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BANKING AND FINANCIAL

- Crisil cuts India's GDP growth estimate to **7.3%** for the **FY23**
- **Axis Bank** partnered with **EazyDiner** to launch **Dining Delights**
- **Edelweiss** partnered with **Avanse Financial** for **student travel insurance**
- **SBI Life Insurance** signed pact with **Paschim Banga Gramin Bank** for **bancassurance**
- **World Bank** approved **USD 1 billion** to support **India's health sector**
- **Fiscal Deficit** for **April-May** at period at **12%** of **Budget estimates**
- **All rate changes** recommended by the **47th GST Council** to be **made effective from July 18**
- **SBI, HDFC Bank, ICICI Bank** acquired **9.54% stake each** in **Perfios Account Aggregation Services**
- **GST collections** increased to **Rs 1.44 lakh crore** in **June 2022**
- **ADB** cuts **India's GDP growth** forecast to **7.2%** from **7.5%** for **FY23**
- **European Central Bank** raised **interest rates** after more than **11 years**
- **Forex reserve** declined to **20-month low** to **USD 572.7 billion** from **USD 7.5 billion**
- **HDFC Bank** to be among **global top 10 banks** after **merger**
- **HDFC Mutual Fund** launched **Nifty Next 50 ETF** and **Nifty 100 ETF**
- **RBI** allowed **IDBI Bank bidders** to own **more than 40%**
- **Muthoot Finance** gets approval from **RBI** to **open 150 new branches** across **India**
- **Edelweiss General Insurance** launched **SWITCH, comprehensive motor insurance**

- **NPCI** partnered with **Jamnalal Bajaj Institute of Management Studies (JBIMS)** for **master's degree in digital payments**
- **Edelweiss Mutual Fund** launched **Focused Equity Fund**
- **India Mortgage Guarantee Corp. (IMGC)** partnered with **RBL Bank** to **offer mortgage guarantee-backed home loans**
- **RBI** imposed **penalties** on **Ola Financial Services** for **non-compliance provisions**
- **TATA AIA** partnerd with **City Union Bank** for **life and health Insurance**
- **SBICAP** signed an **MoU** with **Ministry of External Affairs (MEA)** for **Trilateral Development Cooperation Fund**
- **SBI General Insurance** launched **Cyber Insurance Cover for Individuals: Cyber VaultEdge**
- **South Indian Bank** signed an **agreement** with **Kerala Forest Department** for **digital payment**
- **RBI** selected **Hansa Researcg Group** to **conduct field work** for **inflation expectation survey**
- **Max Life** launched **Smart Capital Guarantee Solution**
- **City Union Bank** signed an **agreement** with **Sriram Insurance** to **distribute insurance product**
- **RBI** imposed **penalties** on **Federal Bank** and **Bank of India** for **violating regulatory norms**
- **Axis Bank** signed an **MoU** with **Indian Air Force** to **manage salary accounts**
- **Arohan Financial Services** launched **ApnaArohan digital lending app**
- **Nomura** cuts **2023 GDP** forecast for **Indian** to **4.7%**
- **RBI** and **Bank Indonesia** signed an **MoU** to **improve mutual cooperation**
- **Kotak Mahindra Bank** completed integration with **new tax portal**
- **India's WPI inflation** at **15.18%** in **June**
- **DBS** named '**World's Best SME Bank**' by **Euromoney** for **second time**
- **Yes Bank** partnered with **JC Flowers ARC** to **sell 48,000 crore Bad Loans**
- **Kotak General Insurance** launched **automation of vehicle inspection for insurance renewals**
- **Digit Insurance** launched '**pay as you drive**' for **motor insurance**
- **IndusInd Bank board** gives **nod** to **mobilise Rs 20,000 crore** via **debt**
- **Morgan Stanley** cuts **India's FY23 GDP** forecast to **7.2%** from **7.6%**
- **Bajaj Allianz** partnered with **DBS Bank India** to **offer life insurance products**
- **RBI** restricted **three cooperative banks**; **Nashik Zilla Girna Sahakari Bank Limited, Raigad Sahakari Bank** and **Sri Mallikarjuna Pattana Sahakari Bank** from **conducting banking activity**
- **RBI** hiked **Capital Adequacy Ratio** for **Urban Cooperative Banks** to **12%**
- **SBI** launched **WhatsApp Banking Services** for **its customers**
- **Standard Chartered Bank & EaseMyTrip** launched **co-branded credit card**
- **Global GDP growth** to **slow** to **2.7%** in **2022**– **S&P Global Market Intelligence**
- **RBI** launched **awareness campaign** for **Unclaimed deposits**
- **ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund** launched **ICICI Prudential Nifty IT Index Fund**

