

# THE MINER

**March / April 2023**

*Tipple  
Park  
Museum*

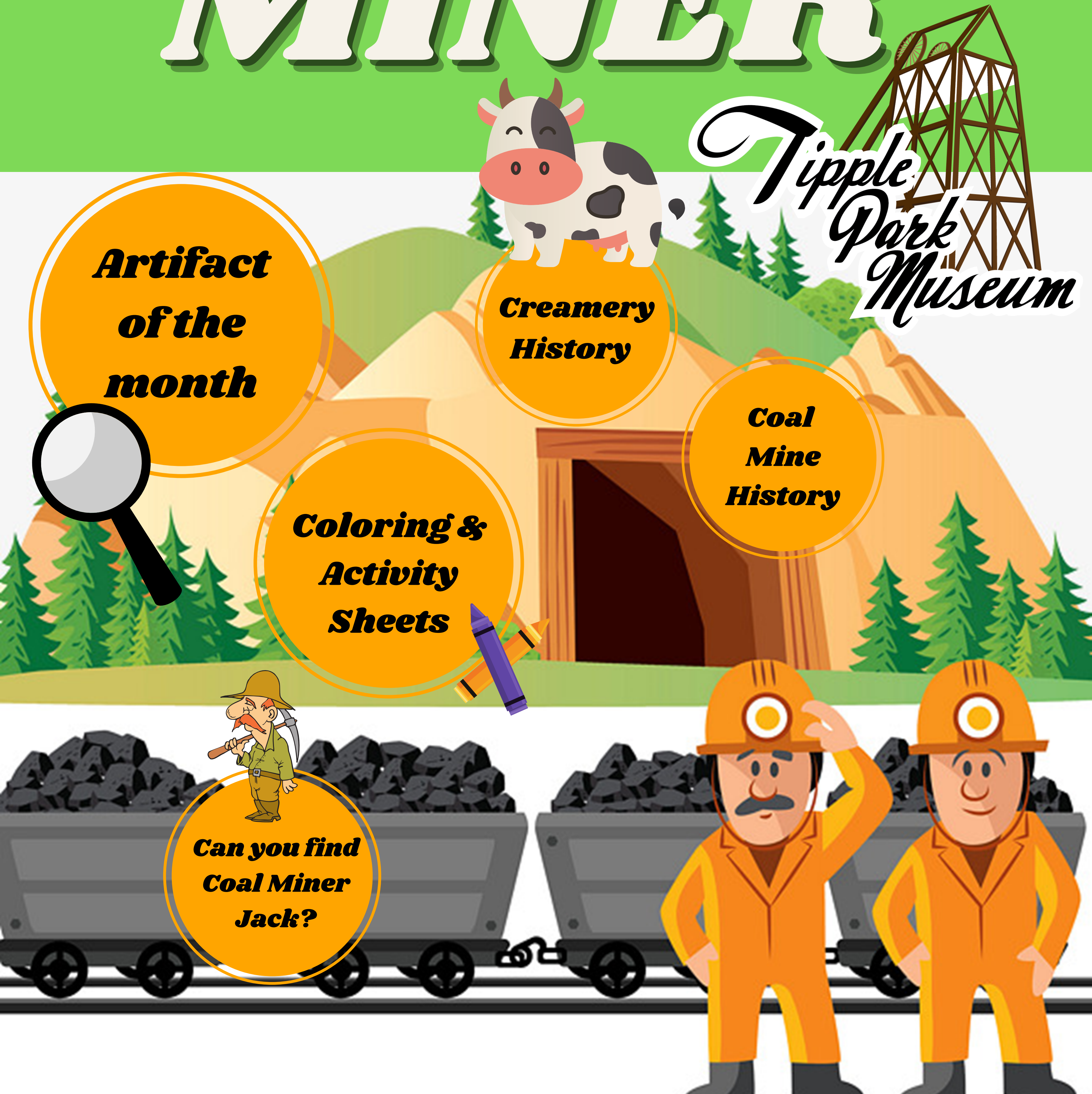
**Artifact  
of the  
month**

**Creamery  
History**

**Coal  
Mine  
History**

**Coloring &  
Activity  
Sheets**

**Can you find  
Coal Miner  
Jack?**







# ***Artifact Of the Month!***



***Coal Tipple  
from the  
Evansburg  
Mine***



***The tibble operated as a sorting station for coal to be shipped from the Mine. Loaded coal cars filled with mined coal were moved to a rotary car dumper at the south end of the tibble. The coal was dumped into a hopper, then moved to a shaker screen that sorted the coal by size. After sorting to slack, or powdered, nut, egg and lump, the coal went to a sorting table where debris was removed by hand. The sorted and inspected coal then went to chutes and hoppers for storage. Much of this equipment remains at the site.***

