

April Horoscopes and Birthdays



Notable Quotable

"In every walk with nature one receives far more than he seeks."

- John Muir, naturalist

In astrology, those born between April 1–19 are Rams of Aries. As the first sign of the zodiac, Aries are energetic and assertive initiators. With bravery, zeal, and speed, they jump headfirst into life, confident that they can navigate any challenges. Those born between April 20–30 are Bulls of Taurus. Bulls are stable, reliable, and committed in both work and family. Bulls also appreciate love, beauty, and creativity, making them lovers of the good life.

Buddy Ebsen – April 2, 1908
 Marlon Brando – April 3, 1924
 Bette Davis – April 5, 1908
 Billie Holiday – April 7, 1915
 Beverly Cleary – April 12, 1916
 Tom Clancy – April 12, 1947
 Pete Rose – April 14, 1941
 Wilbur Wright – April 16, 1867
 Harry Reasoner – April 17, 1923
 Charles Grodin – April 21, 1935
 Roy Orbison – April 23, 1936
 Al Pacino – April 25, 1940
 Duke Ellington – April 29, 1899

April Birthdays

Bernice M.....6th
 Kathryn S.....9th
 Kathy P.....12th
 Art L.....16th
 Daniel M.....19th
 Noni G.....22nd
 Marshall O.....23rd
 Larry V.....27th



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Easter Customs Around the World

Sunday, April 5, heralds Christianity's holiest day—Easter. This day commemorates the biblical resurrection of Jesus Christ. The story of his life after crucifixion in 1 AD proved to early Christians that Jesus was truly the son of God and serves as a reminder of the Judeo-Christian promise of eternal life to those who believe. People all over the world celebrate the resurrection story in different ways. Many, unsurprisingly, attend church services. Many, too, paint colorful Easter eggs as symbols of life. Often these painted eggs (or plastic eggs filled with candy) are gifts from the Easter bunny. This may sound strange since bunnies don't lay eggs. However, bunnies and eggs have long been symbols of fertility. It's no coincidence that Easter coincides with the arrival of spring, the season of rebirth. Many non-Christian traditions such as those of the vernal equinox have merged with those of the church. Yet there are even stranger Easter customs than bunnies

and eggs. Instead of a bunny, Australia has an Easter bilby—an endangered, cat-sized desert marsupial, with a pouch like a kangaroo, that looks like a cross between a rabbit and a rat. Those in the Czech Republic bestow wishes of health and youth with pussy willow branches entwined in colorful ribbons. In the town of Vrontados, on the Greek island of Crete, two churches even engage in mock war. During *Rouketopolemos*, the "Rocket War," the churches shoot hundreds of fireworks at each other. Surrounding homes are covered with boards and sheet metal for protection. Whichever church lands the most hits at the opposing church's belltower wins. However, each year there's a disagreement over the winner—and a vow to settle the score next Easter.