NATIONAL NEWS

- **Telangana government** inaugurated **T-Hub 2.0**, innovation centre in **Hyderabad**
- **Maharashtra government** approved **renaming** of **Aurangabad** as **Sambhaji Nagar** and **Osmanabad** as **Dharashiv**
- **India's Tata Motors** partnered with **Japan's Renesas** to **develop chip solutions**
- **FM Nirmala Sitaraman** released the **Business Reform Action Plan 2020** in **New Delhi**
- **Competition Commission of India (CCI)** approved **Google's 1.28% stake** buy in **Bharti Airtel**
- **PM Modi** participated **Udyami Bharat Programme**, and launched **schemes** for **MSME sector**
- **PM Modi** inaugurated the **first smart campus** of **Bosch** in **Bengaluru**
- **India's urban population** to stand at **675 million** in **2035**, behind **China: United Nations**
- **ReNew Power, UNEP, SEWA** launched "**Project Surya**" to **train women** as **solar technicians**
- **CSIR-CSIO** and **Engineers India Limited (EIL)** signed an **agreement** for an '**earthquake warning system**'
- **Union Minister Piyush Goyal** launched a **three-day 'Grand Hackathon'** on **Agriculture domain**
- **Department of Telecommunications** signed an **agreement** with **ITI Ltd** and **BSNL**
- **AAI** signed an **agreement** with **government of Uttar Pradesh** for **operationalization** of **five airports**
- **IIE Guwahati & IIM Shillong** signed an **agreement** to **boost entrepreneurship**
- **Centre amended Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act (FCRA)** allowing **Indians** to receive up to **Rs 10 lakh** without **informing Authorities**
- **NTPC** signed an **MoU** with **Rajasthan government** for **development** of **10-GW solar park**
- **Himachal Pradesh CM** launched '**Nari Ko Naman**' scheme for **women**
- **PM Modi** inaugurated **Digital India Week 2022** at **Gandhinagar**
- **Vivek Express**, running from **Dibrugarh** to **Kanyakumari** holds the title of **Indian Railways longest train route**
- **Neelachal Ispat Nigam Ltd (NINL)** ownership **handed over** to **Tata group-owned Tata Steel Long Products (TSLP)**
- **IIT Hyderabad** signed an **MoU** with **Greenko** to **set up school** of **sustainable science & tech**
- **Tata Power** signed an **MoU** with **Tamil Nadu government** to **setup solar manufacturing plant**
- **IGSS Ventures** signed an **MoU** with **Tamil Nadu government** for **setting up semiconductor park**
- **Jitendra Singh** Launched **India's First Autonomous Navigation Facility – TiHAN**
- **Western Railways** opened its **longest skywalk** connecting **Mumbai's Bandra Terminus** to **Khar station**
- **Ministry of environment** organised '**Haryali Mahotsav**
- **Union Minister Jitendra Singh** announced **setting up** of **Rajendra Prasad Memorial Award** in **public administration**
- **Rajasthan government** will introduce **India's first right-to-health bill**
- **1st Edition of State Ranking Index For NFSA 2022- Odisha** topped
- **PM Modi** inaugurated the **Golden Jubilee celebrations** of the **Agradoot group of newspaper**