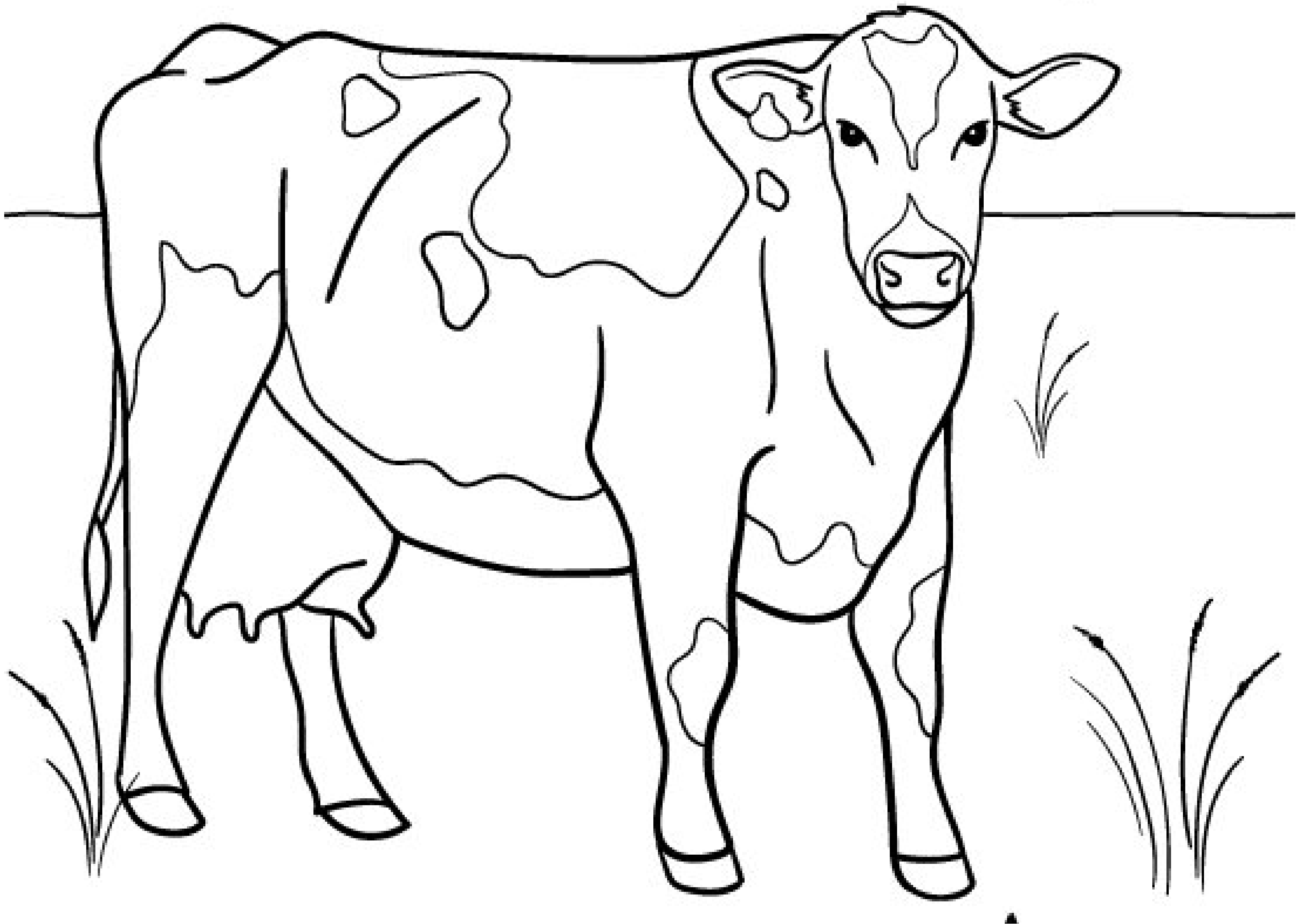


***Hopper  
Car***



# Dairy

A dairy cow can produce 12 gallons of milk per day. Ice cream, cheese, yogurt and butter are all products made from milk.





# ***Evansburg Creamery***

**In 1941 the Evansburg Creamery opened in Evansburg. During this time, Evansburg was almost a ghost town since the mine closed in 1936. The opening of the Evansburg Creamery was a welcoming lift for the hamlet of Evansburg. It became the hub for farmers to sell their cream. The cream was brought in, and churned into butter. A fire in 1944 destroyed the creamery, but it was rebuilt. In 1956 the Creamery was sold and renamed Valley Dairies. Under the new owners, whole milk was sold locally.**





# ***Milk in the 1950s***



**Milk was  
delivered fresh  
to your door  
step and was  
kept in glass  
containers .**

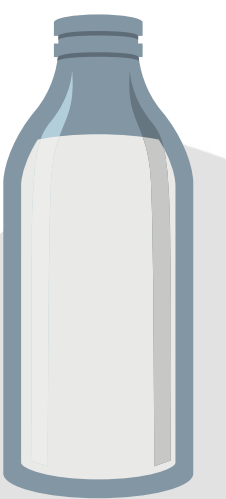
**83¢  
A gallon!**

## **The Milkman!**

**Customers would place their milk orders with the Milkman, and he would bring them milk the next day. Families would have an insulated box on their porche or a milk box built on the side of their home. The milkman would put bottles of fresh milk inside the box, remove empty bottles, and collect his payment. Before cars were invented, milk was transported on a cart, sometimes pulled by a horse or even the milkman himself.**



