



Hindi Diwas : 14 September :-

Hindi Diwas commemorates the anniversary of Hindi's adoption as one of India's official languages on September 14, 1949. The day highlights the importance of Hindi in promoting national unity and linguistic variety. Hindi Diwas is a prominent cultural and linguistic event in India. It emphasizes the nation's linguistic heritage and encourages the use of Hindi in everyday communication. The day is celebrated throughout the country with various events in schools, colleges, and government institutions, including essay contests, poetry readings, and debates.



World First Aid Day 2024 : 14 September :-

Every year on the second Saturday in September, World First Aid Day is observed, and this year's date is September 14. The goal of this day is to educate people on the need of first aid in dealing with medical emergencies, as well as to encourage them to step forward when a crisis arises. Therefore, on this day, several organisations, such as International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) organise campaigns to spread awareness about basic first aid skills. The theme for World First Aid Day 2024 is "First Aid and Sports."

DAILY UPDATE 3: AWARDS



Indian Origin Lecturer Win The Prize For Literature In Singapore :-

For her short tale "Nine Yard Sarees," an Indian-origin lecturer at Nanyang Technological University has received the Singapore Literature Prize for English literature. The 32-year-old Prasanthi Ram's debut book was released in late 2023. A Tamil Brahmin family that has generations ago moved to Singapore, Sydney, New York, and Connecticut is the subject of the cycle of short stories. The prize for best English creative non-fiction went to Indian-origin artist Shubigi Rao, whose 'Pulp III: An Intimate Inventory Of The Banished Book' (2022) was the third instalment of her decade-long project on banished books.



'Konkani Vananthlin Firngi Pana' book released :-

Rudolph Joyer Noronha published a Konkani book titled "Konkani Vananthlin Firngi Pana," which translates to "Portuguese leaves in a Konkani forest," in Kinnigoli in Mangalore, Karnataka. The book was released in Kinnigoli Church by Joachim Fernandes, a Sanskrit and Pali language expert and parish priest. According to this remark, the book has a list of about 400 Portuguese-derived Konkani words in a dialect that is spoken by Kanara Catholics. It assesses their meaning and significance while trying to understand the historical facts and situations leading to such linguistic exchange.



DRDO & Indian Navy Successfully Test Vertical Launch Short-Range SAM Off Odisha Coast :-

The Vertical Launch Short Range Surface-to-Surface Air Missile (VL-SRSAM) has been successfully tested by India from a test facility off the coast of Odisha. The short-range surface-to-air missile, which was constructed in India, was tested off the coast of Odisha from the launchpad of the Integrated Test Range located in Chandipur, Balasore district. The Indian Navy and the Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO) conducted the test together. The VL-SRSAM, a ship-borne weapon system, is designed to neutralise various aerial threats at close ranges, including sea-skimming targets.



Launch Of “Rangeen Machhli” App: A Milestone For India’s Ornamental Fisheries Sector :-

To meet the expanding demands of the ornamental fisheries industry, the Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) assisted the ICAR-Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture (ICAR-CIFA) in developing the Rangeen Machhli smartphone app, according to a PIB press release. The new software provides a complete guide for both novice and professional ornamental anglers. The app has multilingual information on popular ornamental fish species in eight Indian languages, making it accessible to a broader audience.



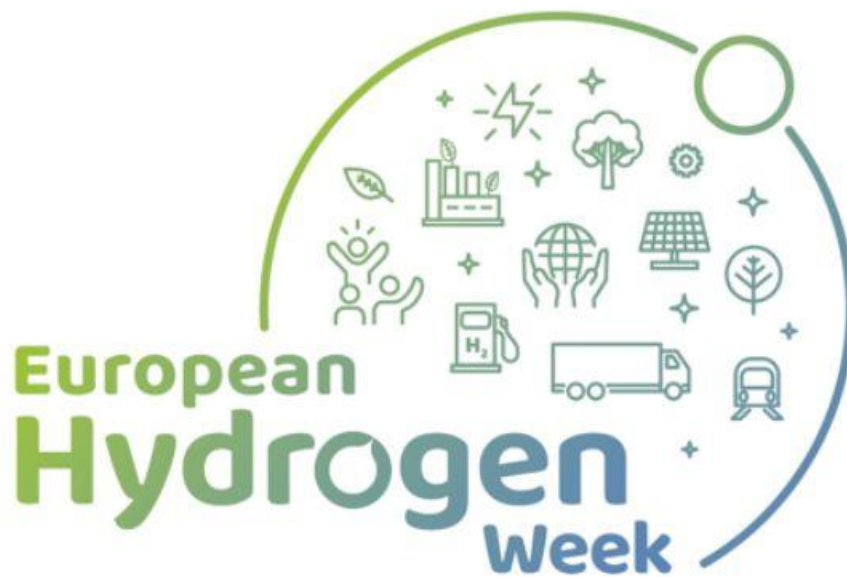
Supreme Court grants bail to Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal :-

The Supreme Court granted Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal regular bail in the excise policy case. The Supreme Court overturned the Delhi High Court's August judgment. Justices Surya Kant and Ujjal Bhuyan agreed to give regular bail to Kejriwal. However, Justice Bhuyan questioned the time and manner in which Arvind Kejriwal was arrested by the CBI. He claimed that the CBI's arrest was likely intended to thwart Arvind Kejriwal's bail application in the ED case. He said non-cooperation cannot mean self-incrimination. "And therefore, Kejriwal's arrest by the CBI on this ground was impermissible," he added.



Sitaram Yechury, CPI(M) general secretary, passes away at 72 :-

Sitaram Yechury, a veteran CPM leader, died at the age of 72 after a prolonged illness. Sitaram Yechury, born on August 12, 1952, in Chennai, was a well-known figure in Indian politics. He has been the General Secretary of the CPI(M) from 2015. Yechury lived his early years in Hyderabad and Delhi, where his political career began during his student days. His political activism during the Emergency (1975-77) further solidified his reputation as a staunch advocate for civil liberties and left-wing ideologies.



India to be the Exclusive Partner for European Hydrogen Week in November 2024 :-

The second day of the International Conference on Green Hydrogen (ICGH-2024), held at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi, saw the announcement of India's unique cooperation with the European Hydrogen Week, which would be held in November 2024. The day underlined India's determination to address the EU's green laws in order to promote exports. In addition, a Letter of Intent (LoI) was signed between Chane Terminal from Netherlands and ACME Cleantech from India for Ammonia import terminals.

DAILY UPDATE 10 : SUMMIT AND CONFERENCE



2nd International Conference On Green Hydrogen :-

2nd International Conference On Green Hydrogen was held at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi from 11-13 September 2024. Conference was inaugurated by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi. The Union Ministry of New and Renewable Energy and the Office of the Principal Scientific Adviser to the Government of India jointly hosted the 2nd International Conference on Green Hydrogen. The associate partners included the Union Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, the Department of Science and Technology, and the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.