- **Union Minister Parshottam Rupala** inaugurated **India's first ever Animal Health Summit**
- **Delhi** to host **India's biggest shopping festival** in **2023**
- **PM Modi** attended the **first Arun Jaitley Memorial Lecture** at **Vigyan Bhavan** in **Delhi**
- **PARIMAN – The Geo-Portal for National Capital Region (NCR)** made **Public**
- **National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG)** organised **8th edition of Igniting Young Minds: Rejuvenating Rivers**
- **Delhi Government** launched '**Mission Kuaal Karmi**' programme to **upskill construction workers**
- **Google** announced **Startup School India** initiative
- **Akash Air** gets **Air Operator Certificate** from **Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA)**
- **PM Modi** inaugurated **Akshaya Patra Mid-Day Meal Kitchen** in **Varanasi**
- **Sikkim** and **West Bengal** signed an **agreement to ease travel for tourists**
- **Meghalaya** to invest **300 crores** in **Childhood education programmes**
- **Ministry of Mines** organized **6th National Conclave** in **New Delhi**
- **UP** becomes **first state** in the country to have **13 expressways**
- **Kharchi Festival** begins in **Tripura**
- **Health Ministry** and **Panchayati Raj Ministry** signed an **MoU to eliminate TB in India by 2025**
- **India** sets **world record** for **building longest double-decker bridge** in **Nagpur**
- **HAL** signed an **agreement** with **Safran** to **build helicopter engines**
- **Chhattisgarh government** received **USD 300 Million** from **World Bank** for **school education**
- **PM Modi** inaugurated newly built **Deoghar Airport** in **Jharkhand**
- **IIT Kanpur** to set up network of **air quality sensors** to **measure pollution** in **rural India**
- **Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers Ltd (GRSE)** signed an **agreement** with **West Bengal government** to **build next-gen electric ferry**
- **6th Deputy National Security Advisor level meeting** concludes in **Kochi**
- **India** becomes **68th country** to **join Interpol's Child Sexual Exploitation Database**
- **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus (CSMT), Mumbai** becomes **India's first station** to have **augmented reality experience**
- **Rurban Mission Delta Ranking June 2022– Jharkhand** topped
- **PM Modi** unveiled **National emblem** cast on **new Parliament Building**
- **Tripura government** launched '**Earn with Learn**' Scheme
- **India's first elevated Dwarka expressway** to be operational by **2023**
- **Uttarakhand** becomes **first state** to **implement NEP** at **pre-primary level**
- **Drugs Controller General of India (DCGI)** approves **India's first indigenously developed Human Papillomavirus Vaccine (HPV) vaccine**
- **Andhra Pradesh government** decided to **rejoin Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana**
- **Delhi Government** partnered with **UNICEF** for **employment opportunities** to **students**
- **Government** to soon launch nationwide campaign '**Har Ghar Tiranga**' to **inspire people** to **hoist national flag**
- **Ola** unveiled **India's first** indigenously made **lithium ion-cell**

- **Union Cabinet** approved **Gati Shakti University** in **Gujarat**
- **Cabinet** approved **Taranga Hill-Ambaji-Abu Road** new rail line
- **Ahmedabad, Kerala** among **TIME's list of world's greatest places of 2022**
- **UIDAI** launched '**AadhaarFaceRd**' mobile app to **perform Aadhaar face authentication**
- **Delhi LG VK Saxena** launched **SAH-BHAGITA** scheme to reward RWAs for **property tax compliance**
- **Vedanta** partners with **IIT Madras** incubated startup
- **Reliance Industries Limited (RIL)** partnered with **Athletics Federation of India** to support **Indian Athlete**
- **Bharti Airtel** allotted **1.2% equity shares** to **Google** for **USD 1 Billion**
- **India's first Monkeypox** case reported in **Kerala**
- **India's NSCS (National Security Council Secretariat)** hosted meeting of **BIMSTEC** on **cyber security cooperation**
- **Union Minister Narendra Tomar** launched **e-NAM Platform** to **promote agricultural trade**
- **UAE** to invest **USD 2 billion** to **develop integrated food parks** across **India**
- **Haryana CM Manohar Lal Khattar & Union Minister Piyush Goyal** inaugurated **NIFT campus** in **Panchkula**
- **Industrial Production Index** jumps to **19.6 percent** in **May**
- **Trade Deficit** surged to record **\$26.1 Billion** in **June**
- **National Association of Software and Service Companies (NASSCOM)** partnered with **Google** for **DigiVaani Call Center**
- **Government** sets up **committee** to **develop framework** on **right to repair**; chaired by **Nidhi Khatri**
- **Defence Ministry** sets up **Apex Committee** for **Performance and Efficiency Audit**
- **PM Modi** inaugurated **Bundelkhand Expressway** in **Uttar Pradesh**
- **Varanasi** to be **1st cultural and tourism capital** of **Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO)**
- **KVIC** launched **knowledge portal** to **provide design directions** to **Khadi institutions**
- **Uttarakhand CM** launched **Uttarakhand police app** and **e-FIR service**
- **NHPC** signed **two MoU** for **development of Pilot Green Hydrogen Technologies**
- **Government** approves **extension** of **Rebate of State and Central Taxes and Levies (RoSCTL)** scheme till **March 2024** for **textiles exporters**
- **Govt** launched '**Jagriti**' mascot for **empowering consumers** and **generating awareness towards their rights**
- **Census Data Workstation** inaugurated at **IIT Delhi**
- **India's first e-waste eco park** to be established in **Holambi Kalan** in **Delhi**
- **Kerala** becomes **first state** to have its **own internet service**
- **Telangana government** partnered with **UNDP** for **Data in Climate Resilient Agriculture (DiCRA)**
- **Tata Steel** to invest **Rs 12,000 crore** in **FY23** on **India, Europe operations**
- **MSME Minister Narayan Rane** launched **Mobile Electric Charging app**
- **JSW Steel** partnered with **BCG** to **accelerate decarbonization journey**
- **PM Modi** addressed **Naval Innovation and Indigenisation Organization Seminar** in **New Delhi**

