



FUN APRIL FACTS

- There are two thoughts on how April got its name, but no one knows for certain. The first is that it got its name from Aphrodite, the Greek goddess of love. The second is that the word April in Latin means "to open" and refers to the flowers and trees opening.
- April is considered the funniest month.
- Professional baseball begins its season in April.
- The April Lyrids - Meteor showers happen each year between April 16 and April 26.
- The Titanic, a famous ship, hit an iceberg and sank on April 15, 1912.
- The first president of the United States, George Washington, was inaugurated on April 30, 1789.
- April is the equivalent of October in the Southern Hemisphere.
- The phrase "April Showers bring May Flowers" comes from a poem from the 1500s by Thomas Tusser.
- Some of the famous people with an April birthday are Queen Elizabeth II, Leonardo da Vinci, William Shakespeare, and Thomas Jefferson.

April's birth flowers are the daisy and sweet pea.
April's birthstone is the diamond; the zodiac signs
are Aries and Taurus.

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Health Rx

Here's To Your Good Health!

DRINKING WATER
BENEFITS OF DRINKING WATER

8 GLASSES PER DAY

INFOGRAPHICS ELEMENTS

KEEP SKIN LOOKING GOOD

GOOD MOOD & LOOK YOUNGER

WEIGHT LOSS

HELP YOUR KIDNEYS

HELP YOUR BOWELS

HELP YOUR BONES

ENERGIZE MUSCLE

HELP YOUR BRAIN

HELP YOUR LUNGS

HELP YOUR BLOOD

HELP YOUR EYES

70% BODY WATER

Notifications

Bonnie White's office has moved to Robyn Massie's old office on Lilac Garden.

You may now put payments for activities and outside activity events in the Resident Payments dropbox located in Bonnie White's office on Lilac Garden.



Would you like to support the MAHOVA Gift Shop? Do you have any handmade items you would like to donate? Please contact Susan Berryhill at 804-237-6795 in order to have a one-on-one meeting to review the items.

Book Ends

By Georgeen Carden

Lisa Scottoline

Lisa graduated magna cum laude with a BA in English in 3 years from the University of Pennsylvania in 1976. In 1981 she graduated cum laude from the U of PA law school. She began her law career as a clerk for a judge and then joined a law firm in Philadelphia. She left the law firm in 1986 to raise a newborn daughter and began writing fiction to support herself.

Scottoline's first novel was published in 1994 and became a best seller. Her second novel won an "Edgar". She continues to win awards and all 32 of her novels have been on "best seller" lists.

She does lots of research for her writing and works a full day, everyday; she likes to write 2000 words a day. She doesn't work from an outline, she just wants to tell a terrific story. She has co-written several books with her daughter, Francesca. She says her ideas come from her heart and life.

Scottoline loves dogs, cats, and horses and lives on a farm outside of Philadelphia. She also has chickens that I assume are not pets.

Corrupted begins with a highly respected Philadelphia lawyer going into jail to interview a young man who has been charged with murder. He claims he is innocent and has been framed.

The lawyer, Bennie Rosato, has represented the young man before. Bennie is a woman, almost six feet tall, and works for her own law firm Thirteen years prior, the young man and the victim he is accused of murdering had both been arrested for fighting in the middle school cafeteria. Bennie meets and falls in love with the other boy's uncle. Bennie had discovered some irregularities in the earlier case, but after disagreements with the boy's father over her relationship with the other boy's uncle, had been fired as his attorney.

Bennie takes the case partly from guilt because she wasn't able to free him from the penal system when he was 12. You'll need to read the book to see how it turns out. It is interesting to read if you're a fan of Pennsylvania law and court procedures. Unlike many crime novels, Corrupted has a gentle love story entwined. The story is based on an actual event in which two judges were sent to prison.

There are several Scottoline novels, both regular and large print, in the MAHOVA library, and others may be downloaded if you have a Henrico County Public Library card.

Anniversaries



April 18, 1953 Theodore & Betrice Holm

New Residents

Welcome

Kenneth and Zaida Lorente
Temple Lodge No. 9

Rodney Van Houten
Naomi Lodge No. 87

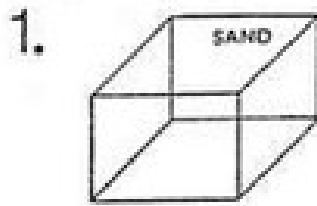
William Shortt
Springfield Lodge No. 217

In Memoriam



Shirley Armistead
Frances Coleman

BRAIN TEASERS




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BOARD

3. STAND
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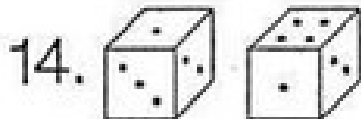
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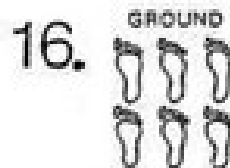
11. $\frac{KNEE}{LIGHT}$

