

Hello everyone to the 14th edition, Week 7 of 2022, of the NLLB Activities E-mail!!!

This weeks theme, Gumdrop Day!!! Sounded good to me, so I went with it. I'm trying a little something different in this one. It sounded good in my head when I came up with it 5 weeks ago, but the more I kept going on it, it just didn't feel right. It's literally the Sunday before this update and I'm just not officially putting it on paper. I just hope you guys like it, cause it sounded like loads of fun in my head, just keeps bugging me the more I look at it. Oh well, I'll let you all get to it! (Honestly I got the idea from me randomly thinking about Clannad one day in the shower. Props to you if you get the reference and how/where I got the idea from. lol.)

I hope you all had a lovely Valentines day and were able to spend it with those who love you, and that you got all the sweets you wanted!!

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Helpful Notes:

- 1) Don't forget to color the couch on Page 5, it's your couch, so have fun with it!!!
- 2) Page 6 is another "Freestyle Page". Go wild with it, draw a picture, write a story, doodle, write a poem, it's all up to you, get that creativity out where it can be free!!

Holiday's and Observances

Weekly Observances:

Week 6:

Children's Authors and Illustrators Week
National Marriage Week
Freelance Writers Appreciation Week
Jell-O Week
Great American Pizza Bake
Random Acts of Kindness Week

Feb 15th:

National Gumdrop Day, Susan B. Anthony Day, National Bagel Day

Feb 16th:

Do a Grouch a Favor Day, National Almond Day

Feb 17th:

Champion Crab Races Day, My Way Day, National Public Science Day

Monthly Observances:

American Heart Month Black History Month Canned Food Month Dog Training Education

Dog Training Education Month

Friendship Month

Great American Pie Month

Library Lovers Month

National Bird Feeding Month

National Cherry Month

National Hot Breakfast Month

National Snack Food Month

National Youth Leadership Month

National Pet Dental Health Month

Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month

Feb 18th:

National Battery Day, National Drink Wine Day, National Caregivers Day (third Friday)

Feb 19th:

National Chocolate Mint Day

Feb 20th:

National Love Your Pet Day, National Muffin Day

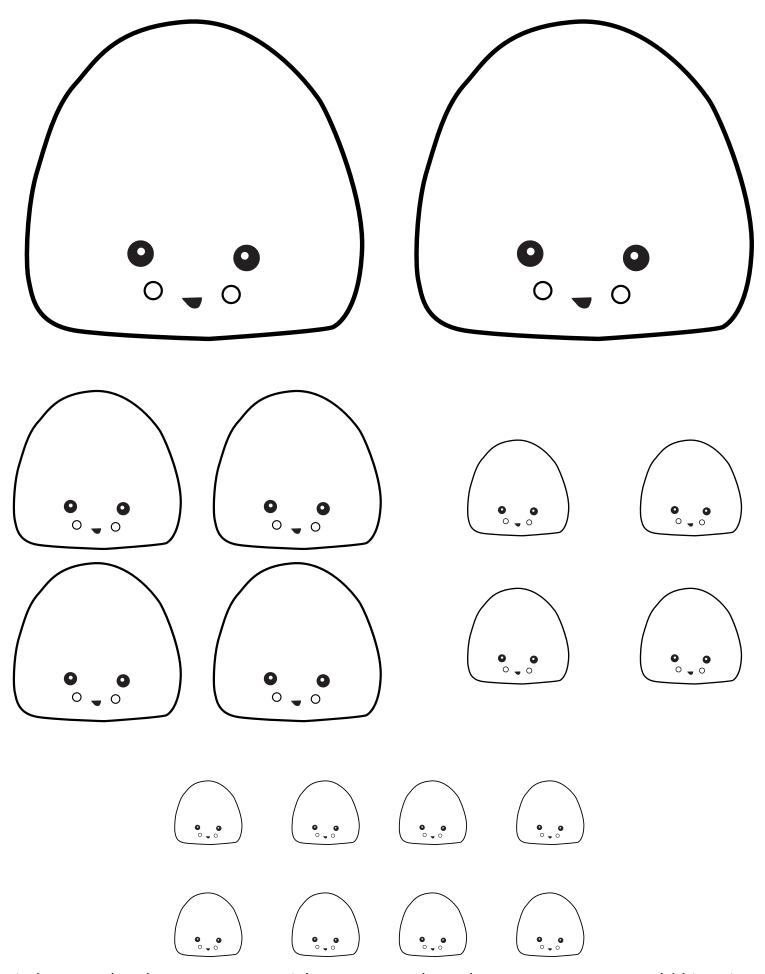
Feb 21st:

International Mother Language Day, National Sticky Bun Day, Presidents' Day (third Monday)