- **India's agricultural exports rise 14% in April-June quarter**
- **India's share of remittance from Gulf region declined in FY21**
- **Arunachal Pradesh & Assam signed pact to resolve border dispute**
- **Expat Insider Ranking 2022: India ranks 36th; Mexico topped**
- **NITI Aayog and WFP to launch Initiative on mainstreaming millets in Asia and Africa**
- **Rajasthan gets AI – powered Chatbot for fast disposal of cases in Lok Adalat**
- **Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP) creates 1st mountain-warfare training school in Northeast India**
- **Jawaharlal Nehru Port becomes first 100% Landlord Major Port of India**
- **Centre formed a committee to strengthen MSP system; chaired by Sanjay Agarwal**
- **India signed an MoU with Namibia for wildlife conservation**
- **Assam CM launched 'Swanirbhar Naari' scheme to empower weavers**
- **NHPC signed an MoU with Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) for setting up hydropower projects and pump storage projects**
- **India's R&D spends amongst the lowest in the world: NITI Aayog study**
- **NITI Aayog released report titled 'Digital Banks'**
- **NITI Aayog released 3rd edition of India Innovation Index**
- **Himachal Pradesh becomes the 1st Indian state to connect all registered commercial vehicles equipped with Vehicle Location Tracking Device (VLTD) with Emergency Response Support System (ERSS)**
- **India signed an MoU with Maldives for Judicial cooperation**
- **India signed an MoU with the UK for Mutual Recognition of Educational Qualification**
- **UP govt ropes in Deloitte to make state USD 1 trillion economy**
- **PM Modi unveiled India's first passenger drone, Varuna**
- **Burhanpur of MP becomes the first district to certify 'Har Ghar Jal'**
- **India and Bangladesh agreed for effective implementation of Comprehensive Border Management Plan (CBMP)**
- **Karnataka cabinet approved new employment policy, aims to increase jobs**
- **Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) signed gas sale agreements with Gas Authority of India Limited (GAIL) & Assam Gas Company Ltd (AGCL)**
- **Uttar Pradesh CM launched a scheme for cashless medical benefit**
- **Jharkhand CM launched Jharkhand Tourism Policy 2021**
- **IIT Kanpur launched NIRMAN Accelerator Program**
- **Jammu Film Festival to begin from September 3**
- **Assam Government gives approval to second wildlife sanctuary in Barak Valley**
- **Cochin Shipyard signed an agreement with IIM Kozhikode to boost start-ups in the maritime sector**
- **Union Minister Amit Shah launched e-FIR system in Gujarat**
- **India grants USD 2.5 million to United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) for Palestine refugees**

