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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

MAY 27

AAPI HERITAGE MONTH

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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.



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1647



The first recorded execution of a witch in America takes place in Massachusetts.



Q: What is a warlock?



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1901



A breakout of this disease hits San Francisco, California. This “Third Pandemic” began in China (shocker) in 1894 and killed 12 million worldwide.



Q: What disease?



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1927



After more than 15 million were sold, production of this automobile ends. Only the Volkswagen Bug has sold more vehicles in history.

Q: What automobile?

FORD PRICES REDUCED!

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 22, 1920

We are in receipt of a telegram from the Ford Motor Co., announcing a general reduction in the prices of all Ford cars and the Fordson Tractor, as follows:

Runabout	..	\$465.00
Touring	..	510.00
Coupe	..	745.00
Sedan	..	795.00
Truck, pneumatic tires	..	545.00
Tractor	..	790.00



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1933



Walt Disney's animated cartoon *Three Little Pigs* opens across the country. The cartoon becomes the most popular animated film up to that time.



Q: *What is it about?*



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1937



The suspension bridge that connects San Francisco with Marin County (and which stretches 8,991 feet across SF Bay) officially opens to traffic.



Q: *What bridge?*



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1941



During WWII, the British Navy sinks this German battleship in the North Atlantic near France. The Allies lost 1,400 while the Germans lost 2,000 in the battle.



Q: *What German battleship?*



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1972



**Soviet Leonid Brezhnev and
President Richard Nixon,
meeting in Moscow, sign the
Strategic Arms Limitation Talks
(SALT) agreements.**



FALLOUT SHELTER



Q: What did these do?



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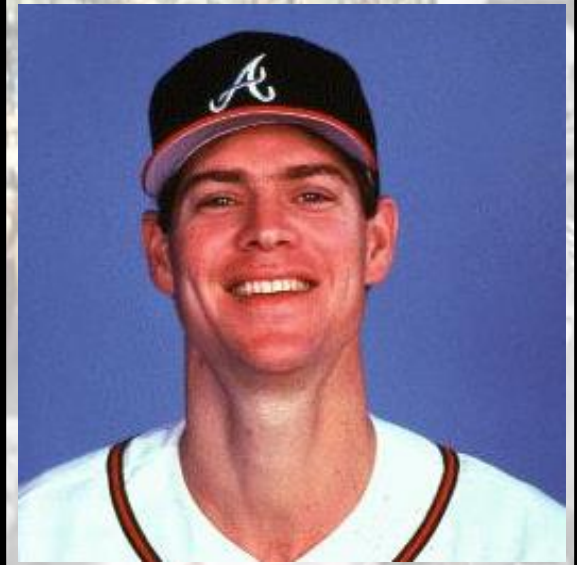


1993



In a dark day for MLB, this former Atlanta Braves' outfielder retires just 2 home runs short of 400. He finished his career with the Colorado Rockies.

Q: What MLB player?



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1997



A tornado in Jarrell, Texas, destroys the town and kills 30. This EF-5 tornado (with winds over 260 mph) was unusual in that it traveled south.



Q: *Why is that unusual?*



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2001



Christina Aguilera, Lil' Kim, Mya, and Pink begin a 5-week run at #1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 when their song "Lady Marmalade" takes the top spot.

Q: *What does it mean to "over sing"?*



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Today is...



National Sun Screen Day

Just in case you needed an extra reason to celebrate!

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Birthdays



Is it your birthday?

**If so, see Dr. Hartnell for
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Happy Birthday to you!

