A carpenter, a lawyer, a homeless man, and a retail store employee are all playing poker together. The police are searching for a criminal in the area, but they have very little information about their target. The only information the police have is the person’s name and that they will be playing at this poker game. The police break into the room where the four individuals are playing poker and, without communicating, immediately arrest the retail store employee. How did they know the employee was the criminal?

Answer: Of those four, a retail employee is the only one who has to wear a nametag.

Alternatively, the police had a name that indicated one gender and the other three individuals were a different gender.

As a stone inside a tree, I will build words to outlive thee. But if they push and pull me as I stand, the more I move, the less I am. What am I?

Answer: The object is a pencil. Graphite in pencils is a mineral that exists within rocks. The wood surrounding the pencil is the tree in the riddle. The push and pull refer to the motions necessary to write with a pencil. As a pencil writes, it gradually becomes smaller.

One day, a man decides to take a jog. He leaves his home and runs until he reaches a left turn. He then turns left and continues until he reaches another left turn. The turns left again until he finds another left turn. He takes the left turn yet again. After taking the turn, he can see his home. However, there are two men standing near it. Why was he jogging and who were the men?

Answer: He’s a baseball player who just hit a home run. The two men were the catcher and the umpire.
August was named in honor of Augustus Caesar. It has 31 days because Augustus wanted as many days as Julius Caesar's month of July had*. Previously names Sextilis in Latin, it was the sixth month of the Roman calendar.

*They took that extra day from February.

"There's a time each year that we always hold dear,
Good old summer time;
With the birds and the trees'es and sweet scented breezes,
Good old summer time,
When you day's work is over, then you are in clover,
And life is one beautiful rhyme,
No trouble annoying, each one is enjoying,
The good old summer time."
- In the Good Old Summertime, Lyrics by Ron Shields

Birthstone: Peridot
Flower: Gladiolus
August is also related to the word "auger", a hole digging tool, because farmers dug for next season at this time every year.

NOW YOU KNOW....

Admit You Are Happy Month
American Adventures Month
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Romance Awareness Month
Sandwich Month
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Win with Civility Month
If the person who named Walkie Talkies named everything

Stamps - Lickie Stickie
Defibrillators - Heartly Starty
Bumble bees - Fuzzy Buzzy
Pregnancy test - Maybe Baby
Bra - Breastie Nestie
Fork - Stabby Grabby
Socks - Feetie Heatie
Hippo - Floatie Bloatie
Nightmare - Screamy Dreamy

I'm sorry we have to sneak around, but so many people think we don't belong together...

Frank! That's just wrong on so many levels!

Wouldn't it be nice if retail therapy was covered by health insurance?
AUGUST BROWN BAG DISTRIBUTION:
AUGUST 6
AUGUST 20
In a medium bowl, combine the Greek yogurt, Dijon mustard, apple cider vinegar, pineapple juice, salt, and pepper, and stir until smooth and combined.

In a large bowl, toss together the coleslaw mix or cabbage, pineapple, and macadamia nuts.

Pour the dressing over the slaw and stir to distribute evenly.

Serve immediately or store in the refrigerator until ready to serve. Will keep for a couple days, but it will get softer and less crunchy.
Hawaiian Luau Word Search

TIKI
COCONUT
TARO LEAF
ALOHA
PINEAPPLE
FIRE-KNIFE

FOOD
HULA
KAMEHAMEHA II
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KA'AEKEKE
TRADITION

UKULELE
LUAU
FLOWERS
FIRE POI BALL
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