

Trivia

A perfect game in baseball is one in which the same player pitches the entire game without allowing any player of the opposing team to reach first base — by any means.

Each king in a deck of playing cards represents a great king from history: Spades - King David, Clubs - Alexander the Great, Hearts - Charlemagne, Diamonds - Julius Caesar.

Cats average 16 hours of sleep a day, more than any other mammal.

Lassie was played by several male dogs, despite the female name, because male collies were thought to look better on camera. The main "actor" was named Pal.

Cats that live together sometimes rub each others heads to show that they have no intention of fighting. Young cats do this more often, especially when they are excited.

Cheerios cereal was originally called Cheeri Oats.

Bananas are one of the few fruits that ripen best off the plant. If left on the plant, the fruit splits open and the pulp has a "cottony" texture and flavor. Even in tropical growing areas, bananas for domestic consumption are cut green and stored in moist shady places to ripen slowly.

Coffee is the most popular beverage worldwide with over 400 billion cups consumed each year.

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Product Spotlight

DF Series Couplers

The DF-Series from Dixon Quick Coupling is a direct cross-reference to the popular Industrial Interchange pneumatic quick coupling standard. There are two coupling styles within this product series; the F-Series couplers and the D-Series couplers. Both of these coupling styles utilize the same DF-Series nipples. The F-Series style is a standard manual sleeved coupling with a sleeve-guard "lip" to reduce the risk of accidental disconnection. F-Series couplers are available in 1/4" to 1/2" body sizes.

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Product Operation

DF Series Couplers Exhausting Coupler Operation



To disconnect, begin by holding the hose on the nipple side with three of your fingers, leaving your thumb and index finger free.



Grab the sleeve with your thumb and index finger and begin to pull the sleeve towards the palm of your hand.



After pulling the sleeve, the nipple will move out of the coupler slightly. Continue to hold the hose and coupler sleeve until all air is fully exhausted.



After the line is fully exhausted, you are able to safely separate the nipple from the coupler.

Dates in History

1912 On July 7th, *Jim Thorpe won the pentathlon at the 5th modern Olympics in Sweden.*

1958 On July 29th, The United States Congress passed legislation formally inaugurating the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

2005 On July 24th, Lance Armstrong won his 7th Tour De France.

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On the Lighter Side

- At Sunday School they were teaching how God created everything, including human beings. Little Johnny seemed especially intent when they told him how Eve was created out of one of Adam's ribs. Later in the week his mother noticed him lying down as though he were ill, and said, Johnny what is the matter? Little Johnny responded, "I have a pain in my side. I think I'm going to have a wife."
- "A guy knows he's in love when he loses interest in his car for a couple of days." -Tim Allen
- Little Johnny walked into the house covered in filth. His mom asked, "Johnny, why do you always get so dirty?"

Johnny replied, " I'm a lot closer to the ground than you are."

- Having moved into his first apartment, our son invited my husband and I for a visit.

As we walked in, our son asked if we'd like a cold drink.

Mentally patting myself on the back for teaching him to be such a gracious host, I said, "Yes, what do you have?"

He walked over to the refrigerator, opened the door, studied the contents, and then replied, "I have pickle juice or water."

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