



## Weekly Current Affairs (14<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2024)

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- 5. The Centre on June 13** reappointed **former IPS officer Ajit Doval as the National Security Adviser (NSA)**. His appointment will be co-terminus with the term of Prime Minister Narendra Modi or until further orders.
- 6. Wipro** has announced the launch of its **Lab45 AI platform**, designed to leverage generative **AI (GenAI), machine learning (ML)**, and deep learning technologies to enhance efficiencies and transform business functions across industries. The platform is available to all Wipro employees and clients, running on a software-as-a-service (SaaS) model and supporting various state-of-the-art large language models (LLMs) from leading providers, as well as custom deep-learning models.
- 7. Tata Communications** has finalized a **significant five-year agreement with World Athletics** to provide broadcasting services, enhancing global coverage of premier events starting from the Tokyo World Championships. This partnership marks Tata Communications as a pivotal supplier, committed to innovation and audience engagement.
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11. **'Lal', 'Mursan' and 'Hilsa'.** These are the names given to **three craters on the surface of Mars recently discovered by Ahmedabad-based Physical Research Laboratory (PRL),** that hint at the red planet's wet past. Lal has been named after legendary cosmic ray physicist from Varanasi, the late Professor Devendra Lal. The other two have been named after Mursan town in UP's Hathras district, and Hilsa town in Nalanda district of Bihar.
12. On **June 14, 2024,** the world will unite to commemorate **World Blood Donor Day,** an annual event that recognizes the incredible contributions of voluntary blood donors. This year's theme, **"20 years of celebrating giving: thank you blood donors!"** marks a significant milestone, highlighting two decades of gratitude and appreciation for those who have generously given the gift of life.
13. The Indian classical music fraternity mourns the loss of the **illustrious Sarod maestro Pandit Rajeev Taranath,** who breathed his last on June 11, 2024, at the age of 91. The veteran musician, who was undergoing treatment at a private hospital in Mysuru for a fracture, passed away around 6:30 PM.

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<b>ASSISTANT GRADE : 41 POSTS</b>	
i) Mizoram Public Service Commission	: 1 (One) Post
ii) DP & AR (SSW)	: 35 + 5 + 2 = 40 (Forty) Posts
<b>UPPER DIVISIONAL CLERK : 34 POSTS</b>	
i) General Administration Department:	
(a) GAD(SAW)	: {9+1} = 10 (Ten) Posts, 1 (one) Post under GAD (SAW) is reserved for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities i.e. Low Vision.
(b) Aizawl DC	: 2 (Two) Posts
(c) Lunglei DC	: 3 (Three) Posts
(d) Hnahthial DC	: 2 (Two) Posts
ii) Mizoram Public Service Commission	: 2 (Two) Posts
iii) Taxation Department	: 3 (Three) Posts
iv) Horticulture Department	: 4 (Four) Posts
v) FCS & CA Department	: 4 (Four) Posts
vi) LESDE, Department	: 4 (Four) Posts
<b>Warden under Social Welfare &amp; Tribal Affairs Department : 1 (One) Post</b>	
<b>Assistant Jailor under Home (Prison) Department : 4 (Four) Posts</b>	



### Admission Open

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Hun hmang tangkai ang le  
Class tan : 25.07.24 (Tentative)

<p><b>MPSC Non-Gazetted</b></p> <p>3 Months Course Course Fee: ₹6777</p>	<p><b>Chanmari &amp; Khatla</b></p> <p>Morning (6:30-8:15) Offline &amp; Online Mode</p>
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23. **India is the world's second largest source of nitrous oxide (N2O)**, a greenhouse gas that heats up the atmosphere far more than carbon dioxide. Nearly **11% of such global man-made emissions in 2020 were from India, topped only by China at 16%**. The major source of these emissions comes from fertiliser usage, according to a global assessment of N2O emissions published in the journal Earth System Science Data on June 12.
24. **India's equity market has once again outpaced Hong Kong**, securing the position as the world's fourth-largest by market capitalization. With India's market value soaring to **\$5.2 trillion, bolstered by a 10% surge** following a post-election market rebound, it now leads Hong Kong, which stands at \$5.17 trillion after a 5.4% decline from its peak this year.
25. Thousands of **Kashmiri Pandits** converged at the Kheer Bhawani temple in Kashmir Valley's Ganderbal district to attend the annual festival of Zyestha Ashtami on June 14. Many of them had migrated to different parts of the country in the 1990s in the wake of raging militancy.
26. **The World Health Organisation (WHO) has designated the National Institute of Indian Medical Heritage (NIIMH) in Hyderabad**, under the Ministry of Ayush, as a WHO Collaborating Centre (CC) for traditional medicine research. Established in 1956, NIIMH has been a pioneer in various digital initiatives of Ayush. This recognition, announced on Friday, has been granted for a period of four years, marking NIIMH as the third Indian institute to receive such an honor.



