

For the week of:  
**03|27|2023**

Get the low-down from a high-up perspective!

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## MONDAY 3/27

**Harvey Kennedy developed the contemporary shoelace with an aglet** in England today in 1790. The plastic cap at the end of the lace, known as an "aglet," prevents it from unraveling, making it simpler to feed through eyelets.

## TUESDAY 3/28

**The world's largest dinosaur footprint**—measuring over 5 feet—was found in Western Australia in 2017. These prints belonged to a sauropod and were part of a huge finding of 150 tracks. The scientists also found footprints of a Stegosaurs, which had not yet been found in Australia.

## WEDNESDAY 3/29

Today in 1982, a **16-foot jump shot by 19-year-old freshman Michael Jordan with 15 seconds left gives the Tar Heels a 63-62 victory against Georgetown**, securing them the NCAA Tournament title. Jordan later told reporters, "I didn't see it go in. I didn't want to look."

## THURSDAY 3/30

Doodle, scribble or write, today on **National Pencil Day** pick up one of these tools and let your imagination run wild! People have been using leaded writing instruments since the 1st century B.C., but it wasn't until 1858 when the modern pencil was patented.

## FRIDAY 3/31

**The Standard Time Act was signed into law today**, in 1918, making Daylight Saving Time official. As a result, there were more daylight hours which reduced energy costs. The five time zones that we know today were also created by this law.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- The word aglet comes from the Old French word, *aguillette*, which means needle. An aglet is like a small needle at the end of a cord.
- How many known species of extinct dinosaurs are there? **Roughly 700.**
- In honor of his 60th birthday this year, **Michael Jordan made a \$10 million donation to Make-A-Wish America.** According to the company, his contribution is the largest from an individual in the history of Make-A-Wish.
- During its lifespan, a pencil can draw a **35 mile-long line** and write around **45,000 words.**
- **The U.S. Department of Transportation** oversees the nation's time zones and the uniform observance of daylight saving time. The oversight of time zones was assigned to the DOT to help keep track of transportation.

## ... And the Latest from Ambassador

Connect with the crew from **Focus on the Family** during NRB!  
Greet John Fuller and other members from the Focus team in Orlando at one of their open houses:

**Tuesday (5/23) 10–11:30AM**

**Wednesday (5/24) 2–4PM**

Focus Suite (Location TBD)

Contact [Rebecca@ambaa.com](mailto:Rebecca@ambaa.com) for more info. We'd love to see you there!

"Faith is not a power which you possess to create your own future. Faith is a God-given ability to trust the future that God has promised you."

**John MacArthur**  
*Grace to You*