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STORY OF THREE BEARS TAKES UNEXPECTED TURN

Many of InCIDER's readers have been following the recent story concerning the family of three bears who returned home only to discover a young, blonde-haired woman had broken in, sat in the bear's chairs, tasted their food, and even napped in their beds. Upon finding the girl—whom police have identified her as Goldie Lox, of Niwot—the bears chased her away and set about cleaning back up their home and pressing charges. But, as of yesterday, this breaking and entering story took an unexpected turn.

It seems that Ms. Lox, feeling bad about the scene she had caused, came back to the bears' home and offered to treat them to a night out at Erie's The Old Mine. There, she bought the family artisan pizzas, ordered a rootbeer on tap for the little one, and got cans of Berry Tequila for Momma and Papa Bear. "Berry... you know, 'bear-y'... sounded like the right drink for them," the fair-haired felon was heard saying.

Both bears loved the crisp delicious 7% ABV Handlebar Hard Apple Cider with fresh raspberries aged on tequila oak. Ms. Lox apparently did, as well.

"And it's all inside a can beautifully decorated by local artist [Ian T. Nordeck](#)," Yeager said. "Really strange how (once again like he did with Blueberry Basil) Nordeck basically drew exactly what happened before it did. What another coincidence."

After the entertaining evening out, the bears returned home, offered Ms. Lox their basement futon for the night, and dropped all charges against her.

CREATIVE JUICES

NON-ALCOHOLIC SPARKLING SOFT CIDER



BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

On Tuesday, March 8th, 2022, Tom La Croix and his wife Janice (née Martinelli) gave birth to twin boys at The Old Mine of Erie, Colorado. The healthy, vibrant, delicious little ones named Apple Drop and Pear Drop each bear strong resemblances to both mother and father. With the bubbly, refreshing consistency of Tom La Croix and the sweet, tasty flavor of the Martinelli side of the family, these little drops are true gems.

"I couldn't be happier," father Tom said. "They're both so sweet and, non-alcoholic. Everyone's going to love these two."

Mother Janice added, "Adults... and even kids!" Choking up, she said, "They weigh in at only 6g of sugar and 23 calories. I just love them so much—" before breaking down in proud sobs.

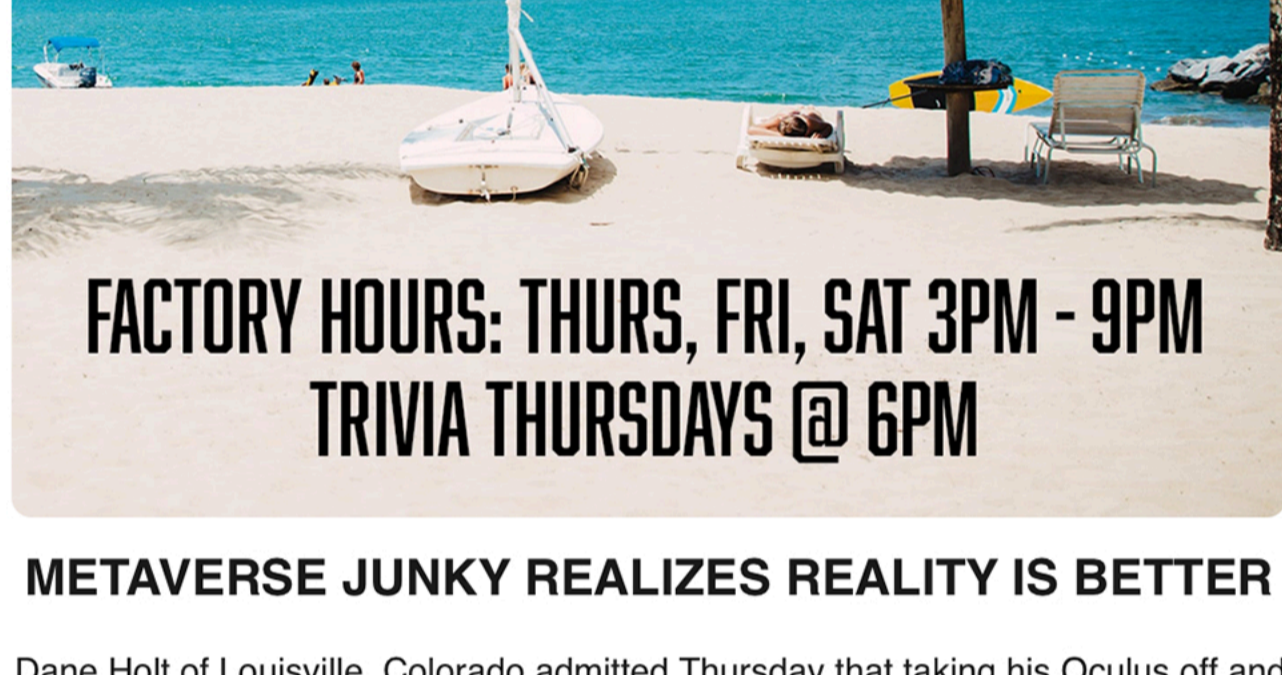
Well-wishers are invited to come check out both Apple Drop and Pear Drop now on draft at The Old Mine.

