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Fun Facts about the month of AUGUST

THE AUGUST BIRTH MONTH:

- Birthstone is the peridot and sardonyx.
- Flower is the poppy and gladiolus.
- Zodiac signs are Leo and Virgo.

SPECIAL DAYS IN AUGUST 2022

- Peach Month
- National Eye Exam Month
- Romance Awareness Month
- National Picnic Month
- National Family Fun Month
- National Golf Month
- August 12th: Middle Child Day
- August 21st: World Senior Citizen's Day
- August 26th: International Dog Day
- August 26th: National Women's Equality Day

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS:

Week 1: National "Simplify your Life" Week
Week 2: National Smile Week
Week 3: Friendship Week
Week 4: "Be Kind to Humankind" Week

THE MONTH OF AUGUST...IN HISTORY:

- August 1, 1876: Colorado became the 38th state of the United States.
- August 1, 1944: Anne Frank wrote her last entry into her well-known diary.
- August 2, 1909: The Lincoln cent (Lincoln penny) was issued by the U.S. Mint.
- August 6, 1945: The first Atomic Bomb was dropped over the center of Hiroshima
- August 9, 1974: Richard M. Nixon resigned from office as a result of the Watergate scandal making him the first US president to ever do so.
- August 12, 1898: Hawaii was annexed by the United States.
- August 15, 1969: Woodstock began in NY.
- August 28, 1963: Dr. Martin Luther, King, Jr. made his famous "I Have a Dream" speech during the March on Washington.

Did you know?

The month of August was named after the first emperor of Rome, Caesar Augustus.

What's in season?

Blood oranges	Beets
Fuji Apples	Broccoli
Blueberries	Cabbage
Cantaloupe	Celery
Figs	Corn
Nectarines	Cucumbers
Peaches	Spinach
Strawberries	Tomatoes

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