

Stop Making New Year's Resolutions, You Idiot



Have you ever had a New Year's resolution? They are pretty silly, aren't they? You tell yourself, on the stroke of midnight that you will: lose weight / gain weight / study harder / study less / spend more time with your loved ones / give yourself more time / develop a skill / buy all the video games but by March you find yourself on a dusty highway holding a live chicken with a man wearing a lungi telling you that the pickup truck is out of petrol because his son drank it all and now you can't make it to the ferry on time to attend your significant other's cousin's birthday party – also you have a significant other, bet you didn't see that coming. No, it's not the person you thought of just now. I hope you have an interesting year.

– ZOHEB MASHIUR, SUB-EDITOR, SHOUT

This Week's Horoscope

ARIES

"Hello, is it me you're talking to?"
– Rabbit de Niro



TAURUS

"Go to elementary school and stop asking me so many questions, Watson." – 'No S**t' Sherlock



GEMINI

"I will eat u." – Cannibal Lecture



CANCER

"Batman! Batman, Batman, Batman, Batman, Batman!"
– Police



LEO

"Give me her stuff." – Customer from When Harry Met Sally



VIRGO

"We need a ship." – White guy from jaws



LIBRA

"Beep beep. I am backing up." – The Exterminator



SCORPIO

"I see fainted Pokemon." – Kid from Sixth Sense after they bought him a Gameboy



SAGITTARIUS

"It's a liver! It's a liver!" – Dr Frankenstein



CAPRICORN

"Go ahead and make my breakfast. I'll be along later." – Clint 'Old West' Eastwood



AQUARIUS

"You were adopted by black people, but I am black." – Ben



PISCES

"Oh damn." – People from Titanic



APP REVIEW

TIMEHOP

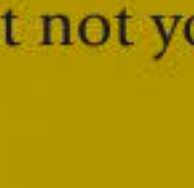
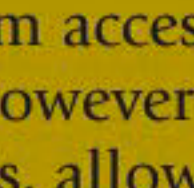
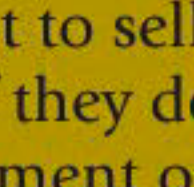
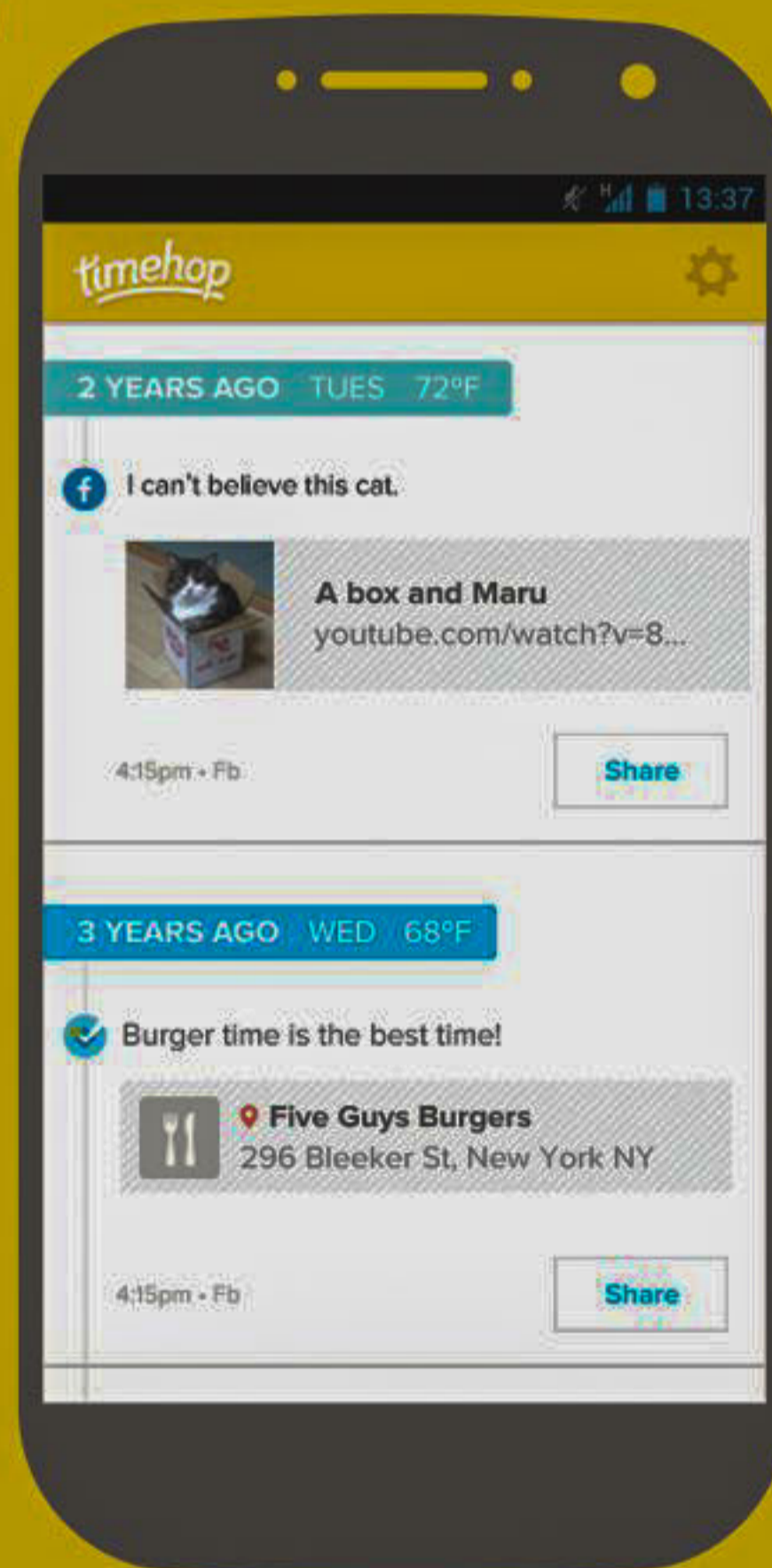


