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JUNE 2007

June 14...	Flag Day
June 17...	Bunker Hill Day (Massachusetts)
June 17...	Father's Day
June 21...	Summer Solstice (longest day of the year)
June 24...	St. Jean-Baptiste Day (Quebec)
June 30...	Full Moon

Other Interesting Dates

June 3... In 1965, the first American astronaut to make a spacewalk was Major Edward White II, when he spent 20 minutes outside the Gemini 4 capsule during Earth orbit at an altitude of 120 miles.

June 4... Pulitzer Prizes were first awarded in 1914.

June 5... In 1981, a epidemic disease, later to be named as AIDS, was briefly described by Dr. Michael Gottlieb of the University of California at Los Angeles in the newsletter of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control.

June 6... In 1961, a system for the detection of heart defects in children was perfected by the Chicago Heart Association.

June 8... Ice cream was first sold in the U.S. in 1786.

June 9... The first U.S. book was copyrighted in 1790.

June 10... The Salem witch trials started in Salem Village in the Massachusetts Bay Colony when Bridget Bishop, the first colonist to be tried, was hanged in 1692.

June 10... The first tornado was recorded in 1682.

June 12... The baseball was invented in 1839.

June 16... Look for June bugs around porch lights.

June 19... The Statue of Liberty arrived in the U.S. in 1885.

June 25... Virginia became 10th state to ratify the Constitution (1788).

June 26... The toothbrush was invented in 1498.

June 27... In 1847, New York and Boston were linked by telegraph wires.

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Fixed Dates

June 1...	International Children's Day
June 2...	I Love My Dentist Day
June 3...	Donut Day
June 5...	World Environment Day
June 6...	Family Day
June 6...	Hunger Awareness Day
June 10...	Corpus Christi
June 11...	Kamehameha Day (Hawaii)
June 12...	Birthday of Anne Frank (1929)
June 14...	Family History Day
June 15...	Smile Power Day
June 15...	Nature Photography Day
June 17...	Eat Your Vegetables Day
June 19...	Juneteenth (Texas, the oldest known celebration of the ending of slavery)
June 19...	Garfield the Cat Day
June 20...	Bald Eagle Day
June 21...	World Whale Day
June 22...	Take-Your-Dog-to-Work Day
June 23...	United Nations Public Service Day
June 24...	Celebration of the Senses
June 25...	Leon Day ("Leon" is "Noel" spelled backwards, means 6 months until Christmas!)

Weekly Observances

June 3-9...	International Volunteers Week - Stepparents Week - Take-a-Kid-Fishing Weekend
June 10-16...	National Flag Week - Little League Baseball Week
June 17-23...	Universal Fathers' Week

Monthly Observances

Adopt-a-Shelter-Cat Month
American Rivers Month
Child Vision Awareness Month
Dairy Month
Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Month
National Candy Month
National Rose Month
National Tennis Month
Student Safety Month
Turkey Lovers Month