- 27. The G7 has agreed to leverage frozen Russian assets to secure a \$50 billion loan for Ukraine to aid in its defense against Russian invasion.** US President Joe Biden emphasized this move as a firm stance against Russia, while President Vladimir Putin condemned it as theft.
- 28. Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Mohan Yadav** launched an intra-State air service to promote tourism on June 13 from Raja Bhoj International Airport in the state capital Bhopal. It is called **'PM Shri Paryatan Vayu Seva'** and the first flight was flagged off from the capital Bhopal to Jabalpur. The service operated by the Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board (MPTB) with two aircraft will connect eight cities across the State- Bhopal, Indore, Jabalpur, Gwalior, Khajuraho, Ujjain, Rewa, and Singrauli.
- 29.** A woman-led start-up has successfully developed an **AI-based tool** that creates a **"robust and multi-faceted authentication system"** by combining facial recognition with gait analysis. This innovative solution marks a **"significant advancement"** in biometric authentication technology, offering **"enhanced accuracy and reliability"**.
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- 32.** In a bid to streamline dispute resolution involving government or public sector enterprises (PSEs), the **Finance Ministry has set a cap of ₹10 crore** for arbitration cases. This move aims to mitigate the perceived challenges of lengthy proceedings and potential misconduct among arbitrators.
- The Ministry also advises against automatically including arbitration clauses in large government contracts, emphasizing mediation and judicial adjudication as viable alternatives.
- 33. ATM operators in India** are advocating for an increase in interchange fees by **Rs 2 per transaction**, citing financial sustainability challenges. **The Confederation of ATM Industry (CATMI) has formally approached the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) and the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)** to raise the current maximum fee from **Rs 21 to Rs 23 per transaction**, as reported by the Economic Times.
- 34.** The two day **India-IORA Cruise Tourism Conference** concluded in New Delhi on June 14. Officials and experts from the Indian Ocean Rim Association, IORA Member States including Bangladesh, Kenya, Madagascar, Maldives, Mozambique, Sri Lanka, South Africa, Seychelles and Tanzania participated in the Conference.
- 35. Mumbai and Delhi** have emerged as top performers in the global luxury real estate market, according to Knight Frank's recent report, **"Prime Global Cities Index January-March 2024"**. Both cities recorded significant increases in house prices, positioning them among the top five global cities for prime residential price growth.
- 36. The 2024 FIDE U-20 World Chess Championship, organized by the International Chess Federation (FIDE)**, witnessed a remarkable achievement as 18-year-old Divya Deshmukh from Nagpur, India, clinched the FIDE Under-20 Girl's World Chess Championship title. Deshmukh's triumph marks her as the fourth Indian woman to win this prestigious title, following in the footsteps of chess legends Koneru Humpy, Harika Dronavalli, and Soumya Swaminathan.
- 37.** When **Alpana Killawala joined the Reserve Bank of India (RBI)**, the bank's communication department was just beginning to take shape. Over a career that spanned more than two decades, Alpana not only witnessed but actively contributed to the evolution of the RBI's communication strategies. Her book, A

Fly on the RBI Wall: An Insider's View of the Central Bank, offers an insightful glimpse into her journey and the institution's transformation over 25 years.

38. **Off-spinner Ravichandran Ashwin**, one of the most accomplished cricketers in the history of the game, is set to unveil his autobiography titled **'I Have the Streets: A Kutti Cricket Story'** on June 10, 2024. Co-authored with acclaimed writer Sidharth Monga, this book promises to take readers on a captivating journey through Ashwin's life and times before he became a professional cricketer.
39. **World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD)** is an annual observance held on **June 15th** to raise awareness about the mistreatment of older persons. Established by the **United Nations in 2011**, WEAAD aims to shed light on the global problem of elder abuse and promote the rights and well-being of older individuals.
40. **Every year on June 16th**, we observe the International Day of Family Remittances, a day dedicated to recognizing the significant contributions of over 200 million migrants who send money back home to support their families. These family remittances are small amounts of money that, when combined, total three times more than official development assistance provided by countries.

