



Teddy's Bear & Other Family Pets

I know you've all heard the story of our 26th President, the great game hunter, Theodore Roosevelt and his refusal to shoot a bear. Did you know that when he began his Presidency in 1901, he brought along six children and more animals than the White House had ever seen? The Roosevelt children's pets included a small bear named Jonathan Edwards, a lizard named Bill, guinea pigs named Admiral Dewey, Dr. Johnson, Bishop Doane, Fighting Bob Evans, and Father O'Grady. There was Maude the pig, Josiah the badger, Eli Yale the blue macaw; Baron Spreckle the hen, a one-legged rooster, a hyena, a barn owl, Peter the rabbit, and Algonquin the pony. Daughter, Alice, once had a pet garter snake she named Emily Spinach ("because it was as green as spinach and as thin as my Aunt Emily").

The Roosevelts were dog lovers as well. Among their many canines were Sailor Boy the Chesapeake retriever, Jack the terrier, Skip the mongrel, and Pete, a bull terrier who sank his teeth into so many legs that he had to be exiled to the Roosevelt home in Long Island! Alice also had a small black Pekingese named Manchu, which she received from the

last empress of China during a trip to the Far East. Alice once claimed to have seen Manchu dancing on its hind legs in the moonlight on the White House lawn. Sounds like Alice had quite an imagination.

Now, on to the important stuff.

The Week November 14-20 is:

- National Split Pea Soup Week
- Roc Your Mocs Week
- Medical Cannabis Week

Some celebrations only last a day:

- 14th**-International Girls Day
 - International Selfie Day
 - Loosen Up, Lighten Up Day
 - American Teddy Bear Day
 - National Family PJ Day
 - National Pickle Day
 - Spicy Guacamole Day
- 15th**-I Love to Write Day
 - Clean Out Your Refrigerator Day
 - National Bundt Pan Day
- 16th**-National Button Day
 - National Entrepreneurship Day
 - TechDay
 - Family Day
- 17th**-Homemade Bread Day
 - National Unfriend Day
 - Take a Hike Day

- 18th**-Married To a Scorpio Support Day
- National Princess Day
- National Apple Cider Day
- Push-Button Phone Day
- Use Less Stuff Day
- National Rural Health Day
- Parental Involvement Day
- 19th**-Have a Bad Day Day
- International Men's Day
- Rocky and Bullwinkle Day
- World Toilet Day
- 20th**-Family Volunteer Day

Have a great week & call if you need anything!

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NOVEMBER GIGGLES



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Upon Bernie's arrival, the scariest-costume competition was about to get a whole lot stiffer.