



Today in History

November 9, 1961

▲ **Brian Epstein first saw the Beatles perform at the Cavern Club in Liverpool. He became their manager and soon propelled the band to superstardom**

1938: Anti-Jewish riots, later known as Kristallnacht, took place in Germany after a Nazi official was murdered

1993: The famous 400-year-old Ottoman bridge in Mostar, Bosnia, was destroyed by repeated shelling

1996: Evander Holyfield caused a huge upset by beating Mike Tyson to take boxing's world heavyweight crown

2014: Catalonia staged a symbolic independence poll in defiance of objections from Madrid