**Milk Delivery!  
Ernest Brown and  
his horse dolly.  
Entwistle, AB.**





# Make Your Own Milkman's Hat

**Need:** Paper, Card, Glue, Tape, Pens or Pencils, and Scissors.

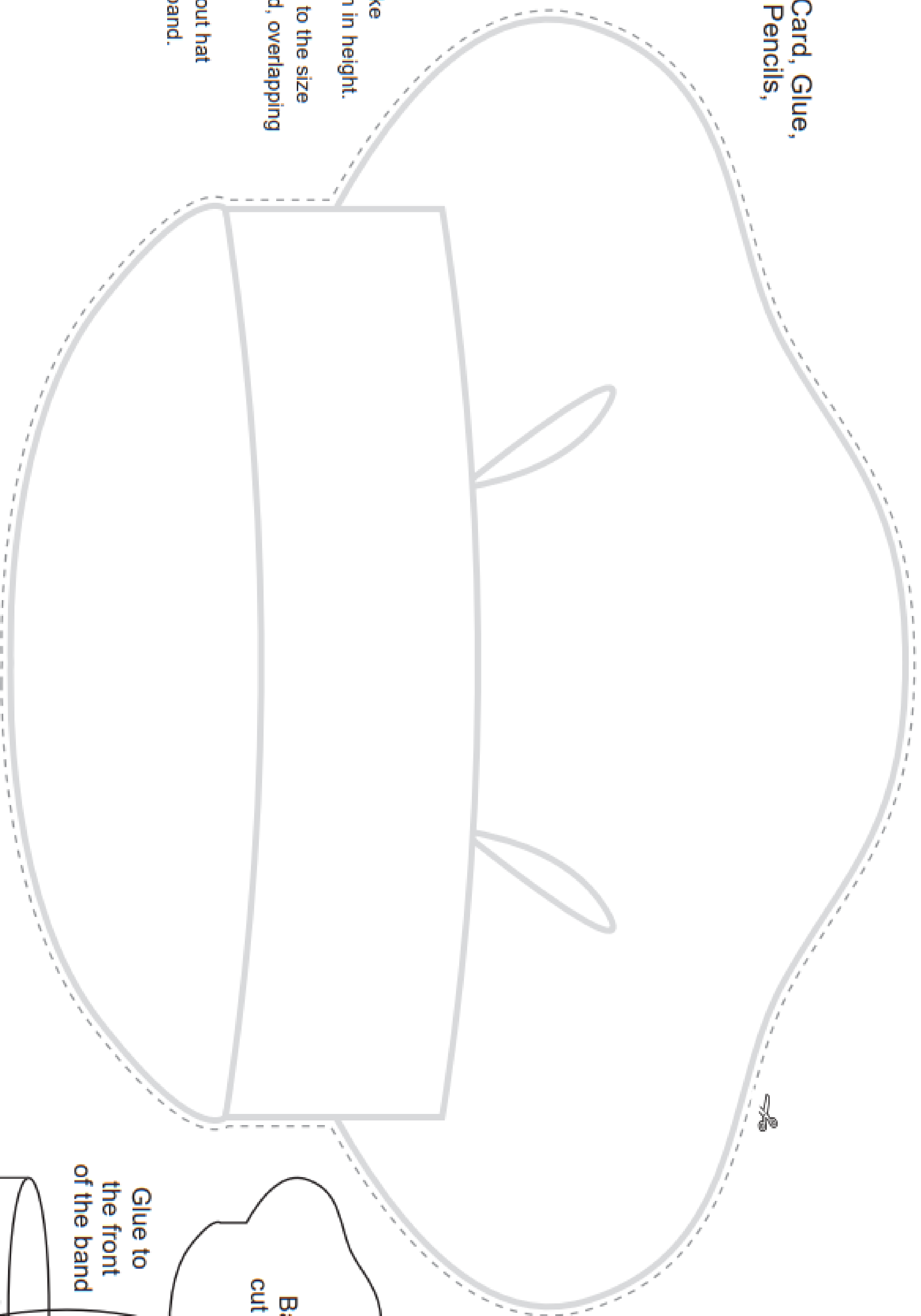
Print out this

Milkman's hat, colour it in, then glue to some card and cut it out.

Measure around your child's head and then cut a strip of card that is about 2 inches longer than your measurement. Make the strip about 4cm in height.

Glue/tape the strip to the size of your child's head, overlapping at the back.

Next, glue the cut out hat to the front of the band.

