

The Shooting Star

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Fourth Of July

by Cydney Tucker

Fourth of July is celebrated on July the 4th. It started in 1776 when the thirteen

colonies declared their freedom, or independence, from England. This event, over time, led to be the evolution of the United States. A session occurred on June 7 in the Pennsylvania State House, which is now called Independence Hall. Richard Henry Lee of Virginia presented a resolution with the famous words "Resolved: that these United colonies, and of right ought to be free and independent states. These states are now not the subjects of the British king, King George III." Each year, Americans celebrate this historic event on the 4th of July.



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4th of July

*I celebrate 4th of July
The fireworks glow in the sky*



*Playing all day long
Cousins tagging along
Eating the best chocolate cream pie*

By Cydney Tucker

My Dad

*My dad is very strong
He beats King Kong
He is so very brave
He's a bear in its cave*



By D'Adario Conway

Father's Day

By D'Adario Conway

On Sunday June 19, there is a holiday called Father's Day. The first Father's Day was June 19, 1910. The idea of this holiday is to honor fathers and celebrate fatherhood. Sonora Smart Dodd was inspired by Mother's Day, so she made a day all about fathers. That was very smart. It's never too late to love Father's Day!!!!!!

Father's Day Gift Ideas



- Mug
- Yeti cup
- Favorite university clothing



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National Meteor Watch Day

By Kaleigh Hill

National Meteor Watch Day is observed every year on June 30th. It is also known as National Meteor Day. On a cloudless night, people can turn their eyes to the night sky in hopes of spotting a falling star.



Xbox One/360 Tips and Tricks

When you are playing your Xbox and wish your game would download faster, don't worry. These tips and tricks will get your Xbox running faster and downloading quicker.

1. When you're downloading a game and want it to go faster, just disconnect from Xbox Live. This will stop internet usage in your room or living room. This does not work for updates though.
2. When you're downloading an update it can take awhile if it's over 1GB storage usage. Let's take Minecraft as an example. Its most recent update was 1.5 GB of storage. It could take 30 minutes to 1 whole hour, but don't worry, all you have to do is download it overnight or turn off all wifi connections in the room your Xbox is in.
3. When on the Xbox and your game is not letting your microphone work, unplug the mic and Xbox for 30 seconds to 1 minute.

Google Secrets

By Beckett Harms and Josiah Cox

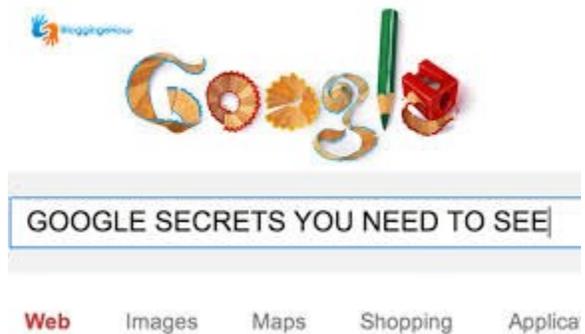
Google is a fun and simple web browser where (almost) anything is possible. Here are a few things that you can do.

Type the following into the search bar. Then press “I’m feeling lucky!”

- Google gravity
- do a barrel roll
- flip a coin
- youtube.com/leanback
- Google sphere
- askew
- answer to life the universe and everything
- Atari breakout (images)
- Google Pacman
- Zerg Rush
- Super Mario Bros
- Google in 1998
- Blink html

Type into YouTube search.

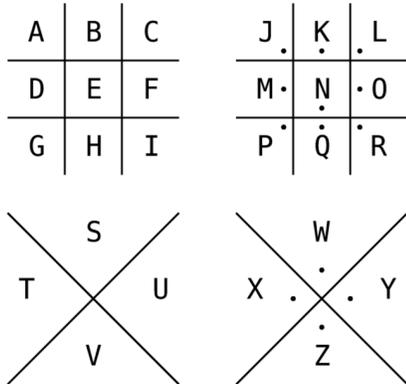
- Doge meme**
- Use the force Luke**
- Do the Harlem Shake**
- Beam me up Scotty**



Pigpen

by Anna Finke

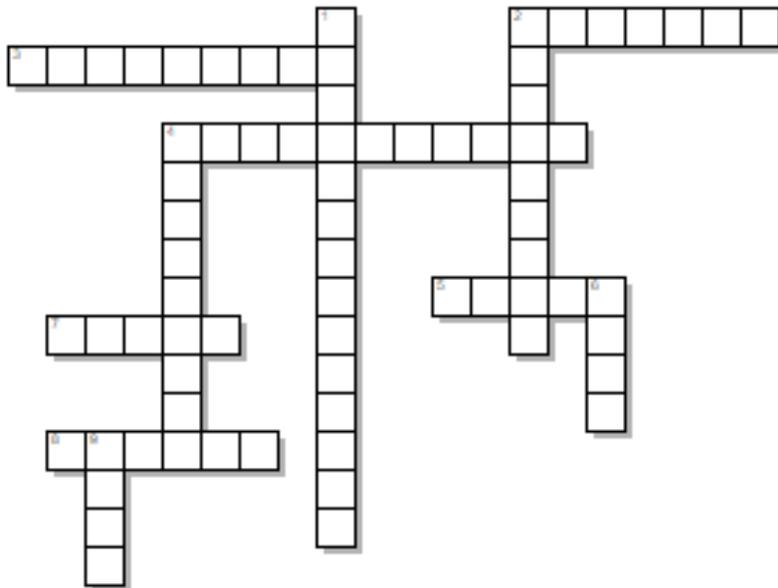
Have you ever seen a code? This code is called Pigpen. To solve, you use the key below. It exchanges letters for symbols which are parts of a grid. You can write to a spy in this code!



Happy summer

Where in the World...

by Beckett Harms



ACROSS

- 2 Where is the Grand Canyon?
- 3 Where is the Sydney Opera House?
- 4 Where is Mt. Rushmore?
- 5 Where is the Great Wall?
- 7 Where is King Tut's Tomb?
- 8 Where is the Imerovigli?

DOWN

- 1 Where is the National Capital?
- 2 Where is the Great Barrier Reef?
- 4 Where can you see wild penguins?
- 6 Where can you see wild tigers?
- 9 Where is the Roman Colosseum?

See you on the first day of school, August 9, 2017!

National Yo-Yo Day

By Josiah Cox

National Yo-Yo Day is June 6. This special day is to celebrate the creation of yo-yos by buying a yo-yo and doing tricks. You can buy yo-yos at many stores close to you.

A yo-yo is an object that consists of an axle connected to two disks and a length of string looped around the axle. You use a yo-yo by putting the loop on the string around your finger. Then you drop it down. Finally, you pull up with little force, and then you've done the gravity grip. Yo-yos are also spelled as yoyo.

A beginner yo-yo is called a boomerang-yo, or accelerator-yo.

One intermediate, or normal, yo-yo is called a Hornet-yo.

One advanced yoyo is called a fast 201-yo

If you would like to learn more yoyo tricks, then go to Yotricks on YouTube to learn easy and hard tricks.



