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Important Days



➤ **World Rhino Day is observed on which date?**

- A) September 21
- B) September 17
- C) September 16
- D) September 15
- E) September 22

Answer

E) September 22



Important Days



Explanation

- Every year on September 22, the world honours the five species of rhinos.
- The five rhino species are Black, White, Greater One-horned, Sumatran, and Javan.
- Humans' desire for rhinoceros' unique horns has driven all five of the world's different rhinoceros species to the brink of extinction.
- The horns are in high demand due to their therapeutic qualities.



Important Days



World Rose Day

- The World Rose Day, which is celebrated on September 22 every year, is dedicated to cancer patients all across the globe.



Important Days



History of World Rose Day and its significance

- The World Rose Day was first observed in the honour of 12-year-old cancer patient Melinda Rose from Canada, who died in 1996.
- According to reports, Rose was diagnosed with Askin's Tumour in 1994, which is a rare form of blood cancer.
- While doctors had said that she would only live for a few weeks, Melinda Rose went on to for over three years.



Important Days



World Car-Free Day 2021

- World Car-Free Day, as the name suggests, is an opportunity to highlight the benefits of going car-free.
- The day is celebrated every year on 22 September around the globe to encourage motorists to give up their cars for a day



➤ Which place to host women's international tournament in December ahead of AFC Asian Cup in 2022?



- A) Kochi
- B) Chennai
- C) Hyderabad
- D) Kolkata
- E) Varanasi

Answer

A) Kochi



Explanation

- An international football tournament will be held here in December ahead of the AFC Women's Asian Cup that India is hosting from **January 20 to February 6 next year.**



➤ **Which bank partners OneCard for mobile-first credit card?**

- A) Kotak Mahindra Bank
- B) Federal Bank
- C) Punjab National Bank
- D) Union Bank of India
- E) Bank of Maharashtra

Answer

B) Federal Bank



Explanation

- Federal Bank announced a tie-up with OneCard for a mobile-first credit card that targets the country's young, tech-savvy population.
- It will target young working professionals aged 23-35, primarily representing the millennials and Gen Z, it said in a statement.
- The mobile-first credit card offers in-app onboarding, whereby the virtual card can be activated and used instantly, while the metal card is delivered to the customer in three to five days, it added.
- The cards will be powered by Visa.





Titbits

Federal Bank

Hq: Aluva, Kerala

CEO: Shri Shyam Srinivasan

Tagline: Your Perfect Banking Partner



➤ **BLS International Services Ltd has been selected as National Business Correspondent for which bank?**

- A) Kotak Mahindra Bank
- B) Federal Bank
- C) State Bank of India
- D) Union Bank of India
- E) Bank of Maharashtra

Answer

C) State Bank of India



Explanation

- BLS International Services Ltd has been selected as National Business Correspondent for State Bank of India (SBI) to deliver banking services in urban, semi-urban and rural areas across the country.
- It would deliver **last mile banking services to support the financial inclusion mission of Indian government.**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Rajiv Bansal has been appointed as the new aviation secretary.
He was CMD of which company?**

- A) IndiGo
- B) SpiceJet
- C) Go First
- D) AirAsia India
- E) Air India

Answer

E) Air India



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- K Rajaraman, Additional Secretary in the Department of Economic Affairs, has been appointed as Secretary, Department of Telecommunications, a Personnel Ministry order said.
- Rajaraman will take over the charge from Anshu Prakash who is due to superannuate on September 30.
- Bansal, a 1988 batch IAS officer of Nagaland cadre, will replace Pradeep Singh Kharola, upon his retirement this month-end.



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Who has appointed next Chief of Air Staff?**

- A) Air Marshal V R Krishna
- B) Air Marshal V R Anand
- C) Air Marshal V R Sankar
- D) Air Marshal V R Prabhu
- E) Air Marshal V R Chaudhari

Answer

E) Air Marshal V R Chaudhari



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- Government has decided to appoint Air Marshal V R Chaudhari, PVSM, AVSM, VM, presently Vice Chief of Air Staff, as the next Chief of the Air Staff after the retirement of **Air Chief Marshal RKS Bhaduria, PVSM, AVSM, VM, ADC on 30th September 2021.**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ Who is appointed as brand ambassador of Howzat?

