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## Happy Monday, Villagers

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Stretch & Strengthen with Rayner

**Praktikos**  
*Deep Meditation*



*Chanting > Singing Bowls > Inner Silence*  
Now two sessions: 5 PM & 7 PM Pacific Time

A promotional banner for 'Praktikos Deep Meditation'. The text is in a stylized font with a yellow-to-orange gradient background. To the right of the text is a photograph of several brass singing bowls of various sizes. Below the main text, a dark brown bar contains the text 'Chanting > Singing Bowls > Inner Silence' and 'Now two sessions: 5 PM & 7 PM Pacific Time' in white and yellow.

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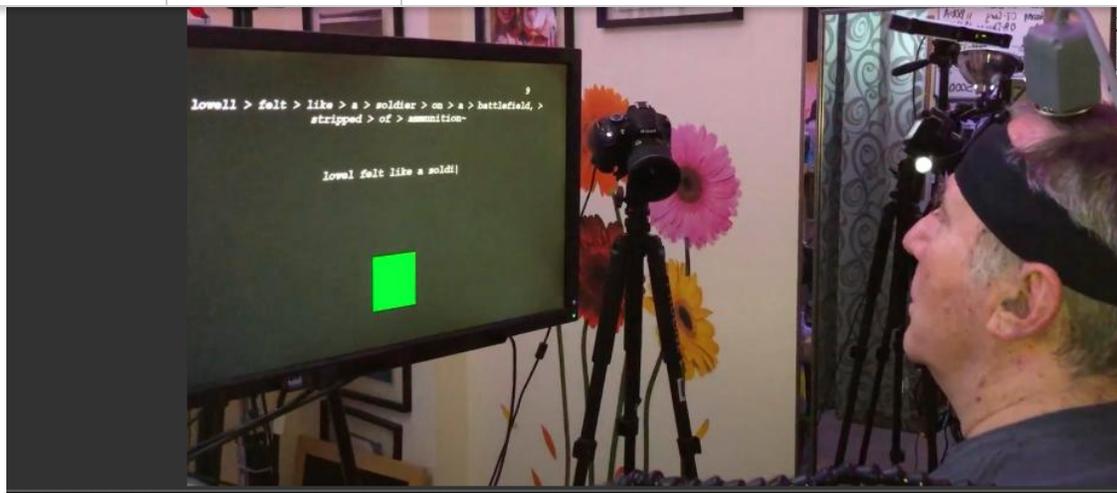
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## Cheat Sheet: Critical Fire-smart Steps

### Step 1: Know your evacuation route.

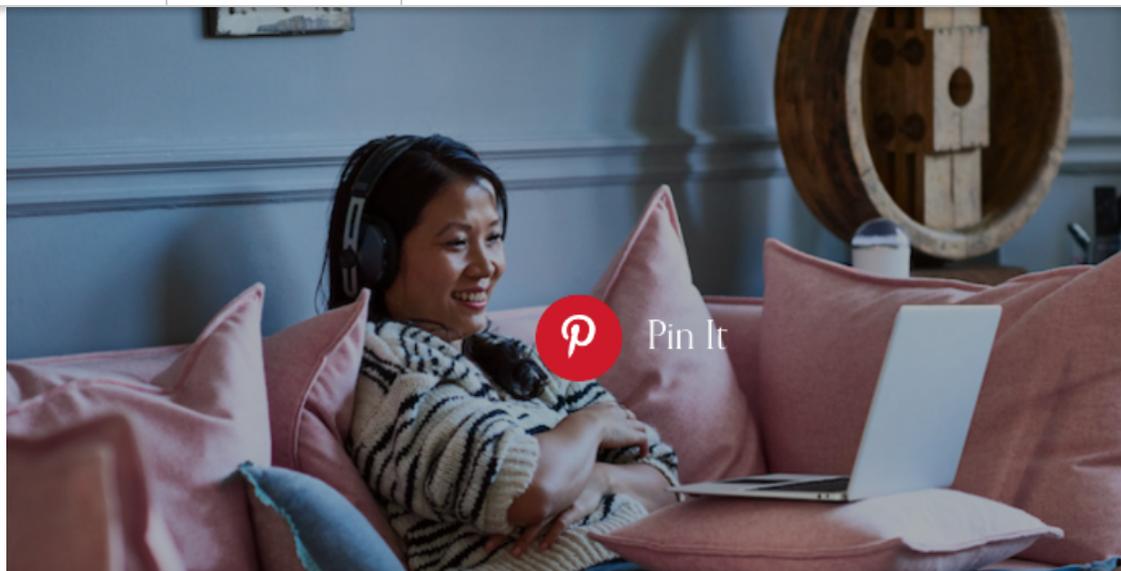
Keep it cleared of vegetation so fire fighters can gain access in the event of an emergency.

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Have you ever heard of "mindwriting?" It's a term used by scientists for a very specific skill that could spell hope for millions of people who have lost mobility or the ability to communicate.

A man paralyzed from the neck down for almost a decade recently completed an amazing feat of "mindwriting," and used his brain to compose whole sentences in real-time. Scientists implanted two tiny sensors into his brain, and then asked him to imagine holding a pen and paper and then try to write. As he visualized it, an algorithm then decoded the motion for each letter, translating it into text which appeared on a computer screen. Eventually, he was able to communicate at the same rate, or faster, than someone texting.

The innovation could one day allow people with paralysis to rapidly type without using their hands, and researchers are hoping it will only take a few years to become widely available.



## [Curiosity Is Key for Keeping Your Memory in Top Shape as You Age—Here Are 4 Exercises That Are Better Than Brain Games](#)

When it comes to brain health, we know a *ton* of different components can influence our capacity for lasting memory and cognition. [Staying hydrated](#), practicing yoga, and [even doing household chores](#) can all help keep our brains in tip-top shape as we age. But one of the best exercises for the brain, according to experts? Experiencing new things.

“The enemy of neuroplasticity is status quo thinking, or going on auto-pilot,” says [Jennifer Zientz](#), MS, CCC/SLP, head of clinical services at [Center for BrainHealth](#) at the University of Texas at Dallas. “Cultivating curiosity and being an active participant in life keeps neuroplasticity going.”



## [Humans Could Develop a Sixth Sense, Scientists Say](#)

This skill will help you “see” in the dark.

- *Scientists in Japan have proven that humans may have a sixth sense: [echolocation](#).*
- *Fifteen participants used tablets to generate [sound waves](#), just like bats, to figure out if a 3D cylinder was rotating or standing still.*
- *The results show that humans are better at recognizing moving objects than idle ones.*

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## [How Much Income You Need To Be Considered Rich In Every State In America](#)

It's not how much you make, it's how much you keep. Unless, of course, you're talking about this list of how much income you need to make to be considered rich in every state in America.



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