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Are you a spicy food fan? Not so much? Some haven't tolerated spice their entire lives, while others have loved it their entire lives. Some found a happy medium and became spice girls and boys at some point down the line. New research shows there may be some method to this madness - a scientific one, in fact.

The recent 2021 Nobel Prize in Medicine and Physiology winners can shed some light on the subject. Dr. Ardem Patapoutain and Dr. David Julius focused on the body's receptors, specifically those related to temperature and touch. Their studies included testing with the organic compound capsaicin. It's what gives us the "mouth's on fire" feeling when we eat spicy food. The further the testing went, the more environmental factors were considered. Testing in warmer climates was included. As trials went on, a conclusion became clear: Cells responded to both heightened temperatures as well as capsaicin. Thus, a new discovery was made and TRP, the temperature sensing protein, emerged.

Now that you know environmental factors play a role in your spice-o meter, does it change the way you feel about it? There are a lot of scientific variables that affect our palettes. Something to keep in mind.

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## SUNDAY MONDAY



10:45 Words of Hope 11:00 Movements Of Power 1:00 Tai Chi Essentials 1:30 Gin Rummy is Here 2:00 Backroad Travel Experiences
2:00 Every Now \& Zen
7:30 Action Presents Batman

1 | 10:45 Aqua Stretch \& Swim | 2 | 10:00 Be Tech Savvy | 3 |
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| 11:00 Reach and Stretch |  | 11:00 Fired Up Fitness |  |
| 1:00 Powerback with Tai Chi | 1:00 | Book club Presents |  |
| 2:00 Word Chain Duel | 2:00 | Back In Time |  |
| 3:00 Fun With Bacci | 3:00 | Garden Scavenger Hunt |  |
| 4:00 Old School Whiskeypedia | 3:30 | Vocals by Julie |  |
| 7:15 | Let's Get Cycling | 4:00 On The Green Again |  |
| 7:30 Popcorn \& A Movie | 7:15 Residents Vs. Staff |  |  |
|  |  | 7:30 |  |
|  |  |  | The Kings Daughter |

9:00 Word In Review 11:00 The Sketchbook Project 1:30 Men's Pool Challenge 2:30 Bet On Your Chances 3:00 Four Corners Wins It All 3:30 Five Of A Kind Beats All 7:15 Paint By Number 7:30 Cinema Magic: Dog

7 10:45 Inspiration Bible Study 11:00 Stretch And Flex 1:00 Learn Phase 10 2:00 Yoga On The Rocks 3:30 We All Scream For Trivia 3:30 Pietro's Piano Concert 4:00 Folk Tales and Fables 7.15 East Rolls The Dice 7:30 Movie: Iron Mask

10:45 Aqua Cardio Challeng 11:00 Suited Pokeno War 11:00 Stability In Movement 1:00 Power Of Art 2:00 All Wild Uno 3:30 Songs To Live By 4:00 And That's Rumoli 7:15 Nighttime Comedy Theater

910 11:00 Moving With Purpose 12:00 Baked Potato Bar 1:00 Health Rhythm Techniques Techniques 3:00 Eights Are Wild 7:15 Work it Out 7:30 Phantom of the Opera
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16 10:00 Technology \& Wellness 10:00 All Smiles Day
10:45 Upper Room Devotions 11:00 Cardio Fitness Corner 2:00 Fusion Word Play 2:00 Strike A Pose 3:00 All In Win Or Los 3:30 All That Jazz 7:30 At The Movies 10:00 You And Me By The Sea 22 10:45 Words Of Inspiration 11:00 Fit For Life 11:00 Winds And Dragons 2:00 What's In That Sequence? 2:00 Keep Calm \& Yoga 3:00 Red Hat Ladies Mee 4:00 Make The Dealer Bust First 7:30 Sixty Seconds Guess Who

15 10:45 Aquatic Pool Experts 11:00 Forever Fit Exercise 11:00 Forever Fit Exercise 1:00 Breakable Heart Molds 1:00 Qigong With Powerback :00 Dealer Deals Twenty-One 3:00 Sip \& Paint
4:00 Sports Trivia Challenge 7:30 Comedy Presents: Blithe Spirit

10:00 Technology \& Wel 11:00 Stretch and Be Fit
11:30 Bridge Friends Luncheon 11:30 Bridge Friends Luncheo 2:30 Double Duplicate Bridge 1:00 Play Or Pass
2:00 Royal Straight Flush
3:00 Smartini Group Discussion 7:15 Make A Move
7:30 Drama Presents: Greenland
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10:45 Time Lapse Aquacise 11:00 Stress Buster Exercise 11:00 Fourteen Tile Mahjong 1:00 Art with Powerback 2:00 Make The Dealer Bust 3:00 It's All In The Bacci 7:30 Silver Screen Presents