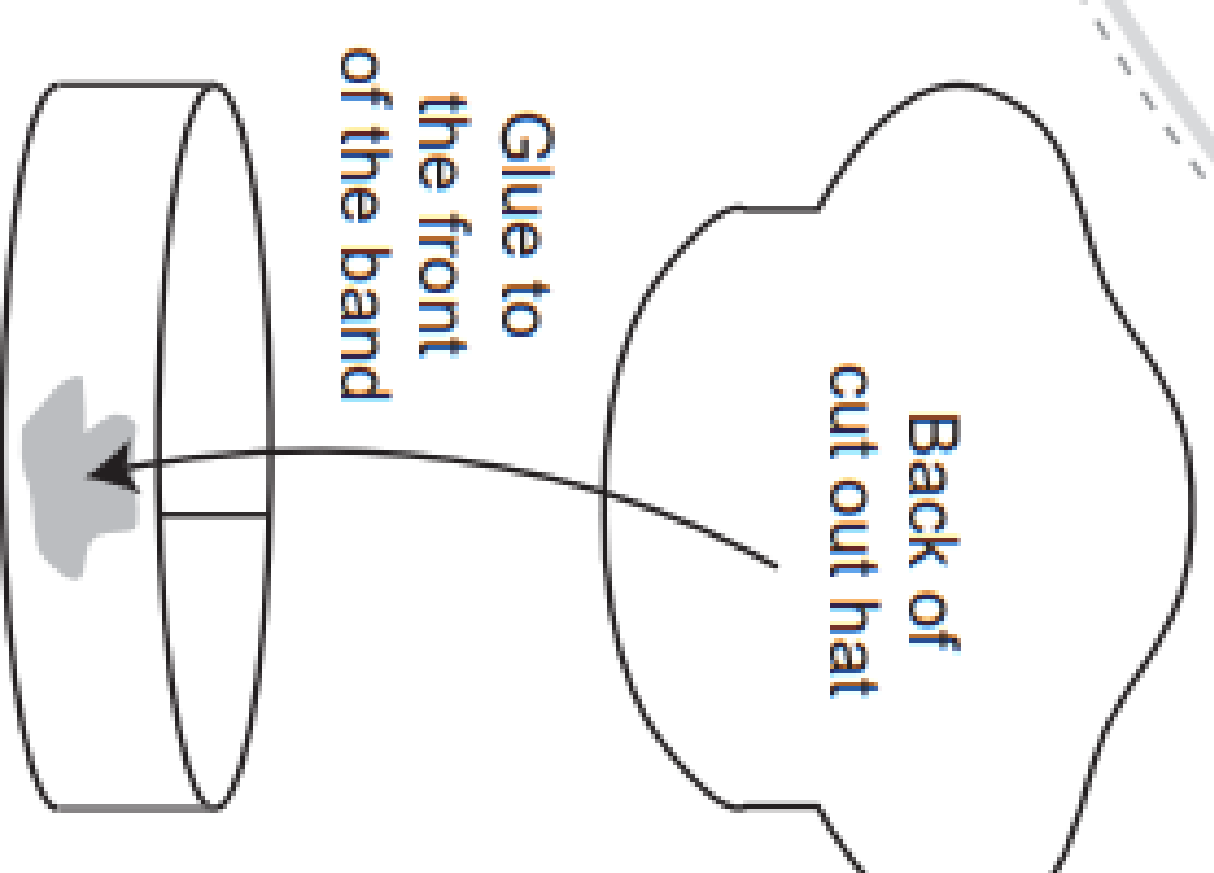


Colour in your Milkman's hat.



*Please remember to recycle this activity*

**milk&more**



# Dairy Products Word Search

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gouda

sour cream

yogurt

cow

cream

chocolate milk

mozzarella

chocolate

milk

ice cream

cottage cheese

cheddar

butter

cheese

cream cheese



# What's happening at the Museum?

Tipple Park Museum

## WRIGHT BROTHERS AND THE FIRST PLANES

### Afterschool Program

WEDNESDAY MARCH 15

3:45 : 4:45



**\$2**  
DROP IN FEE

**AGES 8 - 12**



LEARN ABOUT THE WRIGHT BROTHERS  
THROUGH GAMES AND CRAFTS!

TO REGISTER  
P: 780.727.2240  
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## Pysanky Egg Workshop



March 25  
Ages 8 - 14  
\$15.00  
12:30 - 1:45  
Tipple Park Museum

**Limited to 15**



**Youth Series**

**To Register**  
P: 780.727.2240  
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Come join us at Tipple Park Museum for a new MONTHLY program:

## ARTIFACT DETECTIVE




Artifact Detective will give participants a chance to get a little hands-on with pieces of our history as they try to figure out how old and even the purpose of some of the items in our collection.

**AGES 8 -13**

**FREE**

First session  
**Saturday March 4th**  
12:30 -1 :30

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