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>3 Baseball Opening Day Celebration Today we celebrate America's favorite pastime! Wear your favorite teams colors and join us for making crackerjack cookies, playing some home run baseball, laugh while we view some all time baseball bloopers, and give your guess today on who is going to make it to the World Series! The day will be topped off with a ball park themed lunch and snack!</p>	<p>4 9:30 Name that Tune 10:00 Zumba/Walking Club 10:30 Hoy Card/ Jewelry Making/ Juka 11:30 Rhyme Time 12:45 Short Story Building 1:15 Umbrella Toss/ Hand Massages Basketball 2:30 Snack & Scattergories</p>	<p>5 9:30 Charades 10:00 Outburst 10:30 Ring Toss/ All Boxed In/ Time Slips 11:30 Rhyming Warm-Up 12:45 Riddle Me This 1:15 Karaoke/ Scrabble/ My Life Story 2:30 Snack & Remember When</p>	<p>6 9:30 Good News Network 10:00 Recipe Builder/ Dollar Tree Trip 10:30 Penny Pitching/ Glamour/ Ship Captain Crew 11:30 Math Minds 12:45 Gentle Stretch 1:15 Football Toss/ Dice Roulette/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Balloon Volleyball</p>	<p>7 9:30 B-Fit 10:00 Hangman 10:30 Devotions/ Crazy 8's/ Card Hat Toss 11:30 Current Events 12:45 Ball Toss 1:15 Vocal Entertainment by Peggy/ Darts/ Penny Ante 2:30 Snack & Humor's the Best Medicine</p>
<p>10 9:30 Scattergories 10:00 Name that Tune 10:30 Washer Toss/ Skip-Bo/ Woodworking 11:30 Zumba 12:45 Rhyme Time 1:15 Bowling/ Sequence/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Short Story Building</p>	<p>11 9:30 Riddle Me This 10:00 Rhyming Warm-Up 10:30 Lunch at Guido's/ Chicago Dice/ Shuffleboard 11:30 Charades 12:45 Remember When 1:15 Dancing to the Music of Phil & Mary/ Stick or Switch/ Card Making 2:30 Snack & Outburst</p>	<p>12 9:30 Good News Network 10:00 Balloon Volleyball 10:30 Bean Bag Toss/ Short Story Club/ Crambo 11:30 Recipe Builder 12:45 Gentle Stretch 1:15 Table Hockey/ Domino's/ Taste of Chocolate 2:30 Snack & Math Minds</p>	<p>13 9:30 B-Fit 10:00 Humor's the Best Medicine 10:30 Devotions/ Pool Golf/ Run for It 11:30 Hangman 12:45 Dancing with the Country Cousins 1:15 Thru the Window/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Current Events</p>	<p>14 Easter Celebration The Easter bunny would be proud to join our celebration today! There will be doing some egg bowling, egg dying, and come learn about the world famous Faberge Eggs. With a delicious Easter lunch we may think we are too full but we will still be making some baby bunnies and playing eggs in the bush. Dress in your Easter finest for our day of fun and frolic!</p>
<p>17 9:30 Outburst 10:00 Riddle Me This 10:30 Corn Hole/ Farkle/ Glamour 11:30 Rhyming Warm-Up 12:45 Charades 1:15 Uno/ Floor Yahtzee/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Remember When</p>	<p>18 9:30 Good News Network 10:00 Tai Chi with Carol 10:30 Bunco/ Can Shootout/ My Life Story 11:30 Balloon Volleyball 12:45 Math Minds 1:15 Life Long Learning/ Yahtzee/ Lawn Darts 2:30 Snack & Recipe Builder</p>	<p>19 9:30 B-Fit 10:00 Hangman/ Dollar General Trip 10:30 Marinetti Dice/ Jewelry Making Ice Breaker 11:30 Current Events 12:45 Humor's the Best Medicine 1:15 Hoy Card/ Alphabet Soup/ Learn Marble Painting 2:30 Snack & Ball Toss</p>	<p>20 Chinese Language Day 中文日 Today we will immerse ourselves into Chinese culture as we learn about the Chinese language, its contributions to our history, and inventions that changed the world. We will have a delicious lunch of Chinese food. Come and learn how to play some traditional Chinese games today. 请加入我们 (Please Join Us)</p>	<p>21 Birthday Celebration 9:30 Charades 10:00 Rhyming Warm-Up 10:30 Birthday Games/ Jingo/ Birthday Baking 11:30 Outburst 12:45 Remember When 1:15 Birthday Dancing With Tim/ Birthday Baking Continued 2:30 Snack & Riddle Me This</p>
<p>24 9:30 Good News Network 10:00 Recipe Builder 10:30 Lunch at Luckys/ Uno Attack/ Penny Pitching 11:30 Math Minds 12:45 Gentle Stretch 1:15 Ladderball/ Duck Hunting/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Balloon Volleyball</p>	<p>25 9:30 Humor's the Best Medicine 10:00 B-Fit/Walking Club 10:30 Jeopardy/ Woodworking/ Putt Putt Golf 11:30 Hangman 12:45 Current Events 1:15 Spring Ball/ Blackjack/ Penny Ante 2:30 Snack & Ball Toss</p>	<p>26 9:30 Trivia 10:00 Library Land/ Ranter-Go-Round 11:30 Mad Libs 11:30 Word Jumble 12:45 Pictionary 1:15 Chopped Kitchen/ Horseshoes/ Cloud 9 2:30 Snack & This Day In History</p>	<p>27 9:30 Rhyme Time 10:00 Short Story Building 10:30 Devotions/ Arrow Shoot/ Bingo 11:30 Zumba 12:45 Dancing with the Country Cousins 1:15 Who, What, When/ Green Thumbs 2:30 Snack & Name That Tune</p>	<p>28 9:30 Rhyme Time 10:00 Scattergories 10:30 Devotions/ Pig Dice/ Short Story Club 11:30 Zumba 12:45 Name That Tune 1:15 Shuffleboard/ Apples to Apples/ Scrapbooking 2:30 Snack & Short Story Building</p>