

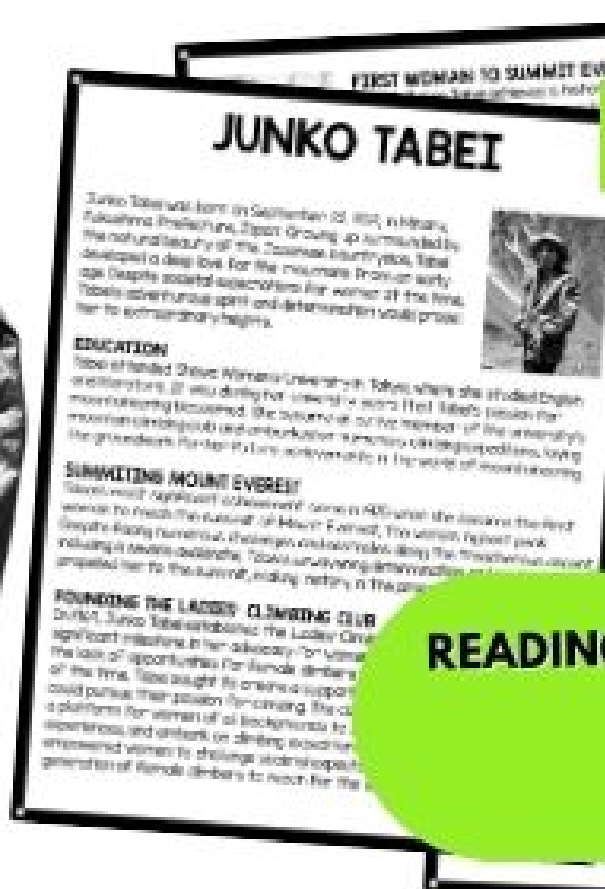
AAPI Heritage Month

JUNKO TABELI

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JUNKO TABELI

Junko Tabei was born on September 22, 1939, in Mitsu, Fukushima Prefecture, Japan. Growing up surrounded by the natural beauty of the Japanese countryside, Tabei developed a deep love for the mountains from an early age. Despite societal expectations for women of the time, Tabei's adventurous spirit and determination would propel her to extraordinary heights.



EDUCATION

Tabei attended Showa Women's University in Tokyo, where she studied English and literature. It was during her university years that Tabei's passion for mountaineering blossomed. She became an active member of the university's mountain climbing club and embarked on numerous climbing expeditions, laying the groundwork for her future achievements in the world of mountaineering.

SUMMITTING MOUNT EVEREST

Tabei's most significant achievement came in 1975 when she became the first woman to reach the summit of Mount Everest, the world's highest peak. Despite facing numerous challenges and obstacles along the treacherous ascent, including a severe avalanche, Tabei's unwavering determination and resilience propelled her to the summit, making history in the process.

FOUNDING THE LADIES' CLIMBING CLUB

In 1981, Junko Tabei established the Ladies' Climbing Club in Japan, marking a significant milestone in her advocacy for women in mountaineering. Recognizing the lack of opportunities for female climbers and the prevailing gender norms of the time, Tabei sought to create a supportive community where women could pursue their passion for climbing. The club quickly gained traction, providing a platform for women of all backgrounds to come together, share their experiences, and embark on climbing expeditions. Tabei's initiative not only empowered women to challenge societal expectations but also inspired a new generation of female climbers to reach for the summit.

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FIRST WOMAN TO SUMMIT EVEREST

In 1975, Junko Tabei achieved a historic milestone by becoming the first woman to reach the summit of Mount Everest, the world's highest peak. Despite facing numerous challenges, including a severe avalanche, Tabei's determination and resilience propelled her to success, shattering gender barriers in mountaineering.

SEVEN SUMMITS

Junko Tabei made history as the first woman to conquer the Seven Summits, climbing the highest peak on each continent, including Mount Kilimanjaro, Denali, and Aconcagua. Her remarkable achievement further solidified her legacy as a pioneering figure in the world of mountaineering.

