# RESIDENT DAILY DELIGHT 



## It's National One Cent Day!

National One Cent Day is a day dedicated to the history and origins of the one cent coin, better known as the penny. The one cent coin has been in circulation in the United States since 1793, but the modern image of the coin, bearing the face of American President Abraham Lincoln didn't come into circulation until 1909. Previous to this date the coins bore the mark of a Native American in traditional head-dress. The name "penny" is a colloquialism derived from the English penny, though it is pluralized to "pennies" in the US, rather than the British "Pence".

This coin was soon replaced with the Indian Head cent in 1859, which quickly became popular and remained in circulation for decades.
The image of Lincoln on the coins came to pass as part of a decision made by President Roosevelt to increase the artistic merit of the American currency system. To accomplish this goal he brought on a sculptor by the name of Augustus Saint-Gaudens, to redesign the existing American coinage. This was an auspicious day for the currency system of the USA, as prior to this no currency had ever borne the face of an actual person.
One Cent Day is a great day to recall the history of this coin! You can celebrate by making small purchases only in pennies, putting coins in the 'need a penny, take a penny, have a penny, leave a penny' trays at stores, or if you're feeling especially adventurous, pave an entire floor with pennies!


## ON THIS DAY...

## April 1, 1966

David Bowie's first solo single is released, "Do Anything You Say." It is a flop.

## DID YOU KNOW???

 Valuable Pennies...Check your pockets! If you happen to find an 1869 Indian head penny it could be worth up to $\$ 750$. A 1923 wheat penny was produced in a low quantity of roughly 74 million. In 1943, American copper was strictly regulated on domestic soil since so much of the metal was sent overseas to support the war effort. Pennies were produced from stainless steel, making any copper pennies that were accidentally minted in 1943 a type of metallic forbidden treasure.


## Today's Trivia

What penny candy came in a brown barrel shape? The treat lasted a long time and had a very distinct flavor.

A. Root Beer

B. Cola
C. Moxie
D. Beer

## Today's Wisdom:

A penny saved is not a penny earned if at the end of the day, you still

## owe a quarter.

## - Mary Landrieu

## Today's Riddle:

Why didn't the nickel roll down the hill with the penny?
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## DAILY WORD SEARCH

## A Penny for Your Thoughts

RR JV PL I NH S PL Z P
GE Q DG V LE RY CR EA
H J PD FE Q CO P PE R D
HG ERALONECENTP
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TERCGREDCENTIN
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E pluribus unum
Lincoln
Penny
US Mint
Coin

Copper
Farthing
One Cent
Pence
Penny Pinch

Pennyworth
Pound Foolish
Red Cent
Shield

## FUN WITH MAD LIBS! "FUN APRIL FOOL’S JOKES"

Unroll the toilet paper and leave a $\qquad$ message for the unsuspecting $\qquad$ . Then, roll the toilet

Use a Q-tip to put gel $\qquad$ coloring around (noun)
the inside of the faucet in the bathtub or $\qquad$ .
(noun)
When the $\qquad$ is turned on, you'll have colored (noun)
$\qquad$
(noun)
Just when they thought April Fools $\qquad$ was over, here's one last prank.

Remove the pillows and fill their pillowcases with several partially inflated $\qquad$ .

> (noun-plural)

When they put their $\qquad$ down to sleep,
(body part)
they'll realize you got the last
Fools laugh.

## WORD JUMBLE

Every answer uses only the letters in the word: How many can YOU make?

## Pennyworth

## Across

2. Had a shirt on
3. Nada, zip, nil
4. Influence
5. Value
6. Captain America (ex).
7. She/ $\qquad$
8. Inflection

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 8. Great buildup }
\end{aligned}
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## Sudoku

## HOW TO PLAY SUDOKU

OBJECTIVE: Fill a $9 \times 9$ grid so that each column, each row, and each of the nine $3 \times 3$ boxes (also called blocks or regions) contains the digits from 1 to 9.

A cell is the smallest block in the game. Rows, columns, and regions each consist of 9 cells, and the whole game consists of 81 cells. A region has thicker lines surrounding it.

The most basic strategy to find missing numbers is scanning and it consists of:

1) Crosshatching - Scan rows and columns to eliminate where a specific number can be in a given region.
2) Counting - Simply count all the different numbers in a row, column, and region that connect to one cell. If there is just one number missing, then that's what should be in the cell.

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## HINTS:

Until you've had lots of practice figuring out puzzles, here are some questions that you can ask as you play to help you to make progress:

- Where could I place the value $X$ in this row/column /box? (Go through the numbers 1 to 9 , and scan to see if the number is already in that row / column / box)
- What value could I put in this cell? (If there's just one acceptable - put it in!)
- What row / column / box is nearly full, and con I fill it?


## WORD SEARCH SOLUTION A Penny for Your Thoughts

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| 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 6 |
| 4 | 9 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 9 |
| 7 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 5 |
| 6 | 4 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 3 |
| 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 1 |


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| 8 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| 5 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 9 | 1 |

## Trivia Answer:

A. Root Beer

Riddle Answer:
Because it had more cents

## Pennyworth


9.

