

'July' Hot as Firecrackers



July is the 1st full month of summer,
We will be having real hot weather.
Two nations will celebrate their independence,
The U.S., the 4th, and Bastille Day the 14th, France.
America will be having fireworks displays.

Drum and Fife or marches and parades are underway.
Mock re-enactments of Revolutionary War Days,
Ironically, France helped America fight for freedom,
With General Lafayette and Conte boom and great tandem,
After we signed Declaration of Independence,

Ben Franklin had these words for us:
'We must all hang together or
Absurdly we will all hang separately!'
The spirit of 76' and famous founding fathers,
The two-dollar bill has Jefferson who wrote the
Declaration.
Ben Franklin a statesman and scientist,
You'll see on the hundred-dollar bill.

Enough of our nation's infancy,
Let's mention some fun activities:
Sightseeing, hiking, wildlife, watching swimming,
sunbathing,
Camping, kayaking, snorkeling, wiffle ball, frisbee
toss, horseshoes,
Bocce, archery, tennis, soccer, lacrosse.
Gathering round the campfire for time of Chorus,
Laying in the hammock in the shade while drinking
lemonade or whatever.
Sitting by a fan listening to the radio or whatever.
Children running a lemonade stand to help a cause,
Or to become and entrepreneur.

Lots of tag sales, local produce stands,
Carvel Ice Cream trucks. or the Good Humor man.
By the time July hits, most of Connecticut fishermen
Stop fishing in the sweet water and concentrate on the
salt.

Some may pursue large mouth or small mouth bass,
pickerel, pike, panfish,
Walleye, Northern Pike, Catfish not natural
Provide good, fresh, fishing in spots,
Now Catfish' little bullhead Cousin
They have three prongs with which inflict a painful
sting.
Hebrew eating laws not catfish or shellfish, good health
advice,
But lose out on tasty dish.

There are a few spots in Connecticut where you can
catch fish year-round,
Such as: a trout park, trout management areas, Trophy
Trout Lake.
There may be different regulations and the trout
definitely
Are part of the lake; to reach them you'll have to take
a boat.
Yes, the trout still there only in different area,
While come tail-water fisheries you can catch trout
constantly.
Beside fishing, perhaps you'll feel like exploring,
Like the lakes Region of New Hampshire or Poconos or
Alleghany's.
Maybe set off to see a National Park,
The traffic may resemble a parking lot.

In cities different things to do: go to a ballgame
(perhaps major league),
Concerts, go to the city zoo, perhaps they'll have an
aquarium or museum.
Plenty of basketball, double Dutch, dancing or shows,
almost anything goes.
You might like the nightlife.
In July we have the three H's ... Hazy, Hot and Humid,
Perfect ingredients for a thunderstorm.
When it's over with conditions seem more like the
norm.
It's a little cooler, that hits the spot,
Because July is Hot, Hot, Hot especially at night.

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