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**Ques:** As per RBI's announcement, how much worth of Sovereign Green Bonds (SGrBs) maturing in 2054 will be re-issued in the G-Secs auction on June 13, 2025?  
RBI की घोषणा के अनुसार, 13 जून 2025 को होने वाली सरकारी प्रतिभूति (G-Secs) नीलामी में 2054 में परिपक्व होने वाले कितने मूल्य के सॉवरेन ग्रीन बॉन्ड (SGrBs) को पुनः जारी किया जाएगा?

- A. Rs.10,000 crore
- B. Rs.7,000 crore
- C. Rs.5,000 crore
- D. Rs.15,000 crore
- E. Rs.3,000 crore

**Answer:** Option C

**Explanation :**

- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) plans to re-issue sovereign green bonds (SGrBs) during the upcoming government securities (G-Secs) auction on June 13, 2025.
- The entire notified amount for sale is Rs.30,000 crore, including Rs.5,000 crore of 6.98% SGrB maturing in 2054.
- Sovereign green bonds are government-issued bonds designed to fund environmentally beneficial projects.
- In addition to sovereign green bonds, two dated securities will be re-issued: Rs.11,000 crore of 6.79% government securities maturing in 2031 and Rs.14,000 crore of 7.09% securities maturing in 2074.
- The auction will be held via RBI's e-Kuber platform.

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**Ques: What is excluded from SEBI's new ESG debt securities framework, which came into effect on June 5, 2025?**

**5 जून 2025 से प्रभावी SEBI के नए ESG ऋण प्रतिभूतियों ढांचे से किसे बाहर रखा गया है?**

- A. Social Bonds / सामाजिक बॉन्ड
- B. Sustainability Bonds / सततता बॉन्ड
- C. Sustainability-Linked Bonds (SLBs) / सततता-लिंक्ड बॉन्ड
- D. Green Bonds / ग्रीन बॉन्ड
- E. All of the above are included / उपरोक्त सभी शामिल हैं

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- SEBI introduced a comprehensive framework for the issuance and listing of ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance) debt securities, effective June 5, 2025.
- The framework covers social bonds, sustainability bonds, and Sustainability-Linked Bonds (SLBs), but explicitly excludes green bonds, which are governed under a separate regulation.
- The framework aligns with SEBI's Sustainable Finance Roadmap (2025–2028) and mandates adherence to global ESG standards such as ICMA, CBS, ASEAN, or Indian regulatory guidelines.
- ESG-labelled bonds must finance projects that meet specific environmental or social criteria.

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**Ques: Which two institutions recently signed an MoU to enhance cybersecurity in India's digital payment ecosystem?**

भारत की डिजिटल भुगतान प्रणाली में साइबर सुरक्षा को मजबूत करने हेतु हाल ही में किन दो संस्थानों ने समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर किए हैं?

- A. RBI and SEBI / आरबीआई और सेबी
- B. NPCI and IDRBT / एनपीसीआई और आईडीआरबीटी
- C. NPCI and NITI Aayog / एनपीसीआई और नीति आयोग
- D. RBI and UIDAI / आरबीआई और यूआईडीएआई
- E. NABARD and NPCI / नाबार्ड और एनपीसीआई

**Answer: Option B**

**Explanation :**

- National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) and Institute for Development and Research in Banking Technology (IDRBT) signed an MoU to boost cybersecurity and resilience in India's digital payment ecosystem.
- The partnership focuses on enhancing security, trust, and response capabilities in digital transactions.
- IDRBT is India's premier institute for banking technology R&D, and NPCI manages key systems like UPI, RuPay, IMPS, and NACH.
- The collaboration will explore AI-ML based cybersecurity frameworks, cyber threat intelligence, and risk mitigation strategies.

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**Ques:** How much amount was raised by Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA) through its Qualified Institutional Placement (QIP)?

भारतीय अक्षय ऊर्जा विकास एजेंसी (IREDA) ने अपनी क्वालिफाइड इंस्टीट्यूशनल प्लेसमेंट (QIP) के माध्यम से कितनी राशि जुटाई?

- A. Rs.2,005.90 crore
- B. Rs.2,000 crore
- C. Rs.1,500 crore
- D. Rs.1,800 crore
- E. Rs.1,650 crore

**Answer:** Option A

**Explanation :**

- Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA) raised Rs.2,005.90 crore via Qualified Institutional Placement (QIP).
- A total of 12.15 crore equity shares were issued at an issue price of Rs.165.14 per share.
- The QIP was oversubscribed 1.34 times, receiving bids worth Rs.2,005.90 crore against the base issue size of Rs.1,500 crore.

