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Something pretty cool happened last month.

On January 20th, Zara Rutherford, 19, became the youngest person to fly around the world.

She began her journey in August, departing from Belgium. She encountered many obstacles, including thunderstorms, wildfire smoke, lightening, and ice but this young Belgian-British aviator made it happen!

When thinking of February, a lot of people's minds think of Valentine's Day. However, did you know that February is also Black History Month?

Here are a few suggested reads for the occasion:

- The Vanishing Half by Brit Bennett
- Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption by Bryan Stevenson
- Such a Fun Age by Kiley Reid
- Better, Not Bitter: Living on Purpose in Pursuit of Racial Justice by Yusef Salaam





It's still chilly out there! Here are a few things to keep in your car for if things don't go quite to plan.

- **Water Bottles**
- Non-perishable high energy foods (nuts, granola, sardines, beef jerky, protein bars, etc.)
- Battery-powered flashlight (with extra batteries) and a car phone charger
- Jumper cables (if your car battery dies)
- Ice scraper (to clear the windows before the traffic gets moving again)
- Personal hygiene products
- Blankets and warm clothing, like extra socks, hats, hand warmers—also a candle and matches to provide heat if gas is low.

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