- A) Ravichandran Ashwin
- B) Ravindra Jadeja
- C) Suresh Raina
- D) Ajinkya Rahane
- E) Shikhar Dhawan

Answer

C) Suresh Raina



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Justin Trudeau is appointed as Prime Minister of ____?**

- A) New Zealand
- B) Kuwait
- C) Canada
- D) Bangladesh
- E) Iran

Answer

C) Canada



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Canada

Capital: Ottawa

Currency: Canadian Dollar



AWARDS



➤ **Fairooz Faizah Beether of _____ has been chosen for the 2021 Changemaker Award for her work promoting good health and well-being by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation?**

- A) New Zealand
- B) Kuwait
- C) Malaysia
- D) Bangladesh
- E) Iran

Answer

D) Bangladesh



AWARDS



Explanation

- Fairooz Faizah Beether of Bangladesh has been chosen for the 2021 Changemaker Award for her work promoting good health and well-being by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.
- The Award celebrates an individual who has inspired change using personal experience or from a position of leadership.



Explanation

- Fairouz Faizah is co-founder of Moner School which is an anonymous online platform active in the field of mental health.
- It works with youth to educate them about the importance of mental health care through training, workshops, and a 24/7 online mental health first aid service in Bangladesh.



➤ **Umeno Sumiyama and Koume Kodama certified as world's oldest twins at 107. They are related to which country?**

- A) New Zealand
- B) Kuwait
- C) Malaysia
- D) Japan
- E) Iran



Answer

D) Japan



Explanation

- Guinness World Records has certified two Japanese sisters as the world's oldest living **identical twins at 107**, in an announcement coinciding with Respect for the Aged Day, a national holiday in Japan.
- Umeno Sumiyama and Koume Kodama were born the **third and fourth of 11 siblings on Shodoshima island in western Japan on Nov. 5, 1913.**



➤ **Who launches National Single Window System for investors, businesses?**

- A) Devusinh Chauhan
- B) Piyush Goyal
- C) Bhagwanth Khuba
- D) Kiren Rijiju
- E) Nitin Gadkari

Answer

B) Piyush Goyal



Explanation

- Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal soft launched the National Single Window System for businesses and said the portal will usher in freedom from the legacy of running to government offices for approvals and registrations.
- The portal as of hosts approvals across 18 central departments and 9 states, and another 14 central departments and 5 states will be added by end-December.



Titbits

Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food and
Public Distribution & Textiles

Minister: Piyush Goyal

Constituency: Rajya Sabha MP, Maharashtra



➤ Which state/UT launches '10 Hafte-10 Baje-10 Minute' campaign to curb dengue?

- A) Karnataka
- B) Kerala
- C) Delhi
- D) Bihar
- E) Telangana



Answer
C) Delhi

Delhi government has launched '10 Hafte-10 Baje-10 Minute' (10 weeks, 10 o'clock, 10 minutes) campaign to curb the spread of dengue in the city.



NATIONAL AFFAIRS



Titbits

Delhi

Capital: New Delhi

CM: Arvind Kejriwal

Governor: Anil Baijal



➤ Who unveils TN export promotion policy, aims to increase exports to USD 100 bn by 2030?

- A) Devusinh Chauhan
- B) Piyush Goyal
- C) Bhagwanth Khuba
- D) Kiren Rijiju
- E) M K Stalin

Answer

E) M K Stalin



Explanation

- Chief Minister M K Stalin unveiled the Tamil Nadu Export Promotion Policy that aims to increase its exports to USD 100 billion by 2030.
- Releasing the policy at the Tamil Nadu Exports Conclave here, Mr Stalin said the State will adopt a two-pronged approach--export promotion and export diversification, to achieve this objective.
- As per the policy, Tamil Nadu would develop two Economic Employment Enclaves in Manaellore and Thoothukudi to ensure balanced growth of exports across the State.



NATIONAL AFFAIRS



Titbits

Tamil Nadu

Capital: Chennai

CM: Muthuvel Karunanidhi Stalin

Governor: RN Ravi



➤ Kovalam beach get coveted 'Blue Flag' tag. It is situated in which state?



