



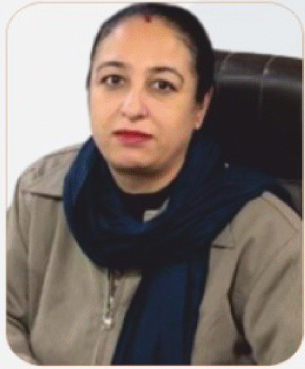
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History of 29th November

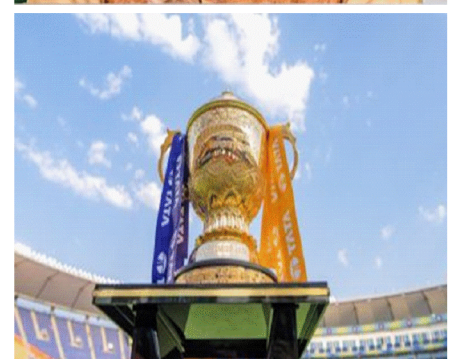
- ◆ 1759 : Delhi emperor **Alam Mir II** was assassinated.
- ◆ 1970 : Haryana became the first Indian state to achieve 100% rural electrification.
- ◆ 1947 : When the Indian subcontinent was partitioned, the **Nizam** sought free will to join India.
- ◆ 1759 : 16th Mughal emperor **Alam Mir II** died.
- ◆ 1961 : World's first cosmonaut **Yuri Gagarin** arrived in India.
- ◆ 1989 : Indian Prime Minister **Rajiv Gandhi** stepped down.

Current Affairs Related to 29th November 2024

- ◆ The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Banaras Hindu University and Ministry of Education to provide assistance to the Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU. There is a provision to provide grant-in-aid by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to IMS and BHU in line with the new AIIMS established under the Health Security Scheme. This MoU will help in establishing IMS, BHU as a world-class institution.
- ◆ The inaugural session of India's first Constitution Museum and National Conference on the Constitution of India was held at OP Jindal Global University, Sonapat. It is a unique initiative and landmark institution in Indian constitutional history. The inauguration of the Constitution Museum is dedicated to the nation, aimed at encouraging the youth of India, the leaders of tomorrow, to adopt the Constitution of India as a beacon of knowledge that will shape and drive the future of our country.
- ◆ DRDO successfully flight-tested India's first long-range hypersonic missile. India's first long-range hypersonic missile has been flight-tested from Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Island off the coast of Odisha. The hypersonic missile has been designed to carry various payloads for the armed forces over a distance of more than 1500 km. This missile has been indigenously developed by the laboratories of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Missile Complex, Hyderabad.
- ◆ Scientists at the Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research have identified a new method to understand the virology of monkeypox virus. Scientists have identified and characterized DNA sequences within the monkeypox virus genome. The new findings will help in developing diagnostic tools for deadly infections.
- ◆ India's first modern self-reliant cowshed with state-of-the-art compressed biogas plant was unveiled in Gwalior. Near the CBG plant is Gwalior's largest cowshed named Adarsh Gaushala, which is located in Laltiyara, Gwalior. This Gaushala is run by Gwalior Municipal Corporation and has more than 10000 cattle.
- ◆ Haryana Government notified Haryana Good Governance Award Scheme. To promote excellence in governance, the Haryana Government announced the Haryana Good Governance Award Scheme. The main objective of the scheme is to promote excellence in governance by rewarding employees who have contributed to improving governance in the state through innovative work and extraordinary efforts. The awards have been classified into major scheme awards and state level awards. District level awards will also be given under the scheme.
- ◆ The World Bank report titled Jobs at Your Doorstep: A Jobs Diagnostic for Young People was released by the Centre. It was launched by Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan and Labour and Employment Minister Mansukh Mandaviya. The report serves as both a diagnosis and a roadmap to provide strategic linkages and convergence between education and India's employment agenda. The report takes an in-depth look at the employment scenario in six states, Himachal Pradesh, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha and Rajasthan.
- ◆ BCCI and ACC chief and ICC President-elect Jay Shah announced a historic partnership between the Asian Cricket Council and Sony Sports Networks running from 2024 to 2031. Under this agreement, all the tournaments of ACC will be broadcast exclusively on Sony Sports Networks. This deal is a significant step towards increasing the popularity and reach of cricket in the region. Jay Shah has expressed confidence that Sony Sports' experience will enhance the global reach and success of the ACC tournaments.