**About IREDA :**

- Established : 1987
- HQ : New Delhi
- CMD : Pradip Kumar Das

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**Ques: ADB has approved a \$109.97 million loan to support which Indian state's skill development initiative?**

**ADB ने \$109.97 मिलियन का ऋण भारत के किस राज्य की कौशल विकास पहल का समर्थन करने के लिए मंजूर किया है?**

- A. Maharashtra / महाराष्ट्र
- B. Tamil Nadu / तमिलनाडु
- C. Gujarat / गुजरात
- D. Rajasthan / राजस्थान
- E. Karnataka / कर्नाटक

**Answer: Option C**

**Explanation :**

- The Asian Development Bank (ADB) approved a \$109.97 million (Rs.927 crore) results-based loan to Gujarat.
- The loan supports the Gujarat Skills Development Programme, run by the state's Labour, Skill Development and Employment Department, in collaboration with Kaushalya: The Skill University.
- The aim is to enhance employability by providing industry-aligned, advanced skills training to the workforce.

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**Ques: Who was appointed as the Honorary Consul of Finland in Ahmedabad, Gujarat, as part of the newly inaugurated Honorary Consulate?**

**हाल ही में अहमदाबाद, गुजरात में उद्घाटित फिनलैंड के मानद वाणिज्य दूतावास में किसे मानद वाणिज्य दूत नियुक्त किया गया है?**

- A. Natarajan Chandrasekaran / नटराजन चंद्रशेखरन
- B. Gautam Adani / गौतम अडानी
- C. Sanjiv Mehta / संजीव मेहता
- D. Pankaj Patel / पंकज पटेल
- E. Kulin Lalbhai / कुलिन लालभाई

**Answer: Option E**

**Explanation :**

- The Ambassador of Finland to India, Kimmo Lähdevirta, inaugurated the Honorary Consulate of Finland in Ahmedabad, Gujarat.
- Kulin Lalbhai, Vice Chairman of Arvind Limited (Ahmedabad-based), has been appointed as the Honorary Consul of Finland.
- The consulate will enhance diplomatic and commercial ties between Finland and Gujarat, and support Finnish companies investing in India.

**About Finland:**

- Capital – Helsinki
- Currency – Euro
- Prime Minister – Petteri Orpo

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**Ques: What was the objective of the global cybercrime initiative called ‘Operation Secure’ conducted from January to April 2025?**

**जनवरी से अप्रैल 2025 तक संचालित वैश्विक साइबर अपराध पहल ‘ऑपरेशन सिक्स्योर’ का उद्देश्य क्या था?**

- A. To stop digital currency fraud / डिजिटल मुद्रा धोखाधड़ी को रोकना
- B. To dismantle infrastructure of cybercriminals using infostealer malware / इंफोस्टीलर मैलवेयर का उपयोग करने वाले साइबर अपराधियों के ढांचे को नष्ट करना
- C. To monitor social media threats / सोशल मीडिया खतरों की निगरानी करना
- D. To develop a cybersecurity training network / एक साइबर सुरक्षा प्रशिक्षण नेटवर्क विकसित करना
- E. To promote ethical hacking / एथिकल हैकिंग को बढ़ावा देना

**Answer: Option B**

**Explanation :**

- Operation Secure was a global cybercrime crackdown led by Interpol from January to April 2025.
- It targeted over 20,000 malicious IPs and domains tied to infostealer malware.
- 26 countries participated, along with private cybersecurity firms like Group-IB, Kaspersky, and Trend Micro.
- The operation successfully eliminated 79% of the identified malicious infrastructure.
- Infostealer malware was used by criminals to steal browser credentials, passwords, and credit card details.