41. **Rajya Sabha Chairperson and Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar** inaugurated the **'Purna Sthal' (Inspiration Site)** within the Parliament House Complex. This newly constructed site houses statues of national icons and freedom fighters that were previously scattered across different locations on the premises.
42. India is set to join an elite group of nations with the launch of its ambitious **Deep Sea Mission**, making it the sixth country to embark on such a groundbreaking endeavor. Dr. Jitendra Singh, Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Science and Technology, Earth Sciences, PMO, Atomic Energy, Space, Personnel, Public Grievances, and Pensions, expressed pride and happiness over the progress of this mission during a recent meeting in New Delhi.
43. In a ceremony marked by heightened security following an assassination attempt on **Prime Minister Robert Fico**, **Peter Pellegrini** has been inaugurated as **Slovakia's sixth president**. His victory in the runoff election solidified Fico's influence, maintaining control over strategic positions in the government. Pellegrini, known for his advocacy of a strong state role, previously served as Parliament's speaker and aligned closely with Fico's policies.
44. **Kerala's Kozhikode** is all set to host the **Malabar River Festival 2024**, featuring the International White Water Kayaking Championship from July 25 to 28. This exciting event aims to promote white-water kayaking in the region and will be held in Thusaharagiri, Chalipuzha, and Iruvazhinjipuzha. The high-octane events and pre-events will host over 100 national-level kayakers from India and kayaking professionals from over 20 countries.
45. **Punjab Police in association with the Border Security Force (BSF) and Village Defence Committees (VDCs)** will carry out a one-week drive against drugs in Fazilka district. They will reach out to residents of as many as 42 villages along the India-Pakistan border to gather actionable intelligence about the demand and supply of drugs.
46. **Tesam Pongte** was unanimously elected as the Speaker of the 8th Arunachal Pradesh

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## Bank Hnaruak Exam tur A tam leh dawn

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**Tuna Exam tur awm mek**

Officer Scale 1 Post  
SC-1, ST-0, OBC-4, EWS-1, General-7  
Total 15

Office Assistant Post  
EWS-5, General-27  
Total 30

**Admission Open**

Class ton : 25.07.24 (Tentative)  
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**Course Structure**

**Prelims**  
3 Months  
Morning Shift (6:30-8:15)  
Course Fee : ₹6577

**Mains**  
3 Months  
Evening Shift (5:00 - 6:45)  
Course Fee - ₹9777

**Offline & Online Mode**

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Assembly on June 15. **Pro-tem Speaker Ninong Ering announced that Pongte was elected unopposed as the Speaker of the Assembly.**

47. India has achieved a significant milestone in its defense capabilities with the induction of the indigenous **Nagstra-1 kamikaze drones developed by Solar Industries**, based in Nagpur. This deployment addresses the escalating drone-related incidents along India's Northern borders, highlighting the critical need for advanced indigenous drone technologies in combat applications.
48. **Prime Minister Narendra Modi on June 14**, held a series of bilateral meetings with world leaders. The countries including UK counterpart Rishi Sunak, French President Emmanuel Macron, Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky, and others, on the sidelines of the G7 Summit, in southern Italy's Apulia. Later, the Prime Minister also met Pope Francis of the Vatican. The theme of this year's summit, which will be attended by President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan of the Republic of Türkiye, as a special guest, has been set as **"rules-based international system."**
49. **Oracle has teamed up with the Tamil Nadu Skill Development Corporation** to enhance IT skills among the state's youth through the Naan Mudhalvan program. This initiative aims to provide training and certification in cutting-edge technologies like cloud computing, data science, AI, ML, and blockchain, offering employment-linked opportunities to over 200,000 students.
50. **The Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and the State Bank of India (SBI)** have formalized a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to integrate SBI's payment gateway, SBIPay, with the eMigrate portal. This collaboration aims to bolster digital payment services for Indian migrant workers, recruiting agents, and users of the portal.
51. In a remarkable achievement, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has been awarded the prestigious **"Risk Manager of the Year Award 2024"** by Central Banking, a renowned

publication headquartered in London. This accolade recognizes the RBI's significant strides in cultivating a robust risk culture and heightened awareness, solidifying its essential role in maintaining the stability of India's financial system.

