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Welcome to **Quest Corner**, our newsletter with spotlights on lifestyle information, financial tips, local happenings, and more. We hope you will find this to be a valuable and entertaining resource.

Advisor Message

As summer unfolds, many of us dream of vacations and special moments with family. Planning ahead is crucial to making these dreams affordable, especially since the average vacation costs around \$2k per person. To manage these expenses without stress, consider setting aside a small amount each month in a separate vacation account with automatic deposits.

With Father's Day approaching, setting aside funds for a memorable celebration with Dad can also be beneficial. Whether it's a getaway or a special gift, thoughtful planning makes these moments even more enjoyable. Happy summer and Happy Father's Day!





Financial Tips

2024 Average Vacation Cost: Breakdown of Travel, Food and More

Are you planning a vacation? According to Pacaso, the average cost for a week-long trip in the U.S. has risen from one year ago. Major expenses include transportation, lodging, food, and fun activities.

Save money by booking early, traveling during off-peak times, and making some meals yourself. For more tips and a detailed breakdown, check out the full article [here](#).

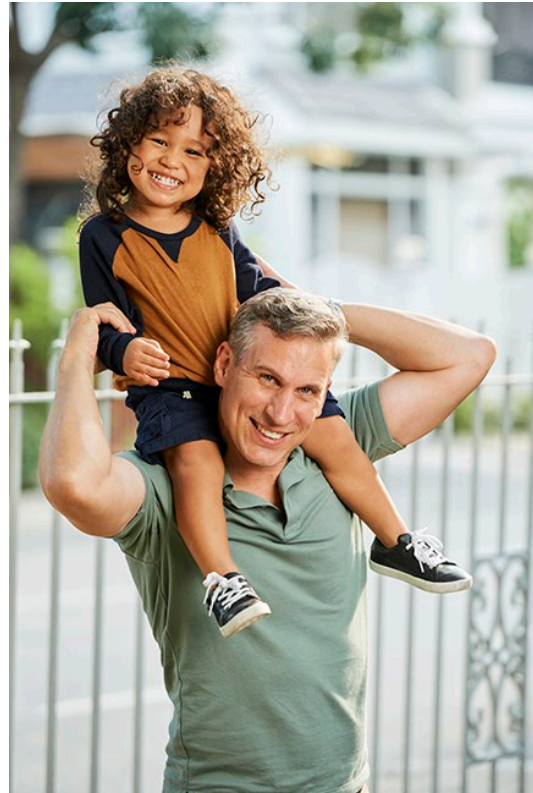
Lifestyle
How International Father's Day
Celebrations Honor Dads
Everywhere

Happy Father's Day!

Since 1910, Americans have been showing their appreciation for dear old Dad with new ties, golf clubs and Sunday BBQs. How will you be spending the third Sunday of June this year?

If you're looking for some fresh Father's Day ideas, Better Homes & Gardens reveals how other countries around the world honor and appreciate Dad.

[Click here to read the article.](#)





Triangle Happenings

[Raleigh's International Food Festival, June 1, 2024](#)

Celebrate Raleigh's diverse community and welcoming spirit by trying food, beer, and wine (plus listen to live music and see more entertainment) from around the world. Nearly 20,000 attendees are expected in [downtown Raleigh's City Plaza](#) for the event.

ncvibes.com/raleighs-international-food-festival

[Capital City Juneteenth Celebration, June 15, 2024](#)

First held at [Dorothea Dix Park](#) in 2021 as a celebration and commemoration of the abolition of slavery in the United States, this event features speakers, artists, historic interpreters, music, and more.

www.juneteenthraleigh.org

[N.C. Hops Festival, June 2024](#)

Sip, shop, dine, and groove for two days at the N.C. Hops Festival at the [North Carolina State Fairgrounds](#). More than 100 local beers, ciders, and seltzers will be on hand to sample, and live music, local makers, and food trucks will help round

out an event worthy of raising a glass to.

shoplocalraleigh.org/slr-events/nc-hops-fest

12th Annual Out! Raleigh Pride, June 22, 2024

Out! Raleigh Pride is the area's annual, family-friendly street festival that celebrates the LGBT community and its allies. Organized each year by the [LGBT Center of Raleigh](#), the festival's speakers, performers and vendors (and a Kids Zone) bring eight hours of fun and family to downtown Raleigh's [Fayetteville Street district](#).

outraleighpride.org

Diversity, Equity & Inclusivity Conference 2024, July 23, 2024

This year, the theme is ***The Focus is The Future***, giving us an opportunity to reflect upon the past, analyze the present, but focus on the future of diversity, equity, and inclusivity in the business community and beyond. [Click here to register](#).

Word of the Month

The Word of the Month
is: **Peregrination**

Peregrination:
noun [perəgrə'nāSH(ə)n]

Meaning: A going from one place to another usually of some distance.

Example sentence: Planning a leisurely peregrination across Europe for our honeymoon.



Thanks for reading. Would love to hear your thoughts!

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