

### Current Affairs of 1 July 2016 Friday

- Indigenously built LCA, Tejas inducted in IAF –
- Heavyweight Torpedo, Varunastra inducted by Indian Navy.
- Rodrigo Duterte sworn in as new president of Philippines.
- Supreme Court ruled that Lesbians, gays and bisexuals are not third gender.
- Teacher education portal, Prashikshak launched by Union HRD Ministry.
- National Doctors Day 2016 was observed in India on – 1st July 2016

### Current Affairs of 2 July 2016 Saturday

- Punjab launched Rapid Rural Police Response System.
- President Pranab Mukherjee presented B C Roy National Awards.
- Fast Attack Craft, INS Tarasa launched by Indian navy.
- The State Bank of India (SBI) sold five per cent stake in the National Stock Exchange (NSE) to Mauritius-based Veracity Investments.
- Ravi Shastri resigned from his post as media representative in ICC's prestigious Cricket Committee.
- The Sports Ministry granted recognition to Paralympic Committee of India (PCI).
- The 2nd BRICS Youth Summit started in Guwahati.

### Current Affairs of 3 July 2016 Sunday

- For solar photovoltaic, projects SBI has inked agreements with the World Bank for a \$625 million.
- Saudi Arabia became Associate Member of ICC.
- Indrajit Coomaraswamy became new Governor of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka.
- JPMorgan Chase & Co. will open three branches in India in New Delhi, Devanahalli (near Bengaluru) & Paranur (near Chennai).
- Reliance Industries & SBI signed agreement to set up the payments bank by joint venture.
- Chennai-based Equitas Holdings got licence from the RBI to start small finance bank (SFB).

### Current Affairs of 4 July 2016 Monday

- B Sai Praneeth won 2016 Canada Open Grand Prix Badminton Men's Singles title.
- Former French Prime Minister Michel Rocard died.
- Haryana to develop new Industrial Township at an expense of \$5 billion.
- BRICS Working Group Meeting on Energy Saving and Energy Efficiency began in Visakhapatnam
- ICC relaxed Decision Review System for LBWs.
- Electronic Cigarettes to be banned by Kerala government.
- Rapid Rural Police Response System launched by Punjab Government.
- Gurpreet Singh Sandhu became first Indian to play in Europa League.

### Current Affairs of 5 July 2016 Tuesday

- NASA's Juno spacecraft successfully began orbit of Jupiter.
- 19 new Ministers of State inducted in Union Council of Ministers.
- Para swimmer Niranjana Mukundan wins eight medals in IWAS World Games.
- Logistic Performance Index 2016 released by World Bank.
- MV Dhekane takes over as Director of IISU.
- Hero MotoCorp inked 3-year wage agreement with Gurgaon Workers.

### Current Affairs of 6 July 2016 Wednesday

- R Thiruppathi Venkatasamy appointed as Accountant General of Tamil Nadu.
- Union Cabinet approves Interest Subvention Scheme for Farmers.
- Aditya Birla Fashion acquired global clothing brand Forever 21.
- SC appointed Green Panel recommends high pollution cess of 20-22% on Diesel Vehicles.
- Union Cabinet approved National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme.

### Current Affairs of 7 July 2016 Thursday

- Dipa Karmakar named as World Class Gymnast by International Gymnastics Federation.
- National Green Highways Mission launched by Union Government.
- Deepak Singhal appointed as the Chief Secretary of Uttar Pradesh.
- Social media banking platform SBI Mingle launched by SBI.
- Myspeed App to measure real time mobile internet speed launched by TRAI.

### Current Affairs of 8 July 2016 Friday

- India and Mozambique signed MoUs on drug trafficking, pulse trading & sports.
- Google acquired Paris-based startup Moodstocks.
- BRICS drug control meeting begins in New Delhi.
- India's first Centre of Excellence on Internet of Things is unveiled by NASSCOM.

### Current Affairs of 9 July 2016 Saturday

- Kerala Govt state govt proposed 14.5 per cent fat tax on junk food.
- India inked MoU's in four areas of cooperation with South Africa.
- Kevin Turner resigned as Chief Operating Officer of Microsoft.
- Noted Pakistani philanthropist Abdul Sattar passed away.

### Current Affairs of 10 July 2016 Sunday

- NATO Summit 2016 concluded in Warsaw.
- Football cup Euro 2016 won by Portugal.
- Wimbledon cup won by Andy Murray.
- BRICS had its 2nd Anti-Drug Working Group meeting of Heads of Drug Control Agencies.

