

Current Affairs

April 11

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Today In *History*

Find Out What happened On April 11

Important events of April 11

- **1881:** Spelman College was founded in Atlanta, Georgia for higher education of African-American women.
- **1909:** The city of Tel Aviv in Israel was founded.
- **1919:** The International Labour Organisation was established.
- **1924:** The first Men's College Swimming Championships began.
- **1930:** Lakshman Jhula made of steel wires in Rishikesh was opened to the public.
- **1945:** The American Army reached the Elbe River in Germany.
- **1968:** US President Johnson signed the Civil Rights Act.
- **1970:** America launched the Apollo 13 program for the Moon mission.
- **1972:** USSR conducted an underground nuclear test.
- **1999:** Agni 2 missile was tested.
- **1999:** Unique 'Adopt a School' initiative by the Government of the Philippines.
- **2000:** Indian-origin American writer Jhumpa Lahiri was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for her first work *Interpreter of Maladies*.
- **2003:** Pakistan won the Sharjah Cup for the 12th time.
- **2008:** Scientists in Sweden discovered an eight thousand year old tree.
- **2010:** Polish President Lech Kaczynski died in a plane crash.
- **2010:** Clashes between the Thai military and protesters left at least 20 people dead and more than 800 injured.

Famous People born on April 11

- **1827:** *Jyotiba Phule, the great thinker, social worker and revolutionary of India, was born.*
- **1869:** *Mahatma Gandhi's wife Kasturba Gandhi was born.*
- **1887:** *Famous painter Jamini Roy was born.*
- **1904:** *Indian singer and actor Kundan Lal Sehgal was born.*
- **1937:** *Ramanathan Krishnan, one of the best players of India, was born.*