

# FEBRUARY



This green sea turtle in Saipan belongs to one of the endangered species being monitored using the POES satellites.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b> 1953: Storm surge and flooding in Europe cause evacuation of 70,000 people.	<b>2</b> <b>Groundhog Day:</b> If the groundhog sees its shadow today, there will be six more weeks of winter—so says the story.	<b>3</b> 1947: Lowest temperature ever recorded in North America (excluding Greenland) of -81°F in Snag, Yukon, Canada.	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 1807: Cold Friday, low temperatures across the Midwest and South. The temperature does not rise above zero in Ohio and Kentucky.
<b>7</b> 1892: Temperatures in Verkhoyansk, Russia, drop to -90°F.	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 1994: Worst ice storm in Maryland's history. Trees and utility lines fall, and people are left without power and heat for up to two weeks.	<b>11</b> 1899: The Great Arctic Outbreak of '99 begins. Ice floes choke the Mississippi River in New Orleans, and snow falls in Florida.	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> Valentine's Day	<b>15</b> President's Day	<b>16</b> 1958: A severe snowstorm strikes the northeast, killing 43 people and causing \$500 million in damage.	<b>17</b> 1979: Low temperature record for the state of New York set at Old Forge when temperature plunges to -52°F.	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 1994: New record set for warmest winter temperature in Caribou, ME, at 59°F, despite deep snow cover.
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> 1918: Granville, ND, experiences an 83° temperature rise in just 12 hours (-33° to 50°F).	<b>23</b> 1910: Laconia, WA, receives 129 inches of snow between the 24 and 26, a state record for a single storm.	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
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