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The Rhythm of Spring

"It is spring again. The Earth is like a child that knows poems by heart." —Rainer Maria Rilke

Giving Back, Bit by Bit

Giving back to others doesn't have to take a lot of time or energy. Micro-volunteering refers to low-effort, short-term opportunities to do a good deed, and can include activities like filling out surveys, signing petitions, sharing social media posts or translating documents. With micro-volunteering on the rise, many nonprofits are offering multiple mini-sized ways to help make the world a better place.

A Masters Tradition

The annual Masters golf tournament has many unique traditions, including its signature pimento cheese sandwiches. Since the 1960s, they have been a menu staple at Georgia's Augusta National Golf Club concession stands, which sell them for just \$1.50, wrapped in green plastic to match the famed course.

Penny for Your Thoughts

You might have gotten more than you expected had someone said this phrase to you in 1787! That's when the U.S. Congress of the Confederation—which governed the emerging United States following the Revolutionary War—authorized its first penny: the Fugio cent. In addition to its monetary value, the copper coin also boasted some advice. "Mind Your Business," a proverb popularized by Benjamin Franklin, was engraved on the front, while the patriotic motto "We Are One" appeared on the back.

April 2024



Welcome to April

The world is remembering its roots this month as spring starts turning everything green! No matter how fickle the weather may be, we always anticipate the new beginnings this freshest of months brings. Of course, April is full of other celebrations, like April Fools' Day (1st), Earth Day (22nd) and even National Velociraptor Awareness Day (18th). However you choose to have fun this month, we hope you enjoy the brightening days!

Dabble in Scrabble

Have some F-U-N on April 13, National Scrabble Day. Fans of the popular board game often turn to "The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary," which was most recently updated in 2022 and now contains more than 100,000 words. Improve your Scrabble strategy by brushing up on two-letter words—they can often be placed to take advantage of double or triple score squares.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Calendar is Subject to Change	Clarks Outing 9:30 Fitness and Balance 10:30 Bingo 1:30 Planting In The Garden Party!! 3:30 Words with Friends: Scrabble	Happy Birthday Justine Kusner!! 2 9:30 Fitness and Balance 1-1 10:00 Activity w/ Ann from Maggie's 2:00 Dominos and Table Games 3:00 1 On 1 Time W/ Activities Staff	Vitals Clinic Time to Be Determined 3 9:30 Fitness and Balance + 1 10:00 Coffee Social 12:00 Bobby Myhre Classic Sinatra & Jazz Entertainment During Lunch 1:30 Movie 3 3:30 Bridge	9:30 Fitness and Balance 1-1-10:00 Bible Study w/ Miss Janie 1:30 Arts and Crafts 3:30 1 On 1 Time w/ Activities Staff	9:30 Fitness and Balance ++ 10:00 Puppy Pop-in With Jasper 10:30 Bingo 1:30 Card Games	9:45 Rise & Shine Exercise 1-10:30 Bingo 1:00 Archeology Center Outing 2:00 Story Book Club with Carol 6:00 Movie & Popcorn
9:45 Rise & Shine Exercise 10:30 Sunday Documentary Series 1:00 Church Service & Singing! 2:00 Spa Time! 3:30 Trivia & Laughs	9:30 Fitness and Balance ++ 10:30 Bingo 1:30 Planting In The Garden Party!! 3:30 Words with Friends: Scrabble	9:30 Fitness and Balance 1—1:1:00 Chef Showcase 2:00 Dominos and Table Games 3:00 1 On 1 Time W/ Activities Staff	9:30 Fitness and Balance ++ 10:00 Coffee Social 10:30 Community Meeting 1:30 Movie 3:30 Bridge	9:30 Fitness and Balance 1-1 10:00 Bible Study w/ Miss Janie 1:30 Arts and Crafts 3:30 1 On 1 Time w/ Activities Staff	9:30 Fitness and Balance ++ 10:00 Puppy Pop-In With Augie 10:30 Bingo 1:30 Card Games	9:45 Rise & Shine Exercise 110:30 Bingo 2:00 Story Book Club with Carol 6:00 Movie & Popcorn
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Announcements
Happy Birthday
Justine Kusner April 2nd
Shirley Eary April 14th
Lorrayne Kilpatrick April 24th
John Lucey April 28th
Catalina Serrano April 30th
Welcome
William Hickman
Carol Etter
Eunice Hill
Residents Who Have Passed
Masako Shirai

"This Month In History"

APRIL

1860: The first Pony Express rider leaves St. Joseph, Mo.

1908: Home to large sandstone pathways formed over time by flowing water, the Natural Bridges National Monument is established in southeast Utah.

1932: Dr. Charles Glen King, a chemistry professor at the University of Pittsburgh, isolates vitamin C from lemon juice. This breakthrough made it possible to accurately study the nutrient's properties and benefits in medicine.

1956: Daytime soap opera "As the World Turns" premieres on television. It was the first soap to have a half-hour runtime, rather than just 15 minutes.

1970: Almost 56 hours into a mission to the moon, Apollo 13 commander Jim Lovell reports to ground control, "Houston, we've had a problem." Days later, after a gripping rescue mission, millions around the world watched the spacecraft splash down safely in the Pacific Ocean.

1994: South Africa holds its first multiracial elections, with Nelson Mandela earning 62% of the popular vote to become the country's first Black president.

2010: Apple debuts its tablet computer, the iPad. Consumers purchased 300,000 units on the first day.

2021: A rare copy of "Action Comics #1," featuring the debut of Superman, sells for a record-breaking \$3.25 million.

