

The History Behind July 4th

1. Full Name Of A Person
2. Noun Plural
3. Verb Present Ends In Ing
4. Noun Plural
5. Verb Past Tense
6. Animal - Plural
7. Verb Past Tense

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In the beginning of U.S.'s history, 13 colonies were ruled by the King of England, King _____ Full Name of a Person _____ III. These colonies were tired of having a king 3,000 miles across the Atlantic Ocean. One act of defiance made history. Imported _____ Noun Plural _____ were purposely dumped into the Bay. This event, known as the Boston _____ Repeat Last Noun Plural _____ party, was a reaction by the people to England _____ Verb Present ends in ING _____ their _____ Noun Plural _____.

Virginia took the first step and voted to set up a group to represent the colonies. The first meeting was in 1774 and a draft of a document that would give them freedom from _____ Repeat Last Full Name of a Person _____ was written.

This document, called the Declaration of Independence, was considered treason and the 56 men who signed it were in some serious danger of being _____ Verb Past Tense _____. But, they stood by what they believed in - the right to independence.

Things didn't happen overnight. It took years for the final draft of the Declaration to be written. At the same time, the American Revolution was taking place. The draft was finally accepted on July 4, 1776. Over the next month, the document was read to _____ Animal - Plural _____ and they _____ Verb Past Tense _____ whenever they heard it. In 1783 the war finally ended and Independence Day was made an official holiday.