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13. CHAIR



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17. MIND
MATTER

18. HE'S / HIMSELF

19. ECNALG

20. DEATH LIFE

March Movies

Movies start approximately at 6 PM. Channel 5.1 and TV Room

The Robe - Monday, April 3

In the Roman province of Judea during the first century, Roman tribune Marcellus Gallio is ordered to crucify Jesus of Nazareth but is tormented by his guilty conscience afterwards. Released: 1953. 2 hours 15 minutes. Not Rated Starring: Richard Burton, Jean Simmons, Victor Mature and Michael Rennie.

Easter Parade - Friday, April 7

A nightclub performer hires a naive chorus girl to become his new dance partner to make his former dance partner jealous and to prove he can make any partner a star. Released: 1948. 1 hour 43 minutes. Rated: G Starring: Judy Garland, Fred Astaire and Peter Lawford.

Beyond The Gates of Splendor - Monday, April 10

A beautifully crafted documentary about five young missionaries who were martyred by a savage tribe of Indians in the mid 1950's and the heroic effort of reconciliation that has followed. Released: 2002. 1 hour 36 minutes. Rated: PG-13 Starring: Steve Saint, Carmela and Dawa.

Guarding Tess - Friday, April 14

A former U.S. First Lady wants a particular Secret Service Agent to head her bodyguard detail, even though he can't stand her. Released: 1994. 1 hour 36 minutes. Rated: PG-13 Starring: Shirley MacLaine and Nicolas Cage.

Race - Monday, April 17

Jesse Owens' quest to become the greatest track and field athlete in history thrusts him onto the world stage of the 1936 Olympics, where he faces off against Adolf Hitler's vision of Aryan supremacy. Released: 2016. 2 hour 14 minutes. Rated: PG-13 Starring: Stephan James, Jason Sudeikis, Jeremy Irons and William Hurt.

March Movies

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The Fabelmans - Friday, April 21

Growing up in post-World War II era Arizona, young Sammy Fabelman aspires to become a filmmaker as he reaches adolescence; he soon discovers a shattering family secret and explores how the power of films can help him see the truth. Released 2022. 2 hours 31 minutes. Rated: PG-13 Starring: Michelle Williams, Gabriel LaBelle and Paul Dano.

Beyond the Sea - Monday, April 24

A swooning study of "Mack the Knife" singer Bobby Darin and specifically his relationship with wife Sandra Dee. One of America's greatest performers, Bobby Darin lived a rags-to-riches life. He worked his way from shady nightclubs to his dream destination, The Copacabana, where he wowed crowds with "Splish Splash" and other hits. He was a marvel at singing, songwriting and performing - stealing the hearts of fans everywhere despite the suffering in his own heart. Released: 2004. 1 hour 58 minutes. Rating: PG-13 Starring: Kevin Spacey, Kate Bosworth and John Goodman.

Oh, God! You Devil - Friday, April 28

George Burns returns as God, and as Satan. He plays devil-turned-agent Harry Tophet, who's transformed struggling musician Billy Shelton into a superstar rock idol. Naturally, their contract involves possession of the latter's soul - and a deal's a deal in the eternal scheme of things. Unless, of course, God intervenes. Released: 1984. 1 hour 37 minutes. Rating: PG Starring: George Burns, Ted Wass and Ron Silver.

Brain Teaser Answers:

1. Sandbox
2. Man Overboard
3. I understand
4. Reading between the lines
5. Long underwear
6. Crossroads
7. Downtown
8. Tri-cycle
9. Bi-Level
10. 3 degrees below zero
11. Neon light
12. Circle below the eyes
13. Highchair
14. Paradise
15. Touchdown
16. Six feet underground
17. Mind over matter
18. He's beside himself
19. Backwards glance
20. Life after death

Resident Birthdays

Happy Birthday to the following residents who celebrate their birthdays:

4/1 Frances Gillie
4/1 Nancy Lee Martin
4/2 Ann Hobson
4/4 John Carpenter
4/8 Tom Kaufman
4/9 Shirley Robinson
4/12 Marcella Campbell
4/12 Jane Harrison
4/16 Elizabeth Jones
4/17 Judy Burton
4/20 Kenneth Lorente
4/26 Peggy Roberts

Employee Birthdays

4/5 Tammy Walker
4/8 Wendy Connor
4/8 Vickie Jones
4/9 Juanita Oliver
4/14 Theresa Brown
4/14 Yvonne Green
4/19 Michael Jones
4/23 Sherica Miller
4/25 Robynn Mitchell
4/26 Genie Smith
4/26 Anne Hagen

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