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Where in the World...

From New Years Eve through New Years Day, Tokyo Disneyland celebrates the new year with a parade. They call this the "Celebration Parade" which began in 1992. Their floats have become so popular that they were also used for other holidays like Easter, Christmas, and Halloween. At midnight, they count down from 20 seconds; then they continue with the parade. Many characters are in it including Hercules, A Bug's Life, Roger Rabbit, Hunchback of Notre Dame, Monsters Inc, Tarzan, Winnie the Pooh, Toy Story, Lilo and Stitch and much more. Tokyo Disney has hosted all of the New Year's parades from 1994 until 2011. Then the event was moved to Disneyland Paris, where new characters were introduced. "Akemashite omedetou"! This means Happy New Year in Japanese!

What's Going on Here...

January 7-9: "H on the Harbor Helps the Homeless". For a limited time, H on the Harbor will donate 10% of your bill, for those who dine on January 7th, 8th and 9th (just mention Bethany House in the request section on Open Table or when you call to make reservations) to Bethany House, a residence for homeless women and children on Long Island. Please visit https://www.hontheharbor.com/restaurant to view the delicious menu and book your table now! Seating is limited, and all Covid-safety protocols are in place, so you can enjoy your dining experience worry-free.

January 13: Landmark on Main street presents "Mr. Saturday night" a free comedy show via Zoom. Warren Schein brings his charm and wit for a hilarious night of entertainment. Warren Schein has performed on stages from New York to LA for over two decades. He has played leading roles in many stock and Off Broadway performances. Sign up for free on landmarkonmain-street.org to recieve a confirmation link.

How's it Possible...

In 1972, Roald Dahl created the character Willy Wonka, and it was that year that the Willy Wonka trademark was registered. "Willy Wonka" is an adaptation of the 1964 novel "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" by Roald Dahl himself. It is about a kid named Charlie Buckett who finds a golden ticket in a chocolate bar. Charlie visits Willy Wonka's chocolate factory along with four other children from around the world. The movie Willy Wonka made 4.5 million dollars and was successful enough to have its own patent. Now that's a lot of chocolate to go around!

When Did That Happen...

On January 1, 1892 Ellis Island officially opened. Seven-





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teen-year-old Annie Moore became the first person to arrive from County, Cork, Ireland. Ellis Island is located in the New York Harbor Hudson River, between New York and New Jersey, and can only be reached by boat. Ellis Island opened to serve as a place where millions of people could come to America and become a citizen. It officially closed in 1954 and is now a national historic site.

Who Knows...

1. Where do snowmen put their money?

2. How do you scare a snowman?

3. What does December, January and February have in common?

(Find the answers on the back, under "In The Stars")

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That's Incredible!

It's been six years since Disney's Frozen became the highest grossing animated film of all time. Then six years later Frozen 2 became the highest grossing film than its first film. Frozen had become the biggest animated film since the Lion King. In 1994, The Lion King was an instant classic, but now Elsa and her friends have stolen the title. Frozen and Frozen 2 is the story of two princess sisters who got separated from the world and each other. Frozen has gone on to win two Oscars for best animated feature and best original song for "Let it go." The music of the film is thrilling and the dancing is lovely! Make sure you sing and dance with your loved ones to keep you warm during this "frozen" season!

That's Trendy!

That's Funny! Why was the snowman sad?

meltdown

Every year, the Grammys are held to give an award to some of your favorite music artists and actors. Here are some of the nominees who have also been trending for all of 2020. Beyonce's for best new record and Noah Cyrus for best new artist. If you enjoyed the movie "Judy" based on the actress Judy Garland, then you will be happy to know that it is up for nomination. If you love theatre and musicals, then make sure you root for "The Prince of Egypt", "Little Shop of Horrors", and "Cats"! Every year the Grammy's makes history for its variety of artists and talent from all around the world. Whatever genre of music you like, get your groove on and discover these hot new artists that will continue to trend in this new year!

- Because he had a

What does a gingerbread man put on his bed?

- A cookie sheet!

How do snowmen get around?

- On Icycles!

That's Twisted!

Thirty-three thirsty, thundering thoroughbreds thumped Mr. Thurber on Thursday.

That's Inspirational!

"Celebrate endings-for they precede new beginnings." -Jonathan Huie

Pet of the Month!

The Town of North **Hempstead Animal**

Shelter Bindi is a two year old Beagle mix and is a special girl looking for an equally special person to share her life with. She is a sweet, quiet, and gentle soul, but she is nearly blind and would need a home that will accommodate her needs. Bindi is also touch and sound sensitive, a home with young children will not be suitable for her. Despite her challenges, she is still a happy girl she absolutely LOVES to eat, and knows a whole bunch of tricks and commands! She's also a "nap queen." She gets along well with other mild mannered dogs that will respect her disability.

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In The Stars

ARIES (Mar 21-Apr 20) This month can be a good time to pursue your dreams. Lucky Day: Tuesday

TAURUS (Apr 21-May 21) If plans don't work out don't get discouraged, use that time to reschedule something that you love to do. Lucky Day: Thursday

GEMINI (May 22-June 21) Whether you know it or not, you're amazing. Your actions will inspire others this month. Lucky Day: Monday CANCER (June 22-July 22) Focus on what makes you happy and





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remember to think positive thoughts! Lucky day: Sunday LEO (July 23-Aug 22) Don't be so hard on yourself this month. Your best is good enough for everyone else, so why not you? Lucky Day: Wednesday

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 23) The moon puts you in a dreamy mood therefore hold off with making major decisions this month. Lucky Day: Sundav

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22) Don't be afraid to open up to friends this month, they are ready to help. Lucky day: Thursday SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21) Looking at things from a new viewpoint

helps you at the beginning of this month, so don't be afraid. Lucky day: Friday

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec 21) If you have a big to-do list, cross everything off it before you make plans. Lucky Day: Thursday CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19)This month, try doing a random act of kindness for a stranger, it will make your day! Lucky Day: Monday AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18) You love to be the kind of person that does spontaneous things. This month, try discovering a new activity that you will grow to enjoy. Lucky Day: Tuesday

PISCES (Feb 19-Mar 20) This month, you will find yourself sharing your greatest ideas and thoughts to family and friends. Lucky Day: Wednesdav

Answers to Who Knows: #1. Snowbanks #2. Global Warming #3. The Letter R

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