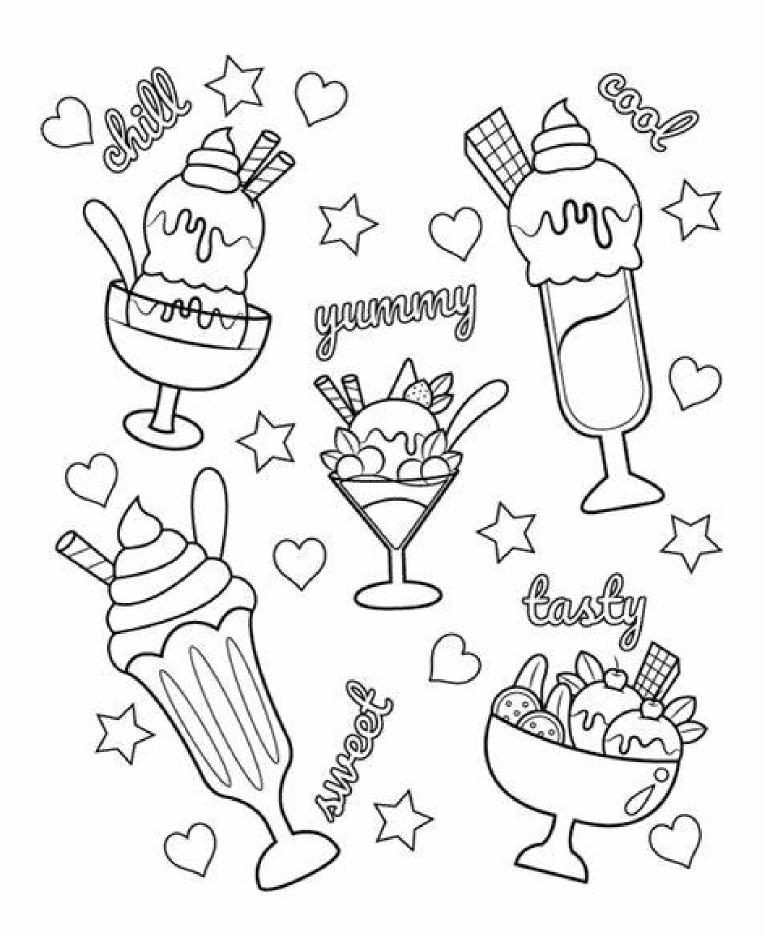
Fun Fact of the Month:

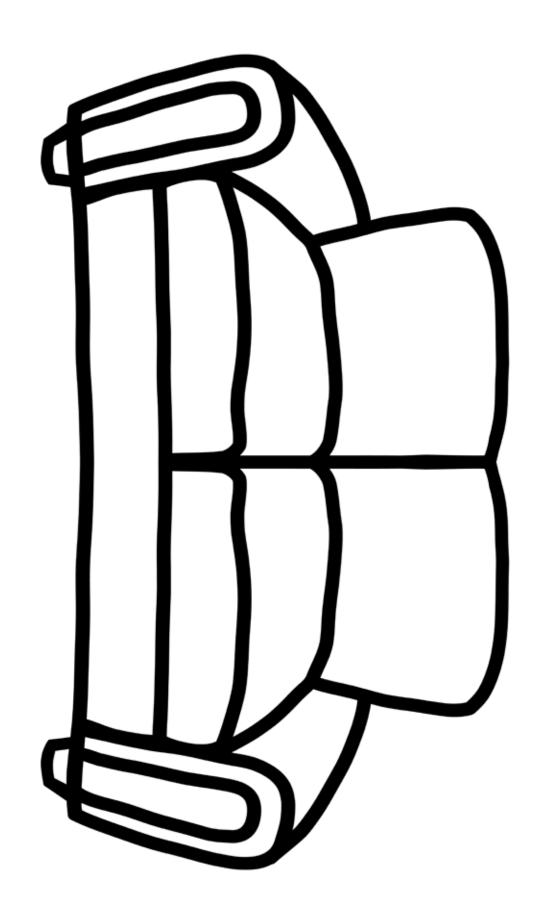
How Leap Day Balances Our Calendar:

Every four years we have a Leap Year, which means a day is added to the end of February (the shortest month) called Leap Day. The extra day is a corrective measure that synchronizes the calendar with the earth's almost year-long orbit around the sun. Without Leap Day, a few hours would cumulatively disappear every year, eventually throwing off our calendar and seasons.



Ok, here is the thing I'm trying. Color your Gumdrops here, any way you would like. Cut them out, and arrange them as a family on the couch a few pages from now. $_{NLLB\ -\ Page\ \#3}$





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In House

- We're always looking for ideas that we can put in with our activities.
 If you have any ideas, feel free to e-mail us, we're always here!
- If you're an artist and feel like doing some original doodles/drawings for us we'd love anything you wish to give us, just keep it PG of course. If you want to do some for free, awesome! If you want to do some to get paid, we can always talk about that, feel free to email us! Just know we don't really make any money right now, so we don't have much to go around.
- We're always accepting new recipes!
 If you want to submit a new recipe,
 head over to our other site, Mr. G's
 Cookbook, or e-mail them to
 recipes@mrgscookbook.com.

Shout Out & Special Thanks:

Everyone who helps and supports us! I couldn't do any of this without the help and support of all of you in the community. You make this worth it, and make me want to keep going and doing the next one, and the one after that, etc. I wouldn't be doing any of this except for the fact I know many of you look forward to this, and keep me going with your kind words!

P.S.:

I may have made the couch a little too big. It worked well while I was designing it, but I can't remember the exact size I was making it so when importing it I may have made it a bit too big and it's edges may be a little rough, just pretend it's a well used family couch, lol.