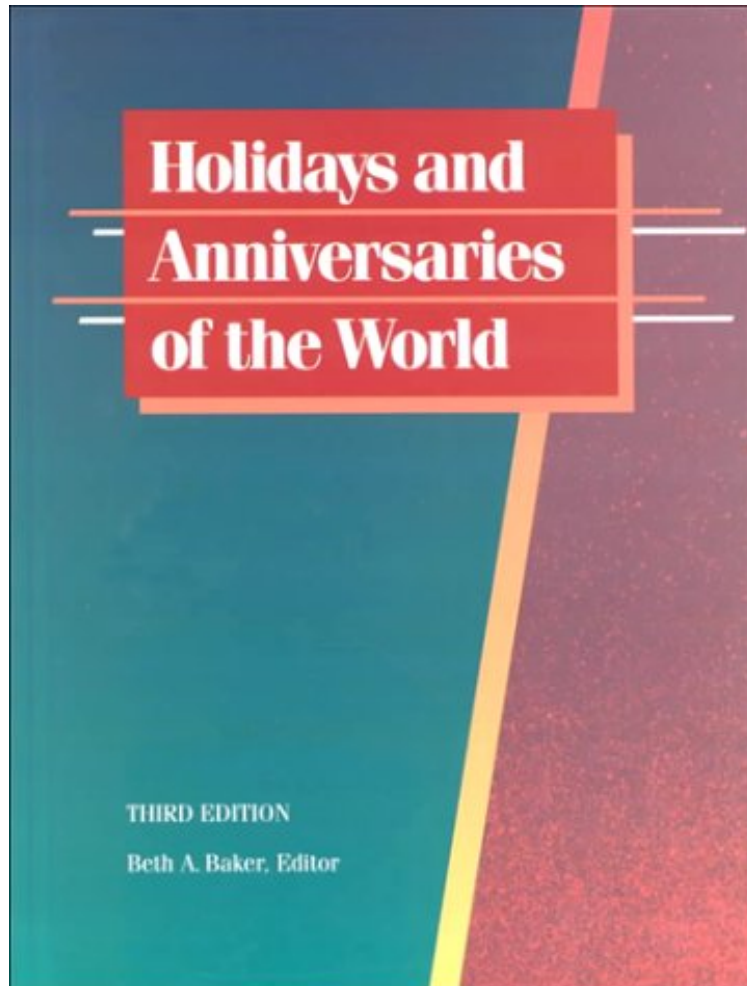


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5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. AWESOME, EDUCATIONAL and FUN! By Internet Diva This book is huge! It goes through every day of the year, listing holidays around the world including all religions and nationalities. It lists historical events for that day, famous birthdays, etc. I highly recommend it for anyone who needs some creative ideas on a month-to-month basis other than the standard holidays. It lists those goofie, off-the-wall celebrations: Did you know January 4 (pg.2) is "National Trivia Day?" Or that February (pg. 87-88) is also has "National Pickle Week" (I always thought it was in May!) or "Kraut and Frankfurter Week" or is "National Potato

Lover's Month?" And although August (pg. 584) doesn't have any national holidays it does have "National Clown Week" and ironically "National Beauty Queen Week." LOL Who thinks of this stuff anyway? I bought this as a reference book for ideas for my website. But, teachers, social event supervisors, etc. might find it a great resource for projects also. 0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. ReplacementBy Kindle Customer Essential information and replacement information.

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