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MAY SERVICE AWARDS

Celebrating Pacific Employee Anniversaries

2 YEARS

Reynolds, Charles

6 YEARS

Brown, Justine

13 YEARS

Woodruff, Dallin

20 YEARS

Singh, Gurmit

5 YEARS

Aguilar, Jesse

Chavez, Orlando

Clouse, Nicholas

Clouse, Susan

Clouse, William

Nichols, David

Trost, Eric

Thoughts from Richard Steed

June is the month of Father's Day so that's what's been on my mind. I wonder how much of his fatherhood a man carries into other aspects of his life? I know I changed immediately when I became a father. In fact, I began changing just knowing I was about to be one. It's not something I tried to do, it just happened. I became more attentive to my wife, and to the neighborhood children.

There was no question of whether I wanted to be there when my child was born. Some sort of inner feeling just took over. As my child grew I developed a new perspective and deeper understanding toward my own parents.

Not only did I change in relation to my immediate family, this new fatherly attitude seemed to spread out across the entire spectrum of my life—in my interactions with people, however seemingly insignificant, on a daily basis. I started holding the door for people more often.

I have also carried fatherhood into my work life. As my own business grew, and I grew to love it more, I began to see the father-child relationship play out there, too, as I nurtured and watched my business grow. Since my business grows only because of customers like you, it's my hope that I've also carried a fatherly love not only to my very first customers, but also to my most recent ones.

Here are some parallels I came up with:

- A father helps clean and organize. I hope to do that by allowing you to take your records offsite.
- A father gets things for you when you need them. Kind of like how we retrieve your files for you 24/7 isn't it?
- A father watches over things and helps you plan for the future. Hmmmm . . . can you say "Disaster Recovery?"
- A father makes sure siblings get along and the best way to do this is by maintaining security of the home. Kids get along better when they feel secure. We protect your records, giving you security so your office and operations can not only get along, but thrive!

Of course you're a father, too, to all of your customers. But since it's Father's Day, just lay back in your hammock this June and allow us to serve you!

Richard

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One (1) Hard Drive shredded FREE for every five (5) you bring in during the month of June!

How to Live Like a Millionaire

Did you know that winning the lottery is not the best way to become a millionaire? In fact, more than 90 percent of lottery winners burn through their money within ten years, with some using up their cash within weeks or months. The true secret is that millionaires don't rely on a quick buck. There are some consistent patterns that millionaires live by that you can imitate on your own road to richness.

Saving and Investing, Not Earning

Millionaires tend to see their money differently than many folks. They perceive their money as a tool for saving and investing, not just as income to spend. They may, for example, live in a smaller home than they could actually afford, in order to have remaining income to invest. In fact, most people would be surprised to learn that many people who have amassed large investment portfolios live rather simply.

Keeping Their Eyes on the Goal

These millionaires tend to be very focused on their goal of financial success and persevere throughout their lifetimes. They tend to work out short- and long-term plans, including writing down their goals and the methods they intend to use to get there. They are also willing to make sacrifices for the long term.

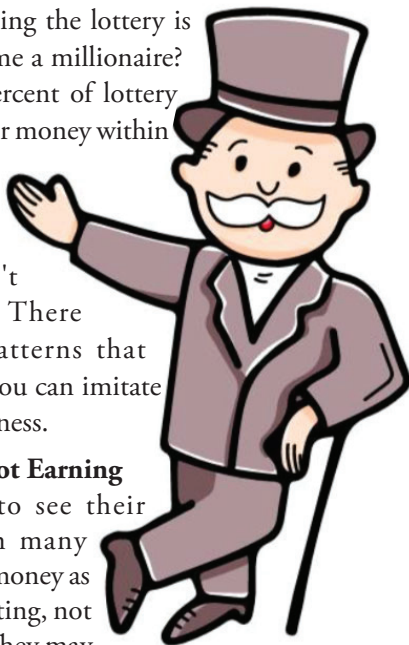
Willing to Take Risks

Millionaires also realize that they need to take some calculated risks in order to maximize their investment earning potential. They understand that they will not become rich by storing their saved cash under their mattresses. Rather, they spend the time necessary to learn to invest in the smartest way possible.

Sharing the Wealth

Although donating some of their fortune can offer tax benefits, most millionaires are generous with their money regardless. Giving away some of your treasure often leads to more creative thinking and is a motivation to earn more and make your money work harder.

So, can you become a millionaire? There are currently 13.6 million households in the United States with a net worth of over \$1 million. The vast majority of those are people who have slowly amassed their fortune over their lifetime. So, while you may buy a lottery ticket from time to time, remember that you can create your own winnings if you are focused, have a plan, and use your money wisely.



June Holidays and Events

Daily Observances:

- 1: Global Day of Parents
- 2: National Rocky Road Day
- 3: World Bicycle Day
- 4: National Cheese Day
- 5: World Environment Day
- 6: National Yo-Yo Day
- 7: National Chocolate Ice Cream Day
- 8: World Oceans Day
- 9: National Strawberry Rhubarb Pie Day
- 10: National Iced Tea Day
- 11: National Corn on the Cob Day
- 12: World Day Against Child Labour
- 13: National Sewing Machine Day
- 14: World Blood Donor Day
- 15: Nature Photography Day
- 16: Fudge Day
- 17: World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought
- 18: International Picnic Day
- 19: National Martini Day
- 20: World Refugee Day
- 21: National Selfie Day
- 22: World Rainforest Day
- 23: International Widows' Day
- 24: Swim a Lap Day
- 25: Global Beatles Day
- 26: National Chocolate Pudding Day
- 27: National Sunglasses Day
- 28: Paul Bunyan Day
- 29: Camera Day
- 30: Social Media Day

Monthly Observances:

- National Dairy Month
- National Ocean Month
- National Safety Month
- National Microchip Month
- Men's Health Month
- National Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Month
- National Great Outdoors Month
- National Iced Tea Month
- National Rose Month
- National Candy Month
- National Aquarium Month
- National Camping Month
- National Papaya Month
- National Dairy Alternatives Month
- National Accordion Awareness Month
- National Country Cooking Month
- National Soul Food Month

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Do You Want To Win A \$25 Amazon Gift Card?