52. **Siddhesh Sakore, a farmer and the founder of AGRO RANGERS** from Maharashtra, has been recognized as a Land Hero by the **United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD) on World Desertification and Drought Day**. The announcement was made during a programme in Bonn, Germany, honoring 10 Land Heroes from around the globe.
53. **On June 17th, the world celebrates the World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought**. This important day aims to raise awareness about the pressing issue of land degradation and its devastating effects on the environment and communities around the globe. This year's theme, **"United for Land. Our Legacy. Our Future,"** emphasizes the critical importance of land stewardship as a shared responsibility for all.
54. **The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) organized the 'Global Wind Day' on June 15, 2024**, in Delhi to commemorate the achievements and potential of wind energy in India. The event highlighted India's progress in the wind energy sector and discussed strategies for accelerating its adoption across the country.
55. **The Israeli Navy on June 16**, received the second of two new landing craft from a shipyard in the United States, with the vessel mooring at the Haifa Naval Base after making a lengthy voyage to the country. The US-built INS Komemiyut was the Navy's second landing craft, after the INS Nahshon, which was received in early October last year.
56. **Chinese scientists** have made a significant breakthrough in solar research through the use of their solar exploration satellite, the **Chinese H-alpha Solar Explorer (CHASE)**, which has led to the discovery of a new pattern of solar atmospheric rotation.



- 57. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** has imposed fines on the Central Bank of India and **Sonali Bank PLC for breaches related to customer protection and KYC norms**. Central Bank of India faces a penalty of ₹1.45 crore for irregularities including improper sanctioning of loans and delays in reversing unauthorized transactions. Meanwhile, Sonali Bank PLC has been fined ₹96.4 lakh for non-compliance with KYC Directions, 2016. These penalties highlight RBI's commitment to enforcing regulatory and statutory compliance in the banking sector.
- 58. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** has revoked the licence of Purvanchal Co-operative Bank, located in Ghazipur, Uttar Pradesh, citing inadequate capital and bleak earning prospects. Consequently, the Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Uttar Pradesh, has been instructed to initiate the bank's winding-up process and appoint a liquidator. Upon liquidation, depositors will be eligible to receive up to Rs 5 lakh from the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) as per their deposit insurance coverage.
- 59. The Indian Air Force (IAF)** is set to make history this August by hosting its first-ever multinational air exercise, Tarang Shakti-2024. The exercise is slated to be held in two phases, with the initial phase commencing in the first two weeks of August in southern India, followed by the second phase in the western sector from late August to mid-September.
- 60. Shri Pavan Kapoor, Secretary (West) in the Ministry of External Affairs**, represented India at the Summit on Peace in Ukraine, hosted by Switzerland at Burgenstock on June 15-16, 2024. India attended the Opening and Closing Plenary Sessions of the Summit but did not align itself with any communique or document that emerged. This highlights India's consistent and independent approach to achieving a peaceful resolution to the conflict through dialogue and diplomacy.
- 61. In Mercer's 2024 Cost of Living Survey released on June 17**, Mumbai solidifies its position as India's most expensive city for expatriates, climbing to **136th globally and 21st in Asia**. New Delhi follows at 30th within Asia, showcasing a notable shift in cost dynamics across Indian cities. Despite economic challenges, India remains resilient, offering affordability advantages for global talent recruitment. The survey highlights varying cost increases in housing and consumer goods across major Indian cities, with Delhi experiencing the highest rise. Mumbai leads in transportation and personal care costs, while Kolkata emerges as the most economical for essentials. Globally, Hong Kong retains its status as the priciest city for expats, underscoring diverse cost-of-living trends worldwide.
- 62. India's latest ranking in the Environmental Performance Index (EPI) for 2024 places it at 176th out of 180 countries**, reflecting slight improvement from previous years but still positioning it among the world's lowest performers. The index, prepared by Yale and Columbia universities, highlights India's struggles in crucial areas like air quality, biodiversity, and greenhouse gas emissions.
- 63. Actress Alia Bhatt celebrated Father's Day** in a unique way by unveiling the first look of her debut children's book, **"Ed Finds a Home."** This book marks the beginning of a new series from the **"Ed-a-mamma"** universe.
- 64. In a thrilling final at the BWF Australian Open 2024 in Sydney on Sunday (16 June), Lee Zii Jia from Malaysia** emerged victorious against Naraoka Kodai of Japan, securing his second title of the season.
- 65. On June 18th**, countries around the world observe the **International Day for Countering Hate Speech**. This important day aims to raise awareness about the harmful effects of hate speech and promote strategies to identify, address, and counter it.
- 66. On June 18th, we observe Sustainable Gastronomy Day**, a day dedicated to promoting sustainable practices in the world of gastronomy, or the art and study of food and cuisine.
- 67. The state of Odisha mourns the loss of Murlidhar Chandrakant Bhandare**, the former

