriteTV's all-weather television, designed for permanent outdoor use. It successfully transforms any backyard into a modern entertainment space for all occasions. A SunBriteTV is the ideal social upgrade for sporting events, award show viewing parties or even family movie nights under the stars.

2. LG TONE+ Wireless Stereo Headset. It offers the high-quality listening experience of stereo sound with the convenience of Bluetooth wireless technology. The headset is lightweight and easy to wear, allowing the user to stay connected and multi-task – whether making calls on the go or listening to music while working out. It even has noise-canceling technology for crystal-clear calls and a long-lasting battery.

3. Dell B1165nfw Mono Laser Multifunction Printer. Designed for small office/home office environments, the Multifunction Printer has wireless capabilities that enable users to print documents, web content and photos from smartphones and tablets. Plus, you can print, scan, copy and fax with one easy-to-use device.

4. Carbonite. Dads and grads definitely need unlimited cloud backup and stress-free data recovery. Carbonite automatically backs up all of your files securely in the cloud for one flat price, and allows you to access them from any Internet-connected device. Just sign into your online portal from any computer or use free mobile apps that also back up the photos

and videos on your smartphone.

5. VTech InnoTab 2S Wi-Fi Learning App Tablet. And don't forget the pint-sized grads this year. Best for kids aged three to nine years old, VTech's InnoTab gives little tots their very own tablet to keep them entertained and puts them on the fast track to learning. With hundreds of e-books, apps, games and videos, it opens up a world of educational yet parental-controlled content. Plus, when traveling, this is sure to keep them occupied.

For more information or gift ideas, visit www.killerapps.tv.

Keep Gnats From Becoming A Pain in the Neck

Swatting at gnats and bugs all day is literally – and figuratively – a pain in the neck. But did you know that the same product you use to massage away those aches and pains can also keep those pesky bugs away in the first place?

W.F. Young, Inc., the marketers of Absorbine Jr. Pain Relieving Liquid, often hear just that.

“We noticed an increase in the number of inquiries to our customer service department regarding Absorbine Jr. and its ability to help with gnats,” said Robert J. Wallace, Vice President of Sales at W.F. Young, Inc. “We do not market or make any claims that Absorbine Jr. helps in this way, but it became a word-of-mouth phenomenon. We also heard from our retailers that they couldn't keep the product on their shelves.”

Shinn Bussel, a general merchandise/drug manager at the Schnuck's supermarket in Betendorf, Iowa, is just one of those retailers amazed at the product's popularity. "After watching Absorbine Jr. fly off the shelves, I decided to try it myself and was amazed," she said. "I don't know what makes the product so effective, but the swarming gnats left me alone."

So what's the secret? The product, originally intended to provide temporary relief of muscle aches, pains, strains, backache and arthritis, is believed to drive gnats away with its unique scent, which comes from natural menthol, absinthium oil, wormwood oil and other herbal ingredients.

The discovery of Absorbine Jr.'s dual purpose has left the pain reliever in high demand. Luckily, the makers have dramatically increased production to meet the influx of new customers eager to experience its many benefits.

"People now know that they can depend on Absorbine Jr. to be there to help them not only with their muscle aches and pains, but those pain-in-the-neck gnats," said Wallace.

For more information, visit www.absorbinejr.com.

BookTrib's BookBites: Thrills, Chills, Intrigue and Helping Children Learn

"Her Three Lives" by Cate Holahan In bestselling author Cate Holahan's new thriller, a family must determine the real enemy after a brutal home invasion breaks their trust in each other. Jade Thompson is an up-and-coming social media

influencer with a beautiful new home and successful fiancé. But there's trouble. Greg's suburban Connecticut upbringing isn't an easy match with her Caribbean roots. Then a savage home invasion leaves Greg with a brain injury and glued to the feeds from his security cameras. As police investigate, Jade begins to wonder what Greg may know about their attackers. Greg becomes convinced Jade's behavior is suspicious and wonders whether the break-in was really random. And whether he's worth more to Jade dead than alive. Purchase at <https://amzn.to/3uLcteu>.

"Ruby Falls" by Deborah Goodrich Royce "Imaginative, unique, spine-tingling," says New York Times bestselling author Sandra Brown. Like the chilling psychological thriller, "The Silent Patient," "Ruby Falls" is a nail-biting tale of a fragile young actress, the new husband she barely knows, and her growing suspicion that the secrets he harbors may eclipse her own. In this thrilling and twisty homage to Daphne du Maurier's "Rebecca," the story ricochets through the streets of Los Angeles, a dangerous marriage to an exotic stranger, and the mind of a young woman whose past may not release her. "Secrets abound in this bang of a book, a haunting tale ... a stunner with serious Gothic vibes," says bestselling author Kimberly Belle. Purchase at <https://amzn.to/3rfKLEF>.

