



Today in History

April 16, 2017

▲ **President Recep Tayyip Erdogan of Turkey won a historic referendum on a package of constitutional changes granting him sweeping new powers**

1943: Swiss chemist Albert Hofman discovered the psychedelic properties of LSD

1948: The Organisation for European Economic Co-operation (OEEC) was set up in Paris

2008: The skeleton of a 65 million year old Triceratops was auctioned in Paris for \$942,000

2016: Pope Francis took 12 Syrian refugees back with him to the Vatican after visiting a camp in Greece