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| 3 | 10:30 St. Helen's Communion |
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| 10:45 Hydro Workout Aquatics |  |
| 11:00 Emphasis on Fitness |  |
| 1:00 Raise The Curtain |  |
| 2:00 | What's In That Sequence? |
| 3:30 | Uno Flip Strategies |
| 3:30 | Kentucky Daze |
| 6:30 | Oslo Chamber Orchestra |
| 7:30 | Movie Night: Dream Horse |
|  | 10:30 St. Helen's Keep the |
| $\quad$ Faith |  |
| 10:45 Low Impact Aquatics |  |
| 11:00 Tone Up Exercise |  |
| 1:00 Lights Camera Action |  |
| 2:00 Cut, Deal \& Fold |  |
| 3:00 Roll that Sequence |  |
| 3:30 Karaoke For All |  |
| 7:30 | Big Puzzle Mania |

10:30 Disciples of Truth 10:45 Aqua Cardio Exercise 11:00 Longevity Land Exercise 1:00 Center Stage Drama 2:00 Shuffle Up \& Deal 3:00 Bocce Ball Battles 3:00 Becce Ball Battles 3:30 Beautiful Piano Soun 4:00 Creative Art \& Ink 7:30 Movie: The Father 10:30 Catholic Rosary For All 25 10:45 Ultimate Water Club 11:00 Raise The Dumbbells 12:00 Coastal Pizza Party 1:00 Broadway In Midday 2:00 Fill Or Bust 3:30 Name That Tune 4:00 Finish The Pair 7:15 Thirty-Second Madness


9:00 Morning Conversation 10:30 Aquatic Water Curls 11:00 Zumba Gold For Seniors 1:00 Trivia Countdown Begins 2:00 Can You Get A Triple?
3:30 Highest Double Starts
5:00 Kentucky Derby Watch
Party
7:30 News Of The World

| 11:00 | Body Balance Exercise | 12 | 10:30 | Powerhouse Pool |
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| 11:30 | CW. Willis Family Farm | Aquatics |  |  |
| 1:00 | How's Your Aim Cornhole? | 11:00 | Word Search Wizards |  |
| 2:00 | Power House QiGong | Timed Trivial Pursuit |  |  |
| 2:00 | It's A Gamble of Fun | Name Your Game |  |  |
| 3:00 | Scattergories and |  |  |  |
| 3:00 | Wild Card Creations |  | Categories |  |
| 3:30 | Dance, Dance, Dance | 3:30 | Broadway with Johnny |  |
| 7:30 | Pay It Forward | 7:15 | Health To You |  |
|  | 7:30 | Netflix New Release |  |  |

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1.00 Move And 10:30 Watermind And Fit 11:00 Zumba Gold For Seniors 1:00 Challenge Yourself To

## Rummikub <br> 1:00 Quoting The Quotes 2:00 Calling Whole Board

 2:00 Qigong With Powerback 3:00 Fun With Rackin' Rack-O 4:00 Acceptable Buzz Words 7:30 Backyard Game Night2:00 Game On Speak Out 2:00 Game On Spea
3:30 All That Rhyth
4:00 Skip-Bo In The Afternoon 7:15 DVD Madness Night

9:30 Florida Oceanographic 26 Coastal Center

10:00 Coastal Aquatic Creation 27 10:30 Low Impact Aquatics 11:00 Core Balance Workou 1:00 Bean Bag Anyone? 2:00 Calming Senses Qigong 3:00 Men's Pool League 3:30 Karaokee With Jim 4:00 Reaction Word Challenge 7:30 Netflix Movie Night

1:00 Steps For Chang 1:00 Ten Blitz Battle 2:00 Mind Over Matter 3:00 Rocking Tile Rummikub 3:30 All That Music 4:00 Sudoku Number Showdown 7:15 Red Carpet Premiere

10:00 Morning Prayer Service 28
11:00 No Vowel Challenge 11:30 Hot Seat,Can You Guess It? 1:00 Team Jeopardy Challenge 1:30 Universal Pool Sharks 2:00 Today's Canasta Mania 3:00 Bet, Check, Fold
4:00 It's All In The Moves
7:30 Death on The Nile

11:00 Strength And Conditioning 11:00 How Do I Meld Thirty? 1:00 Win Lose or Draw 2:00 It's All In The Cards 3:00 No Time Like Today 3:30 Memorial Day Happy Hour 4:00 Make The Dealer Bust 7:15 A Sixty-Second Challenge

10:45 Pool Noodle Aqua Fitness
11:00 Dealer Wins All 11:00 Stretch And Be Fit 1:00 Croquet In The Garden 2:00 What's In That Sequence? 3:00 First Pinochle Wins
3:30 Musical By Julie 7:30 Netflix Presents- 42

30 11:00 Stretch and Tone 31 12:30 Social Bridge With Friends 1:00 Acrylics on Point

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2:00 Baseball Swing Derby

4:00 Words With Friends
7:30 Movie and Popcorn


## Happy MOTHER'S DAY



In the U.S., Mother's Day was first suggested in 1872 by Julia Ward Howe (who wrote the words to the Battle Hymn of the Republic) as a day dedicated to peace. Howe held organized Mother's Day meetings in Boston every year.

