Current Event

AP US History

At the end of every month, your task is to do a current event. You are to follow the directions below. Each current event is worth 50 points!

Directions:

1. You will need to find a newspaper article on US HISTORY news ONLY! You will need to print the entire article (try and not print images – CLEAN print). You need to indicate where you got the article from, and the date of the article.
   1. Using the Internet? YOU NEED THE **FULL** URL!!!!
   2. What is the date of the article?
2. Next, read the article – and start your summary.
3. In your summary – you need to do the following:
   1. Paragraph 1 - In 4 sentences, summarize the article you read, explaining the main point, events of the article.
   2. Paragraph 2 – In 4 sentences, explain
      1. How the article is relevant to what is going on in the US today.
      2. In 2 sentences, explain what US historical event does this relate to!
         1. US Historical event must be **10 Years AND OLDER**!
4. Paragraph 3: In 3-4 sentences, explain how this news affects OUR COMMUNITY
   1. The news will ALWAYS affect our community.
   2. You need to explain HOW!
5. Paragraph 4: In 3-4 sentences, explain how this news affects YOU!
   1. The news will ALWAYS affect you!
   2. You need to explain HOW!!