National & International Current Affairs

- 1. When will Zomato replace JSW Steel on the BSE Sensex?**
 (A) 30 November (B) 5 December
 (C) 23 December (D) 31 December
(C) Recently, Asia Index Private Limited, a subsidiary of Bombay Stock Exchange, announced the restructuring of the BSE Sensex. Under this change, online food delivery company Zomato will replace JSW Steel. This change will be effective from 23 December 2024. This restructuring also includes changes in other indices like BSE 100A, BSE Sensex 50A and BSE Sensex Next 50.
- 2. Recently, which bank has launched the Jobs at Your Doorstep report in Delhi?**
 (A) World Bank (B) Axis Bank
 (C) RBI (D) SBI
(A) Recently, Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan and Labor, Employment Youth Affairs and Sports Minister Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya launched the World Bank report Jobs at Your Doorstep, A Jobs Diagnostics for Young People in Six States in New Delhi. This report focuses on bridging the skills gap among the youth and making school curriculum in line with the needs of the industry.
- 3. Recently, Prime Minister Narendra Modi will be awarded the World Peace Prize in which country?**
 (A) France (B) Indonesia
 (C) America (D) Israel
(C) PM Modi will receive the World Peace Prize in America. Indian Americans in America have united and launched a new minority organization. Here, the Association of Indian American Minorities was inaugurated during a program at the Slig Seventh Day Adventist Church in Maryland. The purpose of this organization is to bring together minorities among the Indian American immigrants and work for their better conditions.
- 4. Recently, the BCCI has released the schedule of the Indian Premier League for the next how many years?**
 (A) 2 (B) 3
 (C) 4 (D) 5
(B) Recently, the Board of Control for Cricket in India has taken a big step in the cricket world and released the schedule of the Indian Premier League for the next three seasons (2026, 2027 and 2027). This announcement has been made apart from the traditional process of BCCI, as usually the schedule of IPL was released close to the start of the tournament. The aim of this new initiative is to ensure better planning and preparation for teams, players, and fans.
- 5. Recently which country has started the national census for the first time in almost 40 years?**
 (A) Iraq (B) Egypt
 (C) Iran (D) Japan
(A) Recently Iraq is conducting a nationwide census for the first time since 1987, which was conducted during the reign of Saddam Hussein. 120000 researchers are involved in this extensive public survey. This census will collect data by going door to door in all 18 governorates of the country. The purpose of the census is to modernize Iraq's data collection system.



6. Who has recently been awarded the prestigious Green World Environment Award?

- (A) Coal India (B) BPCL
(C) IOCL (D) None of these

(A) Recently Coal India received the Green World Environment Award 2024. We are happy to announce that we have received the Green World Environment Award 2024 in recognition of our efforts to promote environmental best practices and CMR. We have also been awarded the prestigious title of Green World Ambassador.



7. Recently a stand has been named in the honor of which female cricketer at Eden Gardens Stadium?

- (A) Mithali Raj (B) Smriti Mandhana
(C) Jhulan Goswami (D) None of these

(C) Recently a stand will be named after Jhulan Goswami at Eden Gardens. Stand Kolkata. Bengal Cricket Association will have a stand named after Jhulan Goswami at Eden Gardens in Kolkata. Following the proposal of the Bengal Cricket Association, a stand will be named after former Indian women's fast bowler Jhulan Goswami in the B Block of the prestigious Eden Gardens here.



8. Who has been appointed as the chairman of the newly formed Election Commission of Bangladesh recently?

- (A) Abdur Masood (B) AMM Nasir Uddin
(C) Fazal Mohammad (D) None of these

(B) Recently, the interim government in Bangladesh has formed a new Election Commission. The five-member commission will be headed by former secretary AMM Nasir Uddin, who will be the new Chief Election Commissioner for the next five years. He retired in January 2009. The other four members are retired Additional Secretary Mohammad Anwarul Islam Sarkar, retired District and Sessions Judge Abdur Rahman Masood, retired Joint Secretary Begum Tahmida Ahmed and Brigadier General Abul Fazal Mohammad Sanaullah.



9. Recently, the ICC has issued an arrest warrant against the Prime Minister of which country?

- (A) Israel (B) Ukraine
(C) Singapore (D) Japan

(A) An arrest warrant has been issued against Israeli PM Benjamin Netanyahu. On this, many countries have said that if he comes, he will be arrested. The Israeli Prime Minister is facing legal challenges at home as well as international level due to this warrant.



10. Who has launched the Vision Portal recently?

- (A) Rajnath Singh (B) Piyush Goyal
(C) Amit Shah (D) Dr. Jitendra Singh

(D) Recently, Union Minister of State for Science and Technology Dr. Jitendra Singh inaugurated the Vision Portal in New Delhi. The objective of this portal is to empower the deprived youth through education, skill development and sustainable livelihood. India has the third largest startup ecosystem, growing from 350 startups in 2014 to 1.67 lakh by 2024.

