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IMPORTANT DAYS

NATIONAL IMPORTANT DAYS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Theme</u>
November 1	Andhra Pradesh + Karnataka + Madhya Pradesh + Chhattisgarh + Kerala and Haryana Formation Day	-
November 2	6 th edition of National Ayurveda Day	-
November 7	National Cancer Awareness Day	-
November 9	21st state foundation day of Uttarakhand	-
	National Legal Services Day	-
November	National Diabetes Month	-
November 11	National Education Day	-
November 12	Public Service Broadcasting Day	-
November 14	Children's Day or Bal Diwas	-
November 15	Janjatiya Gaurav Divas	-
	Jharkhand Foundation Day	-
November 16	National Press Day	-
November 16	64th Foundation Day of NMDC	-
November 26	National Milk Day	-
	Constitution Day or 'Samvidhan Diwas'	-
November 27	National Organ Donation Day	-
November 28	73rd raising day of National Cadet Corps (NCC)	-

INTERNATIONAL IMPORTANT DAYS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Theme</u>
November 1	World Vegan Day	-
	All Saints Day	-
November 2	International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists	-
	All Souls Day	-
November 5	World Tsunami Awareness Day	-
November 6	International Day for Preventing Exploitation of Environment in War and Armed Conflict	-
November 7	Infant Protection Day	-
November 8	World Radiology Day	Interventional Radiology – Active care for the patient
	World Urbanism Day or Town planning Day	-
November 10	World Science Day for Peace and Development	Building Climate-Ready Communities
November 11(second Thursday in November)	World Quality Day	Sustainability: Improving Our Products, People, and Planet
	World Usability Day	-
November 8 to 12	World Quality Week	-
November 11	Armistice Day (Remembrance Day)	-
November 12	World Pneumonia Day	-
November	Quality Institute Month	-
November 9 to 14	International Week of Science and Peace (IWOSP)	-
November 18 to 24	World Antimicrobial Awareness Week	Spread Awareness, Stop Resistance

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Theme</u>
November 13	World Kindness Day	-
November 14	World Diabetes Day	Access to Diabetes Care – If Not Now, When?
November 17	International Students' Day	-
November 18	World Philosophy Day	-
November 19	World Toilet Day	-
	International Men's Day	Better relations between men and women
	Women's Entrepreneurship Day	-
November 20	World Children's Day	-
November 19 to 25	World Heritage Week	-
November 21	World Television Day	-
	World Fisheries Day	Social Responsibility in the fisheries value chain
November 25	International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women	-
November 30	Day of Remembrance for All Victims of Chemical Warfare	-

SPORTS

RETIREMENT

Cricket

- Dwayne Bravo - retire from international cricket after the ongoing T20 World Cup
- AB de Villiers – Announce retirement from all forms of cricket.
- Mahmudullah – Bangladesh all-rounder has retired from Test cricket

GRAND PRIX

Mexico City Grand Prix

Rank	Person	Country	Car Company
1	Max Verstappen	Netherlands	Red Bull Racing
2	Lewis Hamilton	United Kingdom	Mercedes
3	Sergio Perez	Mexico	Red Bull Racing

Brazilian Grand Prix

Rank	Name	Country	Car company
1	Lewis Hamilton	UK	Mercedes
2	Max Verstappen	Netherlands	Red Bull
3	Valtteri Bottas	Finland	Mercedes

Qatar Grand Prix

Rank	Name	Country	Car company
1	Lewis Hamilton	UK	Mercedes
2	Max Verstappen	Netherlands	Red Bull
3	Fernando Alonso	Spain	Alpine

COMPETITION**Hockey**

- Indian Railways Delhi – The title of 38th Indian Oil Servo Surjit Hockey Tournament by beating Punjab & Sind bank Delhi
- ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India - Official Partner of the FIH Odisha Hockey Men's Junior World Cup Bhubaneswar 2021

Volleyball

- RuPay – Title sponsorship rights of Prime Volleyball League for three years.

Squash

- Saurav Ghosal -Malaysian Open Squash Tournament title over top seed Miguel Rodriguez

Shooting

- India's Manu Bhaker and Iran's Javad Foroughi - the 10m air pistol mixed team gold at the inaugural ISSF President's Cup
- Saurabh Chaudhary - the silver medal in the men's 10m air pistol event of the ISSF President's Cup
- Abhishek Verma - bronze in the men's 10m air pistol event of the ISSF President's Cup
- Rahi Sarnobat – A silver medal after enduring a weapon malfunction during the womens 25m pistol event of the Presidents Cup.

Chess

- Sankalp Gupta – 71st Grandmaster from India.

Tennis

- Novak Djokovic – Beat Daniil Medvedev to win record 37th Masters title, 6th Paris Masters win
- India's Manika Batra and Archana Kamath - the women's doubles title at the WTT Contender Lasko defeated by Melanie Diaz and Adriana Diaz from Puerto Rico
- Alexander Zverev – Won his second ATP Finals title beating Daniil Medvedev.

Archery

- Jyothi Surekha Vennam – Gold in the women's compound final at the Asian Archery Championships 2021 in Dhaka.

India – Finish with 7 medals at Asian Archery Championships.

India's medal tally at Asian Championship 2021

Compound Women (Individual)	Gold
Compound Men (Individual)	Silver
Compound Mixed team	Silver
Compound Men team	Bronze
Recurve Men team	Silver
Recurve Women team	Silver
Recurve Mixed team	Bronze

Cricket

- Pakistan batter Asif Ali + Ireland all-rounder Laura Delany – Named the ICC male and female players of the month for October
- Rohit Sharma – Third cricketer to score 3,000 runs in men's T20I.
- Rashid Khan - fastest bowler to scalp 400 T20 wickets
- ICC Men's T-20 Cricket World Cup – Australia lifts ICC T-20 World Cup trophy, beats New Zealand by 8 wickets.
- The International Cricket Board – Seven host cities for its Men's T20 World Cup 2022 in Australia.
- Harmanpreet Kaur – WBBL Team of the Tournament.
- Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy Finals-21 -Tamil Nadu defeats Karnataka by four wickets in Delhi.