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## Recent News Headlines Related to Operations :

- Operation Olivia : annual conservation initiative by the Indian Coast Guard in collaboration with the Odisha Forest Department to protect the Olive Ridley turtles during their nesting period from December to May
- Operation Black Forest : conducted in Kurraguttalu Hills on the Chhattisgarh–Telangana border is one of India's largest anti-Naxal operations, 31 Maoists were killed
- Operation Gideon Chariots : Israel launched to pressure Hamas into releasing the remaining hostages
- Operation Keller : The Indian Army launched a counter-terrorism operation in Shoekal Keller, Shopian, Jammu & Kashmir
- Operation Bunyan al-Marsus : launched by Pakistan against India in response to India's Operation Sindoor conducted on May 7, 2025
- Operation Sindoor : by the Indian Armed Forces post-midnight in retaliation to the terrorist attack on April 22, 2025, in Pahalgam, Jammu & Kashmir
- Operation Tikka : to foil an infiltration attempt along the Line of Control (LoC) in the Baramulla district
- Operation Brahma : to assist victims of the earthquake in Myanmar
- Operation Dronagiri : to showcase how geospatial technologies can enhance citizens' quality of life and ease of doing business
- Operation Sadbhavana : to provide humanitarian assistance to the countries affected by Typhoon Yagi, which include Myanmar, Laos, and Vietnam
- Operation Nanhe Farishtey : launched by Railway Protection Force (RPF) to take care of the children who were perceived as at risk within the railway station premises.
- Operation Maryada : for the smooth conduct of Kedarnath Dham Yatra 2024 in Rudraprayag, Uttarakhand
- Operation Sadbhavana : launched by Indian Army Trishakti Corps to provided essential aid and healthcare to North Sikkim's Naga and Rangrang villages post-GLOF.
- Operation Sankalp - launched in the Persian Gulf and Gulf of Oman with the aim of ensuring the security of Indian ships.
- Operation Kamdhenu : Jammu and Kashmir police launched to curb cattle smuggling.
- Operation Ajay – To evacuate Indians from Israel





**Ques : Who is the author of the recently released book “Life’s Magic Moments”?**  
**हाल ही में प्रकाशित पुस्तक “Life’s Magic Moments” के लेखक कौन हैं?**

- A. Chetan Bhagat / चेतन भगत
- B. Amitav Ghosh / अमिताव घोष
- C. Arundhati Roy / अरुंधति रॉय
- D. Ruskin Bond / रस्किन बॉन्ड
- E. Jhumpa Lahiri / झुम्पा लाहिरी

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- “Life’s Magic Moments” is a new book by Ruskin Bond, one of India’s most beloved and prolific authors.
- The book celebrates life’s simple joys, childhood memories, nature, and human bonds, capturing the essence of peace and nostalgia.
- Published by Penguin Books, it blends illustrations, short reflections, and Bond’s signature style of storytelling.

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## Recent News Headlines Related to Books :

- "India: 5000 Years of History on the Subcontinent" : Audrey Truschke
- 'Revolution in Banking: Wheels of India's Growth Story' : Nirmal Bansal and Suneel Gupta
- "The Great Conciliator: Lal Bahadur Shastri and the Transformation of India" : Sanjeev Chopra
- "Indira Gandhi and the Years That Transformed India" : Srinath Raghavan
- Test Cricket: A History : Tim Wigmore
- "Original Sin" : Jake Tapper and Alex Thompson
- 'Tested : The Remarkable Power of Resolve' : Australian Cricket Captain Patrick James Cummins
- "The Diary of a Cricketer's Wife: A Very Unusual Memoir" : Puja Pujara, the wife of renowned Indian cricketer Cheteshwar Pujara
- "White Lilies" : Vidya Krishnan
- "The Tamils: A Portrait of Community" : Nirmala Lakshman
- Autobiography "Janta Ki Kahani – Meri Aatamkatha" : Haryana Governor Bandaru Dattatraya
- "PMO Through the Ages" (full title: Prime Minister's Office Through the Years) : Himanshu Roy
- "India@2047: Leading the Global Economic Order" : Shyam Prakash Sharma
- "The Thinking Machine: Jensen Huang, Nvidia and the World's Most Coveted Microchip" : Stephen Witt
- "Alone in the Ring: Decision-making in Critical Times" : General NC Vij, former Chief of Army Staff
- 'Janta Ki Kahani Meri Aatmkatha' : autobiography of Haryana Governor Bandaru Dattatraya
- The School of Life : K. Vasuki's memoir
- "The Johnson & Johnson Files: The Indian Secrets of a Global Giant" : Kaunain Sheriff
- "The Undying Light: A Personal History of Independent India." : author and former Governor of West Bengal Gopalkrishna Gandhi
- "Ramanujan: Journey of a Great Mathematician" : Arun Singhal and Devendra Kumar Sharma
- March to Glory: The Story of India's 1975 World Cup triumph : K. Arumugam
- Buransh: The Fragrance of Words : Anupama Sharma



