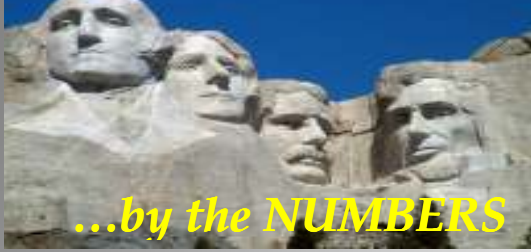


## MOUNT RUSHMORE



...by the **NUMBERS**

In honor of President's Day, we head to the Black Hills for some lesser-known historical numbers...

**20**

**feet:** length of each of the Presidents' noses!

Age of the monument's sculptor

**Gutzon Borglum**

**60**

**506**

Number of **steps** workers had to climb to the top each day

**Pounds** of stone removed during construction

**800 million**

**403**

**feet:** How tall the Presidents would stand if they had bodies to scale!



Over 10,000 online snowflakes were created at

<http://snowflakes.barkleyus.com/> on Wednesday February 10<sup>th</sup> during the Storm of 2010!



Winterbells game – it's addicting!!!

Fullscreen version <http://www.ferryhalim.com/orisinal/g3/00bells.swf>



Frozen cyprus and palm trees? Well, not exactly...



Check out the cool **infrared** picture gallery at <http://infrared.gallery.sytes.org/>

**T**  
**H E**  
**Q U I**  
**C K B R**  
**O W N F O**  
**X J U M P S**  
**O V E R T H E**  
**L A Z Y D O G ?**

As you can see (hahaha!)...a **Pangram** is a sentence that uses all 26 letters at least once. The fox story is a bit dry though and the shorter ones in general are dubious at best. Thankfully with a few more characters we can build some much more colorful – and memorable - pangrams!

Ebenezer unexpectedly bagged two tranquil aardvarks with his jiffy vacuum cleaner. **(71 letters)**

Jelly-like above the high wire, six quaking pachyderms kept the climax of the extravaganza in a dazzling state of flux. **(96 letters)**

Forsaking monastic tradition, twelve jovial friars gave up their vocation for a questionable existence on the flying trapeze. **(106 letters)**