- A) Karnataka
- B) Kerala
- C) Tamil Nadu
- D) Bihar
- E) Telangana

Answer

C) Tamil Nadu



Explanation

- Two more beaches in India have been awarded 'Blue Flag' certification, an international eco-level tag, taking the total number of such beaches in the country to 10, the Environment Ministry said.
- The two beaches to receive the certification this year are Kovalam in Tamil Nadu and **Eden in Puducherry, the ministry said.**



NATIONAL AFFAIRS



Titbits

Tamil Nadu

Capital: Chennai

CM: Muthuvel Karunanidhi Stalin

Governor: RN Ravi



➤ Department of _____ signs Memorandum of Understanding with Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to support India's livestock sector?

- A) Jal Shakti
- B) Women & Child Development
- C) Home
- D) Finance
- E) Animal Husbandry and Dairying

Answer

E) Animal Husbandry and Dairying



Explanation

- The Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying (DAHD), Government of India and Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation have signed a multi-year Memorandum of Understanding to work together on sustainably improving India's livestock sector to support the nation's food and nutritional security, and protect the economic wellbeing of small-scale livestock producers.
- The event was organized as a part of ongoing celebrations of 'AzadiKaAmritMahotsav', a commemoration of 75th year of India's Independence at KrishiBhavan New Delhi.





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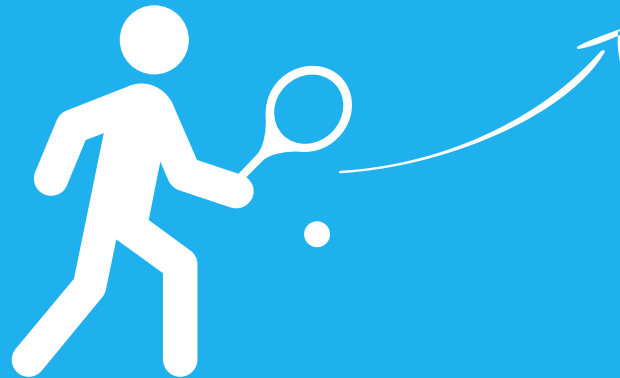
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Sports

