

PUZZLE CORDER MONTHLY MYSTERY SOLUTIONS

CAN YOU DECODE THIS MESSAGE?

THE LAST PERSON THAT WAS EXECUTED LEGALLY FOR WITCHCRAFT WAS JANET HORNE IN SEVENTEEN TWENTY SEVEN. IMPRISONED ALONE WITH HER DAUGHTER DUE TO A NEIGHBOR'S ACCUSATIONS. HER DAUGHTER ESCAPED, BUT HORNE WAS BURNED AT THE STAKE.

WITCH HUNT EDITION

WITCHY WORDS

Unscramble to reveal.

BLACK MAGIC

CAULDRON

CHARM

HOCUS POCUS

MAGIC POISON POTION SORCERER WARLOCK

WIZARD

WITCH FUN FACTS

Modern witches celebrate eight holidays per year The Wheel Year contains 8 holidays that are based on solar events: the Summer Solstice, Winter Solstice, Spring Equinox & Fall Equinox –

Samhain (31 October)

Yule (20–25 December)

Imbolc (1-2 February)

Ostara (20–23 March) Beltane (80 April-1 May)

Litha (20–22 June)

Lughnasadh (1 August)

Mabon (20–23 September).

WHO WAS THE FIRST WITCH?

It's said the first witch was an ancient Greek goddess. She was the patron goddess of magic and witchcraft, and was often depicted as a three-faced woman carrying a torch or a pair of serpents.

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WHICH WITCH?

One of these witches is not to be trusted. This witch is not one to look into the future. She does not enjoy written spells. She always has her broomstick in hand. Purple is their least favorite color. And finally this witch hates candy.

