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International days we need but don't have

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We have been recording history and special events for a long time now. Moreover, in the present age, it is far easier to celebrate new things, trends and days than it was before. However, there are still some things that need to be celebrated but unfortunately we don't have special days to celebrate them. Some of them are:

SENSELESS VIOLENCE DAY

People died in wars hundreds of years ago, and people continue to die in wars today. Many of these people never wanted to be a part of these wars but suffer the consequences nonetheless. However, senseless violence occurs not only in the large-scale but also in the small-scale by individuals or small groups over something as trivial as who called whom what. There is no sense to this violence and there seems to be no signs of the end of this type of needless violence so might as well have a day to remember how needlessly violent we human beings can be.

WASTED POTENTIAL DAY

No, I am not referring to parents who say their child has wasted their potential when they became something besides a doctor or engineer. I am referring to parents who have children who chose a profession of their parent's choice despite having dreams of their own that didn't match the ones their parents had for



them. These are the children who could've been amazing, happy and successful if they pursued their passions, because the technology available today really has made it easier to work in non-traditional fields. There are way too many people in

this category, so a day to celebrate them is a must.

UNNECESSARY FRIENDSHIP MILESTONES DAY

Friendships matter, but now, showing that you have friends and that you have a real

special bond with them to people who don't matter also matters. With our obsession with preserving life over actually experiencing life, keeping records of the number of days you maintained a streak with someone by sending them memes about a four-panel comic is very important. Who says you can't quantify friendship? People who don't know about social media of course. We should therefore make this an official day so that Facebook reminds you about it and you don't forget to celebrate your relationship with this very special person by posting the same video Facebook makes for everyone.

POINTLESS ARGUMENTS DAY

One of the many things the internet has made free, accessible and sharable are the arguments people have about important issues such as goth vs unicorn ice-cream or whether it puts unnecessary pressure on someone if you label them as best friend forever. Now, you can be aware of the needless arguing of not only the people you live with and the people you live close to but also strangers from all over the world. You can also engage in these discussions yourself and share screenshots of your fights with as many people as you want. So it only makes sense that we have a special day to remember how we contribute to society by bickering and swearing at each other without finding any solutions for actual problems.

