
Subject: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 01:14:36 GMT
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Originally posted by: David Dalton

Since it is now 0014 UTC/GMT May 4, 2022,
May the Fourth be with you!

:-)

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 01:16:33 GMT
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Originally posted by: David Dalton

On May 3, 2022, David Dalton wrote
(in article<0001HW.28220AFC000A59BA70000363D38F@news.eternal-september.org>):

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Oops, it was 0114 UTC/GMT May 4, 2022.

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 03:39:54 GMT
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On 2022-05-04 00:44:36 +0000, David Dalton said:

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>
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Except it's the "4th of May" in sensible countries that don't put their dates backwards. :-p

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [doctor](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 04:00:54 GMT
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Yay! It's Tom Baker Day!

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<https://mindspring.com>

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [doctor](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 04:02:16 GMT
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In article <t4ssia\$q9k\$5@gioia.aioe.org>, Your Name <YourName@YourISP.com> wrote:
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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 04:03:23 GMT
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Originally posted by: ant

And then, the 5th and 6th. Join the dark side. :P

In alt.fan.starwars David Dalton <dalton@nfld.com> wrote:

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [doctor](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 04:05:22 GMT
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In article <evKdnXLxQp2WZuz_nZ2dnUU7-UudnZ2d@earthlink.com>,
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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [djheydt](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 04:57:53 GMT
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In article <t4su22\$248k\$47@gallifrey.nk.ca>,
The Doctor <doctor@doctor.nl2k.ab.ca> wrote:
> In article <evKdnXLxQp2WZuz_nZ2dnUU7-UudnZ2d@earthlink.com>,
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> 4 May is Tom Baker Day!

I repeat, how so? His birthday is 20 January.

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Dorothy J. Heydt
Vallejo, California
djheydt at gmail dot com
Www.kithrup.com/~djheydt/

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by ted@loft.tnolan.com (on Wed, 04 May 2022 12:19:32 GMT
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In article <rBCDsH.14ML@kithrup.com>,
Dorothy J Heydt <djheydt@kithrup.com> wrote:
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The Fourth "Doctor" I would guess.

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columbiaclosings.com
What's not in Columbia anymore..

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 15:03:31 GMT
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Originally posted by: Mr. Man-wai Chang

On 4/5/2022 9:14 am, David Dalton wrote:
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May 4 did mean something to China. :)

May Fourth Movement - Wikipedia
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/May_Fourth_Movement

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 18:37:41 GMT
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Originally posted by: Michael Benveniste

On 5/3/2022 9:14 PM, David Dalton wrote:
> Since it is now 0014 UTC/GMT May 4, 2022,
> May the Fourth be with you!

Time for my annual old man grump. Today is to remember Glenn Miller, Allison B. Krause, William Knox Schroeder, and Sandra Lee Scheuer. Plus nine wounded, one of whom, Dean R. Kahler, was paralyzed for life.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRE9vMBBe10>

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Mike Benveniste -- mhb@murkyether.com (Clarification Required)

Its name is Public opinion. It is held in reverence. It settles everything. Some think it is the voice of God. -- Mark Twain

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [doctor](#) on Wed, 04 May 2022 21:40:08 GMT
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In article <16ebfad04e994a38\$7\$928382\$802601b3@news.usenetexpress.com>, Michael Benveniste <mhb@murkyether.com> wrote:

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Happy Tom Baker Day!

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Ontario, stop the madness and on 2 June vote Liberal! Beware <https://mindspring.com>

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Thu, 05 May 2022 05:41:08 GMT
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Originally posted by: David Dalton

On May 4, 2022, Ant wrote

(in article <evKdnXLxQp2WZuz_nZ2dnUU7-UudnZ2d@earthlink.com>):

> And then, the 5th and 6th. Join the dark side. :P

And now it is Cinco de Mayo in this time zone.

It feels like Groundhog Day to me still, as is evident in my "leading up to Mother's Day/D-moon" thread on alt.religion.druid .