### Current Affairs of 11 July 2016 Monday

- Sushila Karki became Nepal's first woman Chief Justice.
- Kudankulam nuclear power plant attained critical Status.
- India, Tanzania signed Five bilateral agreements.
- NBAGR conferred rare and singular species genetic recognition tag to Kendrapara Sheep.
- Lewis Hamilton won the title 2016 British Grand Prix.

### Current Affairs of 12 July 2016 Tuesday

- Six more Indians qualified for Rio Olympics.
- India and Kenya signed seven agreements to deepen cooperation.
- Sanjay Gupta appointed as CMD of Konkan Railway Corporation Limited.
- India's first Centre of Excellence on Internet of Things launched in Bengaluru.
- President conferred 51st Jnanpith Award to Dr. Raghuveer Chaudhari.

### Current Affairs of 13 July 2016 Wednesday

- Test, ODI, and T20I Rankings were released by ICC.
- Forbes released the list of World's Highest-Paid Celebrities of 2016.
- Permanent Court of Arbitration ruled in favor of The Philippines on South China Sea.
- SBI inks MoU with IIT Bombay to promote fintech start-ups.
- India & Bangladesh signed deal for construction of coal fired power plant.

### Current Affairs of 14 July 2016 Thursday

- Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana approved by Union Cabinet.
- Sankat Mochan operation launched to evacuate Indian citizens from South Sudan.
- Ashok Patnaik appointed as CEO of NATGRID.
- Theresa May appointed as Prime Minister of United Kingdom.
- India-born Kinshuk appointed as Dean of University of North Texas College of Information.

### Current Affairs of 15 July 2016 Friday

- India, ADB sign 100 Million US dollar loan agreement for Cauvery Delta project in Tamil Nadu.
- 11th ASEM summit began in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia.
- RBI set up Sudarshan Sen-headed Inter-regulatory Working Group on Fin Tech and Digital Banking.
- Fide Women's Grand Prix trophy won by Harika Dronavalli.
- World Youth Skills Day was observed globally on 15 July 2016.
- Rakesh Kumar Chaturvedi appointed as Chairman of CBSE.

### Current Affairs of 16 July 2016 Saturday

- Tata Advanced Systems signs deal with Bell Helicopter.
- Ramayana Month month began in Kerala.
- Nalanda Mahavihara university enters UNESCO's World Heritage Site list.
- Madhya Pradesh became the first state to approve setting up of Happiness Department.

### Current Affairs of 17 July 2016 Sunday

- Pema Khandu sworn in as new Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh.
- Yatra Online acquired by Terrapin 3 Acquisition Corporation for \$218 mn.
- Boxer Vijender Singh clinched the WBO Asia Pacific Super Middleweight title with a win over Kerry Hope.
- A court in Andheri issued non bailable warrant against Vijay Mallya in cheque bouncing case.
- SEBI directed clearing corporations not to accept fixed deposit receipts (FDRs) from banks as 'collateral'

### Current Affairs of 18 July 2016 Monday

- Guruprasad Mohapatra appointed as Chairman of Airports Authority of India.
- Unmanned Dragon cargo capsule to International space station launched by – SpaceX
- Nelson Mandela International Day 2016 observed on 18th July.
- TRI-NETRA system developed for enhancing the vision of Locomotive Pilots in inclement weather.
- HCL Technologies appointed C. Vijaykumar as their Chief Operating Officer (COO).

### Current Affairs of 19 July 2016 Tuesday

- India's first e-court opened at Hyderabad High Court.
- Regional Centre for Biotechnology Bill, 2016 passed by Parliament.
- Malcolm Turnbull sworn in as Australia's PM for another term.
- Report of 2015 Non-communicable Diseases Global Survey released by WHO.
- SC accepted Lodha panel recommendations on structural reforms in BCCI.

### Current Affairs of 20 July 2016 Wednesday

- Mohammed Shahid won Indian hockey player recently passes away.
- Canada to conduct world's first Zika vaccine test on humans.
- Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012 passed by Rajya Sabha.
- Chennai's Advay Ramesh wins which award from Asia – Google Community Impact Award
- Odisha government to celebrate bicentenary of 1817 Paika revolt.