- Shreyas Iyer - 1st Indian to score century and half-century on Test debut

Para Powerlifting

- Parmjeet Kumar - a bronze medal at the World Para Powerlifting Championships 2021 here in Tbilisi, Georgia

Kickboxing

- Tajamul Islam - the gold medal – in the under-14 age category – in World Kickboxing Championship held at Cairo in Egypt

Events

- Tashkent – Host of 2025 Asian Youth Para Games.
- Paris 2024 Paralympics – Feature 16 para-badminton medal events.
- Bhubaneswar – The FIH Odisha Hockey Men's Junior World Cup
- New Delhi - 34th All India Postal Wrestling championship

The International Cricket Council (ICC) released Upcoming Events

HOSTS	
T20 World Cup	
2024	U.S. and West Indies
2026	India and Sri Lanka
2028	Australia and New Zealand
2030	England, Ireland and Scotland
ODI World Cup	
2027	South Africa, Zimbabwe and Namibia
2031	India and Bangladesh
Champions Trophy	
2025	Pakistan
2029	India

OBITUARY

Writer/Author

- Koneru Ramakrishna Rao – Eminent academician and psychologist

Politician

- Chun Doo Hwan – Former South Korean President.

Sports

- Tarak Sinha – Cricket coach & Dronacharya awardee.

Others

- Aaron Beck – Renowned American psychiatrist and father of cognitive therapy`
- Shiva Shankar Master -Ace choreographer

RANKING

NATIONAL RANKING

LEADS (Logistics Ease Across Different States) 2021 report - logistics index by Commerce Ministry report

Rank	State
1	Gujarat
2	Haryana
3	Punjab

Most Improved Aspirational Districts in the education sector for the month of September

Rank	City	State
1	Bhoopalpalli	Telangana
2	Chatra	Jharkhand
3	Sahibganj	
4	Nuapada	Odisha
5	Jaisalmer	Rajasthan

IPF Smart Policing' Index 2021

- Released by: Indian Police Foundation

Rank	Country
1	Andhra Pradesh Police
2	Telangana Police
3	Assam Police
28	Bihar

Niti Aayog's first Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Urban India Index

Rank	City	State/UT
1	Shimla	Himachal Pradesh
2	Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu
3	Chandigarh	Chandigarh

1st Multidimensional Poverty Index (MPI) Report -NITI Aayog

Highest Poverty States		Lowest Poverty States	
Rank	State	Rank	State
1 st	Bihar (51.9%)	1 st	Kerala (0.71%)
2 nd	Jharkhand (42.16%)	2 nd	Goa (3.76%)
3 rd	Uttar Pradesh (37.79%)	3 rd	Sikkim (3.82%)
4 th	Madhya Pradesh (36.65%)	4 th	Tamil Nadu (4.89%)
5 th	Meghalaya (32.67%)	5 th	Punjab (5.59%)

Highest Poverty UT		Lowest Poverty UT	
Rank	UT	Rank	UT
1 st	Dadra and Nagar Haveli (27.36%)	1 st	Puducherry
2 nd	Jammu & Kashmir (12.58%)	2 nd	Lakshadweep
2 nd	Ladakh (12.53%)	3 rd	Andaman & Nicobar Islands
4 th	Daman & Diu (6.82%)		
5 th	Chandigarh (5.97%)		

INTERNATIONAL RANKING**Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) Asia University Rankings 2022**

Rank	University	Country
1	National University of Singapore	Singapore
2	Peking University	Beijing, China
3	Nanyang Technological University	Singapore
42	Indian Institute of Technology Bombay (IITB)	India
45	Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD)	
54	Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IITM)	
56	Indian Institute of Science	
60	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IIT-KGP)	
64	Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IITK)	
77	University of Delhi	

Global Drug Policy Index

- Total Countries: 30
- Released By: Harm Reduction Consortium

Rank	Country
1	Norway
2	New Zealand
3	Portugal
4	UK
5	Australia
18	India
30	Brazil



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Bloomberg Billionaires Index

Sl. no.	Name	Net Worth (in \$ billion)
1	Mukesh Ambani	\$96.3B
2	Gautam Adani	\$84.4B
3	Azim Premji	\$38.2B
4	Shiv Nadar	\$29.58B
5	Radhakrishnan Damani	\$25.28B
6	Lakshmi Mittal	\$21.0B
7	Uday Kotak	\$17.2B
8	Cyrus Poonawalla	\$16.2B
9	Dilip Shanghvi	\$14.0B
10	Kumar Birla	\$13.1B
11	Savitri Jindal	\$12.9B
12	Sunil Mittal	\$12.1B
13	K P Singh	\$10.8B
14	Benu Bangar	\$9.08B
15	Rahul Bajaj	\$8.78B
16	Nusil Wadia	\$8.74B
17	Falguni Nayar and Family	\$7.48B
18	Ashwin Dani & family	\$7.05B
19	Mahendra Choksi & family	\$6.69B
20	Abhay Vakil & family	\$6.48B

Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2022

Rank	Country
1	–
2	–
3	–
4	Denmark
5	Sweden
10	India

Pollution cities List

- Released by : IQAir, Switzerland-based climate group

Rank	City	Country	AQI Score
1	Delhi	India	556
2	Lahore	Pakistan	354
3	Sofia	Bulgaria	178
4	Kolkata	India	177
5	Zagreb	Croatia	173
6	Mumbai	India	169
7	Belgrade	Serbia	165
8	Chengdu	China	165
9	Skopje	North Macedonia	164
10	Krakow	Poland	160

TRACE Bribery Risk Matrix Ranking

Rank	Country
1	Denmark
2	Norway
3	Sweden
82	India
194	North Korea

Kantar's BrandZ India 2021 report

Technology Category	
Rank	Brand
1 st	Amazon
2 nd	Zomato
3 rd	YouTube

Fast Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG)

Rank	Brand
1 st	Tata Tea
2 nd	Surf Excel (Hindustan Unilever)
3 rd	Taj Mahal Tea

Non-Fast Moving Consumer Goods (non FMCG)	
Rank	Brand
1 st	Asian Paints
2 nd	Samsung
3 rd	Jio

BANKING AND FINANCE

BANKING

RBI

- RBI – Rules for a bank to exit prompt corrective action framework.
- RBI - published its 'Statement of Commitment to Support Greening India's Financial System – NGFS.
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) – First global hackathon 'HARBINGER 2021 – Innovation for Transformation' with the theme 'smarter digital payments'.
- RBI – Direct NBFCs to appoint Internal Ombudsman within 6 months.

Penalty

Organisation	Amount	Bank	Reason
RBI	Rs 10.5 lakh	Shri Kanyaka Nagari Sahakari Bank, Chandrapur	contravention of norms, including on fresh loans to the real estate sector
	Rs 2 crore	Tata Communications Payment Solutions Limited	deficiencies in regulatory compliance
	Rs 54.93 lakh	Appnit Technologies Private Limited	deficiencies in regulatory compliance
	Rs 1 crore	State Bank of India	deficiencies in regulatory compliance

Organisation	Amount	Bank	Reason
RBI	₹1 crore	Union Bank of India	non-compliance with the certain provisions of directions issued by the Central bank related to fraud classification and stressed assets

PUBLIC BANKS

State Bank of India

- pre-approved two-wheeler loan scheme 'SBI Easy Ride' through its digital banking platform YONO
- U GRO Capital + State Bank of India - to provide credit to micro, small and medium enterprises (MSME)

Indian Bank

- Indian Bank – Video KYC facility enabled by VCIP technology.

