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WORLD POPULATION DAY JULY 11, 2014
The tremendous interest generated by the Day of 5 Billion on 11 July 1987 led to the establishment of World Population Day as an annual event. For more than 20 years, 11 July has been an occasion to mark the significance of population trends and related issues.

In 2011, the world population surpassed 7 billion, UNFPA and partners launched a campaign called 7 Billion Actions. It aims to engage people, spur commitment and spark actions related to the opportunities and challenges presented by a world of 7 billion people.

In many ways a world of 7 billion is an achievement: Globally, people are living longer and healthier lives, and couples are choosing to have fewer children. However, because so many couples are in, or will soon be entering, their reproductive years, the world population is projected to increase for decades
to come. Meeting the needs of current and future generations presents daunting challenges.

Whether we can live together equitably on a healthy planet will depend on the choices and decisions we make now. In a world of 7 billion people, and counting, we need to count each other.

WEB LINK:
World Population Day

FW: Join Us For UN World Population Day: Take the POP Quiz Now!

Maya Porter

From Linda Farrell, in response to the Climate Change Book Forum meeting this past Sunday.
Join Population Connection for World Population Day 2014

Healthy People, Healthy Planet: A World Population Day Quiz, and Chat

POP Quiz: Test Your World Population Smarts

Friday, July 11 is World Population Day. We are joining forces with the Sierra Club’s Global Population & Environment Program to bring you this POP Quiz to test your knowledge about the world’s growing population, human health, and our environment. Take the POP Quiz now and share it with your smart friends.

Learn and Contribute in the World Population Day Chat

And join us on World Population Day to discuss ways we can all contribute to limiting our impact on the environment. Learn more about the connections among family planning, reproductive health, climate, and the environment. Find out how meeting women's basic needs helps improve the lives of families, communities, local environments, and the planet, and hear how we and others are working to foster balance between the Earth and its inhabitants in a world of 7 billion people and growing. The conversation will conclude with ways to take action and get involved.

Reserve your space now in our online Google Hangout conversation taking place Friday, July 11, then come back Friday at 2 p.m. Eastern/11 a.m. Pacific.

Event details:

WHO: Population Connection, Sierra Club, Population Action International, Blue Ventures, Members of Congress (invited) and you.

WHAT: Healthy People, Healthy Planet: A World Population Day Chat

WHEN: Friday, July 11 at 2:00 p.m. Eastern time/11:00 a.m. Pacific time
WHERE: Sign up here now. The event will be held via Google Hangout. A link will be sent to your inbox.

QUESTIONS: Contact info@popconnect.org

See Where People Live with the New Population Map

Population Connection’s Population Education program is also unveiling a new map graphically revealing human population throughout the world. The Population Map is a provocative and unique view of the earth, representing people, not territory. The size of each country is shown in proportion to its population, not land mass. Read about it. See it here.
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

UNHCR, THE UN REFUGEE AGENCY, Google Search, July 10, 2014

1. **UNHCR** - Emergency Relief - unrefugees.org

   Ad donate.unrefugees.org/Donate-Online

   - Millions Of Refugees Need Help. Please Donate To The **UNHCR** Today.

   - **UNHCR Campaigns**
   - About USA for UNHCR
   - Get Involved
   - Make a Monthly Gift

**UNHCR** - **UNHCR** Projected Global Resettlement Needs 2014
www.unhcr.org/51e3ea...

**UNHCR** - The UN Refugee Agency. Share: Email · Facebook · Reddit · StumbleUpon · Digg · Delicious.

1. **UNHCR** Global Appeal 2014-2105
www.unhcr.org/.../inde...

United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
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- State Affiliates
- Diversity & Inclusion
- Supporting Policies
- Jobs & Internships
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Donate now to support NARAL Pro-Choice America

Anti-choice groups are attacking women’s rights everywhere. Your gift helps us fight back!

We are made up of pro-choice women and men across the United States. Together, we're protecting and expanding reproductive freedom.

How do we support the right to choose, exactly?

- We lobby Congress to convince your elected representatives to support your
right to choose.

- We organize women and men to make sure that lawmakers hear from the pro-choice people they represent.
- We connect what happens in Congress or in the states to how it affects your ability to make private decisions, like choosing legal abortion.
- We work with our state affiliates to advance ideas that are good for women's freedom. We fight back against the bad ideas that threaten our privacy.
- NARAL Pro-Choice America uses the political process to elect lawmakers who share our pro-choice values and defeat candidates who don't.

We are passionate about our work—and we couldn't do our job without the great people who stand with us.

That's why Fortune Magazine has described NARAL Pro-Choice America as "one of the top 10 advocacy groups in America."

Would you like to join us?

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1. World Population Day 2013 - UNFPA
   www.unfpa.org/.../world-population-day
   United Nations Population Fund
   On this World Population Day, we raise awareness of the issue of adolescent pregnancy in the hopes of delivering a world where every pregnancy is wanted, ...

2. World Population Day: 11 July 2014 | Greening the Blue
   www.greeningtheblue.org › Events
   News for UN WORLD POPULATION DAY 2014

1. World Population Day to be observed on 11 July
   Business Recorder - 1 day ago
   ISLAMABAD: The World Population day 2014 will be observed on Friday across ... The United Nations' (UN) World Population Day is annually ...
2. World Population Day: Nigeria's Teenage Population Hits ...

Leadership Newspapers - 23 hours ago

More news for UN WORLD POPULATION DAY 2014

3. World Population Day | Global Dimension
globaldimension.org.uk/calendar/event/7363

11 Jul 2014. 11 July ... For World Population Day 2011 the UN Population Fund kicked off the 7 billion actions campaign, which aims to "engage people, spur ...

4. World Population Day - Unric
www.unric.org/en/world-population-day

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Monday, 07 July 2014 ... "A world of 7 billion is both a challenge and an opportunity," UN Population Fund (UNFPA) Executive Director ... On the 11 July, World Population Day, we should all as individuals stop for a moment and think about the ...

5. WORLD POPULATION DAY 2014 | Population Secretariat
popsec.org/world-population-day-2014-3/

5 days ago - World Population Day, July 11 2014. Please join the Population Secretariat and Uganda at large to celebrate the World Population Day under ...

The President Wants to Hear from Us

From the White House: Write or Call

President Obama is committed to creating the most open and accessible administration in American history. That begins with taking comments and questions from you, the public, through our website.

Call the President

PHONE NUMBERS
Comments: 202-456-1111
Switchboard: 202-456-1414

TTY/TTD
Comments: 202-456-6213
Visitor's Office: 202-456-2121

Write a letter to the President
Here are a few simple things you can do to make sure your message gets to the White House as quickly as possible.
1. If possible, email us! This is the fastest way to get your message to President Obama.

2. If you write a letter, please consider typing it on an 8 1/2 by 11 inch sheet of paper. If you hand-write your letter, please consider using pen and writing as neatly as possible.

3. Please include your return address on your letter as well as your envelope. If you have an email address, please consider including that as well.

4. And finally, be sure to include the full address of the White House to make sure your message gets to us as quickly and directly as possible:

   The White House
   1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
   Washington, DC 20500

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