Alumna Willie Hobbs Moore, the first African-American woman in the nation to earn a Ph.D. in physics, was born May 23.

President Lyndon B. Johnson delivered his “Great Society” speech May 22 to graduates at Michigan Stadium.

Gemini 4 launched June 3 with alumni astronauts Edward H. White and James McDivitt.

Alumna Janet Guthrie became the first woman to race in the Indianapolis 500 May 29.

The softball team defeated UCLA June 8 to win its first national championship in program history.

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