



Today in History

December 18, 1943

▲ **Keith Richards, co-founder of British rock band the Rolling Stones, was born. With singer Mick Jagger he is responsible for writing most of the band's songs**

1991: The first international project to save the world's rainforests was launched in Brazil

1997: The Tokyo Bay Aqua-Line, a toll expressway linking the cities of Kawasaki and Kisarazu, was opened

2008: India successfully test-fired its supersonic cruise missile BrahMos for the first time

2009: The Spanish region of Catalonia voted to ban the controversial sport of bullfighting