- **ADB approved USD 96 million loan to Himachal Pradesh for safe drinking water project**
- **Parshottam Rupala launched subsidiary of National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) for manure management**
- **Foundation stone laid for the 8th Hi-Tech Park in Natore**
- **Haryana CM launched 'Smart E-Beat' system for Gurugram police**
- **India designated 5 new Ramsar sites; now a total of 54 Ramsar sites in the country**
- **ONGC signed an MoU with Greenko to produce green hydrogen**
- **HCL Tech's Roshni Nadar Malhotra Richest Woman in India**
- **iDEX-DIO signed 100th contract for defence innovation**
- **Bharat Forge arm signed an agreement with Talgo for manufacturing trains**
- **City Union Bank partnered with Aditya Birla Health Insurance for distribution of health insurance product**
- **Cabinet approved Competition Amendment Bill**
- **Cabinet approves investment of Rs 12,000 crore by BPCL's unit**
- **Coca-Cola signed on Neeraj Chopra for Limca Sportz promotion**

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- **Asia Pacific Sustainability Index 2021: Bengaluru topped in India, Ranks 14th In the APAC Region**
- **QS Best Student Cities Ranking 2023– London ranks Best City for Student, Mumbai tops in India**
- **India signed an MoU with Armenia on High Impact Community Development Projects**
- **India elected to UNESCO panel on intangible Cultural Heritage**
- **India will surpass China as World's most populous country during 2023– United Nations report**
- **China launched global naming event for its newest solar observatory**
- **Global Gender Gap Index 2022: India ranked 135; Iceland topped**
- **Facebook-owner Meta released first annual human rights report**
- **British government launched 'Aviation Passenger Charter' to help passengers know their rights**
- **13th Petersburg Climate Dialogue concluded in Berlin**
- **Gautam Adani becomes world's fourth richest person on Forbes list**
- **Microsoft launched Workplace social app 'Viva Engage'**
- **Ookla's Speedtest Global Index June 2022: India ranks 118, topped by Norway**
- **Henley Passport Index 2022: India ranks 87th, topped by Japan**
- **NDB approved USD 875 million for development in Brazil, China and India**
- **With USD 87 billion, India becomes the top remittance recipient in 2021: WHO report**
- **WHO declared monkeypox a global health emergency**
- **China launched Wentian lab module to its permanent space station**
- **Monkeypox vaccine IMVANEX approved in Europe**
- **Wasifa Nazreen becomes the first Bangladeshi to scale K2**
- **Japan's Sakurajima volcano erupted**

- **Lulo Rose: Largest pink diamond in 300 years found in Angola**

APPOINTMENT AND RESIGNATION

- **Sandeep Kumar Gupta** to be **next chairman** of **GAIL**, succeeds **Manoj Jain**
- **KK Venugopal** re-appointed **Attorney General** of **India** for **3 months**
- **Eknath Shinde** sworn in as the **Chief Minister** of **Maharashtra**
- **Ketanji Brown Jackson** sworn in as **first black woman** on **US Supreme Court**
- **T Raja Kumar** appointed as **new president** of **Financial Action Task Force (FATF)**
- **Yair Lapid** elected as the **14th Prime Minister** of **Israel**
- Air Marshal **AP Singh** appointed as the **AOC-in-C Central Air Command**
- **PokerBaazi** appointed **Shahid Kapoor** as its **brand ambassador**
- **Asit Rath** appointed as **new MD & CEO** of **Aviva Life Insurance Company**
- **V P Nandkumar** re-appointed as **MD and CEO** of **Manappuram Finance**
- India's Lt Gen **Mohan Subramanian** appointed as **Force Commander** of **United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS)**
- **Suranjan Das** appointed as the **new president** of **Association of Indian Universities (AIU)**
- **Boris Johnson** resignation as **UK Prime Minister**
- **Gita Gopinath** becomes **first woman** to **feature** on **wall of former chief economics**
- **R Dinesh** appointed as **President Designate** of **Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)** for **2022-23**
- Former Niti Aayog CEO **Amitabh Kant** appointed as the **new G20 Sherpa**
- **Paritosh Tripathi** appointed as **MD and CEO** of **SBI General Insurance**
- **Alvaro Lario** appointed as **new President** of **International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)**
- **RK Gupta** appointed as **new Deputy Election Commissioner**
- **Brajesh Upadhaya** appointed as the **new chief** of **Goa Shipyard Limited**
- **Meena Hemchandra** appointed as **part-time Chairman** of **Karur Vyasya Bank**
- **Mustafizur Rahman** appointed as **Bangladesh High Commissioner** to **India**
- **Madhulika Bhaskar** gets **additional charge** as **CMD** of **New India Assurance Company Ltd (NIACL)** for **three months**
- **Sudhakar Dalela** appointed as **India's next Ambassador** to **Bhutan**
- **Financial Services Institutions Bureau (FSIB)** recommended **G Rajkiran Rai** as **MD** at **National Bank for Financing Infrastructure and Development (NaBFID)**
- **VK Singh** appointed as **Director (Technical)** of **REC**
- **Google Parent Alphabet** appointed Goldman Sachs Veteran, **Marty Chavez** to **Board**
- **Ashish Kumar Chauhan** appointed as the **next MD & CEO** of **National Stock Exchange (NSE)**
- **IndiGo** appointed **M Damodaran** as **non-independent non-executive director**
- Manipur Governor **La Ganesan** given **additional charge** of **West Bengal**
- Gen. **Raj Shukla** appointed as **member** of **UPSC**

