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#### Waffle Wit

Q: What do you call a waffle on a California beach?

A: A sandy Eggo.

#### A Gift of Lightning

Thunderstorms aren't an uncommon occurrence on warm, steamy summer nights, and while the noise and light show may not be the best sleeping companions, they can—in specific circumstances—leave interesting gifts behind. Fulgurite, sometimes called fossilized lightning, occurs when lightning strikes sand, leaving behind irregularly shaped, naturally created glass. Fulgurites can form in both sandy areas (like beaches) or in rocky areas (like mountains).

#### **Record-Setting High**

The summer heat may have you sweating it out, but compare it to this scorcher: The mercury hit 134 degrees Fahrenheit in July 1913 at Furnace Creek Ranch in California's Death Valley, setting the record for highest air temperature ever recorded.

#### Memorable Melody: 'Itsy Bitsy Teenie Weenie Yellow Polka Dot Bikini'

This international chart-topping tune celebrates the beloved bikini, which debuted in July 1946. Songwriter Paul Vance was inspired to write the song after a day at the beach with his family. His infant daughter struggled with her new yellow bathing suit and eventually lost it to the waves. Teen singer Brian Hyland sang the ditty in 1960, and it's been stuck in our heads ever since.

### July 2025



#### **Seasonal Selections**

Summer weather often requires plenty of hydration. Why not mix some of the season's best produce with a little carbonated water to make the perfect, refreshing soda? Try limes, blueberries, cherries, raspberries or strawberries. All are in season and offer many combinations to please any palate.

#### **Happy Fourth!**

Happy Independence Day to all our residents! We hope you have a fun and festive holiday.

#### **America's First Zoo**

The first zoo in the United States opened July 1, 1874, in Philadelphia. Although the charter establishing the Zoological Society of Philadelphia had been signed 15 years prior, the Civil War prevented the zoo from opening sooner. Price of admission on opening day was 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	PLEASE REMEMBER, CALENDAR IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. THANK YOU!	1 9:30 Exercise, Balance & Breath Work III:00 Celebration of Life in the Garden 1:00 Puzzles in the Library 2:00 Bridge in the OC Card Room	*VITALS CLINIC* 2 12:00 Bobby Myhre Classic Sinatra & Jazz Entertainment During Lunch 1:00 Puzzles in the Library 2:00 Bingo	9:30 Exercise, Balance & Breath	Independence Day & Happy4Birthday Louise Coble9:30 Exercise, Balance & Breath Work III9:30 Exercise, Balance & Breath Work III10:30 Bingo10:30 Bingo1:00 Benedetto Duo Patriotic Sing Along!2:00 Karaoke w/Will!	5 9:45 Rise & Shine Exercise <b>III</b> <b>10:30 Bingo!</b> 12:45 Low Vision Book Club! <b>2:00 Storytime Discussion Group!</b> 6:00 Movie & Popcorn
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**ANNOUNCEMENTS** Residents Who Have Passed: **Bob Coons** Hazel Proctor Frances Gardner Nancy Harbour Happy Birthday To: Louise Coble - July 4th Richard Batka - July 23rd Bella Downey - July 24th Janice Johns - July 27th Cora Seginski - July 27th Lois Eggers - July 29th Residents Who Have Moved Out: Bob Grogan Joe Skidmore Welcome: Cordelia Drake Annette Hubble Lucinda Kautz

## "This Month In History" JULY

**1799:** French soldiers make a discovery that helps scholars decode Egyptian hieroglyphics. The Rosetta Stone—so named for the town near which it was found—includes the same text in Greek and Egyptian, providing the key necessary to unlock the meaning of the picture-based hieroglyphs.

**1826:** Former Presidents Thomas Jefferson and John Adams both die on the Fourth of July, half a century after each man signed the Declaration of Independence.

**1847:** The United States Post Office introduces the first postage stamps: a five-cent stamp featuring Benjamin

Franklin and a 10-cent stamp honoring George Washington.

**1903:** The Tour de France hosts its first race outside of Paris.

**1955:** Disneyland welcomes its first guests to "The Happiest Place on Earth" in Anaheim, Calif.

**1969:** Apollo 11, crewed with astronauts Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins, lands on the moon.

**1979:** Sony reveals the first portable cassette player—the Walkman.

**1985:** More than a billion people tune in to watch Live Aid, a concert featuring stars including David Bowie, Bob Dylan, Elton John and Queen. The concert raised more than \$140 million for famine relief in Ethiopia.

**2002:** American businessman Steve Fossett becomes the first solo adventurer to fly around the world in a balloon without stopping.

