





## 2<sup>nd</sup> District January 2025

## Department of Wisconsin-American Legion Auxiliary/President Sandy Mack DID YOU KNOW?

Originally January was the 3rd month of the year!

January 1st	New Year's Day-symbolizing fresh starts and resolutions. Time to plan for a new year.
January 1st	Global Family Day/World Peace Day
January 2 <sup>nd</sup>	World Introvert Day, National Buffet Day & National Cream Puff Day.
January 4 <sup>th</sup>	National Spaghetti Day, World Braille Day and World Hypnotism Day.
715-673BCE	The Roman republican calendar was revised replacing March being the 1 <sup>st</sup> month of the new year to January.
January 8 <sup>th</sup>	Earth rotation day.
January 1890	The Rose Parade started in Pasadena, CA.
January 15 <sup>th</sup>	Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday
January 20 <sup>th</sup>	Inauguration Day (every 4 years following a presidential election).
January	Individuals born in January are generally talkative and like experimenting with new things.
January 20 <sup>th</sup>	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.
January 27 <sup>th</sup>	International Holocaust Remembrance Day.
January 1855	King Camp Gillette invented the safety razor.
January 1874	Joseph Erlanger, invented shock therapy & won the Nobel Prize in 1944
January 1900	Dennis Gabor, a physicist invented holography.
January	Colors of Cancer for January is Teal/White-Cervical Cancer Awareness
January 31st, 1970	The 1st National Blood donor Month occurred.

## Random Fun Facts

- 1) A cloud weighs around a million tons.
- 2) Giraffes are 30 times more likely to get hit by lightning than people/
- 3) Identical twins don't have the same fingerprints.
- 4) Earth's rotation is changing speed. (600mm years ago a day lasted just 21 hours).
- 5) Your brain is constantly eating itself.
- 6) Wearing a tie can reduce blood flow to the brain by 7.5%.
- 7) The sun makes a sound, but we can't hear it.
- 8) You can die laughing.
- 9) Chainsaws were first invented for childbirth.
- 10) Your brain burns 400-500 calories a day.

REMEMBER the fallen... HONOR those who serve...
TEACH our children the value of freedom.
For God and Country-God Bless America
"Together We Can Make a Difference"