Bank of Baroda

- Bank of Baroda – Property Expo at Kolkata

Bank of Maharashtra

- Bank of Maharashtra – Tops PSU lenders chart in terms of loan, saving deposit growth in Q2.

PRIVATE BANKS

Axis Bank

- Axis Bank + Indian Navy – Salary accounts.

Bandhan Bank

- Bandhan Bank – Empaneled as agency bank of RBI

HDFC Bank

- HDFC Bank - second edition of its “Mooh Band Rakho” campaign in support of the International Fraud Awareness Week 2021.
- launch of micro-credit facility for street vendors, PM Street Vendor’s AtmaNirbhar Nidhi (PM SVANidhi), with common service centres (CSC).
- Equitas Small Finance Bank + HDFC Bank – Offer co-branded credit cards.

ICICI Bank

- ICICI Bank – The launch of ‘Trade Emerge’, an online digital banking and value-added services for exporters and importers.

IDFC First Bank

- IDFC FIRST Bank – India’s first standalone metal debit card

Karnataka Bank

- Karnataka Bank – CASA campaign (current account/savings account) campaign and launched a new KBL Current Account–Premium scheme targeting small and medium entrepreneurs.

Kotak Mahindra Bank

- Kotak Mahindra Bank + PVR – Co-branded debit card.

Yes Bank

- Yes Bank + Amazon Pay, AWS – Offer UPI services

RBL Bank

- RBL Bank – Authorised by RBI to collect Direct Taxes.

Foreign Banks

- HSBC India – India’s first credit card made from recycled PVC plastic.

Regional Rural Banks

- Kerala Gramin Bank – A vaccine-linked deposit scheme for customers

INSURANCE

- Liberty General Insurance + PhonePe – Offer Motor Insurance
- NPCI – Announce the tie-up of NPCI Bharat BillPay with ICICI Prudential Life Insurance to provide the latter's customers the facility of ClickPay.
- Bajaj Allianz General Insurance + TropoGo – The distribution of one-of-its-kind drone insurance products in India.

SMALL FINANCE BANK

- ESAF Bank + Nabard – Local economic development.
- Tata Motors + Equitas SFB – A five-year Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to bring financial solutions to its customers
- ESAF Small Finance Bank Limited – The latest “ESAF Go Green” range of electric vehicle loan schemes

PAYMENTS BANK

- Paytm Payments Bank + Darjeeling Himalayan Railway – Launch mobile ticket booking for toy trains
- India Post Payments Bank - Doorstep Service of Digital Life Certificate Generation
- IPPB + Department of Posts + Bajaj Allianz Life Insurance – Offer term and annuity products
- Paytm Payments Bank – Prepaid card linked with Paytm wallet.
- Patym Payment Bank - transit card for metro, bus, rail payments

WORLD BANK

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Purpose</u>
\$40 million	health project for state of Meghalaya
USD 250 Million	improve quality of learning in Andhra Pradesh

- World Bank + Asian Development Bank – ‘WePOWER India Partnership Forum’ to increase workforce participation of women in energy sector.

SIDBI

- Sidbi + Google – Tie-up to support MSMEs

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

Amount	Purpose
Rs 458 Cr	Improve livability, harness technology, and promote new developments to accommodate the expanding population of Agartala city
61-million dollar	Livability, harness technology and promote new developments to accommodate the expanding population in Agartala city
\$300 million	Strengthen and improve access to comprehensive primary health care in urban areas of 13 states
USD 1.5 Billion	India for COVID-19 vaccine procurement
\$125 million	Boost water supply, sanitation in Uttarakhand

ASIAN INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT BANK

Amount	Purpose
USD 250 million	Bangladesh for COVID recovery programme
150 million USD	India for implementation of Sustainable Urban services program for Chennai Metropolitan Area

EXIM BANK

Amount	Purpose
\$100 million	Domestic manufacturers of Covid-19 vaccines or related products



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OTHERS

- MakeMyTrip + Amazon Pay – Travel services.
- PhonePe – Launch of PhonePe SafeCard, which is a tokenisation solution for online debit and credit card transactions
- Infibeam's CCAvenue – TokenPay for RBI-compliant 'saved card transactions'.
- BSE + All India MSME Association – Promote listing of MSMEs, startups
- Geojit – Service for NRIs to open trading, demat accounts.
- Paytm Money - 'Voice Trading', powered by artificial intelligence, allowing users to place a trade or get information about stocks via single voice command
- Cashfree Payments – The launch of tokenization solutions, 'Token Vault' enabling merchants to save card network tokens effortlessly, while staying compliant with RBI guidelines.
- Poonawalla Fincorp + CARS24 – Announce Strategic Partnership for Seamless Consumer Financing.
- PayU – Fully certified token requestor and token service provider for Mastercard and Visa.
- Fedo - "Health Savings Account" in partnership with neo bank Open
- Open Financial Technologies Pvt. Ltd - no-code embedded finance platform – Zwitch

BUSINESS AND ECONOMY

- Finance Ministry – The gross GST revenue collected in the month of October is one lakh 30 thousand 127 crore rupees.
- Reliance Jio - the first operator to bring mobile connectivity to Demchok in eastern Ladakh with the start of its 4G voice and data services in the border village
- SpaceX – Set up subsidiary in India.
- India's wholesale price-based (WPI) based inflation – Rose to 12.54 per cent year-on-year in October, 2021 from 1.31 per cent in October, 2020 and against 10.66 per cent in September.
- Microsoft + BIAL – Hackathon to develop innovative solutions for passengers
- World Bank – India received USD 87 billion in remittances in 2021.

ACQUISITION AND MERGERS

- NCLT – GAIL buying IL&FS's 26% stake in OTPC.
- LIC – RBI's nod to increase stake in Kotak Mahindra Bank to 9.99%.