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVISM

Tabei was a passionate advocate for environmental conservation and sustainable mountaineering practices. She dedicated her later years to raising awareness about the impact of climate change on mountain ecosystems.

LEGACY

Junko Tabei's legacy extends far beyond her mountaineering achievements. She inspired women around the world to pursue their dreams and break through societal barriers. Tabei's courage, perseverance, and pioneering spirit continue to inspire adventurers and outdoor enthusiasts, leaving an indelible mark on the world of mountaineering and beyond. Her legacy serves as a reminder of the power of determination and the boundless possibilities that lie ahead for those who dare to dream.

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Name _____

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JUNKO Tabei

DIRECTIONS: CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1. When was Junko Tabei born?

- a) September 22, 1939
- b) August 30, 1936
- c) April 25, 1937
- d) June 10, 1935

2. Where was Junko Tabei born?

- a) Tokyo, Japan
- b) Miharu, Fukushima Prefecture, Japan
- c) Kyoto, Japan
- d) Osaka, Japan

3. In which year did Junko Tabei become the first woman to summit Mount Everest?

- a) 1969
- b) 1975
- c) 1983
- d) 1990

4. What significant milestone did Junko Tabei achieve in 1989?

- a) She became the first woman to climb Mount Kilimanjaro.
- b) She founded the Ladies' Climbing Club in Japan.
- c) She summited Mount Everest.
- d) She received the Pritzker Architecture Prize.

5. Which of the following is NOT mentioned as one of Junko Tabei's achievements?

- a) Summiting Mount Kilimanjaro
- b) Climbing Denali
- c) Reaching the summit of Aconcagua
- d) Completing the Seven Summits

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. When was Junko Tabei born?
2. What significant achievement accomplish in 1975?
3. What did Junko Tabei found in 1975?
4. What environmental issue was about?
5. What is one of Junko Tabei's mountaineering?

6. What is the Ladies' Climbing Club?
a) A club exclusively for men's clubs
b) A club founded by Junko Tabei for mountaineering
c) A club focused on indoor rock climbing
d) A club dedicated to environmental conservation

7. Which award did Junko Tabei receive in 1983 for environmental conservation?
a) Nobel Peace Prize
b) Pulitzer Prize
c) Pritzker Architecture Prize
d) None of the above

8. What was Junko Tabei's passion for conservation focused on?
a) Protecting natural habitats
b) Sustainable mountaineering practices
c) Wildlife rehabilitation
d) Air pollution reduction

9. What legacy did Junko Tabei leave in mountaineering?
a) She inspired women to pursue their dreams through outdoor sports.
b) She established the first climbing gym.
c) She invented new climbing equipment.
d) She founded the first mountaineering school.

10. How did Junko Tabei's achievements inspire a new generation of female mountaineers?
a) This inspired a new generation of female mountaineers to pursue their dreams and reach through outdoor sports.
b) This inspired a new generation of female mountaineers to pursue their dreams and reach through outdoor sports.

ANSWER KEY

MCQ:

1. a) September 22, 1939
2. b) Miharu, Fukushima Prefecture, Japan
3. b) 1975
4. c) Summiting Mount Everest
5. b) A club founded by Junko Tabei to support women in mountaineering
6. d) None of the above
7. c) Pritzker Architecture Prize
8. b) Sustainable mountaineering practices
9. a) She inspired women to pursue their dreams and reach through outdoor sports.
10. d) This inspired a new generation of female mountaineers.

SHORT-ANSWER QUESTIONS:

1. Junko Tabei was born on September 22, 1939.
2. In 1975, Junko Tabei became the first woman to summit Mount Everest.
3. Junko Tabei founded the Ladies' Climbing Club in Japan in 1975.
4. Junko Tabei was passionate about environmental conservation and sustainable mountaineering practices.
5. One of Junko Tabei's legacies in the world of mountaineering is inspiring women to pursue their dreams and reach through outdoor sports.

ANSWER KEY
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