

Date	Holiday/Event
	<p>Alcohol Awareness Month. For more information go to http://ncadi.samhsa.gov/seasonal/aprilalcohol/</p> <p>National Child Abuse Prevention Month. For more information go to http://www.childwelfare.gov/preventing/preventionmonth/</p> <p>Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM), April brings an annual opportunity to focus awareness on sexual violence and its prevention. For more information go to http://www.nsvrc.org/saam/</p>
April 1 st	Greek Cypriot National Day (Cyprus)
April 2 nd	Kick Butts Day 2008 is a day for youth to join the fight against tobacco by making people aware how it harms health and how tobacco companies target kids. http://kickbuttsday.org/
April 3 rd	Independence Day (Guinea)
April 3 rd to 10 th	Pesach Passover (Jewish): An 8-day festival, which begins at sundown, recalls the exodus of the Israelites from slavery in Egypt around BC.
April 4 th	Independence Day (Senegal)
April 5 th	Qing Ming: (Asia) The annual day for remembering the dead. In the week leading up to Quing Ming, it is customary to clean up the graves of ancestors, and make offerings of food and drink.
April 5 th and 6 th	<p>36th Annual University of Michigan Dance for Mother Earth Pow Wow</p> <p>Crisler Arena Ann Arbor, Michigan</p> <p>Doors open on Saturday at 10:30AM Saturday Grand Entries at 12:00 & 7:00PM Doors open Sunday at 10:30AM Sunday Grand Entry at 12:00PM</p> <p>For additional information go to their website http://www.umich.edu/~powwow/index.html</p> <p>Event hosted by Native American Programming Task Force, the University of Michigan's Native American Student Association, U-M Chapter of the American Indian Science & Engineering Society, and the Office of Multi-Ethnic Student Affairs a Division of Student Affairs.</p>
April 6 th	Bikarami Samvat (Hindu and Sikh): New Year
April 7 th	International World Health Day: Commemorates the foundation of the World Health Organization.
April 7 th	Genocide's Remembrance (Rwanda)
April 8 th	Baisakhi/Vaisakhi: (Sikh) The Commemoration of the foundation of the Khalsa, or Sikh brotherhood, by Guru Gobind Singh. Sikhs wear five articles of faith to symbolize obedience to God, recognition of God's universality, orderliness, modesty and protection of the weak. Namdhari Sikhs celebrate their foundation on this day.
April 9 th	National Unity Day (Georgia)

April 9 th	National Day (Bolivia)
April 9 th	Martyr's Day (Tunisia)
April 11 th	National heroes' Day (Costa Rica)
April 12 th	Sham Al Nessim: (Egypt) Also known as the "Spring Day" or the day for celebrating new crops in Egypt.
April 13 th -15 th	Songkran: (Thailand) The Thai New Year. Rites and rituals are performed as part of the New Year blessings and Buddhist merit making. One of these is the splashing of water.
April 14 th	Bangla Naba Barsha: Bangladesh's New Year, which was introduced during the rule of Emperor Akbar.
April 14 th	Pan America's Day: (The Americas: North, Central and South America) Established in honor of the first conference of the American Countries (1890).
April 14 th	Fast and Prayer Day (Liberia)
April 17 th	Independence Day (Syria)
April 18 th	Health Day (Kiribati)
April 18 th	Independence Day (Zimbabwe)
April 19 th	Landing of the 33 Immortals: (Uruguay) Anniversary of the landing of thirty-three exiles in 1825, who then began a campaign leading to Uruguay's independence.
April 19 th	Republic anniversary Day (Sierra Leone)
April 19 th	Declaration of Independence (Venezuela)
April 21 st	Traditional Khmer New Year: (Cambodia) The Cambodian New Year is one of the major celebrations in the Cambodian culture. It is based on the Lunar Calendar.
April 21 st	Tiradentes: (Brazil) Commemorates Joaquim Jose da Silva Xavier, also known as Tiradentes (Tooth Puller). His efforts led to Brazil's independence from Portugal.
April 23 rd	Children and Sovereign National Day (Turkey)
April 24 th	Genocide Memorial Day (Armenia)
April 25 th	Anzac Day (Australia/New) Zealand
April 25 th	Sinai Day (Egypt)
April 25 th	Liberation Day (Italy)
April 25 th	Liberation Day (Portugal)
April 25 th	Foundation of the People's Army (Democratic Republic of Korea)
April 25 th	Anniversary of the Portuguese Revolution (Macao and Portugal)
April 25 th	National Flag Day (Swaziland)
April 26 th	Union Day (Tanzania and Togo)
April 26 th	National Day (Yugoslavia)
April 26 th	Independence Day (Israel)
April 27 th	Independence Day (Sierra Leone)
April 27 th	Freedom Day (South Africa)
April 27 th	Celebration of the Upraise (Slovenia)
April 27 th	Independence Day (Togo)
April 30 th	May Day Eve (Finland)
April 30 th	Day of the Victory (Vietnam)