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Big Whopper Liar Day

I'm not exactly sure *why* we would ever celebrate liars, so I did what I always do. I did a little research.

The holiday began in 1988 in New Harmony, Indiana where "On this day, people spin fish tales, which are elaborate fictional stories that exaggerate something that a person has done or has witnessed." Well, that puts an entirely different spin on things, don't you think?

Each year, contestants take the stage in front of the crowd, and each contestant gets approximately 3-4 minutes to spin the most incredible yarn they can. Judges award points for exaggeration, humor, stage presence, & storytelling ability. It's about creating a tall tale to entertain the audience rather than actually lying.

I read some examples and saw many articles written by folks who obviously have no sense of humor at all. (I feel sorry for them.) Anyway, one liar really got fancy. This guy even put it in the form of a poem. Here's a little bit of it...

*Let's tell a tall tale
Let's spin a good yarn
Exaggerate fibs
To the size of a barn*

*Can I do this in verse?
Of course! Can't you see
There's no other poet
Who's better than me!*

*In my job, I'm the best
All my students agree
Every kid that I teach
Gets his own Ph.D.*

*Please consider my bod
Am I studly? You bet!
I'll lift eight thousand pounds
Without breaking a sweat*

*There are so many ways
I completely excel
Including, of course
Humbleness, can't you tell?*

*I can breakdance and sew
And bake prizewinning pies
But the thing that I'm best at
Is making up lies*

This was a great example that "wood" make Pinocchio proud. See what I did there?

Now for the important stuff.

The Week of September 15-21 is:

- Neonatal Nurses Week
- Truck Driver Appreciation Week
- International Clean Hands Week
- Construction Appreciation Week
- Indoor Plant Week

Some celebrations only last a day:

15th-Felt Hat Day

International Dot Day (our Dot?)

8-Track Tape Day

National Cheese Toast Day

National Day of the Cowgirl

Wife Appreciation Day

Double Cheeseburger Day

National Linguine Day

16th-National Guacamole Day

National Tattoo Story Day

National Play-Doh Day

Cinnamon Raisin Bread Day

17th-Citizenship Day

Constitution Day

Country Music Day

Apple Dumpling Day

Pro House Cleaners Day

18th-National Cheeseburger Day

National Ceiling Fan Day

Read An eBook Day

19th-National PawPaw Day

Butterscotch Pudding Day

Talk Like A Pirate Day

20th-National Bakery Day

National Fried Rice Day

Pepperoni Pizza Day

National Punch Day

National String Cheese Day

21st-Batman Day

Big Whopper Liar Day

Eat An Apple Day

National Pecan Cookie Day

National Clean Up Day

Have a great week & call me if you need a ride to church.

Serving Him & Loving it!

Carol 🥰

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Luke 7:23 ~ "Blessed are those who are not offended by me."



"Look, I'm Cinderelli"

It's fun to watch them raise themselves. Her mother had the same fun fashion sense. This dress has that great "twirl" factor, but those socks & shoes. Wow. Love my little 2-year old!