

## February Facts, Valentine Veracities

- Question 1** What do Americans call the 2nd of February, as made famous by the film starring Bill Murray?  
**Groundhog Day**
- Question 2** British actress Pauline Collins found fame playing the title character of which play and subsequent film adaptation, winning an Olivier, Tony and BAFTA along the way?  
**Shirley Valentine**
- Question 3** Valentine is the lead character of which of Shakespeare's comedies that also happens to have the smallest cast?  
**Two Gentlemen Of Verona**
- Question 4** Saint Valentine is the traditional patron saint of which occupation, they are formally known as apiarists?  
**Beekeepers**
- Question 5** In February 2018 for the first time since 1999 there will not be a what? It will happen every other month of the year, sometimes twice a month?  
**Full Moon**
- Question 6** Shakespeare wrote 'A rose by any other name would smell as sweet' but which writer coined the phrase 'Rose is a rose is a rose?' She also wrote of her hometown of Oakland, California that 'There is no there there'?  
**Gertrude Stein**
- Question 7** Famed as the original Latin lover on the silver screen, which Italian actor died at the age of 31?  
**Rudolph Valentine**
- Question 8** Which gangster masterminded the Saint Valentine's Day Massacre in Chicago?  
**Al Capone**
- Question 9** Normally falling in February, which festival has a name that means "Fat Tuesday" in French?  
**Mardi Gras**
- Question 10** Which Italian professional motorcycle racer followed in his father's footsteps to become one of the best racers of all time, winning nine Grand Prix World Championships?  
**Valentino Rossi**