Governor of the state, who passed away on June 15 at the age of 95.

68. **The Indian Railways** completed a successful trial of an electric engine from **Sangaldan to Reasi**, crossing the world's highest steel arch rail bridge, the Chenab Bridge.
69. At the recent Summit on **Peace in Ukraine hosted by Switzerland**, India opted not to sign the final communique alongside several other nations. This decision stemmed from India's strategic relationship with Russia, its primary defense supplier, and Moscow's absence from the summit, which India deemed crucial for any lasting peace agreement involving Ukraine.
70. On June 19, **Prime Minister Narendra Modi** inaugurated the new campus of **Nalanda University**, an international institution of learning near the ancient ruins of Nalanda in Rajgir, Bihar. The PM asserted that Nalanda is a symbol of India's academic heritage and a proclamation of the enduring nature of knowledge.
71. **Ajith Kumar KK** has been appointed as the Managing Director and CEO of **Dhanlaxmi Bank** for a three-year term starting June 20, 2024. The announcement was made in a regulatory filing by the Kerala-based private sector bank. Ajith Kumar KK brings extensive experience from his tenure at Federal Bank, spanning 36 years across key banking domains including Credit, Human Resources, Business, and Branch Operations. Currently serving as the Chief Human Resources Officer at Federal Bank, he holds the rank of president.
72. **The International Finance Corporation (IFC)**, part of the World Bank Group, has committed **\$105 million (approximately Rs 871 crore)** to **Brookfield's Bikaner Solar Power** project in Rajasthan. This investment will be in the form of non-convertible debentures, supporting the expansion of renewable energy infrastructure in India.
73. **According to the Celebrity Brand Valuation Report 2023** released by global consulting firm Kroll, cricketer **Virat Kohli** has reclaimed the top spot as India's most valued celebrity brand with a brand value of **\$227.9 million**. This

marks a 30% jump from his brand value of \$176.9 million in 2022.

74. **Delhi Airport Launches India's First Self-Service Mechanism For Check-in Luggage.** Aiming to enable passengers to drop in their luggage, collect tags and print boarding passes to complete check-in in less time, the Delhi International Airport Ltd launched a self-service mechanism on 17 June. Delhi's IGI Airport has installed around 50 Self-Service Bag Drop (SSBD) units across Terminal 1 and Terminal 3 for passengers, and they are available with three airlines – Air India, IndiGo and Air India Express.
75. **Dhruva Space, a Hyderabad-based space tech startup**, has successfully completed its maiden mission with the **Thybolt-1 and Thybolt-2 satellites**. These satellites have securely deorbited after completing 15,000 orbits around Earth. Launched aboard ISRO's PSLV C54 in November 2022, this achievement marks a significant milestone for the company.
76. **The Kottakkal Arya Vaidya Sala, a renowned Ayurvedic institution**, has achieved a significant achievement as its managing trustee and chief physician, **P. Madhavankutty Varier**, was awarded an honorary Doctor of Science (DSc) degree by the Kerala University of Health Sciences (KUHS).