In 1907, Anna Jarvis from Philadelphia began a campaign to establish a national Mother's Day in May. In 1914, President Woodrow Wilson finally proclaimed Mother's Day a national holiday to be held each year on the second Sunday of May.

## Here is a small list <br> of favorite "Momisms":

- "It's all fun and games until someone gets hurt." - "If you don't have anything nice to say, don't say anything at all."
"Close that door! Were you born in a barn?"
- "Don't put that in your mouth; you don't know where it's been!'
"Just wait until your Father gets home!"
- "Always wear clean underwear; what if you're in an accident?"


## A horse of a DIFFERENT COLOR

At its inception in 1875, the Kentucky Derby was designed to be a show of pageantry as well as a horse race-a vision of Meriwether Lewis Clark, Jr. Clark appealed to those of elevated stature to attend the elite event. Fancy attire became the norm, as it was indicative of such stature at the time. The more eye-catching and fashionable, the better, and this included ladies' headwear.

Clark's initial vision set the stage for the fashion fanfare of the Kentucky Derby, which occurs May 6-7 this year. Among the sea of polished suits and designer daywear are many women donning ornately extravagant hats, which are not only tradition, but also a source of good luck.

Speaking of good luck, what are some other race rituals?

- Something known as a hot brown sandwich is commonplace during Derby days. Back in the 1920s, the Brown Hotel created the upscale offering that's transitioned into a Derby delicacy. Tomato, bacon and turkey are topped with Mornay sauce on thick toast in an open-face display Bourbon is the staple liquor. Old Forester and Woodford Reserve are the former and current brands of choice.
- Naturally, bourbon would be a key ingredient in the traditional Derby drink, the
Mint Julep. It was served back in 1875 and
now more
than 120,000
are served
annually.



## SPAGE: THE FINRL FRONT/ER

Do you ever look up at the night sky and marvel in all its wonder and beauty? It's hard to avoid becoming enthralled with its magnificence. There's so much color, light and vastness to behold, especially in the far reaches of the countryside, where you aren't limited by the city lights and smog.

It makes celebrating National Space Day on May 6 that much better. This occasion is celebrated on the frst Friday of May annually and acknowledges the universe, the strides made in science and research, and exploration of the unknown. In honor of Space Day, let's look at a few of the U.S. achievements, noteworthy milestones and all-around trivia related to the outer realm.

- In 1992, Dr. Mae Jemison became the first African-American female astronaut to make her way into outer space
- In 1999, Eileen M. Collins became the space shuttle's first female space commander.
- In 1958, Explorer 1 launched. It was the first American satellite orbiting earth.
- Two meals were aboard Apollo 11. The first meal included bacon squares, sugar cookie cubes, peaches, a pineap-ple-grapefruit drink and coffee. The second comprised cream of chicken soup, beef stew, date fruitcake, an orange drink and grape punch.
The astronauts aboard each space shuttle are each given 3.8 lbs. of food daily. One pound of that is packaging.
And, the facts become even more interesting as we delve deeper. There's so much to learn!


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"May the Force be with you:" You don't have to be a Star Wars fan to recognize that legendary quote, the inspiration behind Star Wars Day and its catch phrase, "May the Fourth be with you." Not surprisingly, the unofficial holiday is observed on May 4, and has been since 2011. The commemoration honors franchise writer and director George Lucas and the cultural phenomenon he birthed in 1977 with the release of "Star Wars: Episode IV - A New Hope."

How much do you know about the 12 franchise films? Here's some behind-the-scenes trivia to help you become better acquainted with all that is Star Wars.
Episode VI: Chewbacca had his own security squad during filming. Ironically, he needed protection from people chasing the elusive mythical creature

Bigfoot and also from hunters who mistook him for an actual animal.
Episode II: Members of the all-male pop group NSYNC originally had cameos as Jedi Knights. Lucas cut their scenes, though.
Episode I: The vehicle driven by Anakin Skywalker had a Maserati Birdcage frame as its foundation. Meanwhile, Obi-Wan Kenobi and Qui-Gon Jinn's communication devices were modeled after the Lady's Gillette razor.
Episode III: Darth Vader's exceptional army of clone troopers didn't include any actual humans. The soldier were 100 percent comput-er-generated imagery (CGI).