Part of The Old Mine's new Creative Juices line of "soft cider," non-alcoholic beverages, Apple Drop and Pear Drop won't be alone for long. Rumor has it, Tom and Janice are already expecting a new little one—Hop Drop—in the next few months.

NOT NEAR THE OLD MINE?



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FACTORY HOURS: THURS, FRI, SAT 3PM - 9PM

TRIVIA THURSDAYS @ 6PM

METaverse JUNKY REALIZES REALITY IS BETTER

Dane Holt of Louisville, Colorado admitted Thursday that taking his Oculus off and living an actual life was much better than he'd ever realized. "I spend a good 10-12 hours a day living a virtual life, buying clothes that don't exist, having fake conversations with digital avatars, and trying to find Mark Zuckerberg's Meta-Blimp that he rides around in," Holt told InCIDER news. "Last week, my wife ripped the VR set from my face, told me she got a babysitter, and said we were doing a date night—whether I liked it or not—at The Old Mine's Handlebar Factory. I told her I'd go, but only because the batteries were dead in my device."

"I wasn't excited," Holt said, "considering The Factory wouldn't have digital work meetings, non-existent couture clothing options, or pixelated games that led to nothing but an empty, hollow feeling. But... I was surprised! The Factory had—get this!—a real, life foosball table, a record player, no kids, actual craft beers, ciders, old fashioned, and margaritas! They even had artisan pizzas you could actually eat! Like, with your real mouth!"

"The only downside," Holt added, "was not being able to try to find Zuckerberg's Meta-Blimp, but... I got to reconnect with my wife. I guess that's a pretty good trade-off."

As of press time, Zuckerberg's Meta-Blimp had still not been spotted over the actual skies of Erie.

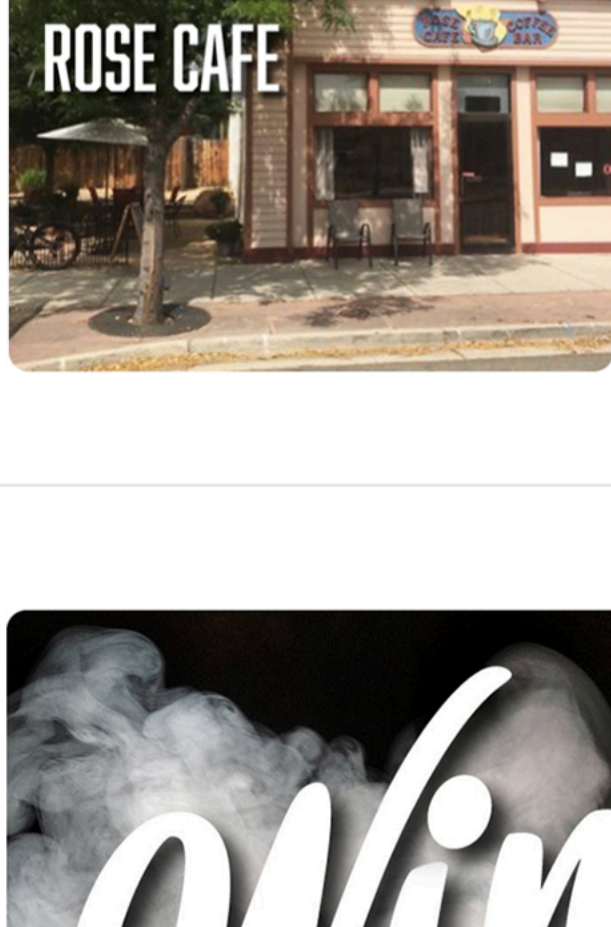
OUTSIDE-THE-BOX
PIZZA OF THE MONTH

"ALPINE SPRING"
garlic cream sauce base, parmesan, spinach, artichoke hearts, bacon, smoked chicken.

VANILLA BOURBON
HARD CIDER 7% ABV

Vanilla Bourbon
Hard Cider

CANS & DRAFT AVAILABLE
NOW AT THE OLD MINE



ON A SERIOUS NOTE...

Last month, Rose Cafe closed its doors on Briggs Street.

Our neighbor and friends at Rose's have been an Erie institution for decades. Thank you for the many years of laughter, connection, and joy you've brought to the town of Erie. We are so sad to see you go.

Wingy
Wednesdays

Our Award-Winning Smoked Wings
Now Available Wednesdays from
Open... 'till they're gone!

CIDER COCKTAIL RECIPE:
"BERRY TEQUILARITA"

YOU'LL NEED:
1/2 Can of Berry Tequila Hard Cider (make two and share!)
1 oz Tequila
1/2 oz Lime Juice
Rock Salt (for the rim)
Ice
Lime Wedge (optional)

DIRECTIONS:
Rim glass with Rock Salt
Pour Tequila into glass
Pour Lime Juice into glass
Add Ice
Pour Berry Tequila Hard Cider into glass
Top with Lime Wedge (optional)
Raise glass and declare while rolling your tongue, "Arrrrrrrrrrrebear!"



BRAG, BRAG, BRAG.