



### *His Excellency, The President's New Year's Speech*

Given on the Occasion of the Lunar New Year by His Excellency, President Kevin Baugh, 25 January 2020 XLIII

My Fellow Molossians, Greetings.

We find ourselves today at the start of a new year, and a fresh new beginning beckons for our nation. But of course this is only a symbolic renewal, because every day brings new opportunities and new prospects for Molossia.

Our nation is not only a land of innovation, it is in and of itself an innovation, a daily experiment in building and growing a country. And this we have indeed done, we have built Molossia from scratch over 42 years ago, and continue to build it every day. This process has been one of not only creativity and a bit of imagination, but also one of will - the will to make a



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## *Mad Mustang Lip Balm*

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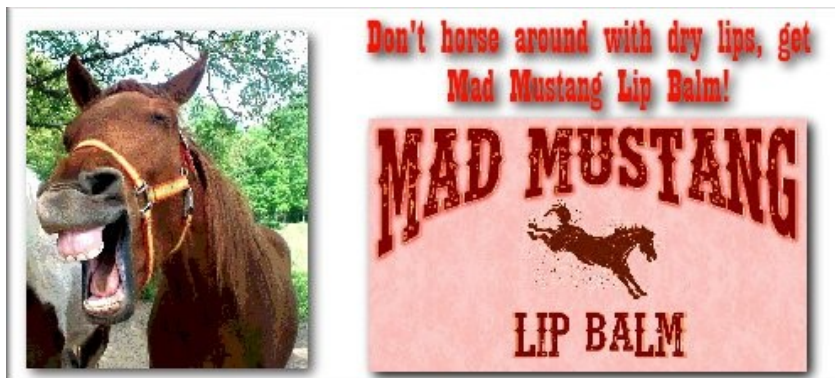


Lemon Lip Balm

The Government of the Republic of Molossia is proud to introduce our latest export product, Mad Mustang Lip Balm. Made with the finest ingredients, and coming in two flavors, Lemon and Peppermint, Mad Mustang Lip Balm is ideal for invigorating your tired, chapped lips. Here in Molossia our dry desert climate saps the moisture from everything and none more than lips. Our scientists have labored long and hard to develop a special formula that will withstand our harsh desert sun and keep your lips soft and healthy. So don't wait, buy Mad Mustang Lip Balm today and get the most beautiful lips in the country!



Peppermint Lip Balm



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nation where none was before. Through that creative process we have built an amazing country.

And the work goes on, as we constantly strive and seek to make Molossia the greatest nation on earth. Each day, as our citizens - our Molossian family - set out on their daily tasks, working and living their lives, they each contribute in their own small way to the betterment of our nation. Bit by bit, each adds their effort and uniqueness to building up Molossia, making it the wonderful place it is today and pushing it ahead to the future.

As I often say, the future is always ours, and each of us is already working toward that future, a bright one indeed. I thank you all for all that you do to make Molossia the amazing country that it is, and I pledge to always be right there beside you as we take our nation into the future, one day at a time.

God Bless You,  
Long Live Molossia!

## Timber!

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The Offending Junipers

Norton Park is the garden spot of Molossia, an oasis of green in our sere desert land. It is home to the Molossia Railroad and hosts verdant grapes, colorful roses and towering pine trees. However, lately two trees became a nuisance of sorts and unfortunately had to be removed. The two junipers - originally thought to be a small variety when planted - instead grew to mammoth size, dominating the Molossia Railroad, blocking paths and threatening the national sanitation system. Thus it was determined that the junipers had to go. Over a period of two weekends, interrupted by foul winter weather, first one, then the second tree were toppled. The process was laborious, involving chopping, digging and even winching the trees from the ground. Finally, after much travail, the junipers fell and are now no more. In their place will instead be planted two Dwarf Alberta Spruce trees, a kind of miniature pine that will be more manageable in the small confines of the Park. Norton Park will bloom again in spring and no longer will the massive junipers spoil the tranquil beauty of the garden spot of Molossia.