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If you are ever feeling down and want to have a good laugh, please stalk yourself on social media. You'll be amazed at how you used to spell words without vowels or post photos of pink water bottles. Most of us were weird. Face it.

Sometimes, however, you really need to look back in time and let yourself be inspired. Maybe it was a Facebook life event about your first job or maybe it was a post about how much of a good time you had with your best friend. With Timehop, you can travel back in time to see exactly what you did a year or even four years ago. It's no magic though. The app works by syncing with your social media accounts, gaining access to photos and updates on Twitter, Foursquare, Facebook, flickr, and your device's camera roll.

Any of the updates from the past can then be shared with the world with a tap of the share button. You can send it by SMS, email, Facebook, or Twitter. These moments can also be posted with a description on Timehop itself.



The app is well-organised, keeping everything separated so that it's not just a clutter of information.

One thing you should keep in mind is that you are giving Timehop access to all your photos on all devices and pretty much everything else that's on your social media.

Though this app works in sync with all other apps, Timehop is essentially a third party app. The FAQ section on their website says that they collect user's personal data to deliver a rich digital history experience and not to sell it to other parties. So, even if they do not use these for advertisement or marketing purposes, you should remember that you are giving them access at the end of the day. You can however customise the accessibility, that is, allow access to certain platforms only, like Facebook and Instagram, but not your camera roll.



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2014's HIGHLIGHTS

Snarky Puppy

Lingus (We Like It Here)

Usher

Good Kisses

BADBADNOTGOOD

Can't Leave the Night

Insomnium

Black Heart Rebellion

The Contortionist

Language I: Intuition

Gary Clark Jr.

the Sun Goes Down

DeWolff

Stand Up Tall

Antemasque

4AM

Animals as Leaders

Physical Education

Labu Rahman

DIRP