



Today in History

October 23, 1956

▲ **The Hungarian uprising against Soviet occupation began in Budapest with demonstrators demanding the withdrawal of Soviet forces**

1991: Serb forces began shelling the Old Town of Dubrovnik, the historic heart of the Croatian city

2001: The IRA decommissioned the first of its weapons in a historic breakthrough for the Northern Ireland peace process

2006: Romania officially ended the use of conscription

2011: Cristina Kirchner was re-elected as President of Argentina in a landslide victory