### Current Affairs of 21 July 2016 Thursday

- National Electoral Roll Purification 2016 launched by ECI.
- India and Japan inked Social Security Agreement.
- Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Bill, 2016 approved by Union Cabinet.
- Union Cabinet approved signing of Air Services Agreement between India and Mozambique.
- Genes of 6000 Year Old barley grains sequenced for first time.

### Current Affairs of 22 July 2016 Friday

- Union Cabinet approved establishment of AIIMS at Gorakhpur.
- Kerala Government constituted State Technical Advisory Group on Immunisation.
- NDMC signed MoU with NEERI to develop sewage treatment plants.
- According to WMO, 2016 is set to be the world's hottest year on record.
- Ajay Bhushan Pandey appointed as CEO of UIDAI.
- Indian companies ranked 7 on 2016 Fortune 500 lists.
- Lok Sabha passes Bill for new NIT in Andhra Pradesh.

### Current Affairs of 23 July 2016 Saturday

- The successful completion of first test flight announced by Facebook Inc.
- Virat Kohli became first Indian captain to score double century outside India.
- Kerala Tourism won Gold at PATA Awards.
- Ganesh Singh appointed Head of Joint Parliamentary Committee for Land Acquisition Bill.
- Narendra Modi and Sheikh Hasina inaugurated Petrapole Integrated Check Post.

### Current Affairs of 24 July 2016 Sunday

- First ever Water Metro project in the country has been launched by Kerala Government.
- Annual electronic music festival Tomorrowland begins in Belgium.
- Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion organised Startup India States' Conference in Delhi.
- Scientists to undertake field trials of Oil-degrading bacteria in Kochi.
- Neeraj Chopra became 1st Indian to set world record in Jr Athletics Championship.

### Current Affairs of 25 July 2016 Monday

- Brazilian scientists identified another type of Zika-Transmitting Mosquito.
- Solar Power Tree for generation of electricity developed by CSIR-CMERI.
- Wrestler Narsingh Yadav failed dope Test. (Given Clean chit again on 1st August 2016)
- India's first Green Rail Corridor launched in Tamil Nadu.
- Nepal PM KP Oli resigned ahead of a no-confidence vote.
- A Kanyakumari, became first woman violinist to receive Sangita Kalanidhi Award.

### Current Affairs of 26 July 2016 Tuesday

- Flipkart acquires online fashion portal Jabong.
- Institutes of Technology (Amendment) Bill, 2016 passed by Lok Sabha.
- Budha Rashmi Mani appointed as Director General of National Museum.
- G-20 Finance Ministers pledged to boost Global Economy.

### Current Affairs of 27 July 2016 Wednesday

- Ramon Magsaysay Award 2016 won by Bezwada Wilson, Thodur Madabusi Krishna
- India's first Humboldt Penguins reached Mumbai's Byculla Zoo.
- East Bengal to honour Milkha Singh with Bharat Gaurav Award.
- India-US joint expedition discovered natural gas in Indian Ocean.
- India's CSIR ranked World's 12th Best Government Institute.

### Current Affairs of 28 July 2016 Thursday

- Lokpal and Lokayukta (Amendment) Bill, 2016 passed by Lok Sabha.
- Union Cabinet approves setting up of AIIMS in Bhatinda.
- World Hepatitis Day observed with Elimination as its theme.
- Union Cabinet cleared changes to GST Bill and dropped 1% additional tax on inter-state.
- Muralitharan, Lohmann, Morris and Rolton inducted into Cricket Hall of Fame.

### Current Affairs of 29 July 2016 Friday

- International Tiger Day observed on 29th July.
- Compensatory Afforestation Fund Bill, 2016 passed by Parliament.
- Madras Crocodile Bank Trust opened for public.
- T Nanda Kumar resigned as Chairman of National Dairy Development Board.
- IMD to use supercomputer to forecast monsoon with Dynamical Model.

### Current Affairs of 30 July 2016 Saturday

- Srinivasan Swamy conferred with Lifetime Achievement Award 2016 by AAI.
- Maitree, Indo-Thailand joint Military Exercise conducted.
- United Nations World Day against Trafficking in Persons 2016 observed on 30th July 2016.
- International Day of Friendship 2016 observed on 30th July 2016.

### Current Affairs of 31 July 2016 Sunday

- Jharkhand Government to form separate cell for Primitive Tribes Group.
- Strategic Forces Command exempted from ambit of RTI.
- Satish Mathur appointed as DGP of Maharashtra Police.