Historic Moments of Los Angeles

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Date of Paper	Pages	Event Covered (LA Times)
4 Dec 1881	Front page	First edition of the Los Angeles Daily Times
1 Nov 1902	Part II page 1	Big San Pedro Breakwater just rising out of the waves
2 July 1905	Part II pages 1 and 2	New Venice bursts on illumined sea
23 Jan 1910	Part II pages 2 and 21	La Brea Pits revelations; Marvelous find of rarest fossil remains
14 May 1911	Part V page 1	Beverly Hotel to be wonder of Southland
6 Nov 1913	Part II pages 1, 4 & 5	Glorious mountain river now flows to Los Angeles' gates
7 Nov 1913	Part II pages 1 and 5	Opening of State Exposition Building and Los Angeles County Museum of History, Science and Art
10 Jan 1914	Part II page 3	Tiny Broadwick's courage sets new mark
16 Mar 1915	Part III page 4	The formal opening of Universal City
29 June 1916	Part III page 4	The Lasky Feature Play Company and the Famous Players amalgamate
28 Oct 1917	Page 9	Grand Central Market opens
16 Jan 1919	Part II pages 1 and 2	United Artists' Distributing Company is formed
11 Nov 1921	Part II page 14	Peace songs to echo from Hollywood Bowl
2 July 1923	Part IV page 3	The Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum is one of world's finest structures
13 Apr 1924	Part V pages 1 and 3	Scenic Mulholland Highway for Los Angeles assured
18 Apr 1924	Part II page 1	Film merger is completed – Metro Goldwyn and Mayer interests now one
22 June 1924	Part II page 14	"More than a million" – increasing population of Los Angeles brings problems to management of Downtown stores
20 July 1924	Part V page 4	Bel-Air an aristocrat of suburban development in Southern California
7 July 1926	Part II page 1	Library opens new quarters on Fifth Street
15 May 1927	Part III pages 1 and 14	Grauman's Chinese Theater ready for opening night
28 Dec 1927	Part II page 11	United Artists' Theater opening most dazzling event in Downtown theatrical history
27 Apr 1928	Part II pages 1 and 12	Los Angeles dedicates imposing new City Hall
21 Sep 1929	Front	University of Westwood having busy time – new U.C.L.A. set
6 June 1930	Part II page 9	Pantages Theater opens
27 July 1930	Part II page 1	Greek Theater marks new milestone in cultural development of city
31 July 1932	Part VI page 1	Multitude acclaims opening of Olympics

11 Mar 1933	Front, 2 & 3	Scores perish in Southland quake
3 Mar 1938	Front and page 2	Thirty dead in Southland floods
4 May 1939	Page B and page 6	New Union Station dedicated; Parade thrills 500,000
1 Nov 1940	Page 14	Palladium, newest Hollywood night spot, opens its doors
31 Dec 1940	Part II pages 1, B and 3	Six-million-dollar Arroyo Seco Parkway opened
31 Mar 1941	Page B	Long Beach is building ships for air and sea
7 June 1943	Front	Zuit suiters learn lesson in fights with servicemen
13 Jan 1946	Part II pages 5 and 6	Los Angeles gets Rams' Pro Grid franchise
19 Jan 1947	Page 2	'Black Dahlia' and red-haired youth traced to San Diego café day before her murder
21 June 1947	Front	Bugsy Siegel shot dead in Beverly Hills home
29 Apr 1951	Part II pages 1 and 7	Glass chapel challenges church designs of past
16 Sep 1953	Page 28	4-level Freeway hub set to open
18 July 1955	Part II pages 1 and 26	Parade opens \$17,500,000 Disneyland
8 Apr 1956	Part V page 1	The Capitol Tower is completed, the world's first circular office building
19 Apr 1958	Front and page A	Dodgers win, 6-5; Downtown throngs hail Dodgers in big welcome
9 May 1959	Front and page 3	Chavez Ravine family evicted; Melee erupts
9 Feb 1960	Part III page 1	Hollywood gets start on its 'Walk of Fame'
28 Apr 1960	Part IV pages 1 and 5	Lakers' shift to L.A. okayed
11 Apr 1962	Part III pages 1 and 4	52,564 see opener at brand new \$18 million Dodger Stadium
6 Aug 1962	Front and page A	Marilyn Monroe found dead
22 Sep 1963	Section J pages 1 and 32	Century City, \$500 million project, opens
8 Mar 1964	B1 and B7	Bunker Hill plan heads for reality
28 Nov 1966	Part II pages 1 and 8	After 30 years, \$10 million zoo opens today
16 Jan 1967	Part III page 1	Green Bay Packers win the first Super Bowl, in Memorial Coliseum
24 June 1967	Front and page 15	10,000 in melee – war protest mars LBJ visit
10 Dec 1967	Front and page B	Queen Mary given tumultuous welcome to Long Beach home
31 Dec 1967	D1 and D7	\$16 million Forum draws raves - and 14,366 fans – at opening presentation
10 Aug 1969	Front and page 18	Sharon Tate, four others murdered
30 Aug 1970	Front, pages B and 18	One dead, 40 hurst in East L.A. riot
10 Feb 1971	Front, pages 2 and 14	Death toll 33 in massive earthquake
25 May 1971	Part IV pages 1 and 10	Opening day jitters at Magic Mountain