BOOKS AND AUTHORS

<u>Book</u>	<u>Author</u>	<u>Published</u>	<u>Released by</u>
'Modern India'	Poonam Dalal Dahiya	-	Shri M L Khattar
Finding A Straight Line Between Twists and Turns – Imperfect, Yet Honest Reflections on the Indian Tax Landscape	Aseem Chawla	Matrix Publishers	-
Kamala Harris: Phenomenal Woman	Chidanand Rajghatta	HarperCollins Publishers India	-
Lal Salaam	Smriti Zubin Irani	Westland	-
RESOLVED: Uniting Nations in a Divided World	Ban Ki-moon	HarperCollins India	-
Sadda Sohna Punjab	Harpreet Sandhu	-	-
Ten Minutes a Day to Make Life Successful	VK Anil Kumar	-	-
The Sage with Two Horns	Sudha Murty	-	-
We Are Refugees	Denny Thomas Vattakunnel	-	-

APPOINTMENTS

NATIONAL APPOINTMENTS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Replaced</u>
Admiral R Hari Kumar	25th Chief of the Naval Staff	Indian Navy	Admiral Karambir Singh
Arun Chawla	Director-General	FICCI	-
Arvind Kumar	Director	IB	-
Dheeraj Hinduja	Executive Chairman	Ashok Leyland	-
Justice M Duraiswamy	Chief Justice	Madras High Court	-
Justice Sanjib Banerjee	Chief Justice	Meghalaya High Court	-
K V Kamath	Senior Advisor in its Indian operations	KKR	-
PC Mody	Secretary General	Rajya Sabha	PPK Ramacharyulu
Rajnath Singh	Second life member	National Cadet Corps (NCC) Alumni Association	-
Rajnish Kumar	independent non-executive director	Hero Motocorp	-
Sourav Ganguly	Chairman	ICC men's Cricket Committee	Anil Kumble
Vice Admiral R. Hari Kumar	Chief	Indian Navy	Admiral Karambir Singh
Vivek Johri	Chairman	CBIC	-

INTERNATIONAL APPOINTMENTS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Replaced</u>
Abdalla Hamdok	Prime Minister	Sudan	-
Audrey Azoulay	Director General	UNESCO	-
Daniel Bruhl	Goodwill Ambassador	UN World Food Programme	-
Daniel Ortega	President	Nicaragua	-
Fumio Kishida	Prime Minister	Japan	-
Geoff Allardice	CEO	ICC	Manu Sawhney
Magdalena Andersson	female Prime Minister	Sweden	-
Morinari Watanabe	president	International Gymnastics Federation	-
Parag Agarwal	CEO	Twitter	Jack Dorsey
Petr Fiala	Prime Minister	Czech Republic	-
Rahul Dravid	India head coach	BCCI	-
Ranjan Madugalle	first Match Referee	officiate in 200 Test matches	-
Rumen Radev	President	Bulgaria	-
Sheikh Sabah al-Khalid	Prime Minister	Kuwait	-
Shombi Sharp	UN Resident Coordinator	India	-

- India – UNESCO World Heritage Committee for four-year term.

AMBASSADORS/HIGH COMMISSIONERS

Name	Designation	Country/ Organization
Ajaneesh Kumar	The country's next ambassador	Estonia
Pavan Kapoor	The country's next ambassador	Russian Federation
Sanjay Bhattacharyya	The country's next ambassador	Switzerland
Sunjay Sudhir	The country's next ambassador	UAE
Vinay Kumar	The country's next ambassador	Myanmar

BRAND AMBASSADORS

Name	Organisation
Lovlina Borgohain	ICICI Prudential Life Insurance's new digital campaign
Salman Khan	vaccine ambassador of Maharashtra
Sanjay Dutt	Golden Jubilee Celebration of Arunachal Pradesh

BANKING APPOINTMENTS

Name	Designation	Bank	Replaced
P. Pradeep Kumar	Chairman	Karnataka Bank	P. Jayarama Bhat



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AWARDS**NATIONAL AWARDS**

Person	Award Name	Category	Given by	Details
162 athletes and 84 coaches	SAI Institutional Awards for Athletes and Coaches	-	-	-
17 scientists	Swarnajayanti Fellowships	-	-	innovative research ideas
Abhinandan Varthaman	Vir Chakra 2019	-	-	-
All India Radio's programme 'Living on the edge – The coastal lives'	ABU – UNESCO Peace Media award	Ethical and Sustainable Relationship with Nature	-	-
Hema Malini and Prasoon Joshi	Indian Film Personality Award for the year 2021	-	-	-
Hunar Haat	India International Trade Fair, 2021 Silver Medal	-	-	strengthening commitment to "Vocal for Local".
Lieutenant Colonel Servesh Dhadwal + Colonel Amit Bisht + Priyanka Mohite	Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award 2020	-	-	by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.
M Mukundan	2021 JCB Prize for Literature	-	-	"Delhi: A Soliloquy", translated from Malayalam by Fathima EV and Nandakumar K

Person	Award Name	Category	Given by	Details
Prakash Padukone	lifetime achievement award	-	BWF	-
Prasoon Joshi	Indian Personality of the Year	-	-	International Film Festival of India (IFFI), Goa
Puneeth Rajkumar	Basavashree award 2021	-	-	-
RK Sinha	Dr Mangalam Swaminathan National Award for Excellence in Journalism for the year 2020	-	-	-
Ruskin Bond + ND Tiwari + Narendra Singh Negi + Anil Joshi + Bachendri Pal. Dhami	Uttarakhand Gaurav Samman" this year	-	-	-
The Bhattu Kalan Police Station in Haryana's Fatehabad district	the top three police stations in the country for the year 2021	-	Union Ministry of Home Affairs	-
The Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank (KVGB)	The best regional rural bank (RRB) under the 'Regional Rural Banks' category	-	Assocham	-

<u>Person</u>	<u>Award Name</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Given by</u>	<u>Details</u>
Uttarakhand	prestigious national awards in three different categories	-	-	the field of tourism

INTERNATIONAL AWARDS

<u>Person</u>	<u>Award Name</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Given by</u>	<u>Details</u>
Aditya Narayan	Honorary doctorate for Nelson Mandela Nobel Peace Award	-	-	-
Cameroon's Barthélémy Toguo	UNESCO Artist for Peace	-	-	-
Damon Galgut	Booker Prize	-	-	The Promise
Perseverance	Cambridge Dictionary's Word of the Year	-	-	-
Vaccine	Merriam-Webster 2021 word of the year	-	-	-
Vax	Oxford English Dictionary's word of the year	-	-	-
Vihaan + Nav Agarwal	The 2021 KidsRights International Children's Peace Prize	-	-	Tackling pollution from household waste