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Thu, 05 May 2022 23:17:15 GMT
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Originally posted by: ant

In alt.fan.starwars David Dalton <dalton@nfld.com> wrote:

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> (in article<evKdnXLxQp2WZuz_nZ2dnUU7-UudnZ2d@earthlink.com>):

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May Cinco de Mayo da 5th be with you!

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Travoltron](#) on Wed, 13 Jul 2022 03:31:37 GMT
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On 5/3/2022 8:39 PM, Your Name wrote:

> Except it's the "4th of May" in sensible countries that don't put their
> dates backwards. :-p

>

Both are correct

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Wed, 13 Jul 2022 03:58:54 GMT
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On 2022-07-13 03:31:37 +0000, Travoltron said:
> On 5/3/2022 8:39 PM, Your Name wrote:
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>> Except it's the "4th of May" in sensible countries that don't put their
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No. One is correct English and one is backwards American. :-p

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 13 Jul 2022 19:29:24 GMT
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Originally posted by: s|b

On Tue, 12 Jul 2022 20:31:37 -0700, Travoltron wrote:

> Both are correct

Well, you had a long time to think about it...

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s|b

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Wed, 13 Jul 2022 21:35:21 GMT
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On 2022-07-13 19:29:24 +0000, s|b said:
> On Tue, 12 Jul 2022 20:31:37 -0700, Travoltron wrote:
>
>> Both are correct
>
> Well, you had a long time to think about it...

And still got it wrong. ;-)

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Thu, 14 Jul 2022 19:43:17 GMT
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Originally posted by: s|b

On Thu, 14 Jul 2022 09:35:21 +1200, Your Name wrote:

>> Well, you had a long time to think about it...

> And still got it wrong. ;-)

Meh, it's just a wordplay. After all, they don't say 'The Force (of) may be with you' in the movies. (Well, maybe Yoda does. :-)

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s|b

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Thu, 14 Jul 2022 20:41:51 GMT
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On 2022-07-14 19:43:17 +0000, s|b said:

> On Thu, 14 Jul 2022 09:35:21 +1200, Your Name wrote:

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It is word play, but based on the backwards American date, so it doesn't work anywhere else in the world that uses correct dates. Same with the silly "Pi Day" and the other wordplays based on dates.

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Sun, 17 Jul 2022 14:41:37 GMT
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Originally posted by: s|b

On Fri, 15 Jul 2022 08:41:51 +1200, Your Name wrote:

- > It is word play, but based on the backwards American date, so it
- > doesn't work anywhere else in the world that uses correct dates. Same
- > with the silly "Pi Day" and the other wordplays based on dates.

Just when I thought you couldn't do worse, you went ahead and ruined Pi Day as well. ;-)

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Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Sun, 17 Jul 2022 21:23:01 GMT
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On 2022-07-17 14:41:37 +0000, s|b said:

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Americans can't even keep it consistent themselves ... they insist on using backwards dates everywhere, but then make a movie with a correct date called "Born on the Fourth of July" based on a biography book of the same name. :-\

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Tue, 19 Jul 2022 20:15:37 GMT
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Originally posted by: s|b

On Mon, 18 Jul 2022 09:23:01 +1200, Your Name wrote:

- > Americans can't even keep it consistent themselves ... they insist on
- > using backwards dates everywhere, but then make a movie with a correct
- > date called "Born on the Fourth of July" based on a biography book of
- > the same name. :-\

Maybe the author of the book wanted to write in Her Majesty The Queen's English?

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s|b

Subject: Re: May the Fourth be with you!
Posted by [Your Name](#) on Wed, 20 Jul 2022 04:56:10 GMT
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> English?

In America, for some stupid reason, that particular day (being Independence Day) is usually phrased using the correct date format, rather than their own backwards format. I just heard Katie Perry's "Firework" song on the radio, which also includes the lyric "the fourth of July".
