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#### **Our Daisy Hill Team**

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### **July 2024**



#### **Celebrating Independence Day**

Independence Day is also called the Fourth of July. Independence Day marks the historic date in 1776 when the Declaration of Independence was approved by the Continental Congress. The written declaration stated that the American colonies were tired of being ruled by Great Britain. Many families and friends celebrate the Fourth of July with parties, gatherings, barbecues and fireworks to end the night. Ice cream is usually a featured favorite. Be sure to check out our activities on the Fourth and wear your Red, White and Blues!





## **Exploring Space**

Since the space program began, the U.S. has launched hundreds of spacecraft, ranging from satellites circling the Earth to probes surveying the other planets. Your mission: Explore some of these machines and their journeys into space.

Year	Spacecraft	Mission
1962	Mariner 2	Gather data about Venus.
1972	Pioneer 10	Observe Jupiter and deep space.
1977	Voyager 1 & 2	Explore Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune.
1989	Galileo	Study Jupiter and its moons.
1990	Hubble Telescope	Orbit Earth and provide images of space.
2003	Spirit & Opportunity Rovers	Land on Mars and explore its terrain.
2006	New Horizons	Learn about Pluto and the outer solar system.
2020	Perseverance Rover	Search for signs of ancient life on Mars.

# "This Month In History"

**JULY** 

**1903:** Cyclists compete in the first Tour de France. Maurice Garin was the first to cross the finish line in Paris.

**1914:** A dance craze begins after the fox trot is performed at a club in New York City.

**1926:** Showing a fish swimming in the Florida Keys, the first underwater color photo is taken by a National Geographic magazine photographer.

**1937:** Cheap, filling and needing no refrigeration, the canned meat product Spam is introduced.

**1946:** The bikini swimsuit debuts at a fashion show in Paris.

**1958:** President Dwight D. Eisenhower signs the Alaska Statehood Act, allowing the territory to become the 49th state.

**1960:** Harper Lee's "To Kill a Mockingbird" is published and quickly becomes a bestseller. The novel was awarded the Pulitzer Prize a year later.

**1988:** Sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner, nicknamed Flo-Jo, sets the world record for the women's 100-meter. Her record of 10.49 seconds still stands today.

**2002:** Major League Baseball's All-Star Game ends in a 7–7 tie after II innings because both teams run out of pitchers.

**2018:** In an effort to reduce environmental pollution, Starbucks announces it will stop providing disposable plastic straws in its stores by 2020.