National Sports Awards 2021

i. Major Dhyan Chand KhelRatna Award 2021

S. No.	Name of the Sportsperson	Discipline
1.	Neeraj Chopra	Athletics
2.	Ravi Kumar	Wrestling
3.	LovlinaBorgohain	Boxing
4.	Sreejesh P.R	Hockey
5.	AvaniLekhara	Para Shooting
6.	SumitAntil	Para Athletics
7.	PramodBhagat	Para Badminton
8.	Krishna Nagar	Para Badminton
9.	Manish Narwal	Para Shooting
10.	Mithali Raj	Cricket
11.	Sunil Chhetri	Football
12.	Manpreet Singh	Hockey

(ii) Arjuna Awards for outstanding performance in Sports and Games 2021

S. No.	Name of the Sportsperson	Discipline
1.	Arpinder Singh	Athletics
2.	SimranjitKaur	Boxing
3.	ShikharDhawan	Cricket
4.	Bhavani Devi Chadalavada Anandha Sundhararaman	Fencing
5.	Monika	Hockey
6.	VandanaKatariya	Hockey
7.	SandeepNarwal	Kabaddi
8.	HimaniUttamParab	Mallakhamb
9.	AbhishekVerma	Shooting
10.	AnkitaRaina	Tennis
11.	Deepak Punia	Wrestling
12.	Dilpreet Singh	Hockey
13.	Harman Preet Singh	Hockey
14.	Rupinder Pal Singh	Hockey
15.	Surender Kumar	Hockey
16.	AmitRohidas	Hockey

17.	BirendraLakra	Hockey
18.	Sumit	Hockey
19.	Nilakanta Sharma	Hockey
20.	Hardik Singh	Hockey
21.	VivekSagar Prasad	Hockey
22.	Gurjant Singh	Hockey
23.	Mandeep Singh	Hockey
24.	Shamsher Singh	Hockey
25.	Lalit Kumar Upadhyay	Hockey
26.	Varun Kumar	Hockey
27.	Simranjeet Singh	Hockey
28.	YogeshKathuniya	Para Athletics
29.	Nishad Kumar	Para Athletics
30.	Praveen Kumar	Para Athletics
31.	SuhashYathiraj	Para Badminton
32.	SinghrajAdhana	Para Shooting
33.	Bhavina Patel	Para Table Tennis
34.	Harvinder Singh	Para Archery
35.	Sharad Kumar	Para Athletics

(iii) Dronacharya Award for outstanding coaches in Sports and Games 2021**A. Life-Time Category:**

S. No.	Name of the Coach	Discipline
1.	T. P. Ouseph	Athletics
2.	SarkarTalwar	Cricket
3.	Sarpal Singh	Hockey
4.	Ashan Kumar	Kabaddi
5.	Tapan Kumar Panigrahi	Swimming

B. Regular Category:

S. No.	Name of the Coach	Discipline
1.	Radhakrishnan Nair P	Athletics
2.	SandhyaGurung	Boxing
3.	PritamSiwach	Hockey
4.	Jai PrakashNautiyal	Para Shooting
5.	Subramanian Raman	Table Tennis

(iv) Dhyan Chand Award for Lifetime achievement in Sports and Games 2021

S.No.	Name	Discipline
1.	Lekha K.C.	Boxing
2.	AbhijeetKunte	Chess
3.	Davinder Singh Garcha	Hockey
4.	Vikas Kumar	Kabaddi
5.	Sajjan Singh	Wrestling

(vi) Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puruskar 2021

S. No.	Category	Entity recommended for Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puraskar, 2021
1.	Identification and Nurturing of Budding and Young Talent	Manav Rachna Educational Institution
2.	Encouragement to sports through Corporate Social Responsibility	Indian Oil Corporation Limited

(vii) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (MAKA) Trophy 2021:

Panjab University - Chandigarh

Swachh Survekshan 2021**SS2021 NATIONAL RANKING (1L – 10L CITIES)**

Rank	City Name	Score
1	NEW DELHI (NDMC)	5300.24
2	AMBIKAPUR	5148.64
3	TIRUPATI	4945.33

SS2021 NATIONAL RANKING (> 10L CITIES)

Rank	City Name	Score
1	INDORE	5618.14
2	SURAT	5559.21
3	VIJAYAWADA	5368.37

SS2021 TOP CITIES RANKING (LESS THAN 1L CITIES)

Position	State	ULB Name	Score
1	MAHARASHTRA	VITA	4954.32
2	MAHARASHTRA	LONAVALA	4941.69
3	MAHARASHTRA	SASVAD	4863.30

SS2021 TOP CITIES RANKING (MORE THAN 1L CITIES)

Position	State	ULB Name	Score
1	MADHYA PRADESH	INDORE	5618.14
2	GUJARAT	SURAT	5559.21
3	ANDHRA PRADESH	VIJAYAWADA	5368.37

SS2021 CANTONMENT BOARDS (CITIES)

Rank	City Name	Score
1	AHMEDABAD CANTT	4337.56
2	MEERUT CANTT.	3480.45
3	DELHI CANTT.	3290.73

Ganga Towns**Less than 1 L**

Position	State Name	Town Name	Score
1	UTTAR PRADESH	KANNAUJ (NPP)	80.00
2	UTTAR PRADESH	BIJNOR (NPP)	79.85
3	UTTAR PRADESH	GANGAGHAT (NPP)	79.72

More than 1 L

Position	State Name	Town Name	Score
1	UTTAR PRADESH	VARANASI (M. Corp)	70.67
2	BIHAR	MUNGER	68.19
3	BIHAR	PATNA	61.07

SS2021 DISTRICT RANKING

Position	State	District	Score
1	GUJARAT	SURAT	93.70
2	MADHYA PRADESH	INDORE	92.60
3	DELHI	NEW DELHI	90.00

Swachh Survekshan 2021 STATES RANKING**STATES WITH LESS THAN 100 ULBS**

Position	State Name	Score
1	JHARKHAND	1880.00
2	HARYANA	1745.00
3	GOA	1350.00



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STATES WITH MORE THAN 100 ULBS

Position	State Name	Score
1	CHHATTISGARH	4175.00
2	MAHARASHTRA	2845.00
3	MADHYA PRADESH	2570.00

49th International Emmy Awards

- The 49th International Emmy Awards was held on November 23 in New York City.

Best Performance By An Actress	Hayley Squires for Adult Material (UK)
Best Performance By An Actor	David Tennant for Des (UK)
Comedy	Call My Agent Season 4 (France)
Documentary	Hope Frozen: A Quest To Live Twice (Thailand)
Drama Series	Tehran (Israel)
Non-English Language U.S. Primetime Program	21st Annual Latin GRAMMY Awards (USA)
Non-Scripted Entertainment	The Masked Singer (UK)
Short-Form Series	INSiDE (New Zealand)
The Masked Singer (UK)	
Telenovela	The Song Of Glory (China)
TV Movie / Mini-Series	Atlantic Crossing (Norway)
Arts Programming	Kubrick By Kubrick (France)

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**IIT IN NEWS****IIT MADRAS**

- IIT Madras + IISc Bangalore + ISI – Collaborate with tech firm to upgrade website collating Covid data.

