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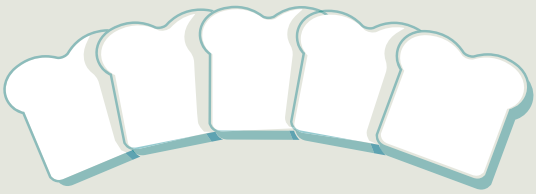
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Who Invented Sliced Bread Anyway?

Nothing better has come along since then, and it may get a lot of credit now, but at the time of its debut in 1928, sliced bread received less-than-rave reviews. It wasn't until the advent of Wonder Bread, and the collective realization that sliced bread worked better in the toaster, that the invention really took off.

Sliced bread or sandwich buns…cakes or poppyseed rolls…bakeries around the country are using the ChemStation system to keep all that equipment clean. Our free-rinsing cleaners are ideal for yeast systems, process equipment, transports, and tray and pan wash machines.

We provide effective nonfoaming products to remove everything from oils and greases to heavy food build-up. The ChemStation System, REFILL…NOT LANDFILL®, is the best thing since sliced bread.



What is SPF?

As it refers to sunscreen, SPF stands for "sun protection factor." This number identifies the extra protection that a sunscreen gives against the sun's UVB rays.

For example, if an individual who would normally get a sunburn in 30 minutes without protection uses an SPF 15 sunscreen, he or she would be protected for about 15 times as long (or 450 minutes). Still, most sunscreens recommend that you reapply every two hours to achieve maximum protection.

THINKING GREEN

Remarkable Recycling Facts

Paper:

- By recycling one ton (2,000 pounds) of paper we save 17 trees; 6,953 gallons of water; 463 gallons of oil; 587 pounds of air pollution; 3.06 cubic yards of landfill space, and 4,077 Kilowatt hours of energy.
- About 45% of the paper Americans use each year (over 47 million tons) is recovered for recycling.

Plastic:

- Americans go through 2.5 million plastic bottles every hour.
- HDPE (#1) and PET (#2) are the most commonly recycled plastics.
- Recycling a ton of PET saves 7.4 cubic yards of landfill space.
- Half of all polyester carpet manufactured in the US is made from recycled soda bottles.

Aluminum:

- All beverage cans are made from aluminum and we use about 392 cans per person per year.
- Recycling aluminum saves about 85% of the energy it would take to produce aluminum from its original source, bauxite.
- Recycling one aluminum can saves enough electricity to run a TV for three hours.

Tool Safety in the Workplace

Tools are used every day in every industry. They make small tasks easier and large tasks possible, but they're often taken for granted. Whether they're simple hand tools, or more complex power tools, all tools can pose a hazard in the workplace.

Take steps to identify and correct potential tool-related hazards at your workplace. A good way to start is to communicate the five basic safety rules for working around tools to your employees. These are:

- Keep all tools in good condition with regular maintenance.
- Use the right tool for the job.
- Examine each tool for damage before use and do not use damaged tools.
- Operate tools according to the manufacturers' instructions.
- Provide and properly use the right personal protective equipment.

Keep Your Hat On

From falling or flying objects to exposure to electrical shock, hard hats should be worn on all jobs where hazards exist.

Because a hard hat is carefully designed, it will only work well when you use it right. This means keeping that space between the webbing and the shell open – it wasn't meant as a place to store items.

Never paint or alter a hard hat. The paint will soften the shell of the hat and do other damage.

Remember, a hard hat not only gives protection, it's a symbol, too. It shows that the person wearing it has brains and is smart enough to keep them.



How to Get a Star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame

1. **Get Fabulously Famous**. Crave some extra publicity.

2. **Get Nominated**. The person nominating you must include your photo, a bio no longer than five pages, a list of your contributions to the community, and a letter of agreement stating you're cool about being nominated.

3. **Promise You'll Show Up**. Out of roughly 200 nominations each year, the Walk of Fame Committee picks 10-15 names. The Board of Directors of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce votes to approve the star. Then the LA Board of Public Works Department votes, too. One of the criteria for the selection committee is "the guarantee that the celebrity will attend the dedication ceremony if selected."

4. **Write a $25,000 Check**. Did you know that you have to pay for your own star? From the Web site of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce: "The money is used to pay for the creation and installation of the star, as well as maintenance of the Walk of Fame." Often times the star doesn't actually foot the bill. Studios, fan clubs, and sponsors have picked up the tab.



SOAPBOX

No one can drive you crazy unless you give them the keys.

Get your facts first, and then you can distort them as much as you please. – *Mark Twain*

Each summer we send our kids to the most reliable, most secure, and least expensive place we know of: Camp Grandma.

When I was young we were so poor that when our bed sheets began to wear through, my mother would cut them up and make pillow cases out of them. When the pillow cases began to wear through, she would cut them up and make handkerchiefs. And when the handkerchiefs would begin to wear out, she would sew several of them together and make a bed sheet.

Reduce the number of mistakes you make at work – arrive late and leave early.

Manager: Smith, how long have you been working here?
Smith: Ever since I heard you coming down the hall.

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By the Numbers



Gallons of soap delivered:
155,779,573 since 1984



Empty drums not in landfills:
2,832,356 since 1984