

GROUNDHOGS TRUE OR FALSE?

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TRUE OR FALSE?



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TRUE

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February 2nd is Groundhog Day. On this day, groundhogs reveal themselves to see if they have a shadow. If there is a shadow, that means six more weeks of winter. If there is no shadow, it means it will be an early Spring.

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In the wild they live up to 6 years, but 2-3 years is the average. In captivity they can live up to 14 years.

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Groundhogs whistle when there is danger, warning other groundhogs nearby. This is how they got the name whistle pig.