IIT KANPUR

- Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur - web-based 'green' monitoring system for Ganga
- IIT Kanpur + Tribhuvan University of Nepal – Academic cooperation.

IIT BOMBAY

- CESL + IIT Bombay – Establish EV charging infrastructure

IIT Varanasi

- IIT Varanasi – Develop India’s first device for on-site production of ultra-pure Hydrogen.

SPACE NEWS

- Amazon – Launch first two internet satellites in 2022
- China – Three new remote sensing satellites from the Xichang Satellite Launch Centre in the country’s southwestern Sichuan province.
- SpaceX – New crew of 4 to station, ‘glorious sight’.
- SpaceX – Successfully launch a Falcon 9 rocket into space with 53 Starlink satellites.
- NASA + SpaceX – Launch new test mission ‘DART’ to defend Earth.
- Skyroot Aerospace - successfully tested Dhawan-1, which it claims to be the country’s first privately developed fully cryogenic rocket engine

Others

- SWADESH – World’s First Multimodal Brain Imaging Data and Analytics, Developed at DBT-National Brain Research Centre, Haryana

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Egypt

- Egypt – The next UN climate conference COP27 to be held in 2022.

Germany

- Germany - new development commitments to the tune of more than EUR 1.2 billion (approx. INR 10,025 crore) to aid India’s fight against climate change and for cooperation on clean energy

Israel

- India + Israel – Sealed an agreement to jointly develop next-generation technologies and products such as drones, robotics, artificial intelligence and quantum computing.

Japan

- India + Japan - their second Space Dialogue in virtual mode on November 2

Nepal

- Nepal-India International Friendship Concert – Held in Kathmandu as part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'.

New Zealand

- New Zealand - ratified the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) trade deal.
- India + New Zealand - held the second edition of their bilateral cyber dialogue on November 16-17 in a virtual mode

Pakistan

- Pakistan – Successful flight test of the Shaheen-1A surface-to-surface ballistic missile.

South Korea

- The world's first "floating city" – Be built off the coast of South Korea.

Sweden

- Sweden – Host the World Environment Day 2022.

UK

- Rishi Sunak – A new 5-pound commemorative coin celebrating the life and legacy of Mahatma Gandhi to mark Diwali
- UK - became the first country in the world to approve a potentially game-changing COVID-19 antiviral pill jointly developed by Merck & Co Inc (MRK.N) and Ridgeback Biotherapeutics.

USA

- The United States of America – The 101st member country of the International Solar Alliance.

Russia

- Russia – Delivery of S-400 missile systems to India.
- Russia + India – '2+2' dialogue announced for Dec 6 in New Delhi.

Sri Lanka

- Sri Lanka – 82nd country to join World Bank's Human Capital Project.

Luxembourg

- India + Luxembourg - hold first-ever Foreign Office Consultations, discuss expanding trade links.

UAE

- Nov 18 to 23 – World Expo being held in Dubai.

Exercise

- 32nd Edition Of Indo-Thai Coordinated Patrol (CORPAT) – 12 – 14 November 2021.
- India + France – Conducting the 6th edition of the Indo-France Joint Military Exercise, called “EX SHAKTI 2021,” commencing November 15.
- India + Singapore + Thailand – Mega naval exercise in Andaman Sea.
- 15th edition of Trilateral exercise ‘Dosti’ – Navies of India, Maldives, Sri Lanka is underway in the Maldives.
- India + Indonesia – Held 37th edition of coordinated patrol
- India, Sri Lanka and Maldives navies - joint exercise in Southern Arabian Sea

Others

- India – An online dashboard – the ‘Climate Equity Monitor’ to assess equity in climate action, inequalities in emissions besides energy and resource consumption across the world
- India -‘One Sun, One World, One Grid’ project at global climate conference
- India + Indonesia + Philippines – Join coal transition programme.
- V. Muraleedharan - releases design of commemorative stamp marking 75 years of India’s independence
- ISA + Elsevier – New research journal at COP26.
- India – E-Amrit Portal on EVs at COP26
- UNEP + India – Host Country Agreement to enhance collaborative environmental action.
- ISA + UNFCCC – Fight climate change
- Dubai Airshow – Begin at Al Maktoum International Airport.
- India – 41st scientific expedition to Antarctica.
- Omicron - the new COVID-19 variant B.11.529 which was detected in South Africa

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Prime Minister and also in-charge of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space, All important policy issues and All other portfolios not allocated to any Minister – Narendra Modi

- Narendra Modi – Scheme for retail participation in govt securities
- Narendra Modi – Inaugurate and dedicated to the nation the redeveloped Rani Kamalapati Railway Station in Bhopal
- PM Modi – Purvanchal Expressway in UP after landing on its airstrip in IAF plane
- Narendra Modi – Ration Aapke Gram, Sickle Cell Mission, other schemes for Janjatiya community.
- Prime Minister – Hands over indigenously-built light combat helicopters to IAF.

Defence – Raj Nath Singh

- The Defence Ministry - the procurement of arms and military equipment worth Rs 7,965 crore including 12 light utility helicopters from Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
- Raksha Mantri – First operationalised private sector defence sector defence manufacturing facility in UP Defence Industrial Corridor.
- Rajnath Singh – Three-day 'Rashtra Raksha Samarpan Parv' in Jhansi.

Home Affairs and Cooperation - Amit Shah

- Amit Shah – 4.18 km long elevated corridor in Gujarat's Ahmedabad
- Amit Shah -pan-India 'Ayushman Bharat' scheme for all Central Armed Police Forces personnel

Finance & Corporate Affairs - Nirmala Sitharaman

- Nirmala Sitharaman – Two schemes named 'Tejasvini & Hausala schemes' of J&K Bank for girls

Tribal Affairs - Arjun Munda

- Arjun Munda – TRIFED Aadi Mahotsav at Dilli Haat in New Delhi

Women and Child Development - Smriti Zubin Irani

- Ministry of Women & Child Development – Celebrating the Week from 14-21 November Under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav with Theme of Children Ideas, Rights & Nutrition.

Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution and Textiles - Piyush Goyal

- Piyush Goyal – The India International Trade Fair (IITF), the 40th edition of IITF and mobile app
- Piyush Goyal – Food security museum in Tamil Nadu's Thanjavur.

