## Chicago Corner - Smokey Taco Tuesday, June 27, 2023 :

## **Chicago Corner EDucation Segment:**

Happy National Onion Day! <a href="https://twitter.com/HeyWhatDay/status/1673700351692750850">https://twitter.com/HeyWhatDay/status/1673700351692750850</a> video via HealthNormal - <a href="https://youtu.be/owWG9kztPGc?t=13">https://youtu.be/owWG9kztPGc?t=13</a>

Now I want Onion Rings, a Gyros Sandwich, French Onion Soup, and a Maxwell Street Polish with Grilled Onions.

Happy National Ice Cream Cake Day! <a href="https://twitter.com/HeyWhatDay/status/1673693428947795970">https://twitter.com/HeyWhatDay/status/1673693428947795970</a>
Please DO NOT COMBINE these two holidays!

#### **LOCAL - BREAKING NEWS!!!**

There's a New Kid on the Corner! - Welcome to the World, Kira Jr. 2, err, I mean Dash! <a href="https://twitter.com/chicagocornertv/status/1673156383343034370">https://twitter.com/chicagocornertv/status/1673156383343034370</a>

# LOCAL/NATIONAL - SMOKY HAZE - NO, NOT THAT KIND:

Chicago Has The Worst Air Quality In The World Right Now.

VIDEO - WGN Stop @ 3m10s 1:30PM <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Oty5H4wHkDU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Oty5H4wHkDU</a> 4pm WGN <a href="https://youtu.be/-X7sW-cJYnQ?t=97">https://youtu.be/-X7sW-cJYnQ?t=97</a>

ARTICLE - BlockClub Chicago -

https://blockclubchicago.org/2023/06/27/chicago-has-the-worst-air-quality-in-the-world-right-now-heres-how-protect-yourself/

Funny enough... <a href="https://twitter.com/RDDpizza/status/1673734922958409728">https://twitter.com/RDDpizza/status/1673734922958409728</a>

World Air Quality Index: <a href="https://www.igair.com/us/world-air-quality-ranking">https://www.igair.com/us/world-air-quality-ranking</a>

Air Quality in Chicago <a href="https://www.iqair.com/us/usa/illinois/chicago">https://www.iqair.com/us/usa/illinois/chicago</a>
waitaminute... <a href="https://www.airnow.gov/?city=Chicago&state=IL&country=USA">https://www.airnow.gov/?city=Chicago&state=IL&country=USA</a>

## WHY IS THIS SMOKEY STUFF HAPPENING?

In B.C.'s bone-dry northeast, what happens when wildfires and fracking collide? <a href="https://thenarwhal.ca/bc-donnie-creek-wildfire-fracking/">https://thenarwhal.ca/bc-donnie-creek-wildfire-fracking/</a>

LOCAL - Woman files suit after charges against her in Chicago shooting dropped VIDEO ABC7 2m49s - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z-NwZliSfNY

### **ARTICLE WGN**

https://wgntv.com/news/chicago-news/mother-in-deadly-maxwell-street-express-shooting-expected-to-speak-after-charges-dropped/

Mother in deadly Chicago shooting and attorneys detail lawsuit filed after murder charges dropped

VIDEO NBC5 6m21s <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VUUfJMenBP8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VUUfJMenBP8</a>

# LOCAL - ELECTRIC BUS UPDATE: CTA Getting \$25 million in Federal Funding for Electric Buses:

VIDEO CBS2 23s <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9ZB5VO7F1vA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9ZB5VO7F1vA</a>

NATIONAL: Florida Governor Rick Scott is the Thickest of Thickheaded Morons. VIDEO from a moron: <a href="https://twitter.com/ScottforFlorida/status/1673662921652551680">https://twitter.com/ScottforFlorida/status/1673662921652551680</a> Let's Check In On A Poll! <a href="https://twitter.com/Bacon4Pres/status/1673731392079790080">https://twitter.com/Bacon4Pres/status/1673731392079790080</a>

Chicago A.I. Corner - Shall we ask ChatGPT a question? : https://chat.openai.com

On this Day in History: <a href="https://www.thepeoplehistory.com/this-day-in-history.html">https://www.thepeoplehistory.com/this-day-in-history.html</a>

1929: New Immigration laws come into place next week with an increased number of immigrants from England and Ireland but decreases from many other countries in Latin America and Mexico where many of the quotas are already used up for the year.

**1940 :** Germany started using their most sophisticated coding machine, Enigma, to transmit information and a team in England headed by some of the best mathematical brains set about breaking the code, and by the time of the German invasion of Poland the code was broken and all messages that the Germans still believed were secure were decoded by the allies.

**1957**: A report by the British Medical Research Council has found there is a direct link between smoking and lung cancer, and the British government will launch an educational campaign to raise awareness on the dangers of smoking. Tobacco firms who sell cigarettes have rejected the findings saying they are merely a 'matter of opinion'.

**2003**: Registration begins for the Do Not Call List with nearly 3/4 million phone numbers registered on the first day providing consumers with an opportunity to limit telemarketing calls. Enforcement on telemarketing begins on October 1st. <a href="https://www.rd.com/list/truth-about-do-not-call-list/">https://www.rd.com/list/truth-about-do-not-call-list/</a>

2011: VIDEO: CBS 1m49s https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mzPol9zQLe0

Former governor of the US state of Illinois Rod Blagojevich was found guilty on seventeen of twenty corruption charges after being accused of trying to sell the senate seat that was held by President Obama. Blagojevich was arrested in late 2008 and was kicked out of office in January 2009. The fifty-four year old former governor could have faced up to three hundred years in prison. Blagojevich became the second Illinois governor in a row to be convicted of federal charges.

Pardoned by Trump on 2020 - **Blagojevich reflects one year after prison release** VIDEO - WGN 2-17-2021: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WfD0BKapvxc