- **Brijesh Gupta** appointed as **MD of RattanIndia Power**
- **Rajarshi Gupta** appointed as **Managing Director of ONGC Videsh**
- **Ranil Wickremesinghe** sworn-in as **new President of Sri Lanka**
- **Vinayak Pai** appointed as **Managing Director of Tata Projects**
- **Jayanti Prasad** appointed as **Whole time Member of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI)**
- **Droupadi Murmu** elected as the **15th President of India**
- Egypt's **Seif Ahmed** appointed as **acting president of International Hockey Federation (FIH)**
- **Dinesh Gunawardena** takes oath as **Sri Lanka's new Prime Minister**
- **International Association of Ports and Harbours (IAPH)** appointed **Ennarasu Karunesan** as its **representative in India**
- **RS Gandhi** appointed as **Additional Independent Director of YES Bank**
- **Ahmad Nawaf Al-Ahmad** appointed as **new Prime Minister of Kuwait**
- **Sanjay Kumar Jain** appointed as **interim CEO of National Land Management Corporation (NLMC)**
- **Akshaya Moondra** appointed as **new CEO of Vodafone Idea**
- **Indermit Gill** appointed as **new Chief Economist of World Bank**
- **Ravi Kishan Takkar** appointed as **Additional Director of LIC HFL Board**
- **Ashishkumar Chauhan** appointed as **new MD & CEO of National Stock Exchange (NSE)**

AWARDS

- **Odisha government** won **first prize in National MSME Award 2022**
- **Ashok Soota** conferred with **CII Quality Ratna Awards 2021**
- **Michelle Poonawalla** received the **coveted Shiromani Award**
- **Karnataka's Sini Shetty** crowned **Femina Miss India World 2022**
- **Ukrainian mathematician Maryna Viazovska** won the **prestigious Fields Medal 2022**
- **Vice Chairman of Sanmar Group, Narayanan Kumar** received '**Order of the Rising Sun**' award by **Japan**
- **India's Pallavi Singh** bagged the **Mrs Universe Divine Crown in South Korea**
- **British Parliament** felicitated **BCCI President Sourav Ganguly**
- **Dia Mirza** honoured with **Mother Teresa Memorial Award** by the **Maharashtra government**
- **National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM)** received **Sardar Patel Award of ICAR**
- **Malayalam filmmaker KP Kumaran** honoured with **JC Daniel Award 2022**
- **68th National Film Awards: Soorarai Pottru** won **Best Film award**
- **UAE** honoured **Kamal Haasan** by **granting him Golden Visa**
- **Indian-Origin Professor Kaushik Rajashekara** won **Global Energy Prize 2022**
- **Dinesh Shahra Lifetime Award'** instituted for the **first time**

DEFENCE

- India successfully tested **high-speed expendable aerial target Abhyas** from the **Odisha Coast**
- **9th Army to Army Staff Talks** between India and **Australia** in **Dehradun**
- **4th Synergy Conference** between **Indian Army** and **Defence Accounts Department** in **New Delhi**
- **DRDO** conducted **successful maiden flight** of **Autonomous Flying Wing Technology Demonstrator**
- **Union Minister Rajnath Singh** launched **first-ever AI exhibition** in **New Delhi**
- **Rajnath Singh** launched **Project 17A stealth frigate 'Dunagiri'**
- **INS Sindhudhvaj** decommissioned **after 35 years of service to nation**
- **India and Japan** conducted a **maritime partnership exercise** in the **Andaman Sea**
- **India** to set up **Joint Theatre Commands** of **Tri-Services**
- **Tata Group** delivered **Quick Reaction Fighting Vehicle-Medium (QRFV)** to **Indian Army**