Education and Skill Development and Entrepreneurship - Dharmendra Pradhan

- Rajeev Chandrasekhar - a pilot project to revive 'Namda' craft in J & K

Parliamentary Affairs, Coal and Mines - Pralhad Joshi

- Pralhad Joshi – E-portal of accreditation scheme for minerals exploration

Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises - Narayan Tatu Rane

- Shri Narayan Rane – "MSME PAVILION" at the 40th India International Trade Fair (IITF), 2021.
- Narayana Rane - anti-bacterial fabric developed by Kumarappa National Handmade Paper Institute.

Ports, Shipping and Waterways and AYUSH - Sarbananda Sonowal

- Five vessels at Cochin Shipyard Limited (CSL) and inaugurated new Radars and Vessel Traffic Management System at the Cochin Port Trust

Rural Development and Panchayati Raj - Giriraj Singh

- Flipkart + Ministry of Rural Development – DAY-NRLM program.
- Giriraj Singh – 'Bhumi Samvaad' – National Workshop on DILRMP

Civil Aviation - Jyotiraditya M. Scindia

- Vijay Kumar Singh (Rtd) – India's first research centre in drone technology and artificial intelligence at the Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati.
- MakeMyTrip + Civil Aviation Ministry – Promote regional air connectivity
- ISB + Civil Aviation Ministry – Analyse RCS effect on Commercial Air travel in India

Railways , Communications and Electronics and Information Technology - Ashwini Vaishnaw

- Telecom secretary – Portal for public procurement policy.
- The Bharat Gaurav scheme – Launched by Railways for private players
- Meity Ministry -commemorate 'Azadi Ka Digital Mahotsav' from November 29 to December 5
- Railway + I & B – Launch one-stop permission website to ease process of filming on trains.
- Indian Railways – World's Tallest Pier Bridge In Manipur

Jal Shakti - Gajendra Singh Shekhawat

- Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat – 'Ganga Utsav 2021 – The River Festival'.
- Ministry Of Jal Shakti – 'Water Heroes – Share Your Stories' Contest.
- Gajendra Singh Shekhawat - River Cities Alliance (RCA), a dedicated platform for river cities in India to ideate, discuss and exchange information for sustainable management of urban rivers.

Law and Justice - Kiren Rijju

- Kiren Rijju – Citizens' Tele-Law Mobile App

Power and New and Renewable Energy - Raj Kumar Singh

- Power Minister – Diversion of Marusudar River at Pakal Dul HE Project (1000 MW) in J&K.

Environment, Forest and Climate Change and Labour and Employment - Bhupender Yadav

- Bhupendra Yadav – Country's first All India Survey of Domestic Workers.

Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying - Parshottam Rupala

- Parshottam Rupala – The country's first-of-its kind, dedicated business incubator in Haryana's Gurugram.

Culture, Tourism and Development of North Eastern Region - G. Kishan Reddy

- Ministry of Tourism + IRCTC – Boost hospitality and tourism industry.
- Meenakshi Lekhi - the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav mobile App to enable all single point access to all information related to the 75th anniversary celebrations of India's independence

MINISTERS OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Science and Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Earth Sciences; Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office; Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions; Minister of State in the Department of Atomic Energy; and Minister of State in the Department of Space - Dr. Jitendra Singh

- Dr. Jitendra Singh – First-ever Mentorship Programme for Young Innovators to mark the 75th Year of India's Independence.
- Dr Jitendra Singh – DBT funded Skill Vigyan Program in Biotechnology in Arunachal Pradesh.
- Dr Jitendra Singh – First of its kind, world's most sophisticated, latest MRI facility at the National Brain Research Centre (NBRC), Manesar, Haryana.
- Jitendra Singh - Drone based Vaccine/Emergency Medicine Delivery service close to International Border near Jammu
- Dr Jitendra Singh – Face Recognition Technology for Pensioners

STATES

Arunachal Pradesh

- Kaiser-i-Hind – Arunachal's State butterfly.

Assam

- Assam – Microfinance loan waiver scheme to give relief to 24 lakh women.



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Gujarat

- Gujarat – e-Sarkar app on pilot basis for paperless administration
- Gujarat – Launch a healthcare scheme under which all the people above the age of 30 years in the state.

Haryana

- Haryana – India's longest drone flight conducted for Hindustan Petroleum

Karnataka

- Janasevaka programme offering 58 services, including ration at subsidised rates, at the doorstep in all the 28 Assembly constituencies.

Kerala

- Kerala Financial Corporation – A special loan product to the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise (MSME) sector.
- Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM) – A soft loan scheme exclusively for women start-ups, offering up to Rs 15 lakh as working capital.
- Kerala CM – CIAL's hydro-electric power plant.
- PA Mohamed Riyas – The online portal for submitting applications to avail interest-free loans up to Rs 10,000 from the Revolving Fund.
- Kerala - STREET Project for experiential tourism

Maharashtra

- Mumbai – India's First Open-Air, Rooftop Drive-in Theatre.

Manipur

- The Go to Village 2.0 at Moijing Public Playground, Thoubal District

Meghalaya

- Meghalaya Cabinet – Creation of Eastern West Khasi Hills as 12th district.
- Meghalaya + WFP – Strengthen public distribution system, improve food security

Nagaland

- Nagaland + Postal Dept – Delivery of Elector Photo Identity Cards (EPICs) and various Notices through Speed Post services of DoP on mutually agreed upon terms
- Nagaland police – ‘Call your Cop’ mobile App for citizens

Odisha

- Odisha – Rakshak, a road safety initiative to save precious lives.
- Odisha government + Save LIFE Foundation – Working in road safety in India to prevent road accidents and save lives.

Punjab

- Punjab – ‘Mission Clean’ to curb sand mining, liquor, drug trade.
- Punjab – 1st Indian state to approve Tissue Culture-Based Seed Potato Rules
- Punjab – career portal aimed at providing professional guidance to students of schools and colleges of the state

Tamil Nadu

- M K Stalin – State-PSU’s hi-tech cement brand ‘Valimai’.
- Tamil Nadu - the first State in the country to get its own ‘forensic DNA profile search tool’, developed by the State Forensic Sciences Department
- M.K.Stalin – State Policy for Children 2021 to ensure protection to children
- Tamil Nadu – MoU with 59 companies, Rs 35,208 cr investments in the offing.
- Welspun One + Tamil Nadu Government – Invest INR 2500 Cr in the state
- TVS Motor Company + Tamil Nadu Government - investment of Rs 1,200 crore in Future Technologies and Electric Vehicles
- L&T + Tamil Nadu govt - build data centre at Kanchipuram

Telangana

- Telangana – India’s first memorial for Covid-19 victims installed.