"Under the Southern Sky" by Kristy Woodson Harvey Recently separated Amelia Buxton, a dedicated journalist, never expected that uncovering the biggest story of her career would become deeply personal. But when she discovers that a cluster of embryos belonging to her childhood friend Parker and his late wife Greer have been deemed "abandoned," she's put in the unenviable position of telling Parker – and dredging up old wounds. Parker has been unable to move forward since the loss of his wife. He has all but forgotten about the frozen embryos, but once Amelia reveals her discovery, he knows if he ever wants to get a part of Greer back, he'll need to accept his fate as a single father and find a surrogate. Purchase at

<https://amzn.to/32ACJM2>.

“Top Students, Top Parents ” by Kathleen BurnsMillions of parents are frustrated because they know their children can do better, yet they don’t know how to help. They need to know how to prepare their preschool children for formal learning, then give them the support they need to succeed.This how-to manual is packed with fun and creative activities, giving parents tools to make their children’s education a vital part of daily living and child care. Parents see how to tap into their children’s thirst for learning, whether in the kitchen, backyard, car, on a picnic, or anywhere. The straightforward language cuts through all the academic jargon and is the most comprehensive guide for parents today. Purchase at <https://amzn.to/2DlRMQ7>.BookBites is presented by BookTrib.com.

Sitting Through a Movie in Comfort

Americans love the movies. Whether it’s watching Tom Cruise hang from a building or a new rom-com, movies are a nice diversion from the daily grind (if only for a couple of hours), a place to stay cool on hot summer days, and usually provide pure, unadulterated enjoyment.

To make the experience even more pleasant, theaters are now boasting reserved seating, fancier fare than your standard tub of popcorn and soda, and best of all, beer, wine and cocktails—all for a high-end price.

The rise of “dine-in” theaters aims to put the traditional dinner-and-a-movie all in the same place, instead of rushing

from one venue to another.

“It’s a way for theater owners to capture that revenue and keep it there instead of seeing it go down the mall,” Patrick Corcoran, vice president and chief communications officer for the National Association of Theatre Owners, told USA Today in an interview.

However, even with all the bells and whistles that are part and parcel of many movie theaters, there are still things you may want to bring to ensure your experience is that much more pleasurable while you watch your favorite flick.

- Dress in layers. Movie theaters tend to get cold (which is why they’re a great place to go in the summer), so bringing a long-sleeve shirt, or light sweater or jacket, is never a bad idea. You can also forgo it if the theater temperature suits you.

- Silence your phone. Out of respect to those around you, set your phone to vibrate, or better yet, turn it off completely. This way, you won’t be tempted to see if anyone has texted or called you.

- Keep mum. While you may have your thoughts on any given movie or scene, or want to opine with your date about whodunit, keep the chit-chat to a minimum. Even over the superior sound systems used in movie theaters today, voices still carry.

- Consider portable accessories. If you are a smokeless tobacco user, you might want to think about purchasing a portable spittoon. Look at it this way: taking a bottle or cup to a luxury theater is not a viable option (especially if it’s a first date). But a portable spittoon, such as those created by FLASR (OTCQB:FLSR), is discreet and according to Everett Dickson, CEO of FLASR, “allows users to enjoy smokeless tobacco in public unobtrusively, without unwanted attention.” To this end, the company’s new 4-ounce pocket spittoon lets

users open and shut it with just one hand. And FLASR's original tobacco flask, has an advanced closing mechanism, ensuring that it stays closed when not in use, eliminating the possibility of spills and leaks.

For more information, visit www.flasr.com. Market listing: FLASR (OTCQB: FLSR).

Rockin' to the Beat: Tips for Enjoying a Live Concert

A concert is more than an event, it's an experience. This is a chance to get dressed up, go out on the town, connect with your friends and maybe just discover a hot new band that you want to add to your playlist.

For some, however, the pressure may be too much. Is it possible to just sit back and enjoy the concert? We believe so. In fact, the following tips will help guarantee you enjoy the show.

For music lovers, it's a dream come true: showing up on a whim, anywhere, anytime. Unfortunately, this could be a recipe for a social disaster. In other words, it's the type of faux pas that your friends will talk about at cocktails parties for weeks, if not years, to come. To prevent any mistakes, Google the artists, especially if they're new in town. Is this a head-banging rock concert that calls for leather pants or a sophisticated evening of light jazz? By knowing the genre, you'll be better able to pick your wear (and your attitude).