Kochi

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BANKING AND FINANCE

Mobile-first credit card

**Federal Bank
+ OneCard**



National Business Correspondent
of SBI

BLS International



APPOINTMENTS

Rajiv Bansal

Aviation secretary



Suresh Raina

Brand ambassador of
Howzat



APPOINTMENTS

Justin Trudeau

Prime Minister of Canada





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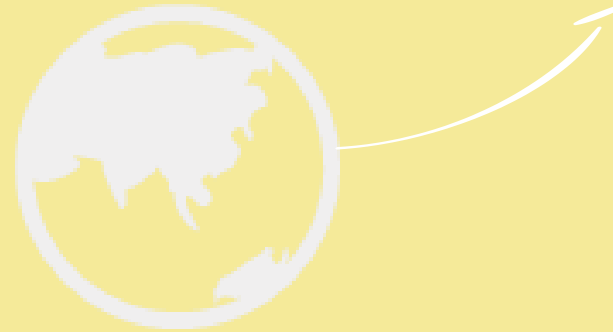
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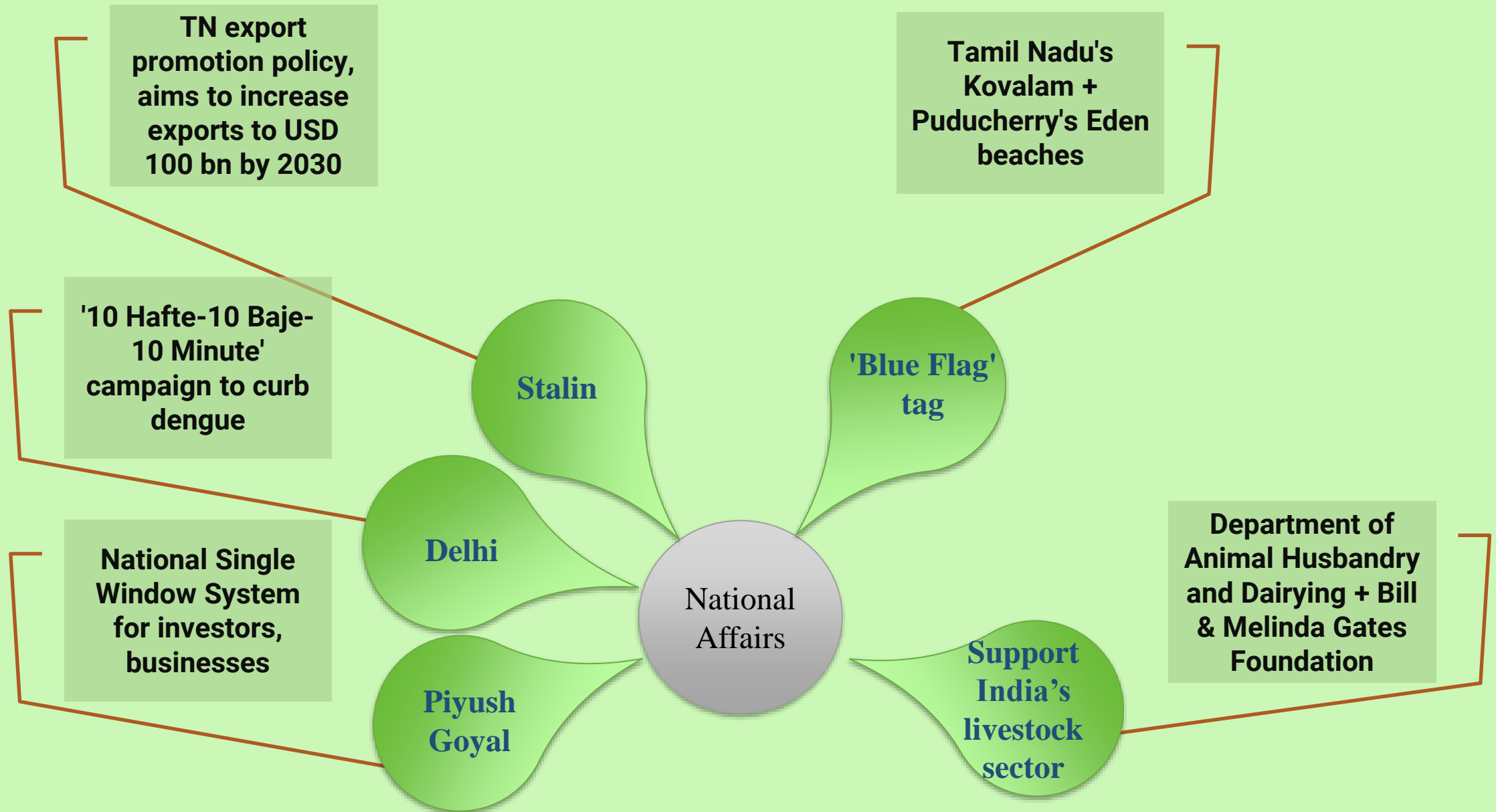
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

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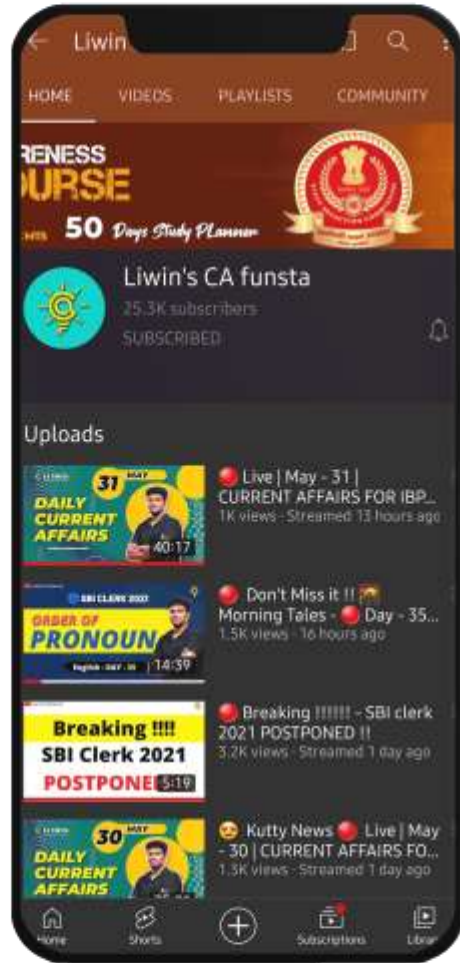




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