Tripura

- BCDI + Tripura + NECTAR – The country’s first-ever bamboo made cricket bat.

Uttar Pradesh

- National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) + Uttar Pradesh government – Manage Varanasi Milk Union for five years
- Shri Yogi Adityanath – 31st edition of “Hunar Haat”, the “Kumbh of Kaushal Kuber” and “Braj Raj Utsav” in Vrindavan.
- Uttar Pradesh - proposal to implement ‘Mathrubhumi Yojana’
- Varanasi - first Indian city to start ropeway service in public transportation

Uttarakhand

- Ranikhet – India’s first grass conservatory

West Bengal

- West Bengal – ‘Ration at doorstep’ scheme, 10 crore people to be benefited

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Delhi

- Delhi – ‘Shramik Mitra’ scheme to ensure benefits reach construction workers.
- Manish Sisodia -two day ‘Smart Urban Framing Expo’ in New Delhi
- Delhi Metro – First refurbished train after first-ever mid-life overhaul of old coaches

Jammu and Kashmir

- Srinagar – Added to UNESCO’s network of creative cities.

Rename News

- J & K – Lakes and Waterways Development Authority renamed as Lake Conservation and Management Authority.
- Madhya Pradesh – Habibganj railway station renamed after Gond queen Rani Kamlapati.
- Shivraj Singh Chouhan – Patalpani railway station in Indore will be renamed as Tanya Mama railway station.

Government Related News

- Cabinet – Rs 17,409 cr to CCI for cotton procurement in 7 seasons to 2020-21.
- Centre – Grant of Rs 8,453.92 cr to 19 states to strengthen health systems
- Cabinet – Provision of mobile services in uncovered villages in five states
- Centre - new Rajya Sainik Board for Ladakh
- The Central government + the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) – The procurement of two Simulators for Jaguar Aircraft at a cost of Rs 357 crore
- Govt – 12 percent GST rate on MMF, Yarn, Fabrics from 1st January.
- Govt – Extend 5-kg free foodgrains scheme till March 2022.
- Cabinet - Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021
- Centre - construction of 3.6L houses under PMAY(U)
- The Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs - approval for the continuation of the umbrella scheme O-SMART of Ministry of Earth Sciences for implementation during the period from 2021-26
- Cabinet - Continuation of umbrella scheme ACROSS to next Finance Commission Cycle (2021-2026)
- Cabinet - continuation of National Apprenticeship Training Scheme for next five years
- Cabinet - privatisation of electricity distribution in Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu

GI Tag

- Lahauli Knitted Socks and Gloves of Himachal Pradesh – GI Tag.

FESTIVALS

- Nagaland – Tokhu Emong festival
- Meghalaya - Wangala Festival
- Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh - A three-day festival 'Kashi Utsav'
- Odisha – 'Boita Bandana' festival
- Shillong – Cherry Blossom Festival

NITI Aayog

- NITI Aayog – Released Home-Based Management of Covid-19, a compendium of best practices adopted by states to combat the pandemic
- AIM + Vigyan Prasar – Drive synergies between Atal Tinkering Labs and Engage With Science.
- NITI Aayog – Report on Online Dispute Resolution policy for speedy access to justice.

DRDO

- DRDO +Indian Air Force - successful flight tests of indigenously-developed smart anti-airfield weapon

Vessels

- INS Visakhapatnam – First of four stealth guided destroyer commissioned in Indian Navy.
- Indian Navy – Submarine INS Vela commissioned -built in India by the Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) Mumbai, in collaboration with M/s Naval Group, France
- INS Vikrant - commissioned by Aug 2022

SUMMITS

- Narendra Modi - participated in the Build Back Better for the World (B3W), a side event at the COP26 initiated by US President Joe Biden, in Glasgow
- MoS Muraleedharan – Co-chair third India-Senegal Joint Commission Meeting
- Chief of Defense Staff General Bipin Rawat – 14th edition of Cyber security conference 'c0c0n'.
- November 7 and 9 – Third Goa Maritime Conclave - Indian Navy's outreach initiative
- President Kovind – 51st Conference of Governors & LGs.
- Chandigarh – Host the biggest higher education conclave for North India
- Piyush Goyal – 2nd CII National Conference on MNCs 2021
- Paris, France – Indian Ocean Naval Symposium (Ions) – 2021 Conclave Of Chiefs 15 -16 Nov 21.
- Narendra Modi – First Global Innovation Summit of Pharmaceuticals sector
- PM Modi – Inaugurate Vibrant Gujarat Summit 2022 on Jan 10.
- Dr.Jitendra Singh – ISRO's 5-day Technology Conclave-2021.

- Bhagwanth Khuba -1st International Conference on Hydrogen Energy – Policies, Infrastructure Development, and Challenges.
- Ashwini Vaishnaw + Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar – India Internet Governance Forum 2021.

OTHERS

- IOC – Set up India's first mega-scale Maleic Anhydride Plant at Panipat
- CBDT - scheme for settlement of tax disputes involving small tax payers to be processed entirely electronically
- Atal Innovation Mission + Sweden Embassy – Instagram reels challenge for school students.
- IREDA - 'whistle blower' portal to check fraud, abuse of power
- ISRO – Set up a space museum and space centre in Kanniyakumari
- The Cochin Shipyard Limited (CSL) - delivered 3 Floating Border Out-Post (FBOPs) vessels out of nine being built for the Border Security Force (BSF)
- January 31, 2022 – 45th edition of the Kolkata Book Fair.
- The National Achievement Survey 2021 – Successfully conducted across all 36 States and union territories across the country.
- Tamil film Koozhangal – Screened at the Indian Panorama segment in the 52nd International film festival Goa.
- BDL – Export Contract worth USD 21 million with Airbus Defense & Space for CMDS
- Five years – Rural Housing Scheme, Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana – Gramin, PMAY-G completed.
- Goa's Panaji – The 52nd International Film Festival of India (IFFI) received 624 films from 95 countries to open the platform
- IAF – Start upgrading Rafale fighter fleet from January 2022.
- Bengaluru airport – First in South Asia to commission Rosenbauer firefighting simulator.
- TRIFED – 7 new GI tagged products from Uttarakhand
- Munjpara Mahedrabhai – The Ayurveda Parv-2021 in New Delhi.
- Indian Oil+ BPCL+HPCL – launched 'Model Retail Outlet Scheme'.
- Rajesh Bhushan – Findings of the National Health Accounts (NHA) Estimates for India for 2017-18.
- Skill India – A programme to upskill Street Food Vendors, making them eligible for e-cart license; Targets 2,500 vendors in its pilot phase

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