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## Who invented barbie dolls

On March 9, 1959, the first Barbie doll goes on display at the American Toy Fair in New York City Eleven inches tall, with a waterfall of blond hair. Barbie was the first mass-produced toy doll in the United States with adult features. The woman behind Barbie was Ruth Handler, who co-founded Mattel, Inc. with her husband in 1945. After seeing her young daughter ignore her baby dolls to play make-believe with paper dolls of adult women, Handler realized there was an important niche in the market for a toy that allowed little girls to imagine the future.Barbie's appearance was modeled on a doll named Lilli, based on a German comic strip character. Originally marketed as a racy gag gift to adult men in tobacco shops, the Lilli doll later became extremely popular with children. Mattel bought the rights to Lilli and made its own version, which Handler named after her daughter, Barbara. With its sponsorship of the "Mickey Mouse Club" TV program in 1955, Mattel became one of the first toy companies to broadcast commercials to children. They used this medium to promote their new toy, and by 1961, the enormous consumer demand for the doll led Mattel to release a boyfriend for Barbie. Handler named him Ken, after her son. Barbie's best friend, Midge, came out in 1963; her little sister, Skipper, debuted the following year.READ MORE: Barbie's Secret Sister Was a Sexy German Novelty DollOver the years, Barbie generated huge sales—and a lot of controversy. On the positive side, many women saw Barbie as providing an alternative to traditional 1950s gender roles. She has had a series of different jobs, from airline stewardess, doctor, pilot and astronaut to Olympic athlete and even U.S. presidential candidate. Others thought Barbie's never-ending supply of designer outfits, cars and "Dream Houses" encouraged kids to be materialistic. It was Barbie's appearance that caused the most controversy, however. Her tiny waist and enormous breasts-it was estimated that if she were a real woman, her measurements would be 36-18-38-led many to claim that Barbie provided little girls with an unrealistic and harmful example and fostered negative body image.Despite the criticism, sales of Barbie-related merchandise continued to soar, topping 1 billion dollars annually by 1993. Since 1959, over one billion dolls in the Barbie family have been sold around the world and Barbie is now a bona fide global icon.READ MORE: Barbie Through the Ages HISTORY Barbie's full name is Barbara Millicent Roberts. Barbie was named after Ruth Handler's daughter, Barbara, and Ken after her son, Kenneth. She is from (fictional) Willows, Wisconsin, where she attended high school. Barbie's official birthday is March 9, 1959, the day she was unveiled to the toy industry during New York Toy Fair. Barbie first appeared in her iconic black-and-white striped swimsuit. Barbie was joined by Ken in 1961. The first Barbie doll was sold for \$3.00. The first Barbie commercial aired during the Mickey Mouse Club in 1959. Barbie doll's signature color is Barbie Pink (PMS 219). Barbie stands 11.5 inches tall. The best-selling Barbie doll ever was 1992 Totally Hair™ Barbie, which featured floor-length hair. CAREERS Barbie has had over 200 inspirational careers including astronaut, pilot, firefighter, journalist, and entrepreneur to name a few. Barbie traveled into space in 1965, four years before man walked on the moon. In 1992, Barbie ran for president for the first time and has run in every election year since. In 2016, she ran with the first all-female ticket. In 1973, Barbie saved lives as a surgeon, at a time when very few women were in the operating room. In 1985, she took to the boardroom as "Day to Night" CEO Barbie, just as women began to break the glass ceiling. To encourage more girls to explore the STEM field, Barbie has been a computer engineer, video game developer, Mars explorer, and robotics engineer. ICON It takes a professional staff of top fashion designers, makeup artists, and the most elite couturiers-more than 100 people in all-to create a Barbie doll and her fashions. Barbie has been a muse to many artists over the past six decades, including Andy Warhol and Peter Max. Twiggy was the first celebrity to have a doll in her likeness. Oscar de la Renta was the first designer collaboration in 1985. The #1 honor from the Barbie brand is to be immortalized in plastic. The brand has honored role models from ages 6 to 99. In 1997, the hit song, "Barbie Girl," by Aqua topped the charts. In 2014, Jeremy Scott's Moschino show was inspired by Barbie, complete with her dream wardrobe. Barbie has fans of all ages. The National Barbie Doll Collectors Convention has been driven by doll clubs across the country for over 25 years. POWER Barbie is the most popular fashion doll ever produced and the No. 1 fashion doll property in the U.S. A Barbie Dreamhouse is sold every two minutes and was first introduced in 1962. Barbie is the most diverse fashion doll on the market. More than 100 dolls are sold every minute, with a total of 58 million sold annually. Barbie is sold in 150 countries worldwide. Barbie has products in 45 categories, including food, fitness, and clothing. The Barbie brand has over 99% brand awareness globally. The Barbie YouTube channel has over five million subscribers, making Barbie the #1 girls' brand on YouTube. Barbie has a