SCIENCE

- **ISRO** launched **rocket PSLV-C53**, carrying **3 Singapore satellite**
- **NASA** launched **CAPSTONE** to **evaluate new orbit** for **Artemis Moon Missions**
- **Jahnvi Dangeti** becomes the **youngest Analog Astronaut** of **Analog Astronaut Training Centre (AATC)**
- **Agnikul Cosmos** opened **India's first rocket engine factory** in **Chennai**
- **Syngenta India** launched **Biodiversity Sensor Project** with **IIT Ropar** to **monitor farm insects**
- **Russia** decided to **quit International Space Station after 2024**
- **ISRO** earned **USD 279 million** in **foreign exchange** through **satellite launches**

SPORTS

- **Javelin Thrower, Neeraj Chopra** clinched **Silver medal** at **prestigious Diamond League meet**
- **Adani Sportsline** partnered with **Indian Olympic Association** as the **principal sponsor**
- **Carlos Sainz** won maiden **F1 British Grand Prix 2022**
- **Parul Chaudhary** broke **6-year-old 3000m National Record**
- **Gujarat** to host **36th National Games** from **27 September** to **10 October**
- **Charles Leclerc** won **Austrian F1 Grand Prix**
- **Wimbledon championship 2022: Novak Djokovic** won the **men's singles title** and **Elena Rybakina** won the **women's singles title**
- **India's Arjun Babuta** won **first gold medal** at **ISSF World Cup** in **South Korea**
- **India's Grand Master D Gukesh** won **Gijon Chess Masters**
- **India** bagged **22 medals** in **Asian U-20 Wrestling Championships** **Manama, Bahrain**
- **94-year-old Bhagwani Devi** bagged **gold** at **World Masters Athletics Championships** in **Finland**
- **Mohammed Shami** becomes **fastest Indian** to take **150 ODI wickets**
- **Jonny Bairstow & Marizanne Kapp** named **ICC Player of the Month** for **June 2022**
- **India** topped **ISSF Shooting World Cup 2022** medal tally

- IOA announced **322-member Indian contingent** for **Commonwealth Games**
- **Indian Grandmaster Aravindh Chithambaram** won **tournament** in **Spain**
- **Murali Sreeshankar** becomes **first ever Indian** to **qualify for men's long jump final** at **World Athletics Championships (WAC)**
- **Tokyo** to host **2025 World Athletics Championships**
- **PV Sindhu** won **2022 Singapore Open Badminton title**
- **Grandmaster R Praggnanandhaa** won **Paracin Open Chess** title in **Serbia**
- **England all-rounder Ben Stokes** announced **retirement** from **ODI cricket**
- **Denesh Ramdin, Lendl Simmons** announced **retirement** from **international cricket**
- **Los Angeles** to host **2028 Summer Olympic Games** in **July 2028**
- **Dream Sports** signed **deal** with **New Zealand Cricket** for **NFTs, gaming & merchandising**
- **BCCI** introduced a **new A+ category** for **umpires**
- **1st Khelo India Fencing Women's League** to start from **25 July 2022**
- **Neeraj Chopra** won **silver** at **World Athletics Championships 2022, Oregon**
- **Max Verstappen** won **French F1 Grand Prix**
- **Karuna Jain** announced **retirement** from **all forms of cricket**
- **Casper Ruud** won the **Swiss Open 2022**
- **India** to host **ICC Women's World Cup 2025**
- **SAI** started '**Create for India**' campaign to **cheer for Team India** at **CWG**
- **44th Chess Olympiad** started in **Chennai** from **28 July**
- **PV Sindhu & Manpreet Singh** named **India's flagbearers** for **CWG 2022**
- **Three new countries** include **Cambodia, Uzbekistan** and **Cote D'Ivoire** received **ICC Membership status**
- **Leicester Cricket Ground** named after **Sunil Gavaskar**