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**ADMISSION OPEN**  
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- 77. Eminent children's filmmaker Vinod Ganatra** has become the first Indian to be conferred with South Africa's prestigious 'Nelson Mandela Lifetime Achievement Award' for his outstanding contribution to children's cinema. The award was presented to him at the 7th Nelson Mandela Children's Film Festival.
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- 83.** On June 19, **Prime Minister Narendra Modi** inaugurated the **new campus of Nalanda University**, an international institution of learning near the ancient ruins of Nalanda in Rajgir, Bihar. The PM asserted that Nalanda is a symbol of India's academic heritage and a proclamation of the enduring nature of knowledge.
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- 85. The International Finance Corporation (IFC)**, part of the World Bank Group, has committed **\$105 million (approximately Rs 871 crore) to Brookfield's Bikaner Solar Power project in Rajasthan.** This investment will be in the form of non-convertible debentures, supporting the expansion of renewable energy infrastructure in India.
- 86.** According to the **Celebrity Brand Valuation Report 2023** released by global consulting firm **Kroll**, cricketer **Virat Kohli** has reclaimed the top spot as India's most valued celebrity brand with a brand value of **\$227.9 million**. This marks a 30% jump from his brand value of \$176.9 million in 2022.
- 87.** Aiming to enable passengers to drop in their luggage, collect tags and print boarding passes to complete check-in in less time, **the Delhi International Airport Ltd launched a self-service mechanism on 17 June.** Delhi's IGI Airport has installed around **50 Self-Service Bag Drop (SSBD) units across Terminal 1 and Terminal 3 for passengers**, and they are

available with three airlines – Air India, IndiGo and Air India Express.

88. **Dhruva Space**, a Hyderabad-based space tech startup, has successfully completed its maiden mission with the **Thybolt-1 and Thybolt-2 satellites**. These satellites have securely deorbited after completing 15,000 orbits around Earth. Launched aboard ISRO's PSLV C54 in November 2022, this achievement marks a significant milestone for the company.
89. **The Kottakkal Arya Vaidya Sala**, a renowned Ayurvedic institution, celebrated a significant achievement as its managing trustee and chief physician, **P. Madhavankutty Varier**, was **awarded an honorary Doctor of Science (DSc) degree by the Kerala University of Health Sciences (KUHS)**.
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96. The **Union Cabinet**, under the leadership of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, has sanctioned the Central Sector Scheme titled "**National Forensic Infrastructure Enhancement Scheme (NFIES)**" with a comprehensive financial allocation of **Rs. 2254.43 crore spanning from 2024-25 to 2028-29**. This initiative, spearheaded by the Ministry of Home Affairs, aims to bolster India's forensic capabilities through strategic investments in infrastructure and manpower.
97. As a precursor to the **3rd edition of World Food India**, **Union Minister of Food Processing Industries, Shri Chirag Paswan** and **Union Minister of State for Food Processing Industries and Railways, Shri Ravneet Singh**, launched the website and mobile application for **World Food India 2024**.
98. In a significant boost to the India's port development programme, as many as **9 ports of India made it to the Global Top 100 in the latest edition of Container Port Performance Index (CPPI), 2023**. This report is prepared by the World Bank and S&P Global Marketing Intelligence). The Union Minister of Ports, Shipping & Waterways, **Sarbananda Sonowal** gave credit to the ambitious Sagarmala

programme, envisioned by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, for modernisation of the ports and improving their efficiency.

**99. The 112th International Labour Organization (ILC) was held in Geneva from 3-14 June 2024.**

It was attended by more than 4,900 delegates – representing Governments, and Employers' and Workers' organizations. The 113rd ILC will be held in June 2025.

**100. The Central Council for Research in Yoga & Naturopathy (CCRYN),**

in collaboration with Svyasa, Deemed to be University, organized a Conference on "Yoga for Space" at S-Vyasa University, Bengaluru, in observance of International Day of Yoga (IDY) 2024 with the theme "Yoga for Self & Society." This conference brought together experts from various fields to enhance societal health, including astronauts, by exploring the benefits of yoga in extreme conditions and space environments.

**101. The Union Cabinet, chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, has approved the Viability Gap Funding (VGF) scheme**

for the implementation of offshore wind energy projects in India. This decision marks a significant step towards harnessing the vast offshore wind energy potential within the country's exclusive economic zone. The total financial outlay for this scheme is ₹7,453 crore.

**102. In a significant move towards self-reliance, the Northern Command of the Indian Army has ordered 550 indigenously designed,**

developed, and manufactured ASMI submachine guns worth Rs 4.26 crores from Hyderabad-based Lokesh Machine Limited. This marks the first time an indigenously designed and manufactured weapon has been inducted into the Indian Army.

**103. Axis Bank has decided to increase its shareholding in Max Life Insurance, investing**

up to ₹336 crore. This transaction will raise the aggregate shareholding of Axis Entities from 19.02% to 19.66%.

