



A LITTLE NEW YEAR'S TRIVIA

1. In what year did the ball-lowering celebration in Times Square first take place?
2. How much confetti drops in Time Square on New Year's Eve?
3. In what two years did the Times Square ball not drop and why?
4. In Italy, what color underwear do people wear on New Year's Eve to bring good luck and love?
5. What city is home to the New Year's Day Mummers Parade?
6. What landmark immigration station in New York Harbor officially opened on January 1, 1892?
7. How much does the Time Square ball weigh?
8. What female singer released her version of the song "What are You Doing New Year's Eve?" in 1960?
9. Who sings the popular version of "Auld Lang Syne" we know of today?
10. What famous action did Abraham Lincoln take on January 1, 1863? (answer on back)

REPUBLIC SERVICES

**YOUR TRASH SERVICE DAY IS CHANGING
BEGINNING ON JANUARY 6th 2025, YOUR
TRASH DAY WILL BE MONDAY
Republic Services will also be delivering
Republic Services Trash Carts to any
homeowners who do not have them.**

An English professor wrote the sentence:
"A woman without her man is nothing" on
the chalkboard and asked the class to
punctuate it properly.

The men in the class punctuated it as:
"A woman, without her man, is nothing."

The women in the class punctuated it as:
"A woman: without her, man is nothing."

Moral of the story: Punctuation is incredibly
powerful.

"Twas the month after Christmas and all through the house
Nothing would fit me, not even a blouse.
The cookies I'd nibbled, the eggnog I'd taste
All the holiday parties had gone to my waist.
When I got on the scales there arose such a number!
When I walked to the store (less a walk than a lumber)
I'd remember the marvelous meals I'd prepared
The gravies and sauces and beef nicely rared.
The wine and the rum balls, the bread and the cheese
And the way I'd never said, "No thank you, please."
As I dressed myself in my husband's old shirt
And prepared once again to do battle with dirt...
I said to myself, as only I can
"You can't spend the winter disguised as a man!"
So away with the last of the sour cream dip
Get rid of the fruit cake, every cracker and chip.
Every last bit of food that I like must be banished
Till all the additional ounces have vanished.
I won't have a cookie, not even a lick.
I'll want only to chew on a long celery stick.
I won't have hot biscuits, or corn bread or pie
I'll munch on a carrot and quietly cry.
I'm hungry, I'm lonesome, and life is a bore...
But isn't that what January is for?
Unable to giggle, no longer a riot
Happy New Year to all and to all a good diet!

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DATES TO REMEMBER

JANUARY 2025



- JANUARY 1st- HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!
BOROUGH OFFICES CLOSED
- JANUARY 14th- COUNCIL MEETING- 7 p.m.
- JANUARY 20th- MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY
- JANUARY 28th- ROYALTON AUTHORITY 5 p.m.



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JANUARY RECIPE
GERMAN PANCAKE



Ingredients

- 6 eggs
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup flour
- 1 cup sugar
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Directions

Preheat oven to 400 degrees.

Place butter in a 9 x 13 dish and place in the microwave until butter is melted- spread the butter evenly over the bottom of the pan.

Blend all other ingredients with a mixer until smooth and pour into baking dish. Bake 20- 25 minutes.

Sprinkle with 10x sugar and cut into squares.

ANSWERS TO TRIVIA

1. 1907
2. 1 TON
3. 1942 AND 1943- THIS WAS DUE TO WORLD WAR II LIGHT RESTRICTIONS
4. RED
5. PHILADELPHIA
6. ELLIS ISLAND
7. 11,875 POUNDS
8. ELLA FITZGERALD
9. GUY LOMBARDO AND HIS ROYAL CANADIANS
10. HE ISSUED THE EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION, DECLARING THAT ALL PEOPLE HELD AS SLAVES WITHIN THE REBELLIOUS STATES "ARE, AND HENCEFORWARD SHALL BE FREE."

***REMEMBER THE EASIEST WAY TO
ORGANIZE YOUR STUFF IS TO GET RID OF
MOST OF IT***

