



# On This Day *in* HISTORY

## 6 June

- 1523 *Gustavus I becomes king of Sweden (Swedish National Day)*
- 1801 *Peace of Badajoz: Spain-Portugal*
- 1813 *US invasion of Canada halted at Stoney Creek (Ont)*
- 1831 *Second national black convention (Philadelphia)*
- 1911 *Nicaragua signs treaty turning over customs to US (not ratified)*
- 1914 *First air flight out of sight of land (Scotland to Norway)*
- 1934 *Securities & Exchange Commission established*
- 1936 *68th Belmont: James Stout aboard Granville wins in 2:30*
- 1944 *U-955, U-970, U-629, U-373 sink in Gulf of Biskaje*
- 1946 *Martin Kresses begins publishing "Eric the Viking" comic strip*
- 1954 *Patty Berg wins LPGA Triangle Round Robin Golf Tournament*
- 1958 *Premier Charles de Gaulle says Algeria will always be French*
- 1960 *South Africa police kills 11 Pondo's at Nqusa Hill*
- 1971 *Kathy Whitworth wins LPGA Lady Carling Golf Open*
- 1971 *Willie Mays hits record 22nd & last extra inning HR*
- 1977 *Joseph L Howze installed as bishop of Roman Catholic diocese (Miss)*
- 1981 *Maya Yang Lin wins competition to design the Vietnam War Memorial*
- 1982 *30,000 Israeli troops invade Lebanon to drive out PLO*
- 1982 *52nd French Mens Tennis: Mats Wilander beats G Vilas (16 76 60 64)*
- 1987 *57th French Womens Tennis: Steffi Graf beats M Navratilova (64 46 86)*
- 1988 *George Bush makes campaign promise to support reparations for WW II*
- 1988 *Japanese-American internees (promise broken, May 1989)*
- 1992 *62nd French Womens Tennis: Monica Seles beats Steffi Graf (62 36 10-8)*
- 1994 *28th Music City News Country Awards: Alan Jackson & Ray Stevens*
- 2011 *Jenny Smith Starts a New Business*