

# February 2016 #HolidayHeadsUp

Holidays & observances from around the world, compiled by [Verbaccino.com](http://Verbaccino.com)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
	<p><b>Beginning of Black History Month in the U.S.A. &amp; Canada</b></p> <p><b>National Freedom Day in the U.S.A.</b></p> <p><b>Beginning of LGBT History Month in the U.K.</b></p> <p><b>Auckland Anniversary Day in New Zealand</b></p> <p><b>Carnival season in many traditionally Catholic countries</b></p> <p><b>Carnaval de Québec, Canada (until Feb. 14)</b></p> <p><b>Federal Territory Day in Malaysia</b></p> <p><b>Heroes Day in Rwanda</b></p> <p><b>Air Force Day in Nicaragua</b></p> <p><b>Imbolc, a.k.a. Brigid's Day (Gaelic culture)</b></p>	<p><b>Candlemas (Catholicism)</b></p> <p><b>Feast of the Virgin of Candelaria in Bolivia</b></p> <p><b>Groundhog Day</b></p> <p><b>Marmot Day in Alaska (U.S.A.)</b></p>	<p><b>Setsubun in Japan</b></p> <p><b>Heroes' Day in Mozambique</b></p> <p><b>Martyrs' Day in São Tomé and Príncipe</b></p> <p><b>First day of the Carnival of Madeira</b></p> <p><b>Virgin of Suyapa's Day in Honduras</b></p>	<p><b>National Day on Sri Lanka</b></p> <p><b>Fat Thursday (Western Christianity)</b></p> <p><b>Beginning of the main week of Karneval (a.k.a. Fasching or Fastnacht) festivities in Germany, Austria &amp; Switzerland</b></p> <p><b>Beginning of Busójárás festival in Hungary</b></p> <p><b>Day of the Armed Struggle in Angola</b></p> <p><b>Rosa Parks Day in CA &amp; MO (U.S.A.)</b></p>	<p><b>Kashmir Solidarity Day in Pakistan</b></p> <p><b>Unity Day in Burundi</b></p> <p><b>Feast of Saint Agatha in San Marino</b></p> <p><b>Constitution Day in Mexico</b></p>	<p><b>International Day of Zero Tolerance of FGM</b></p> <p><b>Waitangi Day in New Zealand</b></p> <p><b>Sámi National Day</b></p> <p><b>First day of the Rio Carnival (Brazil)</b></p> <p><b>Carnival festivities in the southern Netherlands</b></p>

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<b>7</b> Fastelavn in Denmark, Sweden, Norway & Iceland Ongoing Carnival festivities in many parts of the Caribbean Independence Day in Grenada Mother's Day in Kosovo	<b>8</b> Chinese New Year (a.k.a. Lunar New Year) & first day of the Spring Festival Korean New Year Tết Nguyên Đán in Vietnam Tsagaan Sar in Mongolia Shrove Monday (Western Christianity) Carnival holiday in many traditionally Catholic countries Rosenmontag in German-speaking countries (highlight of the Karneval season) Family Day in British Columbia (Canada) Prešeren Day in Slovenia	<b>9</b> Losar, a.k.a. Tibetan New Year (Tibetan Buddhism) Shrove Tuesday (Western Christianity) Carnival holiday in many traditionally Catholic countries Mardi Gras in the U.S.A. Last day of the Carnival season in many Western Christian countries Užgavėnės in Lithuania St. Maroun Day in Lebanon National Sports Day in Qatar	<b>10</b> Ash Wednesday (Western Christianity) Beginning of Lent (Western Christianity) Fenkil Day in Eritrea Feast of Saint Paul's Shipwreck in Malta	<b>11</b> Ganesh Jayanti (Hinduism) National Foundation Day in Japan Revolution Day in Iran Anniversary of the foundation of Vatican City Evelio Javier Day in the Philippines Youth Day in Cameroon Armed Forces Day in Liberia	<b>12</b> Red Hand Day Vasant Panchami (Hinduism) Union Day in Myanmar Darwin Day Lincoln's Birthday in the U.S.A. Youth Day in Venezuela	<b>13</b> Children's Day in Myanmar

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Valentine's Day Mother's Day in Norway Generalissimo Day in North Korea	Parinirvana Day (Buddhism) Presentation of Jesus at the Temple (Orthodox Christianity) Liberation Day in Afghanistan Statehood Day in Serbia Washington's Birthday, a.k.a. Presidents Day in the U.S.A. Family Day in parts of Canada (PEI, NS, ON, MB, SK & AB) National Flag of Canada Day / Jour du drapeau national du Canada Total Defence Day in Singapore International Duties Memorial Day in Russia	Day of Restoration of the State of Lithuania Day of the Shining Star (Kim Jong-il's birthday) in North Korea	Independence Day in Kosovo Revolution Day in Libya	Independence Day in Gambia Sepandārmazgān (Women's Day) in Iran	Chatrapati Shivaji's Jayanti in Maharashtra (India) Prajatantra Diwas (Democracy Day) in Nepal State Flag Day in Turkmenistan Army Day in Mexico Yukon Heritage Day (Canada)	World Day of Social Justice Federation Day in Venezuela

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International Mother Language Day Language Movement Day in Bangladesh Mother Language Day in Armenia Birthday of King Jigme Dorji Wangchuck in Bhutan	Daeboreum (Korean calendar) Guru Ravidass Jayanti (Ravidassia religion) Magha Puja (Buddhism) Independence Day in Saint Lucia	Defender of the Fatherland Day, a.k.a. Men's Day in Russia Defender of the Fatherland Day & Armed Forces Day in Belarus Fatherland Defenders' Day in Kyrgyzstan National Day of Brunei Mashramani (Republic Day) in Guyana	Independence Day in Estonia Flag Day in Mexico Dragobete in Romania	People Power Day in the Philippines Soviet Occupation Day in Georgia Day of the Revolution in Suriname National Day in Kuwait	Ayyám-i-Há (Bahá'í faith) Liberation Day in Kuwait Yukon Heritage Day (Canada)	Marathi Language Day (Maharashtra state, India) Independence Day in the Dominican Republic
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>					
228 Peace Memorial Day in Taiwan National Science Day in India Day of Memory in Armenia Día de Andalucía (Spain)	Leap Day (Gregorian calendar)					