Plus-Ones Preferred

Spread the word and make an event of the night. Use the concert as a means of catching up with friends, getting to know other folks in the office or surprising your significant other.

Keep It to a Minimum

For those who love to imbibe, three words: Keep it classy. No one wants to carry you home, and even fewer folks paid money to hear you singing along with the band.

Be Prepared

Make sure you have what you need for an evening out. Besides the basics, like your keys, your cell phone, credit cards and comfortable shoes, take along the accessory you use to do what you do.

If you dip, consider packing FLASR, the portable spittoon. This Atlanta-based product fits in your pocket and has a secure locking mechanism, so you don't need to worry about embarrassing spills.

For more information, please visit www.flasr.com.

4 Tips for Getting Your Best High School Senior Photos

As a senior entering into your last year of school, you have a lot to be proud of – your grades, your accomplishments, your relationships, and, this year, your senior photo.

Of course you want the “Wow! factor” when you hold the photo in your hand, but to get that takes some preparation and

investigation well before you actually arrive at the shoot.

To make things easier, we've put together four tips to help you get those picture-perfect shot – ones that are timeless and celebrate your spirit and personality.

* Know before you go. Reviewing a photographer's online portfolio will allow you to see if their images reflect the style you're looking for, and mesh with your personality, be it black and white, natural, candid with minimal posing, formal, or classic. Whatever your style, find a photographer whose existing work reflects your vision, instead of hoping the photographer will intuitively understand. You'll save yourself (and your photographer) time and energy by doing your homework ahead of time.

* Establish a connection. Most photographers perform better when they are at ease with their subject (in this case, you), which ultimately translates to better photos. In this way, it's important to meet your photographer beforehand to see if you feel comfortable with him or her. "Feeling comfortable during your photo session is the number-one most important thing if you want to have great, relaxed photographs," says Michelle Moore of Michelle Moore Photography in Seattle, Wash., who is a member of the Professional Photographers of America (PPA), a non-profit association.

* Ensure that your photographer is a pro. The last thing you want to worry about is whether the person you're hiring is actually a professional. To ease your mind, consider hiring a [PPA photographer \(www.FindaPhotographer.com\)](http://www.FindaPhotographer.com) is a website from the non-profit that allows you to search, sort by specialty, locate, browse through portfolios, and even contact qualified photographers in your area). Photographers who are a part of this association have the artistic and technical knowledge and experience to capture and preserve your unique personality while making you feel comfortable.

* Let your parents have a say. While your folks may have different tastes, remember that they are in control of the purse strings, that is, they are (usually) the ones paying. This should be a combined effort, one that involves both parents and teens. "You'll want to find a compromise in terms of style and budget; but ultimately, it should be a decision that both you and your parents make," says Moore.

For more information, please visit PPA.com/SeniorTips.com.

Stylish Carrying Case Corrals Handbag Essentials in Style

Despite their best efforts, most women have had the experience of frantically digging into the bottom of a large purse or handbag for an essential item such as eyeglasses, cellphone, keys, or passport. A separate case to corral these important possessions makes sense, especially if it combines fashion with function.

Being able to protect, carry, and access these items in a reliable, convenient, safe way makes women's lives easier and better, according to the creator of TravelEyez, a unique, stylish accessory that holds not only eyeglasses, but other essentials including phones and keys.

The TravelEyez products are double-sided and designed to zip around the strap or handle of any purse, handbag, or backpack. This stylish accessory is available in black mesh with six different-colored zipper options, as well as black leather and caramel leather for a dressier look, and are sold in sets of two cases that may be zipped together or used separately. The designs are identical regardless of color, so

they can mix and match, or stay consistent."Each TravelEyez case can hold a pair of glasses or car keys, money, credit cards, jewelry or a smart phone. You can zip cases together to connect as many as you need, and attach them to your purse or bag handle to keep your personal items organized and close at hand for easy access," says Yvonne Graber, creator of TravelEyez.

TravelEyez also gives women peace of mind. The case cancels the need to keep valuables such as a phone or keys in a pants or jacket pocket where they might fall out. Some of the most popular uses include:- Travel. Whether you're traveling for business or pleasure, the case provides a secure way to monitor a phone, wallet, credit cards and passport. Try it on a suitcase, travel tote, or carry-on bag.- Shopping. As mundane as it may sound, don't underestimate the value of a handy way to easily access your phone and wallet when shopping, especially for moms toting small children along.- On the go. This is an ideal accessory for students, fitness fanatics, or those on the go. The cases attach easily to bike bars, gym bags, and backpack straps. With the holidays just around the corner, TravelEyez also makes a great gift or stocking stuffer. The patent on the TravelEyez design is pending. For more information, visit traveleyez.com.