**Ques: Which Indian squash player won two awards at the PSA Awards 2024–25, including Women’s Challenger Player of the Season?**

**PSA अवॉर्ड्स 2024–25 में दो पुरस्कार जीतने वाली भारतीय स्क्वैश खिलाड़ी कौन हैं, जिनमें ‘विमेन्स चैलेंजर प्लेयर ऑफ द सीज़न’ शामिल है?**

- A. Joshna Chinappa / जोशना चिनप्पा
- B. Tanvi Khanna / तन्वी खन्ना
- C. Anahat Singh / अनाहत सिंह
- D. Dipika Pallikal / दीपिका पल्लीकल
- E. Sunayna Kuruvilla / सुनयना कुरुविला

**Answer: Option C**

**Explanation :**

- Anahat Singh, India’s top-ranked women’s squash player, won two awards at the PSA Awards 2024–25 : Women’s Challenger Player of the Season, and Women’s Young Player of the Season (shared with Amina Orfi of Egypt).
- She also won the U-17 title at the British Junior Open in January 2025.
- She played a key role in helping India secure bronze at the Asian Junior Team Championships in Hong Kong.
- Anahat is currently ranked world No. 56 in women’s squash.

**List of other 2025 PSA Award Winners :**

- PSA Challenger Male Player of the Season : Sam Todd (England)
- PSA Female Player of the Season : Nour El Sherbini (Egypt)
- PSA Male Player of the Season : Ali Farag (Egypt)
- Hall of Fame Inductees : • Jonah Barrington (UK) (6-time British Open winner) • Sarah Fitz-Gerald (Australia) (5-time World Champion)





## Recent News headlines related to Sports

- Portugal won their second UEFA Nations League title by defeating Spain 5–3 in a penalty shootout, after a 2–2 draw in the final held at the Allianz Arena, Munich, Germany
- The 43rd edition of the Indonesia Open, officially titled the Kapal Api Indonesia Open 2025, was a premier badminton tournament held at Istora Gelora Bung Karno, Jakarta, Indonesia
- Denmark's Anders Antonsen beat Taiwanese Chou Tien-chen to clinch his first Indonesia Open men's singles title. South Korea's An Se-young her second championship (Indonesia Open women's singles title) in Jakarta
- Spain's Carlos Alcaraz defeated Italy's Jannik Sinner to win the Men's Singles title at the French Open 2025
- Spain's Marcel Granollers and Argentina's Horacio Zeballos won their first Grand Slam men's doubles title at the French Open 2025, defeating the British duo of Joe Salisbury and Neal Skupski with a score of 6-0, 6-7(5), 7-5
- Coco Gauff of the United States won the French Open 2025 Women's Singles title by defeating Aryna Sabalenka of Belarus in the final. Gauff became the first American woman since Serena Williams in 2015 to win the French Open
- Italy's Sara Errani and Jasmine Paolini clinched the 2025 French Open Women's Doubles title, defeating the pair of Anna Danilina and Aleksandra Krunic in the final with a score of 6-4, 2-6, 6-1
- The Ulaanbaatar Open 2025 was conducted in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia and was organized by the Mongolian Wrestling Federation, which secured a 3-year approval to host this world-ranking event
- Indian boxers Deepak and Naman Tanwar clinched gold medals at the 4th Thailand Open International Boxing Tournament, held under the World Boxing-backed Asian Boxing platform
- Magnus Carlsen secured the 2024 Norway Chess title (Open section) with 16 points, his 7th win at this prestigious tournament
- Oscar Piastri of McLaren Racing Limited won his fifth Formula One (F1) Grand Prix of the 2025 season at the Circuit de Barcelona-Catalunya in Barcelona, Spain
- Visakhapatnam, a coastal city in Andhra Pradesh, will host a match of the ICC Women's Cricket World Cup 2025, marking its first World Cup match in 28 years
- Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB) won their maiden IPL title in 2025 with a six-run victory over Punjab Kings in the final





**Ques: Which Goan liquor recently received the Geographical Indication (GI) tag from the Geographical Indication Registry in Chennai?**

हाल ही में चेन्नई स्थित भौगोलिक संकेत पंजीकरण कार्यालय (GI रजिस्ट्री) से किस गोवा की शराब को GI टैग प्राप्त हुआ है?

