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New Election Commissioner of India

Rajiv Kumar has been appointed as the New Election Commissioner of India by the Government of India.

Water Crisis in Bundelkhand

➤ Uttar Pradesh Government has signed a plan of cooperation with Israel government to resolve water crisis in Bundelkhand region.

- Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh: Yogi Adityanath
- > Governor of Uttar Pradesh: Anandiben Patel
- Prime Minister of Israel: Benjamin Netanyahu.

International



Natural Gas reserves in Black Sea

- Turkey has discovered Natural Gas reserves in Black Sea.
- The Black sea is a body of Water and marginal sea of the Atlantic Sea between Eastern Europe and Western Asia.

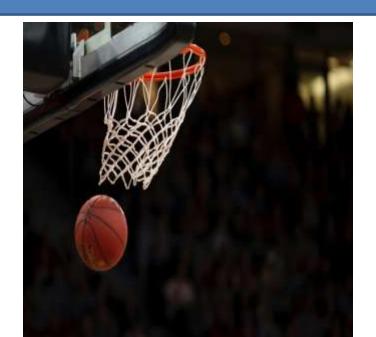
Union Peace Accord

- Myanmar Government and ten armed ethnic groups in the country signed National Ceasefire agreement called Union Peace Accord.
- This initiatives is taken to bring peace and prosperity in the country.

Sports







National Sports Awards 2020

- The Government of India has announced the list of winners of the National sports Awards 2020 as per recommendation of the selection committee headed by Justice (Retd) Mukundakam Sharma(former judge of Supreme Court). The awards will be given by the President of India from Rashtrapati Bhavan on 29 August 2020.
- Rajib Gandhi Khel Ratna Award: Rajib Gandhi Khel Ratna Award is being given for outstanding perormance in the field of sports by a sportsperson over a period of four year. This year Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award is given to
- 1. Shri Rohit Sharma from Cricket
- 2. Shri Mariyappan T. From Para Athletics
- 3. Ms Manika Batra from Table Tennis
- 4. Ms Vinesh from Wrestling
- 5. MS Rani from Hockey.

World Snooker Championship 2020

- ➤ Ronnie O'Sullivan became the Winner of World Snooker Championship 2020.
- > He defeated Kyren Wilson.

Awards and Honours



Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award 2019

- Wing Commander Gajanand Yadava has won the 'Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award 2019' in air adventure category.
- The Tenzing Norgay National Adventrue Awards are regarded as India's highest national awards for adventure sports. The awards are considered at par with Arjuna Award.

Book



'One Arranged Murder'

- ➤ A book titled "One Arranged Murder" is authored by Chetan Bhagat.
- ➤ The book will be released worldwide on September 28, 2020.

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