



**April 11, 1970** - *Apollo 13* is launched, suffering an explosion in its SM oxygen tanks. Its Moon landing is aborted, and the crew, James A. Lovell, Jr., John L. Swigert, Jr. and Fred W. Haise, Jr., return safely.

**October 11, 1968** - *Apollo 7* is the first manned Apollo mission with Walter M. Schirra, Jr., Donn F. Eisele, and Walter Cunningham. It orbited the earth once.

**July 20, 1969** - Neil Armstrong and Edwin Aldrin, Jr. make the first manned soft landing on the Moon, and the first moonwalk, using *Apollo 11*.

**December 21, 1968** - *Apollo 8* is launched with Frank Borman, James A. Lovell, Jr. and William A. Anders, the first *Apollo* to use the *Saturn V* rocket, and the first manned spacecraft to orbit the Moon, making 10 orbits on its 6-day mission.



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