RESOLVED by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, (1) in recognition of Jim Thorpe having been chosen the greatest athlete in the first half of the twentieth century by the Associated Press, (2) in appreciation for the standards of excellence set by Jim Thorpe which have taught all Americans to recognize the innate dignity of their fellow citizen, the American Indian, (3) in recognition of Jim Thorpe’s example of overcoming social and economic barriers to achieve excellence, and blazing a trail for other talented minority Americans, and (4) in honor of the recognition Jim Thorpe brought to all Americans with his triumph at the 1912 Olympics, the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation designating April 16, 1973, as “Jim Thorpe Day”, and calling upon the people of the United States to observe such day with appropriate ceremonies and activities.


JOINT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the President to proclaim April 20, 1973, as a day of observance of the thirtieth anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the 29th day of April 1973 is hereby marked in commemoration of the thirtieth anniversary of the uprising against the Nazi occupation forces by the beleaguered and outnumbered Jews of the Warsaw ghetto who, by their heroic struggle, reaffirmed the ineradicable determination of mankind to fight for freedom from oppression and symbolized the indestructible spirit of liberty.

The President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation inviting the people of the United States to observe such day with appropriate ceremonies and activities.


JOINT RESOLUTION

To authorize the President to issue a proclamation designating the month of May, 1973, as “National Arthritis Month”.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation (1) designating the month of May 1973 as “National Arthritis Month”, (2) inviting the Governors of the several States to issue proclamations for like purposes, and (3) urging the people of the United States, and educational, philanthropic, scientific, medical, and health care professions and organizations to provide the necessary assistance and resources to discover the causes and cures of arthritis and rheumatic diseases and to alleviate the suffering of persons struck by these diseases.