**104. Indian javelin star Neeraj Chopra**

added another feather to his cap by clinching the gold medal in the men's javelin throw event at the Paavo Nurmi Games 2024 in

**Turku, Finland.** The Paavo Nurmi Games is a prestigious World Athletics Continental Tour (Gold level) event, and Neeraj's victory further solidifies his position as a dominant force in the sport.

**105. New Zealand's left-arm fast bowler,**

**Trent Boult,** has announced his retirement from international cricket after New Zealand's final Group C match against Papua New Guinea at the **2024 T20 ICC Cricket World Cup.** The match was played at the Brian Lara Stadium in Tarouba.

**106. Every year on June 20th, the world comes together to observe World Refugee Day.**

This day is dedicated to the millions of people who have been forced to flee their homes due to war, persecution, or natural disasters. It serves as a powerful reminder of their plight and a call to action to support and welcome refugees into our communities. The theme for World Refugee Day 2024 is "Everyone is Welcome."

**107. The United Nations General Assembly**

recognized sickle cell disease as a public health issue and designated 19 June as World Sickle Cell Day in December 2008. The day aims to raise awareness about the disease, promote early detection, and encourage preventive measures for patient relief.

**TUALCHHUNG:**

**1. Sports & Youth Services (SYS) department**

buatsaih **Mizoram Sports Conclave - Preparing Mizoram for Olympics Games, 2036** chu June 13 khan Baptist Centre, Falkland Vengah chief minister Lalduhoman a hawng. CM chuan, Olympics 2036-ah Mizoram atanga infiammi tirh tumna chu Mizoram sorkarin policy atan neih a tum thu a sawi. Mizoram Sports Conclave hawnaah hian Assam Sports minister Nandita Garlosa leh Meghalaya Sports minister Shakliar Warjri te pawhin thu an sawi a; kal khawmte'n zawhna an neihte an chhang.

**2. Chief minister Lalduhoma chuan June 13 khan**

Vanapa Hall-ah kumin **HSLC leh HSSLC-a ti tha ber (topper)-te hnenah Chief Minister's Award a sem a,** School Education minister Dr Vanlalhlana khualzahawm a ni. CM's Award hi HSLC-a pakhatna Lalmoipua Lawmzual, St.



Paul's HSS te, HSSLC stream tina pakhatna theuh Linden Lalremruatpuia, Oikos HSS (Arts), Lalramdina Ralte, St. Paul's HSS (Science) leh David Lalhminghluia, St. Paul's HSS (Commerce)-te henah hlan a ni a; lawmman hian Rs 50,000 leh thuchei a keng.HSLC leh HSSLC-a pakhatnate hnena CM's Award hlan hi School Education department buatsaih niin, kumin hi kum 11-na a ni a; zirna tha zawk a awm theihna tura sorkar ruahmanna niin, sum senso pawh budget-ah dah lâwk a ni.

- 3. Aizawl Municipal Corporation Board of Corporators (BoC)** chu an thukhawm a, kum 2024-25 atana AMC budget pharh a ni. Thutkhawmah hian executive corporator (Cash & Accounts) Lalringliana'n 2024-25 budget estimatea pharh a, sum ruahman zat chu vbc. 110.16 a ni a, vawiinah sawiho a ni ang. **AMC-in 15th Finance Commission grant hmuh a beisei cheng vbc. 39 atanga vbc. 9.23 chu Lunglei Municipal Council** tan dah (set aside) a ngaihtu tarlan a ni.
- 4. Samagra Shiksha**, Aizawl district chuan School Education Complex hall-ah **Incentive Award for Schools** sem inkhawm an buatsaih a, sikul 18 hnenah chawimawina an hlân. Award hanna inkhawm hi Samagra Shiksha deputy district project coordinator R Zonunumawian a kaihruai a, Aizawl district education officer Lalramthianghlima'n thuchah a sawi. Award dawng tur hian Samagra District Project Office-in sorkar sikul atangin an thlang a, award hian pawisa leh thuchei a keng. Aizawl district-ah sorkar enkawl primary school 217, middle school 164, high school 66 leh higher secondary school 18 an awm mek a ni.
- 5. June 14 kha thisen petute chawimawina ní, World Blood Donor Day (WBDD)** a ni a, Mizoram hmun hang hrangah hman a ni. Thisen pe thate hnenah chawimawina hlan a ni a, Mizoram puma pawl hminga thisen pe tha ber chu National Service Scheme (NSS) an ni. Aizawlah chuan MSACS leh Association for Voluntary Blood Donation (AVBD) huaihawtin Vanapa Hall-ah WBDD hman a ni a, Health minister Lalrinpuii khuallian a ni. Mizoram pum huapa pawl hminga thisen pe tamte leh Aizawl district bika pe tamte hnenah chawimawina

