

PERSPECTIVES OF THE DAY

CHANGING PERSPECTIVES

NATIONAL DAY

National Chocolate Covered Anything Day

December 15th is National Chocolate Covered Anything Day! This sweet produced, making chocolate an accessible ingredient for

WHAT CHOCOLATE IS IN THE
BASEBALL HALL OF FAME?

BABE RUTH!

chocolate dipped households. By holiday has been the 1960s, the observed since the tradition of mid 1990s. While the fondue from the holiday hasn't been Swiss had around for long, the reached the art of dipping things United States in chocolate has which been around for popularized the longer. In the mid- communal 19th century, activity of chocolate bars dipping fun started being mass



TODAY IN HISTORY

- IN 1631, VESUVIUS ERUPTS AND DESTROYS MANY VILLAGES.
- IN 1773, THE BOSTON TEA PARTY INCIDENT.
- IN 1907, PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SENDS THE GREAT WHITE FLEET ON A ROUND THE WORLD CRUISE.
- IN 1913, CHARLIE CHAPLIN BEGINS HIS FILM CAREER AT KEYSTONE.
- IN 1918, HEAVYWEIGHT BOXING CHAMPION JACK DEMPSEY WINS AGAINST CARL MORRIS.

edible things in chocolate.

Over time, this tradition has changed and gotten more gourmet, using fancier ingredients and new techniques to advance the art. While sweet items like strawberries, marshmallows, and fruits are still popular, experiments with savory items like

bacon, potato chips, or pretzels have proven to also be fantastic treats to cover in chocolate. Candied citrus dipped in chocolate is a popular Christmas time gift with Christmas cookies. Chili peppers have even been added in some cases to add some heat to the saltiness and sweetness.

This day is a great way to take a small reprieve from the craziness of the holidays. It's perfect for small family gatherings where everyone can create their own treats and enjoy everyone's company.

And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you.

-Luke 1:46-47

Interesting Fact

December 16th is the anniversary of the Boston Tea Party! This year will be the 252th anniversary for the infamous day where American colonists dressed as Native Americans and dumped tea into the harbor. This was a protest against British taxation without representation and sent a message to the King of England that local merchants and American colonists would not be undermined. About 60 colonists, some Sons of Liberty among them, boarded three ships, the Dartmouth, Eleanor, and Beaver, and dumped 342 cases of tea into the Boston Harbor. This created many problems for the British East India Company and in retaliation, the British government passed the Intolerable Acts in 1774, which included closing the Boston harbor until the tea was paid for, and changing the Massachusetts' charter which further restricted colonial self governance. This all led to the eventual Revolution and the American Revolutionary War in 1775.

Trivia

How quickly did Jack Dempsey KO Carl Morris?

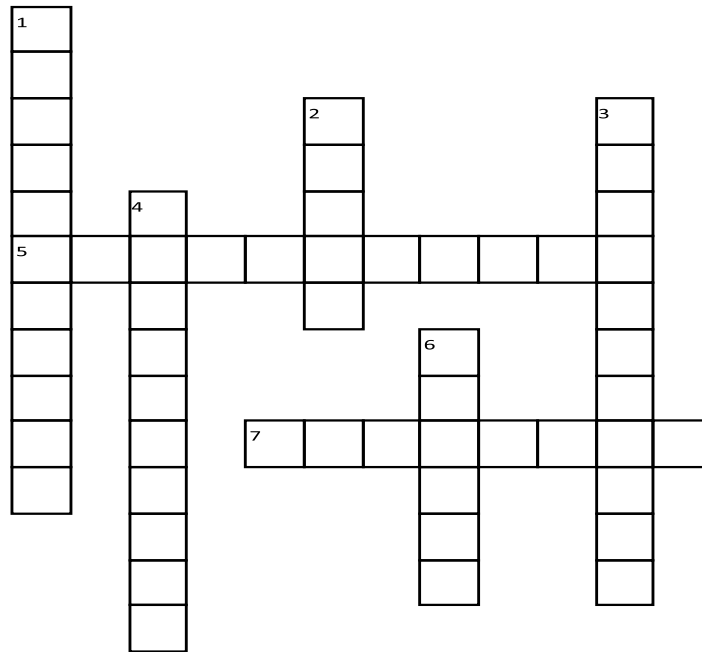
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B: 20 seconds

C: 1 minute

D: 10 seconds

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Down:

1. a little heat added to chocolate snacks for spicy fans.
2. a meaty snack from pigs covered in chocolate.
3. A spongy white sweet treat usually used in rice crispy treats.
4. a red fruit with tiny seeds usually dipped in chocolate for Valentine's Day.
6. oranges lemons limes and grapefruit candied and dipped in chocolate.

Across:

5. a crispy salty savory snack made from potatoes and are amazing dipped in chocolate.
7. a twisted salty savory treat with a nice crisp.

Answers:

1 Down: Chili Peppers

2 Down: Bacon

3 Down: Marshmallow

4 Down: Strawberry

6 Down: Citrus

5 Across: Potato Chips

7 Across: Pretzels