- A. Cashew Feni / काजू फेणी
- B. Toddy / ताड़ी
- C. Ozzo Feni / ओज्जो फेणी
- D. Coconut Feni / नारियल फेणी
- E. Urak / उरक

**Answer: Option C**

**Explanation :**

- Ozzo Feni, produced by Cazcar Distillery in Nanora village, near Panaji, Goa, has received the Geographical Indication (GI) tag from the Geographical Indication Registry, Chennai, which functions under DPIIT, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.
- Traditionally, the 'Bhatikars' prepared feni using earthen pots (bhatish) under fire.
- In modern times, copper pots and the coil distillation method are used for production.

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**Ques : Which state has declared 2025–2035 as the ‘Decade of Hydropower’?**  
**किस राज्य ने 2025–2035 को ‘हाइड्रोपावर का दशक’ घोषित किया है?**

- A. Himachal Pradesh / हिमाचल प्रदेश
- B. Uttarakhand / उत्तराखंड
- C. Sikkim / सिक्किम
- D. Arunachal Pradesh / अरुणाचल प्रदेश
- E. Assam / असम

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- Arunachal Pradesh CM Pema Khandu declared 2025–2035 as the ‘Decade of Hydropower’, aiming to utilize the state's potential of generating 58,000 MW of electricity.
- The plan includes implementing mega, large, and small hydro projects, securing 13% free power (12% + 1%), and developing Geku and Yingkiong as future-ready towns.
- Arunachal expects an annual revenue of Rs.4,525 crore from 2035 onwards, with a dedicated escrow account for managing free power income.

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**Ques: Where will the 8th edition of the India–France joint military exercise ‘Shakti-2025’ be held?**

**भारत और फ्रांस के संयुक्त सैन्य अभ्यास 'शक्ति-2025' का आठवां संस्करण कहाँ आयोजित किया जाएगा?**

- A. Umroi, Meghalaya / उमरोई, मेघालय
- B. Paris, France / पेरिस, फ्रांस
- C. Jodhpur, Rajasthan / जोधपुर, राजस्थान
- D. La Cavalerie, France / ला कैवलेरी, फ्रांस
- E. Marseille, France / मार्से, फ्रांस

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- The 8th edition of Exercise Shakti 2025, a biennial bilateral military exercise between India and France, will be held at La Cavalerie, France, from June 18 to July 1, 2025.
- This exercise alternates between India and France and was first held in 2011.
- The 7th edition took place in Umroi, Meghalaya in 2024.

**Other India–France defence exercises include:**

- Varuna (Naval exercise)
- Garuda and Desert Knight (Air exercises)
- Shakti (Army exercise)

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## Recent News Headlines Related to Defence Exercise :

- The India-U.K. joint naval exercise took place in the North Arabian Sea on June 9–10, 2025. The Indian Navy was represented by INS Tabar (a stealth frigate), a submarine, and a P-8I maritime patrol aircraft
- The 22nd edition of the multinational exercise 'Khaan Quest' is being held in Mongolia from June 14 to 28, 2025. It was first initiated in 2003 by the USA and Mongolia, and has been a multinational event since 2006
- The 17th edition of the India–Mongolia joint military exercise Nomadic Elephant was held in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
- Iran and Azerbaijan launched the "Aras-2025" joint special forces military exercise. It was conducted from May 18 to 21, 2025, involving Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps and Azerbaijani troops
- Golden Dragon 2025 is a joint military exercise between China and Cambodia. The exercise is held at the Ream Naval Base in Sihanoukville, Cambodia's southern coast
- The Indian Army and the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) jointly conducted Exercise Raahat in Assam, focusing on humanitarian assistance and disaster relief (HADR) operations
- The Indian Army conducted 'Teesta Prahar', a large-scale integrated field exercise at the Teesta field firing range in West Bengal. The exercise was held under the Trishakti Corps, part of the Eastern Command
- India is set to join the Talisman Sabre 2025 military drill for the first time. This exercise is a biennial event. It aims to enhance strategic cooperation and defense collaboration in the Indo-Pacific region.
- Exercise "Aakraman," a significant military exercise, was carried out by the Indian Air Force (IAF) to simulate strikes on both ground and mountain targets
- The Indian Air Force contingent took part in Exercise Desert Flag-10, held at Al Dhafra Air Base, UAE
- The 1st edition of Africa India Key Maritime Engagement (AIKEYME 2025) was conducted in Tanzania
- Exercise Prachand Prahaa Held at High-altitude terrain of Arunachal Pradesh between Indian Army, Navy, and Air Force. It is Conducted by Indian Army's Kolkata, West Bengal-based Eastern Command
- The Indian Air Force (IAF) is set to participate in the multinational air exercise INIOCHOS-25 in Greece. This 12-day exercise, hosted by Greece's Hellenic Air Force, will be held at Andravida Air Base and will continue until April 11, 2025



