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A tornado churns its way through a field of wheat and corn in Serbia.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	THE FIFTH MONTH
APRIL 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30		1 <div>Last Quarter</div>	2 <div>First day of Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Heritage Month May Day</div>	3	4		<div>■</div> <div>MAY 10</div> <div>On this day in 1905, a tornado destroyed more than 100 homes in Snyder, Oklahoma.</div> <div>■</div> <div>ASK THE OLD FARMER:</div> <div>Do tornadoes spin in opposite directions in the Northern and Southern Hemispheres?</div> <div>ANSWER:</div> <div>Yes and no. Tornadoes tend to rotate in the same direction as that of the thunderstorm that spawned them. Most of the time, twisters spin counterclockwise in the Northern Hemisphere and clockwise in the Southern Hemisphere. However, sometimes the reverse is true; in fact, two tornadoes generated by the same storm may spin in opposite directions.</div> <div>If a circle forms ’round the Moon, ’Twill rain soon.</div> <div></div>
5 <div>Orthodox Easter Holocaust Remembrance Day begins at sundown Cinco de Mayo</div>	6	7 <div>New Moon</div>	8 <div>Truman Day (Mo.)</div>	9	10	11	
12 <div>Mother’s Day</div>	13	14	15 <div>First Quarter</div>	16	17	18	
19 <div>Whitsunday–Pentecost</div>	20 <div>Victoria Day (Canada)</div>	21	22 <div>National Maritime Day</div>	23 <div>Full Flower Moon</div>	24	25	
26 <div>Memorial Day, observed</div>	27	28	29	30 <div>Last Quarter</div>	31	JUNE 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	