

National Eye Health Care Month
National Hobby Month
National Oatmeal Month
National Soup Month
National Staying Healthy Month
National Thank You Month
Prune Breakfast Month
Universal Letter Writing Week (Jan. 8th - 14th)

CALENDAR



SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

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1
New Year's Day
Betsy Ross born, 1752
Paul Revere born 1735
Ellis Island Opened, 1892

2
Isaac Asimov born 1920 (Astronomer)
Crosby Bonsall born, 1921

3
Drinking Straw Patented, 1888
Festival Of Sleep Day
J.R.R. Tolkien born, 1892

4
Trivia Day
Isaac Newton born, 1643
Jakob Grimm born, 1785
Louis Braille born, 1809

5
First Woman Governor Inaugurated 1925 (Nellie Ross)
George Washington Carver Recognition Day

6
Poet Carl Sandburg born, 1878
Epiphany (Christian Holiday)
Sherlock Holmes born, 1854

7
First U.S. Presidential Election held, 1789
Old Rock Day

8
Make Your Dreams Come True Day
Elvis Presley born, 1935

9
First iPhone introduced in 2007
1st U.S. Balloon Flight (1793)
National Static Electricity Day

10
Remy Charlip born, 1929
First Meeting of United Nations General Assembly in London, 1946

11
Milk Day
Milk delivered in bottles for the first time, 1878
Amelia Earhart flew solo across the Pacific Ocean, 1935

12
Secret Pal Day
Work Harder Day
Author Jack London born, 1876

13
Poetry Break Day
Rubber Duckie's Birthday (Sesame Street Character)

14
National Dress Up Your Pet Day
The Revolutionary War ended (1784)

15
First Super Bowl Played in 1967. Green Bay (35) defeated Kansas City (10).
Hat Day
The first top hat was worn (1797)

16
Prohibition began in 1920
National Nothing Day

17
Muhammad Ali (Cassius Clay) born, 1942
Benjamin Franklin born, 1706
Shari Lewis born, 1934

18
Raymond Briggs born, 1934
Marks the beginning of the Lewis & Clark Bicentennial.

19
Artist Paul Cezanne born, 1839
Popcorn Day

20
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Born in 1929
(Observed Third Monday in January)

21
National Hugging Day
First flight of the Supersonic Concorde (1976)

22
Brian Wildsmith born, 1930
National Blonde Brownie Day

23
Measure Your Feet Day
National Handwriting Day
National Pie Day

24
Eskimo Pie Patented by Christian Nelson in 1922.
Gold Discovered in California At Sutter's Mill in 1848

25
Opposite Day
First Winter Olympics held, 1924

26
Australia Day
(first settled, 1788)

27
Lewis Carroll National Geographic Society Founded (1888)
Julius Lester born, 1939

28
Jackson Pollock born, 1912 (Artist)
National Kazoo Day

29
Baseball Hall of Fame established (1936)
National Puzzle Day

30
Franklin D. Roosevelt born, 1882 (23rd President)

31
Backwards Day
Jackie Robinson born, 1919 (Baseball Great)