**Ques: What is the range of the Kusha M3 air defence system being developed by DRDO?**

**DRDO द्वारा विकसित कुशा M3 वायु रक्षा प्रणाली की सीमा क्या होगी?**

- A. 50 km
- B. 100–200 km
- C. 200–300 km
- D. More than 400 km
- E. 300–350 km

**Answer:** Option D

**Explanation :**

- DRDO is developing three variants of the Kusha air defence system – M1, M2, and M3.
- Among them, Kusha M3 will have the longest range, capable of intercepting threats at more than 400 km.
- This indigenous system is positioned as India's answer to Russia's S-500, aimed at multi-layered air defence.
- The project supports India's vision of self-reliance (Aatmanirbharta) in defence technology.

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**Ques: What is the title of the book authored by former IRS officer R. Mohan, which explores Kerala's political and socio-cultural history?**

**पूर्व आईआरएस अधिकारी आर. मोहन द्वारा लिखित उस पुस्तक का नाम क्या है, जो केरल के राजनीतिक और सामाजिक-सांस्कृतिक इतिहास को दर्शाती है?**

- A. Kerala: A Political Journey / केरल: एक राजनीतिक यात्रा
- B. The Rise of Kerala / द राइज़ ऑफ़ केरल
- C. Schisms and Isms / स्किज़म्स एंड इज़म्स
- D. The Soul of Kerala / द सोल ऑफ़ केरल
- E. Monarchs and Democracy / मॉनार्क्स एंड डेमोक्रेसी

**Answer: Option C**

**Explanation :**

- The book 'Story of Schisms and Isms – Kerala from the Twilight of Monarchy to the Present' was written by R. Mohan, a former IRS (Indian Revenue Service) officer.
- It explores the political and socio-cultural history of the Indian state of Kerala since its formation.
- The title reflects the various ideological and historical divisions ("schisms and isms") that have shaped Kerala's modern development.

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**Ques: Where is India's first underwater museum and artificial coral reef being developed?**

**भारत का पहला अंडरवॉटर म्यूज़ियम और कृत्रिम कोरल रीफ किस स्थान पर विकसित किया जा रहा है?**

- A. Goa / गोवा
- B. Lakshadweep / लक्षद्वीप
- C. Kochi / कोच्चि
- D. Vengurla, Maharashtra / वेगुर्ला, महाराष्ट्र
- E. Diu / दीव

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- India's first underwater museum and artificial coral reef is being developed around the decommissioned warship INS Guldar, near Nivati Rocks at Vengurla in Sindhudurg district, Maharashtra.
- This is part of a central government-supported initiative aimed at promoting marine biodiversity conservation and eco-tourism.
- Activities like scuba diving and submarine tours are planned to attract tourists and researchers.
- INS Guldar, the central exhibit of this underwater project, was decommissioned in January 2024.

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- Ola's AI company Krutrim launched Kruti, claimed to be India's first agentic AI assistant, which goes beyond traditional chatbot functions
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- S&P Global Ratings Singapore Ltd became the first foreign credit rating agency to receive approval from the International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) to operate in GIFT City, Gujarat
- PM Narendra Modi inaugurated Anji Khad Bridge, India's 1st cable-stayed rail bridge
- Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation (PCMC) became the first civic body in India to list a green municipal bond on the Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE)
- India's first e-waste recycling park is being developed in Holambi Kalan, North Delhi, as announced by Environment Minister Manjinder Singh Sirsa
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- Sana Mir, former captain of Pakistan women's cricket team, became the first Pakistani woman cricketer to be inducted into the ICC Hall of Fame
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- Tata Advanced Systems Limited (TASL), in collaboration with Airbus, will establish India's first privately led helicopter Final Assembly Line (FAL) in Kolar district, Karnataka
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- India will set up its first AI-focused SEZ in Nava Raipur, Chhattisgarh. The project is being developed by RackBank Datacenters Pvt. Ltd., based in Indore, with an investment of Rs.1,000 crore
- IndiGo will be the first airline to commence operations at the upcoming Navi Mumbai International Airport (NMIA) with 18 daily flights to 15 cities on the first day of commercial operations







