

**NAME**

calendar – very basic reminder service

**SYNOPSIS**

calendar

**DESCRIPTION**

*calendar* reads a plain text database of appointments in *\$HOME/calendar*, and prints out lines matching today. This is a very simple reimplementaion of the classic UNIX command of the same name. It does not support most the features of the original version, in particular, *calendar* only prints appointments for today, and it only understands one kind of date: A capitalized three letter abbreviation of the month followed by a date.

*Note:* Because the awk version that ships with UNIX version 7 doesn't support local variables or functions, it would be hard to extend the functionality of *calendar* without using a serious programming language, like C.

**EXAMPLE**

```
date
Wed Jun 6 08:24:47 CEST 2019
echo Jun 6      dentist appointment >> $HOME/calendar
echo Jun 7      recuperate... >> $HOME/calendar
calendar
Jun 6 dentist appointment
```

**FILES**

```
$HOME/calendar
    personal calendar
```