

AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL



What is AAPI Heritage Month?

AAPI (Asian-American and Pacific Islander) Heritage Month is a celebration of Asians and Pacific Islanders. AAPI encompasses all of the Asian continent and the islands of Melanesia, Micronesia, and Polynesia. "Asian/Pacific American Heritage Week" was observed nationally from May 4-11, 1979. In 1990, Congress expanded the observation to a month.









AAPI HERITAGE MONTH



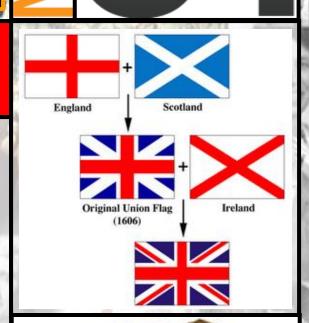


1707



The Act of Union unites England and Scotland as this new "nation". With the adoption of Ireland in 1801, the unification is complete.







AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1890



"International Workers' Day"
(or "May Day") is declared to
commemorate the Haymarket
Massacre in which police shot
and killed protestors.

Q: What are you supposed to do on "May Day"?











AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1898



At Manila Bay, the U.S. fleet destroys the Spanish in the first battle of the Spanish-American War. Nearly 400 Spanish sailors are KIA and 6 U.S. are wounded.



Q: Where is Manila?









AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL



1920



The most innings in MLB history are played between Boston Braves and Brooklyn Dodgers; same pitchers pitched entire game, which ended in a 1-1 tie.

Q: How many innings?













AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1928



In Hawaii, the tradition of giving out leis is started on what becomes "Lei Day".



Q: What double meaning does "Aloha!" have?









AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1931



President Herbert Hoover dedicates the opening of this NYC building. At 1,454 feet, it was the tallest at the time (and took only 1 year to build).

Q: What building?











AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL

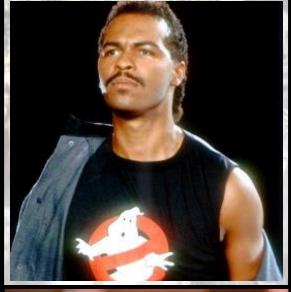




1954



American singer Ray Parker, Jr. is born in Detroit, Michigan. He is best remembered for this movie's theme song, which spent 3 weeks at #1 in 1984.













AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1960



An American *U-2* plane is shot down over Russia. The pilot, Francis Powers, is sentenced to 10 years. After 17 months, he is traded for a Soviet spy.

Q: What did the CIA give him to use if caught?











AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





1963



James Whittaker of Redmond, Washington, becomes the first American to reach the summit of the tallest mountain in the world (29,028 feet tall).



Q: What mountain?









AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





2003



With a "Mission Accomplished" banner hanging in the background, President Bush declares victory in this war. (Ooops! It continued until 2011.)













AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





Today is...



National Mother Goose Day

Just in case you needed an extra reason to celebrate!





















AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

© 2000 DR. HARTNELL





Birthdays



Is it your birthday?

If so, see Dr. Hartnell for your official Birthday Pencil!

Happy Birthday to you!









