

## An Interesting Covid Pandemic Day!!!

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Lovely sunny, warm day, and I haven't been to Peterborough since sometime in early April, so I decided to go to the Mall. Lots of things to do first, before venturing out.

- 1 Check online re Telus - open @ 10
- 2 Check online re Lansdowne Mall - open @ 11 (duh??)
- 3 Drive to Peterborough Mall for 11am - put mask on
- 4 Go through the only door open
- 5 Stopped by a masked guard -

Where are you going? - TELUS, TO PAY A BILL

Do you have an appointment? - NO

Do you have a cell phone? - YES

Do you know their number? - NO

(So he gave me the number, which I called - and the phone said: "You have no money in your account - call cannot be completed!" *[Duh! I told you I was going to pay my bill! - only said this in my mind!]* So, he loaned me his phone, I called Telus and she said to come down right away.)

- 6 Walked to the other end of the mall to Telus, allowed to enter through a gate, had to wash my hands with sanitizer, and was able to pay my yearly bill (in advance).
- 7 Walked back to the entrance, got \$\$ from the ATM, then saw that Tim Horton's was open so I got a coffee and a donut - and looked for a place to sit - there wasn't a soul in the area, but "no sitting allowed" - so I walked back to my car with my treat.
- 8 Drove to Shoppers' Drug Mart - only 15 customers allowed in the store at a time, so I waited until one came out before entering. Bought Essie nail polish, mouthwash, and Reese's chocolate! (naturally!!!)
- 9 Drove to Hwy 28, got gas (@ \$1.22/litre!!!!) (However, I haven't bought any gas since September of 2020 - so guess I can't complain!)
- 10 Home again by 12.

Before all this I was awakened at 7 by a "Parliament of Crows", all screaming, and every dog in the neighbourhood barking at them! Had my breakfast while watching TV news, then worked on my ongoing World Map jigsaw puzzle [2,000 pieces. Got 11 pieces in this morning and was able to attach a block of 36 pieces too!!!!!!!!!!!!!!] Only been working on this puzzle since Jan 3, 2021!