Jobs and positions that need to exist

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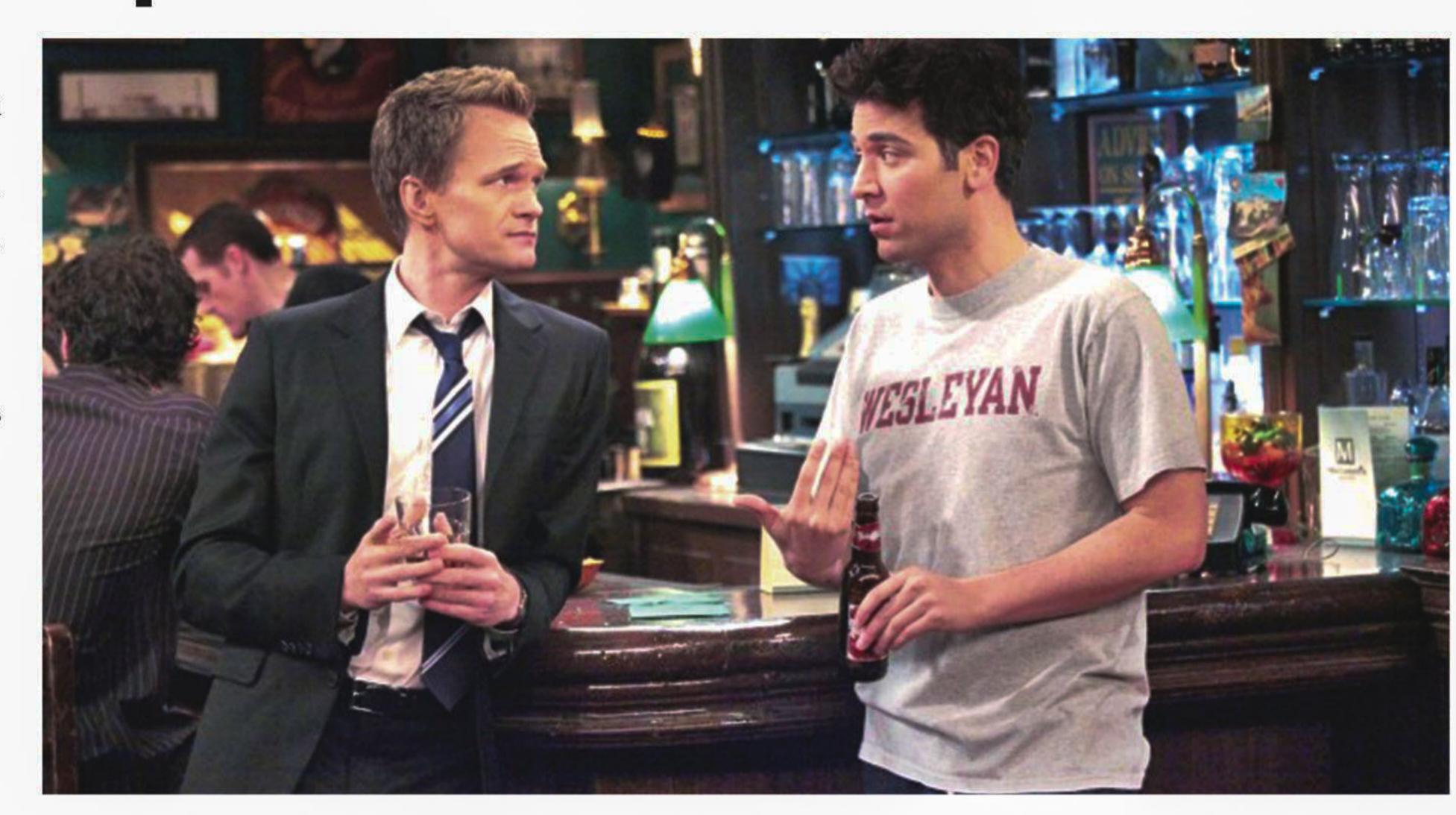
The professional life can be hectic and full of boredom unless your job requires you to do what you do best or at least enjoy yourself while doing it. Thus at times, you search for the job or position that was made for you. If you ever came across one of these job posts, would you hesitate to apply for the position?

Laughter sidekick: A friend in need is a friend indeed. But a friend who laughs at your lame and crappy jokes, is the real MVP. If you're someone who feels anxious when it comes to telling jokes, this is the guy you'd love to hire. Your laughter sidekick will laugh at your lamest jokes and will make you feel a lot better about your sense of humour as well as your existence.

Professional de-motivators: If giving motivation or life advice counts as a profession, doing the opposite should be accepted as one too. Their job will be demotivating others from doing certain things or making irrational decisions. Their motto in life is, "Why bother?" as they will preach this to others as well.

Social media "researcher": Kind of creepy, but it can employ a lot of people out there. As long as you don't end up liking your target's post back from the nineteenth century, you're good to go.

Caption finder: This position will be administered by the highly active citizens of Facebook and Instagram as they find themselves to be unworthy or incapable of putting a caption on their own photos.



If you're good with words and can skilfully put them in a sentence to produce something aesthetic, you're the man for this job. At times, you don't even need to make the caption as you can simply look for a suitable one on the internet.

Professional annoyer: As the Joker once said, "If you're good at something, never do it for free." Sadly, no one will be

willing to pay you for being the annoying person you are. But what if they did? You should apply for this position if you're good at annoying others. As a professional annoyer, your employer will probably hand you the responsibility to annoy the life out of certain people, mostly his or her enemies.

Contractual wingman: If your wingman game is strong, this is the job

that you've been looking for. There are a lot of people out there who are missing out on your skills as they're not acquainted with you. Hence, you can offer your services on contractual basis; completely professional with no strings attached. Your closest friends can vouch for your skills as a wingman as their names and contact info will be on the reference section of your resume.