Each month we'll give you a new challenge of some type. All those who reply with a correct answer are eligible to win. At the end of the month we'll draw the name of one lucky winner.

Here is this month's challenge:

I dance in June's twilight with a warm, gentle glow;
what am I, flitting to and fro?

Last Month's Answer to:

*Why did the dinosaur cross the road?
To eat the chicken!*

Last month's Winner:

DAWN MITCHELL
**** CONGRATULATIONS ****

Email your answer to info@pacific-records.com

Trivia Quiz: All About June!

Step into the June Jamboree Trivia 2024! Explore the wonders of June with captivating questions and delightful facts. Let's embark on a journey through this sunny month!

1. June is the sixth month of the year in the Gregorian calendar. What is the origin of the name "June"?
2. Father's Day is celebrated on the third Sunday of June. What is the traditional flower associated with Father's Day?
3. The birthstone for June is pearl. What is the alternative birthstone for June, often considered a modern choice?
4. June 20th or 21st marks the occurrence of what astronomical event, officially signaling the start of summer in the Northern Hemisphere?
5. In many parts of the world, June is considered a popular month for weddings. What term is often used to describe the phenomenon of many weddings occurring during this time?
6. The novel "To Kill a Mockingbird" by Harper Lee was published on July 11th, 1960. In what month and year was the book awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction?
7. In many cultures, June is associated with the celebration of what seasonal event, symbolizing abundance and harvest?
8. What famous artist, known for works like "The Starry Night" and "Sunflowers," was born on June 30th, 1853?
9. June 6th, 1944, marks the beginning of what significant military operation during World War II?
10. What is the zodiac sign for those born for most of June?

Answers on Back Page!



"He found out why the copier was jammed AND why Evan never came back from lunch."

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How Document Scanning Supports Audit and Compliance Capabilities

When I bought my last used car, I had a checklist of things I wanted, and while most were checked off, I was pleasantly surprised by some unexpected features. Take the backup camera, for example. Initially, I scoffed at its necessity, thinking I could just turn my head. But soon, I realized its value extended far beyond reversing safely. It helped me spot small children or animals and made hooking up a trailer a breeze. That camera was a game-changer.

Similarly, document scanning offers a plethora of benefits, some obvious and others hidden gems, such as:

- **Freeing Up Space:** Say goodbye to overflowing filing cabinets and stacks of paper. Scanning documents clears up physical space, making your office clutter-free and more organized.
- **Streamlined Sharing:** No more rummaging through files or waiting for someone to return a document. With digital files, sharing information with colleagues is a breeze. It's quick, efficient, and saves time for everyone involved.
- **Enhanced Control:** Digital files put you in the driver's seat. You have more control over your documents, from tracking changes to setting access permissions. It's like having your filing system on autopilot.

But wait, there's more! Just like discovering the extra perks of a backup camera, scanning your documents into digital format can revolutionize your audit and compliance capabilities through:

Compliance Audit

Going digital centralizes your records and opens doors to addressing compliance concerns with ease. You can track document history, ensuring chain of custody and retention requirements are met. Plus, retrieving information during audits or investigations becomes easier. Digital files are easily accessible, saving time for auditors and showcasing your commitment to privacy laws. Version control features ensure you're always working with the latest document version, with changes tracked for transparency. This not only minimizes the risk of unauthorized access or alterations but also provides a reliable record of document-related activities.

Legal and Corporate Efficiency

Scanning documents isn't just about going paperless; it's about optimizing your operations. You will:

- Minimize tax season headaches with accurate, error-free digital files that maximize benefits and deductions.
- Save HR hours wasted on searching for paper documents by having everything digitized and easily accessible.
- Consolidate scattered documents into one digital hub, accessible from anywhere, anytime.
- Tighten security by limiting access to authorized personnel only, ensuring confidentiality.
- Stay on top of retention periods and compliance dates effortlessly with digital reminders and alerts.

In essence, partnering with a professional scanning service isn't just about ditching paper; it's about future-proofing your business. It's like upgrading from a basic sedan to a fully-loaded SUV—you'll wonder how you ever lived without it. So, whether you're gearing up for an audit or aiming to streamline your corporate record management, document scanning is your turbo boost to success.

Green Living in June

As June unfolds its leafy embrace, let's embark on a journey towards greener living. This month, let's cultivate habits that nourish both our souls and the planet we call home. Embrace the verdant beauty of nature by swapping out single-use plastic bags for reusable ones and investing in a compost bin for kitchen scraps. Each small step, like choosing locally sourced produce or participating in community clean-up efforts, contributes to a better future. Take advantage of the longer days to explore the great outdoors by hiking in nearby parks or planting a vegetable garden in your backyard. Let's tread lightly on the Earth this June by choosing eco-friendly initiatives. Together, let's nurture a greener, more harmonious way of living.

Trivia Quiz Answers:

1.) Named after Juno, the Roman goddess of marriage and queen of the gods; 2.) The; 3.) Moonstone; 4.) Summer Solstice; 5.) Wedding Season; 6.) May 1961; 7.) Summer; 8.) Summer; 9.) Vincent van Gogh; 10.) Gemini

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