WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2020

## On This Date

1874 – The North West Mounted Police built a post in Alberta named after Assistant Commissioner James F. Macleod. The police station, which included a barracks, stables, hospital, and smithy, was made of logs plastered with clay.

1926 – English author A. A. Milne published *Winnie-the-Pooh*. The name *Winnie* was what Milne's son called a Canadian black bear that he often visited at the London Zoo.

1964 – At age 35, civil rights



leader Martin Luther King Jr. became the youngest person (at the time) to win the Nobel Peace Prize for his work to end racial discrimination.

## **Astronomy Quiz**

**Q:** Which planet is considered Earth's "sister" planet?

**A:** Venus. The difference between Earth's diameter and Venus' diameter is very little; Earth is bigger by only 407 miles.

## **Quote of the Day**

"You can't be a real spy and have everybody in the world know who you are and what your drink is. That's just hysterically funny."

~ Roger Moore

## Happy Birthday!

Roger Moore (1927–2017) was an



English actor. He is most famous for his portrayal of Ian Fleming's fictional secret agent, James Bond. Moore took over the role from

Sean Connery and portrayed Bond in seven different films between 1973 and 1985. A chance run-in with a director paved the way for Moore's introduction to acting. He also served as a UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador and was knighted by Queen Elizabeth II in 2003 for service to charity.