

That's a Fact!

Autumn Edition

The Rome apple, also known as Red Rome or Rome Beauty, originated in Rome Township,



Ohio, in the early 1800s, from a chance seedling discovered by Joel Gillet and his son Alanson, and later popularized by Horatio Nelson Gillett.

While Kentucky doesn't have a single "official" favorite soup, many recommend trying the Low Country She Crab Soup at Distilled on Jefferson in Lexington, or the buffalo chicken soup at Carson's, along with other delicious options like chili, creamy wild mushroom soup or Louisiana gumbo.

In Kentucky, Reese's Peanut Butter Cups are the most popular Halloween candy, followed by Hot Tamales and Swedish Fish, according to CandyStore.com. act!



Indigenous People's Day, the second Monday of October, recognizes the painful history Indigenous people have faced and to celebrate their rich history, culture and communities. It began as a movement to protest Columbus Day and the harm he and his crew inflicted on Indigenous peoples. At present, there are 574 federally recognized American Indian and Alaska Native tribes and villages.



Almost half of Americans who celebrate Christmas will have completed their Christmas shopping by Halloween.



For a fall foliage trip in eastern Kentucky, consider visiting the Red River Gorge Scenic Byway, Daniel Boone National Forest or Kentucky State Parks like Cumberland Falls or Natural Bridge for vibrant colors and scenic drives.

National Cheese Pizza Day, marked on Sept. 5, is a good day to try the simple form of pizza, maybe jazz it up a bit with a variety of unusual.



Labor Day began in the late 19th century and became an official federal holiday in 1894 with the rise in trade unions and labor movements.

John Baur and Mark Summers created Talk Like A Pirate Day in 1995, which is Sept. 19.



Fall will begin on MONDAY, SEPT. 22.

Time to get the car checked over for winter. This includes making sure you have good tread on your tires; checking the battery and fluid levels; and making sure wiper blades and all lights are working. ●



WORLD ELEPHANT DAY IS AUGUST 12.



Elephants are the largest living land animal on earth, weighing up to nine tons and standing almost 13 feet high.

On average, an elephant eats around 300 pounds of food a day, including grass, shrubs, fruit and leaves.