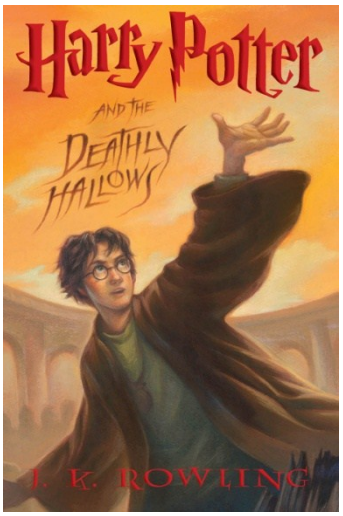
2007 History, Fun Facts & Trivia



How much things cost in 2007

Average Cost of new house $313,600.00
Average Income per year $50,823.00
Cost of a gallon of Gas $3.38
Price of Gold per Ounce $630.00

Popular Culture 2007

The Final Harry Potter book is published Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows

Fisher Price recalls over 1 million Chinese Made Toys

A student on Virginia Tech Campus goes on a killing spree on 16th April leaving over 30 students dead

Rupert Murdoch acquires Dow Jones & Co which includes the Wall Street Journal

The Bridge over the the Mississippi river on I35W collapses with cars dropping the 50ft into the river, due to quick responses by emergency services only 13 people lost their lives in the tragedy

Six miners are trapped and lost in a collapsed mine in Utah and the tragedy worsened when 3 rescue workers are also lost in the tragedy

Daimler Chrysler sells off Chrysler to a private equity fund

The Mitchell Report is published which shows the use of anabolic steroids and human growth hormones is widespread in Major League Baseball

The world's most efficient electric car the Tesla Roadster shown at car shows prior to full production 2008

Nancy Pelosi is elected as the first female Speaker of the US Congress

Popular Musicians

- Beyoncé
- Fergie
- Nelly Furtado
- Gwen Stefani
- Justin Timberlake
- Avril Lavigne
- Plain White T's
- Pink
- Sean Kingston
- Ludacris
- Carrie Underwood
- Diddy
- Rihanna
- Britney Spears
- Kelly Clarkson
- Linkin Park
- Christina Aguilera
- Keyshia Cole
- Hilary Duff
- Red Hot Chili Peppers
- Nelly Furtado
- Jennifer Lopez
- Dixie Chicks
- Young Jeezy
- 50 Cent
- Alicia Keys
- Maroon 5

Popular Films

- Spider-Man 3
- Shrek the Third
- Transformers
- Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End
- Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix
- The Bourne Ultimatum
- 300
- Ratatouille
- The Simpsons Movie
- I Am Legend
- Live Free or Die Hard
- Fantastic Four: Rise of the Silver Surfer
- American Gangster
- Bee Movie
- Ocean's Thirteen
- Evan Almighty
- Saw IV
- Surf's Up
- Resident Evil: Extinction
- Epic Movie
- Nancy Drew
- The Hills Have Eyes 2

Popular TV Programs

- CSI Crime Scene Investigation
- Grey's Anatomy
- Survivor: China
- Sunday Night Football
- Without a Trace
- Amazing Race
- Two and a Half Men
- Cold Case
- Deal or No Deal
- NCIS

Best Film Oscar Winner:

No Country for Old Men

Sports

World Series Champions: Boston Red Sox

Superbowl Champions: Indianapolis Colts

NBA Champions: San Antonio Spurs

Stanley Cup Champs: Anaheim Mighty Ducks

U.S. Open Golf: Angel Cabrera

U.S. Tennis: (Men/Ladies) Roger Federer/Justine Henin

Wimbledon (Men/Women): Roger Federer/ Venus Williams

NCAA Football Champions: LSU

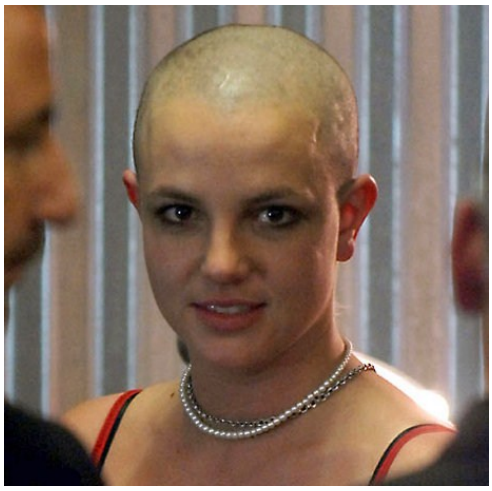
NCAA Basketball Champions: Florida

Kentucky Derby: Street Sense

The Scandal:

Anna Nicole Smith died from a drug overdose at age 39.

Akon had a rather sexy dance with this fourteen-year old young lady at a "over 18 only" concert in Trinidad.
When confronted with the press, and her preacher father, Danah Alleyne admitted that it wasn't her best idea.



Paris Hilton spent 23 days in jail for her DUI.

Britney Spears shaved off her hair

Lindsey Lohan, as of 2007, went to rehab 3 times.

Nerd News:

Nerd Legend Freddy Anderson completed Super Mario Bros 3 in only 11minutes and 3 seconds.

Cost of a Superbowl ad in 2007: $2,600,000

Apple introduces the iPhone

Apple introduces the new iTouch with built in WiFi and touch screen

Following its introduction in late 2006 Nintendo Wii with its motion sensitive controllers is the game system in demand.

2007's Most Popular Christmas Gifts, Toys and Presents:

- Nintendo DS
- Sony PS3

2007 Billboard Number One Song

December 16, 2006 - February 23, 2007:
Irreplacable - Beyonce

February 24 - March 2:
*Say It Righ*t - Nelly Furtato

March 3 - March 9:
What Goes Around... Comes Around - Justin Timberlake

March 10 - March 23:
This Is Why I'm Hot - Mims

March 24 - April 6:
Glamorous - Fergie

April 7 - April 20:
Don't Matter - Akon

April 21 - May 4:
Give It To Me - Timbaland with Nelly Furtado & Justin Tmberlake

May 5 - May 11:
Girlfriend - Avril Lavigne

May 12 - May 25:
Makes Me Wonder - Maroon5

May 26 - June 8:
Buy u A Drank (Shawty Snappin') - T-Pain with Yung Joc

June 9 - July 27:
Umbrella - Rihanna with Jay-Z

July 28 - August 10:
Hey There Delilah - Plain White T's

August 11 - September 7:
Beautiful Girls - Sean Kingston

September 8 - September 14:
Big Girls Don't Cry - Fergie

September 15 - September 28:
Crank Dat (Soulja Boy) - Soulja Boy Tell'em

September 29 - November 9:
Stronger - Kanye West

November 10 - November 30:
Kiss Kiss - Chris Brown with T-Pain

December 1, 2007 - January 4, 2008:
No One - Alicia Keys