11 July 1971	Front	Thousands attend dedication of L.A. Convention Center
2 July 1973	Front, pages 3 and 20	Tom Bradley outlines plans for 'turn to tomorrow' in inaugural talk
28 Jan 1974	Part IV pages 1 and 5	The newly opened Getty Museum near Malibu
16 May 1984	Part III pages 1 and 8	Clippers again try a fast break towards Los Angeles
29 July 1984	Part VIII pages 1 and 30	The Olympic Games open at the Coliseum
29 Nov 1984	Westside Part IX pages 1 and 20	West Hollywood celebrates birth as a city today
16 Oct 1988	Part III pages 1 and 7	Kirk Gibson's shot in the dark stuns A's in World Series
30 June 1990	Front, pages 36 and B3	Nelson Mandela visits L.A.
28 Nov 1990	F1 and F5	Armand Hammer Museum opens
7 Mar 1991	B1 and B4	Witnesses depict relentless beating of Rodney King
3 Oct 1991	J1	Local cities part of 310 area code
8 Nov 1991	C1 and C8	The day the Magic stopped – Earvin leaves NBA, but his smile remains
30 Apr 1992	Front and page 22	All 4 in King beating acquitted
1 May 1992	Front, pages 10 and 29	Looting and fires ravage L.A.
18 Jan 1994	Front and page 10	33 die, hundreds hurt in L.A.'s biggest earthquake
18 June 1994	Front and page 6	O.J. Simpson held after wild chase
18 July 1994	Front and page 8	Brazil beats Italy for World Cup in dramatic penalty-kick showdown at the Rose Bowl
19 Apr 1996	B1 and B3	New Skirball Museum celebrating Jewish life
21 Apr 1996	B1 and B4	One for the Books: 35,000 turn out for 1st L.A. festival bringing readers, authors together
14 Dec 1997	Front and 37	Getty Center dedicated in multicultural ceremony
17 Oct 1999	B1 and B12	The \$400 million Staples Center opens
3 July 2001	Front and page 15	James K. Hahn sworn in as Mayor, lays out course of action
6 Nov 2002	Front and page 28	Valley, Hollywood secession bids are defeated
24 Oct 2003	Front and page 30	Disney Hall opens to fanfare
31 Jan 2006	E1 and E4	Getty Villa is a conservators' heaven, with elevated responsibilities
2 May 2006	Front and page 8	Marchers fill L.A.'s streets; Immigrants demonstrate peaceful power
26 June 2009	Front and page 11	King of Pop is dead at 50
10 Aug 2009	D1 and D4	Madame Tussauds opens in Hollywood
12 June 2012	Front and page 11	Kings capture the team's 1st Stanley Cup

23 May 2013	Front and page 19	Eric Garcetti defeats Wendy Greuel in the Los Angeles Mayor's race
8 Aug 2013	D5	Hollywood icons mark 90 th year
13 Jan 2016	Front and page 11	NFL returns to L.A. – Rams kick off in '16
13 Jan 2017	Front and page 10	Chargers will join Rams and share Inglewood venue
10 Nov 2018	Front, pages 6 & 7	California wildfires – A state of emergencies
27 Jan 2020	Front and page 10	Kobe Bryant dies in crash
7 Mar 2020	Front	Test shortage breeds hospital chaos
16 Mar 2020	Front and page 10	Fight against virus intensifies
31 May 2020	Front and page 7	Unrest in L.A. following the death of George Floyd
12 Oct 2020	Front and page 9	Lakers win NBA title, honoring Bryant
28 Oct 2020	Front and page 7	Dodgers win World Series
14 Feb 2022	Front and page 10	Rams win Super Bowl

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