BOOK AND AUTHOR

- '**Beyond The Misty Veil, Temple Tales of Uttarakhand**' book released, written by **Aradhana Johri**
- **Union Minister Anurag Thakur** released books; '**Moods, Moments and Memories...**', '**The First Citizen**' and '**Interpreting Geometries – Flooring of Rashtrapati Bhavan**' showcasing rare pictures of **President Kovind** his predecessors
- **Dilip Kumar: In the Shadow of a Legend**' book released authored by **Faisal Farooqui**

IMPORTANT DAY

- **1 July –74th National Chartered Accountants'(CA) Day**
- **1 July – International Fruit Day** (Fruit of The Year 2022 is blackberry and the motto is Fruitful Peace.)
- **1 July – National Doctors Day** (Theme 2022 – Family Doctors on the Front Line)
- **1 July – SBI Foundation Day**

- **1 July – GST Day (Goods & Services Tax)**
- **2 July (first Saturday of July)– International Day of Cooperative 2022** (Theme 2022 – Cooperative Build a Better World)
- **2 July – World Sports Journalists Day**
- **3 July – International Plastic Bag Free** (Theme 2022 – Global initiative that aims to eliminate the use of single-use plastic bags)
- **2 July – World Unidentified Flying Object (UFO) Day**
- **4 July – 125th birth anniversary of Alluri Sitarama Raju**
- **4 July – Swami Vivekananda’s death anniversary**
- **5 July – World Badminton Day**
- **7 July – World Kishwahili Language Day**
- **10 July – National Fish Farmers Day**
- **11 July – World Population Day** (Theme 2022 – A world of 8 billion- Towards a resilient future for all – Harnessing opportunities and ensuring rights and choices for all.)
- **12 July – International Malala Day**
- **13 July 2022 – Bhanubhakta Acharya’s 209th birth anniversary**
- **15 July – World Youth Skills Day** (Theme 2022 – Transforming youth skills for the future)
- **17 July – World Day for International Justice** (Theme 2022 – Achieving Social Justice through Formal Employment)
- **18 July – Nelson Mandela International Day** (Theme 2022 – Do what you can, with what you have, where you are)
- **18 July – Tamil Nadu Day**
- **20 July – International Chess Day**
- **19 July – Mangal Pandey birth anniversary**
- **20 July – International Moon Day**
- **22 July – World Brain Day** (Theme 2022 – Brain Health for all)
- **22 July – National Flag Adoption Day**
- **23 July – National Broadcasting Day**
- **24 July – National Thermal Engineer Day**
- **25 July – World Drowning Prevention Day**
- **24 July – Income Tax Day**
- **26 July – Kargil Vijay Diwas**
- **27 July 2022 – Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam’s 7th death anniversary**
- **27 July 2022 – 83rd Raising Day of CRPF**
- **28 July – World Hepatitis Day** (Theme 2022 – Bringing hepatitis care closer to you)
- **28 July – World Nature Conservation Day**

OBITUARY

- Visionary **British theatre director, Peter Brook** passed away
- Veteran **Bengali filmmaker Tarun Majumdar** passed away
- **Freedom fighter Gandhian P Gopinath Nair** passed away
- **Former Prime Minister of Japan Shinzo Abe** passed away
- **Secretary General of OPEC Mohammad Barkindo** passed away
- **Former Angolan President Jose Eduardo Dos Santos** passed away
- **Father of Indian Internet B K Syngal** passed away
- **Former Mexico President Luis Echeverria** passed away
- **Renowned archaeologist Enamul Haque** passes away
- **British composer Monty Norman** passes away
- **Former New Zealand cricket captain Barry Sinclair** passed away
- **Noted social worker and Padma Shri awardee, Avdhash Kaushal** passed away
- **Shirommani Akali Dal Leader and Former Punjab Speaker Nirmal Singh Kahlon** passed away
- **Renowned artist Achuthan Kudallur** passed away
- **Veteran singer Bhupinder Singh** passed away
- **Noted scientist and director Institute of Life Sciences (ILS), Ajay Parida** passed away
- **Renowned Marathi writer Anant Yashwant Khare** passes away
- **Oscar-nominated director Bob Rafelson** passed away
- **Punjabi singer Balwinder Safri** passed away
- **Padma Shri awardee Sushovan Bandyopadhyay** passed away
- **Atulananda Goswami, an eminent Assamese writer,** passed away