

Current Affairs: June, 2017



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1. **Priyanka Chopra** will be awarded Dada Saheb Phalke Academy Award for being an International Icon.
2. **Prasar Bharti** has entered into an agreement with Morocco's Societe Nationale de Radio diffusion et de Television (SNRT) to step up coordination in broadcasting sector.
3. **Hashim Amla** has surpassed Indian Cricket Captain Virat Kohli as fastest to make 7000 runs in Cricket.
4. **Indian Oil Corporation** IOC becomes the most profitable PSU (Public Sector Undertaking).
5. **Mauritius** becomes the top source of Foreign Direct Investment FDI in India for 2016-2017. Data was analyzed by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion.
6. **Prithvi –II** Missile has been test fired successfully from test range in Odisha. It is a nuclear capable, indigenously developed missile.
7. **Lionel Messi** wins the 'European Golden Shoe ' for the 4th consecutive time.
8. **George Grearson Award** was given by president Pranab Mukherjee to Fujii Takeshi of Japan and Gabriela Nik ilieva of US. It was given for them promoting the Hindi Language.
9. **B Sai Praneeth** defeated Indonesian Jonatan Christie to win the Thailand Open men's Singles Title. He is currently top badminton player of India in Male Category.
10. **World Environment Day** observed on 5th June.
11. **GSAT-19** has been launched by India's GSLV Mark-III rocket which is capable of lifting 3000 tons of weights into Geo Stationary Orbits.
12. **Dia Mirza** becomes the brand ambassador for Wildlife Trust of India. **Hrithik Roshan** is made brand ambassador of Zebronics.

13. **J. P. Nadda**, Union Minister of Health and Family Welfare launched the 'Skill for Life, Save a Life' initiative to promote skill development in the health sector.
14. **Habibganj** will be the first Railway station to be redeveloped in Public-Private Partnership.
15. **Kalinga Literary Awards 2017** Anand Neelakantan, Harprasad Das, Paramita Satpathy
16. **India** has tied with UN Office for South- South Cooperation (UNOSSC) have launched a partnership fund. This is for developing sustainable development projects across the developing World.
17. **India and Pakistan** have been inducted in the SCO (Shanghai Cooperation Organization) as full members.
18. **Tesla Motors** becomes world's fourth most valuable automaker in 2017.
19. **Rafael Nadal of Spain** wins the Men's French Open Singles title for the Tenth time.
20. **NAG Missile** has been successfully test fired as an Anti-Tank Missile in Rajasthan Western Desert Region.
21. **Leo Varadkar** (Gay & Indian Origin) becomes youngest Prime Minister of Ireland
22. **Man Booker Prize** has been won by David Grossman for his novel 'A Horse Walks into a Bar'
23. **Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank AIIB** third annual meeting will be hosted by India in 2018. Argentina, Madagascar, Tonga have been added to AIIB as new Members.
24. **Pakistan** defeated India in the final match of ICC Champions Trophy 2017.

25. **National Mission on Cultural Mapping of India** has been started by Minister of State for Culture and Tourism, from the state Uttar Pradesh.
26. **Minister for External Affairs** Smt. Sushma Swaraj has started the Know India Program for NRI (Non Residents of India) and PIO (Persons of Indian Origin).
27. **Balance Nail 17-3** is a training exercise between US and Nepal.
28. **F-16 Fighter Plane** manufacturing deal has been signed between Tata Motors and Lockheed Martin to produce Combat Proven Planes right here in India.
29. **International Yoga Day June 21** has this year's theme 'Yoga for Health'. Dr. Harshvardhan, Minister for Science and technology has launched an App called 'Celebrating Yoga'
30. **Muzoon Almellehan** becomes the youngest and first refugee to be ambassador to United Nations. Headquarters of World Bank are in Washington D.C.
31. **Railless Train** has been unveiled by China that runs on virtual track.
32. **Mewat village** has been dedicated to President Donald Trump from Haryana Govt.
33. **Mamata Bannerjee** is honoured with United Nations Public Service Award for her Girl Empowerment initiative 'KANYASHREE PRAKALPA'.
34. **Nisha Dutt** becomes first Indian Woman leader to be honoured with 'Social Entrepreneur of the year award'
35. **Manushi Chhillar** wins the 54th Femina Miss India World title 2017.
36. **Kidambi Srikanth** famous Indian Badminton Sensation wins Australian Open Final by defeating Chen Long in Final.

37. **Priyanka Chopra** has been appointed as ambassador for Government Skill India Campaign.
38. **Best Sportsperson of the Year Award** by Sports Journalists Federation of India (SFJI) conferred the award to PV Sindhu.
39. **Uttar Pradesh Government** signs agreement for Road Improvement Project with Asian Development Bank (ADB).
40. **Maitree 2017** India- Thailand Joint army training Exercise will be from July 3rd to July 17th at Bakloh Himachal Pradesh.
41. **Narendra Modi** becomes the first Indian Prime Minister to visit Israel on July 4.