powerful social media presence with over 14 million fans on Facebook, 267,000 followers on Twitter, and 1.2 million followers on Instagram (@barbie). CONTENT @barbiestyle launched in 2014 and quickly reached 2 million followers - it is one of the fastest growing fashion Instagram channels to date. Barbie has released over 30 entertainment titles. More than 151 million minutes of content has been watched on the Barbie YouTube channel. In 2015, Barbie launched her first video blog (vlog) on YouTube which propelled the channel to the #1 girls' brand on YouTube. There are over 18 billion minutes of Barbie user-generated content created each year. @barbiestyle launched in 2014 and quickly reached 2 million followers - it is one of the fastest growing fashion Instagram channels to date. American businesswoman and inventor (1916-2002) This article needs additional citations for verification. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed.Find sources: "Ruth Handler" - news - newspapers - books - scholar - JSTOR (April 2021) (Learn how and when to remove this template message) Ruth HandlerBornRuth Marianna Mosko(1916-11-04)November 4, 1916Denver, Colorado, U.S.DiedApril 27, 2002(2002-04-27) (aged 85)[1]California, U.S.OccupationPresident of Mattel, Inc.EmployerMattel, Inc.SuccessorRobert A. EckertSpouse(s)Elliot Handler (m. 1938)Children2 Ruth Marianna Handler (née Mosko; November 4, 1916 - April 27, 2002) was an American businesswoman and inventor. She served as the president of the toy manufacturer Mattel Inc. In 1959, she invented the Barbie doll, which sold over a billion toys worldwide. She was the founder and president of the world's largest toy company, which at its peak had 18,000 employees and annual sales of over \$300 million. In 1974, the Handlers were forced to resign from Mattel, and in 1976 Ruth Handler was convicted of false reporting to the Securities and Exchange Commission.[2] Early life Handler was born Ruth Marianna Mosko in Denver, Colorado, to Polish-Jewish immigrants Ida Mosko (née Rubenstein) and Jacob Mosko.[3] She married her high school boyfriend, Elliot Handler, and moved to Los Angeles in 1938.[4] Her husband decided to make their furniture out of two newfound types of plastics, Lucite and Plexiglas. Ruth Handler suggested that he start doing this commercially and they began a furniture business. Ruth Handler worked as the sales force for the new business, landing contracts with Douglas Aircraft Company and others.[4] Formation of Mattel Origin Her husband Elliot Handler and his business partner Harold "Matt" Matson formed a small company to manufacture picture frames, calling it "Mattel" by combining part of their names ("Matt" and "Elliot"). Later, they began using scraps from the manufacturing process to make dollhouse furniture. The furniture was more profitable than the picture frames and it was decided to concentrate on toy manufacturing. The company's first big-seller was the "Uke-a-doodle", a toy ukulele. Barbie Ruth Handler claimed her daughter Barbara, pre-teen, played with paper dolls by pretending they were adults. Handler noticed that in such play, children would act out future events, rather than the present. Handler noted the limitations of the paper dolls, including how the paper clothing failed to attach well. She wanted to produce a three-dimensional plastic "paper doll" with an adult body and a wardrobe of fabric clothing, but her husband and Matson thought parents would not buy their children a doll with a voluptuous figure. While the Handler family was vacationing in Europe, Ruth Handler saw the West German Bild Lilli doll, an adult gag gift, in a Swiss shop and brought it home. She reworked the design of the doll and named her Barbie after the Handlers' daughter, Barbara.[5] Barbie debuted at the New York toy fair on March 9, 1959, but was not an immediate success. When Disney introduced The Mickey Mouse Club children's television show, Mattel invested heavily in television advertising. The TV commercials for the Barbie doll paid off and Barbie rocketed Mattel and the Handlers to fame and fortune. Subsequently, they would add a boyfriend for Barbie named Ken, after the Handlers' son, and many other characters to Barbie's world. Later years Handler was diagnosed with breast cancer in 1970. She had a modified radical mastectomy, which was often used at the time to combat the disease, and because of difficulties in finding a good breast prosthesis, she decided to make her own. With Peyton Massey, Ruth founded Ruthton Corp, which manufactured a more realistic version of a woman's breast, called "Nearly Me". She personally fitted one for then-first lady, Betty Ford. In 1974, Handler resigned from Mattel after investigations of producing fraudulent financial reports.[6] In 1978, Handler was charged with fraud and false reporting to the Securities and Exchange Commission. She pleaded no contest, was fined \$57,000 and sentenced to 2,500 hours of community service.[7] She blamed her illness for making her "unfocused" on her business. Handler was credited as a writer of the 1987 film Barbie and the Rockers: Out of this World. Handler was inducted into the Junior Achievement U.S. Business Hall of Fame in 1997. Handler died in California from complications of surgery for colon cancer on April 27, 2002, aged 85.[8] Her husband Elliot died nine years later at the age of 95. 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