**Ques: What is the name of the star tracker device that Dhruva Space will launch in collaboration with France's Sodern in 2026?**

**ध्रुव स्पेस फ्रांस की सोडर्न कंपनी के सहयोग से 2026 में कौन से स्टार ट्रैकर डिवाइस को लॉन्च करेगा?**

- A. Auriga / औरिगा
- B. HORUS / होरस
- C. Polaris / पोलारिस
- D. Sirius / सीरियस
- E. Vega / वेगा

**Answer: Option B**

**Explanation :**

- Dhruva Space, a private Indian space company, is partnering with Sodern (a subsidiary of ArianeGroup, France) to launch a star tracker named HORUS in 2026.
- HORUS will be part of Dhruva's LEAP program, designed to support small-scale space experiments.
- The device will be mounted on Dhruva's P30 small satellite, which was successfully space-tested in January 2024 during an ISRO launch.
- HORUS helps satellites accurately determine their position in space, while Auriga, another tracker from Sodern, will be used in future missions for direction and stability control.

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**Ques: What marks the beginning of Rath Yatra festivities in Puri, Odisha?**  
**पुरी, ओडिशा में रथ यात्रा उत्सव की शुरुआत किस अनुष्ठान से होती है?**

- A. Anavasara / अनावसरा
- B. Nabakalebara / नबकलेबारा
- C. Deva Snana Purnima / देव स्नान पूर्णिमा
- D. Chandan Yatra / चंदन यात्रा
- E. Netrotsava / नेत्रोत्सव

**Answer: Option C**

**Explanation :**

- The Deva Snana Purnima ritual, also called Snana Yatra, marks the beginning of Rath Yatra festivities in Puri.
- It is a divine bathing ceremony where the idols of Lord Jagannath (35 pots), Lord Balabhadra (33 pots), Devi Subhadra (22 pots), and Lord Sudarshan (18 pots) are bathed with 108 pots of sacred water.
- The deities are brought from the Ratna Sinhasana (main sanctum) to the Snana Mandap (bathing altar).
- The ritual is believed to have been first instituted by King Indradyumna, the legendary founder of the Puri temple.
- After the ceremonial bath, the deities are believed to fall ill and go into a 15-day quarantine period called Anasara, which lasts from Jyestha Purnima to Ashadha Amavasya, during which they are kept away from public view.

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**Ques: On which date is the 648th birth anniversary of Sant Kabir Das being celebrated in 2025?**

**संत कबीर दास की 648वीं जयंती 2025 में किस तिथि को मनाई जा रही है?**

- A. June 14
- B. May 27
- C. July 3
- D. June 11
- E. May 31

**Answer: Option D**

**Explanation :**

- Sant Kabir Das, a 15th-century mystic poet and saint, was born in Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh to a Hindu family but raised by a Muslim weaver couple.
- His birth anniversary, known as Kabir Jayanti, is celebrated annually on Jyeshtha Purnima, according to the Hindu lunar calendar.
- In 2025, Kabir Jayanti falls on June 11, marking his 648th birth anniversary.
- Kabir was a key figure in the Bhakti movement, which emphasized devotion and love for the divine.
- He drew spiritual inspiration from Ramananda (a Hindu saint) and Sheikh Taqi (a Muslim spiritual figure), creating a syncretic philosophy.
- Kabir's writings in Brajbhasha and Awadhi influenced Indian literature and the evolution of the Hindi language.
- His followers are called Kabir Panthis, and he is revered by both Hindus and Muslims.





**Ques: What is the theme of International Albinism Awareness Day 2025 observed on June 13?**

**13 जून को मनाए गए अंतरराष्ट्रीय एल्बिनिज़्म जागरूकता दिवस 2025 की थीम क्या थी?**

- A. Inclusion is Strength / समावेशन ही शक्ति है
- B. Shine Your Light / अपनी रोशनी बिखेरो
- C. Strength Beyond Skin / त्वचा से परे ताकत
- D. Demanding our rights: Protect our skin, Preserve our lives / अपने अधिकारों की मांग: हमारी त्वचा की रक्षा करें, हमारे जीवन को संरक्षित करें
- E. Standing Strong in Solidarity / एकजुटता में दृढ़ता से खड़े रहना

**Answer:** Option D

**Explanation :**

- International Albinism Awareness Day is observed every year on 13 June, as officially recognized by the United Nations General Assembly in 2014.
- The theme for 2025 is "Demanding our rights: Protect our skin, Preserve our lives".
- Albinism is a genetically inherited condition that causes a lack of melanin in the skin, hair, and eyes, making individuals vulnerable to sunlight and bright light.
- It is rare, non-contagious, and currently has no cure.

