



This image from the Hubble Space Telescope shows a galaxy named NGC 1566. It is about 40 million light-years away in the constellation of Dorado (The Dolphinfish). Visit our Gallery of Space Images to see more!
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Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

International Listening Awareness Month. Listening makes the world a better place. Practice with our podcasts.
[/podcasts](#)

1 LAST QUARTER

2 **Dr. Seuss** was born this day in 1904. If you like Dr. Seuss stories, you might like "Ode to Aerogel."
[/aerogel](#)

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8 NEW MOON

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10 **First telephone call, 1876.** How do we talk to spacecraft way out in space?
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13 **Daylight Saving Time begins**

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15 FIRST QUARTER

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17 **St. Patrick's Day.** Leprechauns are Irish folklore fairies in green. If we meet other green beings in space, what would we say about us?
[/voyager-to-stars](#)

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19 **Absolutely Incredible Kid Day.** Adults write letters telling kids how incredible they are. If you visit The Space Place, you deserve one!

20 **World Storytelling Day.** Create your own zany story to tell today!
[/loopy-legends](#)
Vernal Equinox (first day of spring)

21 **International Ask a Question Day.** Visitors to Space Place partner museums have asked a lot of good questions, and Dr. Marc has answers.
[/menu/dr-marc](#)

22 **International Goof-off Day.** Download the iPad and iPhone games made by The Space Place. You might learn something while goofing off!
[/ios](#)

23 FULL MOON

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27 **Easter Sunday**

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31 LAST QUARTER

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