hlan a nia; NSS chuan state pumah thisen unit 4,900 an pe a, F Kapsanga Award hlan an ni. Thisen unit 4,726 petu Central KTP leh unit 2,930 petu MTKP-in an dawt.World Health Organisation (WHO) chuan blood group ABO hmu chhuaktu Karl Landsteiner pian champaha June 14 chu World Blood Donor Day-ah puangin, kum 2004 khan hman tan a nia, Mizoramah chuan kum 2007-ah hman tan a ni. Kum tin thupui hang hang neia hman a nia, kumina thupui chu **'20 years of celebrating giving: Thank you, blood donors!'** tih a ni.

- 6. Lok Sabha MP thar Richard Vanlalhmangaiha** chuan New Delhi-ah Tourism minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat leh DoNER minister Jyotiraditya M Scindia te a kâwm a, Mizoram hmasawna tur thilte a sawipui.Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER) minister Jyotiraditya M Scindia pawhin Mizoram tihhmasawn nan theihtawp a chhuah tur thu Richard Vanlalhmangaiha a hrith a, project tha tak tak thehltur in a chah a ni. Lok Sabha MP hian MoS for Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution BL Verma, Minister for Ports, Shipping and Waterways Sarbananda Sonawal, Textiles Minister Giriraj Singh leh Agriculture and Farmers Welfare and Rural Development Minister Shivraj Singh Chauhan-te pawh June 13, Ningani khan a kawm.
- 7. Sahitya Akademi (National Academy of Letters)** chuan mahni tawng hmasawna atana thawh hlâwkte hena an hlan thin, **Bhasha Samman dawng turin R Lalrawna, Electric Veng, Aizawl leh Rozama Chawngthu, Mission Vengthlang an thlang.** Sahitya Akademi chuan Bhasha Samman dawng tura R Lalrawna leh Rozama Chawngthu than an nih thu hi a tarlang a; remchang hmasaah President Droupadi Murmu hnen atangin Rashtrapati Bhavan-ah an dawng ang. Bhasha Samman hian Rs 1,00,000 leh thil dangte a keng a ni.Bhasha Samman hi kum 1997 khan James Dokhuman a dawng tawha, kum 2014 khan B Lalthangliana'n a dawng tawh bawk.
- 8. Aizawl Municipal Corporation (AMC) Board of Corporators** chuan June 14, 2024 khan financial year 2024-25 chungaha AMC sum hman tura rua-hman **(budget) Rs**

**1,15,18,40,000** an pawm. AMC Board of Corporators (BoC) chu June 13-14, 2024 khan an thukhawm a, mayor Lalrinenga Sailo-in a kaihruai. June 13 khan executive corporator (Cash & Accounts) Lalringliana'n AMC budget estimate 2024-25 a pharh a, June 14 khan sawiho niin, kum 2024-25 chhunga AMC sum hmuh tur leh hman tura ruahman cheng nuai 11,518.40 chu pawm a ni. Thu dawn danin, AMC budget thar cheng nuai 11,518.40 zinga Rs 11,01,68,434 (nuai 1,101.68) chu AMC thawh chhuah (own source of revenue) tura nia, a dang zawng chu sorkar laipui leh state sorkar atanga dawn tura beisei a ni thung. Kumina AMC sum thawh chhuah tura ruahman hi nikum aiin Rs 1,37,39,434-in a tam zawk.

9. Mizoram badminton-in chanchin lawmawm hriat tur a nei leh ta - Yonex-Sunrise All India Sub-Junior Ranking Badminton Tournament 2024-ah **Sainunmawia Sailo chuan bronze medal a hlawh chhuak** a, Ramhlun Venglai rawlthar hian Under-17 Mixed Doubles category-ah bronze hi a vaw chhuak.

