

WHO AM I?



- After my '77 sitcom, I didn't have to get on a soapbox about my acting talent.
- When my '89 rom-com came out, I was able to sally forth as a movie star.
- For the love of Mike! It really did take them a dozen years to make a sequel to my monster 2001 hit.

- A. Albert Brooks □ B. Billy Crystal □
C. Martin Short □



- Wonders never cease! I got my break as Lynda Carter's girl sidekick back in the '70s.
- I surely have no endearment for the co-star of my '83 movie.
- After my '95 pic with the guy above, I retired to Hollywood's shadowlands for a good six years.

- A. Lorraine Bracco □ B. Holly Hunter □
C. Debra Winger □

Answers: Billy Crystal, Debra Winger

My Kid Looks Like...

"My girl Daisy could play Salma Hayek's daughter in *Grown Ups 3!*"
— Gina I., Aberdeen, N.J.

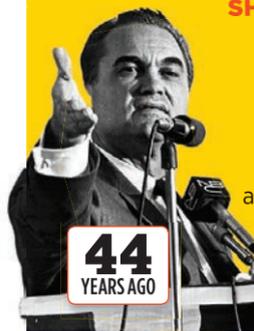


It Happened This Week

RELEASED: Pet Sounds God only knows what rock would've been like if Brian Wilson and the Beach Boys hadn't released their landmark album on May 16, 1966.

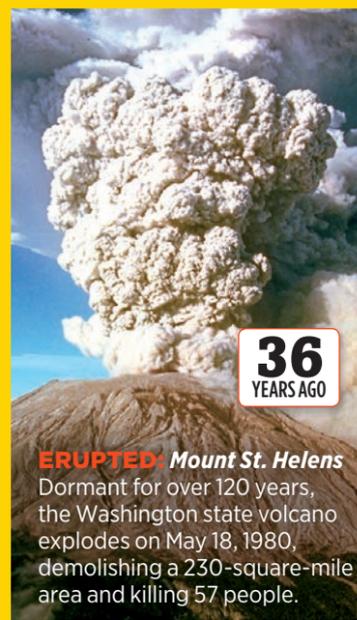


50 YEARS AGO



44 YEARS AGO

SHOT: George Wallace On May 15, 1972, the Alabama governor is paralyzed by a would-be assassin in the middle of his campaign for president.



36 YEARS AGO

ERUPTED: Mount St. Helens Dormant for over 120 years, the Washington state volcano explodes on May 18, 1980, demolishing a 230-square-mile area and killing 57 people.



30 YEARS AGO

TOP GUN RELEASED

Feel the need...the need for speed? On May 16, 1986, Tom Cruise satisfied that desire when his movie about the lives and loves of naval fighter pilots takes off. Now see if these questions take your breath away.

1 Which aircraft carrier did Tom's Lt. Pete "Maverick" Mitchell serve aboard?

- A USS Enterprise
B USS Kitty Hawk
C USS Midway

2 During fighter training, Maverick's rival was Val Kilmer's Iceman. What was the call sign of his radar man?

- A Merlin
B Slider
C Wolfman

3 Before Kelly McGillis got it, which Brat Packer turned down the part of Tom's *Top Gun* instructor, Charlie?

- A Demi Moore
B Molly Ringwald
C Ally Sheedy

4 With songs like "Danger Zone," the pic's soundtrack flew up the charts — pushing whom out of the top spot?

- A Patti LaBelle
B Madonna
C Lionel Richie

5 After the success of *Top Gun*, which movie did Tom and director Tony Scott go on to make together?

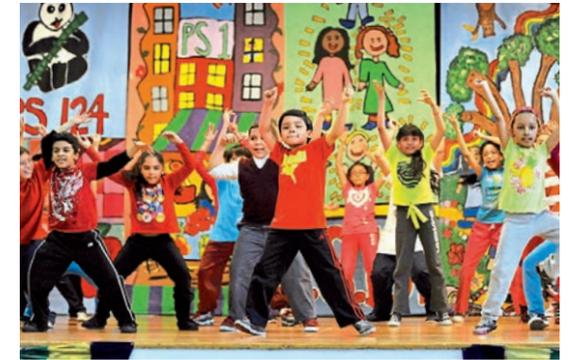
- A *Days of Thunder*
B *Thunderheart*
C *Tropic Thunder*

CLOSER TO THE HEART

TALES OF GENEROSITY

Bringing Dance to All Children

Jacques d'Amboise's mother believed that a person was not truly educated until he had training in the arts — but sadly, classes like dance are often the first cut from underfunded schools. Since 1976, Jacques, 81, a legendary former member of the New York City Ballet, has been bringing free dance classes to low-income public school kids through his nonprofit National Dance Institute. "These kids have so much stress in their lives,"



"To have a moment in the day when kids can dance...is fantastic!"

— Charlotte d'Amboise

Charlotte d'Amboise, Jacques' daughter says. "When you have all this energy, dance is the best thing." Today the Institute serves 6,000 students around New York and hopes to expand. "It would be great if it were in every school," she says.

KINDNESS MATTERS

Funds to Become a Family

Tristan Jacobson's greatest wish was to be legally adopted into his foster family, so he decided to help earn the \$5,000 needed for legal fees with a lemonade stand! As his story spread, people all over his Springfield, Mo., community sought out Tristan's stand, selling \$1 bottles of lemonade, and helped him raise \$6,500 for his adoption costs. "It's so heartwarming to see people react to my little boy," says mom Donnie Davis. Now "he is able to see that people care about him other than his mom and dad."

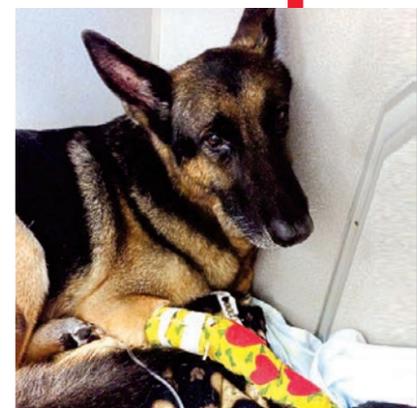


EVERYDAY HERO

Brave Dog Saves Two Lives

An unlikely hero is being credited with rescuing two children from a recent house fire in central Florida. When firefighters arrived on the scene, they were told that two small children were still trapped inside the burning home. Maxx, the family's German

shepherd, helped guide rescuers though the smoke to recover a 2-year-old girl and 4-year-old boy, children of Army veteran Margo Feaser. Maxx was taken to a vet where he was treated for smoke inhalation, but the faithful canine is expected to fully recover.



Answers: 1: A; 2: B; 3: C; 4: A; B; C (It was No. 1 on three occasions in 1986.); 5: A

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