Trimming Trees Down



Winch Action



First Tree Down



Winching the Second Tree



Second Tree Down



Trees Gone,  
Ready for  
New Trees

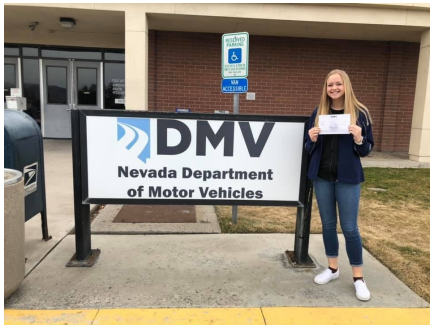
## Around Molossia and More...

### Ĉu vi sciis?

Molossia havas kolonion en Norda Kalifornio, **Farfalla**. Farfalla havas 2 hektarojn kaj estas kovrita de pinoj kaj arbedoj, kaj malgranda arbaro trairas ĝin. Estas flagŝipo tie kaj kvankam ĝi estas malproksima de la Molossia Hejma Teritorio, ni vizitas tie ĉiujare kaj flugas la flagon, super ĉi tiu malproksima bela parto de Molossia!



### AROUND MOLOSSIA...



A newly licensed driver - Molossian Chief Constable Alexis Baugh is approved to roam the roads outside of Molossia!

Happy Lunar  
New Year!

Feliĉan  
Lunan  
Novjaron!



### A TRILLION TREES!

The Republic of Molossia has dedicated itself to the Trillion Tree Campaign, pledging to plant more trees within our nation - to make it and the world a better place!



No matter when or where you are, it's never been easier to save the climate and do something good. Because global reforestation binds at least a quarter of the annual man-made CO2 emissions and at the same time creates prosperity in the Global South.

### Upcoming Tours Of Molossia

Tours of our nation are currently planned on the following dates only:

- Saturday, 18 April 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST (First Tour of 2020)
- Saturday, 23 May 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST
- Saturday, 20 June 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST
- Saturday, 18 July 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST
- Saturday, 15 August 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST
- Saturday, 19 September 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST
- Saturday, 10 October 2020 XLIII at 10:00 AM PST (Last Tour of the Year)



## The Molossian Navy



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## February Calendar

**Chocolate Mint Day - 19 February - The President's favorite flavor, celebrated by eating ice cream, of course!**

**Mardi Gras - 25 February 2020 - Celebrated with New Orleans food, a party and maybe even a parade!**

**No Molossia Birthdays This Month!**

Molossia's weather is always gorgeous, with plenty of sunshine and temperatures year-round of 22° Celsius (72° Fahrenheit). However, our little country is surrounded by the US and they are so close, their awful weather invades frequently! So the weather report reflects both our weather and theirs.

	Molossia	US
Maximum Temperature	22° C / 72° F	15° C / 59° F
Minimum Temperature	22° C / 72° F	-10° C / 14° F
Average Temperature	22° C / 72° F	3° C / 36.5° F
Monthly Precipitation	0 mm	.22 mm
Sunshine hours	Pretty much every day!	

## *The Last Word With The First Lady*

Hello all! February is here and the new year is in full swing. There are many funny memes online that say that January was our "free trial month" so if you haven't had a good time sticking to your New Year's resolutions now is your chance to try again. I don't believe that January is the only time for resolutions. If you want to make a change for the better start as soon as you realize it. Obstacles can get in the way. These can be good intentions! "I'll start this when..." or, "as soon as I do this, then I can.." seems like you're getting prepared but it ends up becoming an obstacle. Maybe choose smaller steps to begin with, even a tiny step is a step forward! So, what are we going to accomplish this year? Lose weight, pay off debts, learn a new hobby, read (and finish) a book, make new friends, work more/work less? Anything is possible. Today is your day. What shall you do?



Thank you all and until next time..

Let the sun shine on your shoulders as you walk toward your next goal.

~Adrienne