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### Important days :

- 25 May : World Thyroid Day (first World Thyroid Day was celebrated in 2008)
- 25 May : 2nd World Football Day 2025 (May 25, 2024, commemorates the 100th anniversary of the 1924 Olympic Football Tournament held in Paris(France))
- 25 May : International Missing Children's Day
- 25 May : Africa Day (2025 theme is: "Revisiting Our History, Shaping Our Future")
- 21 to 25 May : Football Week 2025 (Theme 2025 Together, We Are Stronger)
- 29 May : International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers 2025 (Theme 2025 The Future of the Peacekeeping)
- 29 May : World Digestive Health Day 2025 (Theme 2025 Your Digestive Health: Nourish to Flourish)
- 30 May : 2nd International Day of Potato, coinciding with the 80th anniversary year of Food and Agriculture Organization (Theme 2025 Shaping history, feeding the future)
- 31 May : World No Tobacco Day (Theme 2025 Unmasking the Appeal: Exposing Industry Tactics on Tobacco and Nicotine Products)
- 1 June : Global Day of Parents 2025 (Theme 2025 Raising Parents)
- 1 June : World Milk Day (theme for 2025 is: "Let's Celebrate The Power of Dairy")
- 1 June : Global Day of Parents (Theme : Raising Parents)
- 3 June : World Bicycle Day 2025
- 4 June : 43rd International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression
- 5 June : International Day for the Fight against Illegal Unreported and Unregulated Fishing
- 5 June : World Environment Day (Theme 2025 : Putting an End to Plastic Pollution)
- 6 June : UN Russian Language Day 2025
- 6 June : World Pest Day (theme for 2025 was: "Guardians of Health: Professional Pest Management for a Safer World")
- 7 June : 7th World Food Safety Day 2025 (Theme 2025 Food safety: science in action)
- 8 June : World Oceans Day (theme "Wonder: Sustaining what sustains us.")
- 8 June : World Brain Tumor Day (Theme 2025 Brain Health for All Ages)
- 9 June : World Accreditation Day (Theme, "Accreditation: Empowering Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs)")





## महत्वपूर्ण एक पंक्ति वर्तमान मामले

2025 ताइवान एथलेटिक्स ओपन, विश्व एथलेटिक्स कॉन्टिनेंटल टूर कांस्य (श्रेणी सी) का हिस्सा, ताइवान के ताइपे शहर में ताइपे म्यूनिसिपल स्टेडियम में आयोजित किया गया

बॉलीवुड अभिनेत्री कैटरीना कैफ को सनी साइड ऑफ लाइफ अभियान के लिए मालदीव के लिए वैश्विक पर्यटन राजदूत नियुक्त किया गया

केरल के वन विभाग ने एक अभिनव वनीकरण प्रयास 'विथूट' कार्यक्रम शुरू किया, जिसका अनुवाद 'बीज वर्षा' है, जिसे केरल की प्राकृतिक पारिस्थितिकी को पुनर्स्थापित करने और मानव-वन्यजीव संघर्षों को कम करने के लिए डिज़ाइन किया गया है

दूरसंचार नेटवर्क के लिए कृत्रिम बुद्धिमत्ता मूल निवासी (FG-AINN) पर ITU-T फोकस समूह की तीसरी बैठक का उद्घाटन नई दिल्ली में किया गया। FG-AINN की स्थापना जुलाई 2024 में ITU-T स्टडी ग्रुप 13 द्वारा की गई थी

असम कैबिनेट ने घोषणा की कि उसने राज्य के उन हिस्सों में "स्वदेशी लोगों" को हथियार लाइसेंस जारी करने की योजना को मंजूरी दे दी है जहाँ उनकी आबादी अल्पसंख्यक है

प्रियंका गोस्वामी ने इंसब्रुक में ऑस्ट्रियाई रेसवॉकिंग चैंपियनशिप में महिलाओं की 10 किमी दौड़ में स्वर्ण पदक जीता

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