

World Thyroid Day

The World Thyroid Day is celebrated every year on May 25 to promote awareness and understanding of thyroid health and the advances made in treating thyroid diseases.

The World Thyroid Day was established in 2008 by the European Thyroid Association and the American Thyroid Association.

UN says Women bosses are good for businesses and economies

Companies that improve gender diversity especially at the top, perform better and rake in higher profits, while countries that increase women employment see better economic growth.

The UN's International Labour Organisation found in a fresh study that companies that improve gender diversity in their management report significant profit increases.

According to the report, which based its findings on a survey of nearly 13,000 companies across 70 countries. According to the survey, nearly three-quarters of companies that tracked gender diversity in their management reported profit hikes of between 5% and 20%.

Trump becomes first world leader to meet Japan's new emperor

Donald Trump became the first foreign leader to meet with Japan's newly enthroned Emperor Naruhito. Emperor Naruhito ascended to the throne on May 1, opening what is called the era of "Reiwa," or "beautiful harmony."

The US President, who is on a four-day state visit to Japan, was treated to a welcome ceremony full of pomp and pageantry.

RBI to purchase govt securities under OMO

RBI has decided to conduct purchase of Government securities under Open Market Operation (OMO) for Rs. 150 billion (Rs. 15,000 crore) on June 13, 2019

In the current financial year so far, it conducted OMO purchase of five government securities on two occasions — on May 2 and May 16 — infusing Rs. 12,500 crore in each auction. The total amount of government securities offered by market participants was Rs. 27,426 crore (face value) on May 2, and was Rs. 29,479 crore on May 16.

Total durable liquidity injected by the RBI through OMOs aggregated Rs. 2,98,500 crore for 2018-19

Acharya Balkrishna receives 'UNSDG 10 Most Influential People in Healthcare Award'

Patanjali Ayurved Limited's Managing Director, Acharya Balkrishna received the 'UNSDG 10 Most Influential People in Healthcare Award' on behalf of Patanjali Group of Institutions in Geneva

Patanjali Ayurved is a company producing range Ayurvedic medicinal and personal care products, among other consumer items. Popular yoga guru Baba Ramdev co-founded the company along with Balkrishna

SKM leader Prem Singh Golay to take oath as Chief Minister of Sikkim

Sikkim Governor Ganga Prasad has invited the Sikkim Karantikari Morcha (SKM) President and leader of latislative party Prem Singh Golay to form the New Government in the state.

Prem Singh Golay will take oath as New Chief Minister of Sikkim along with his council of ministers at Palzor Stadium in Gangtok.

SKM Party defeated the SDF party who ruled the state for 25 years under its leader Pawan Chamling as longest service Chief Minister in Sikkim.

Urban 20 Mayors Summit Held in Tokyo

The 2019 Urban 20 Summit was hosted by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government, led by Governor Yuriko Koike from 21-22 May 2019.

The Urban 20 Mayors Summit takes place one month ahead of the G20 Summit.

The U20 cities convey their joint recommendations in a form of a Communique, to the G20 Chair, to be presented to the G20 Leaders during the Summit.

The 2019 G20 Summit will be the fourteenth meeting of Group of Twenty and will be held on 28–29 June 2019 in Osaka, Japan.

It will be the first-ever G20 summit to be hosted in Japan.

Apurvi Chandela Wins Gold in 10m Air Rifle at ISSF Munich World Cup

Apurvi Chandela from India won the 10m Air Rifle Women's Final at the 2019 ISSF World Cup in Munich.

V D Savarkar's birth anniversary being celebrated today

Swatantryaveer Vinayak Damodar Savarkar's birth anniversary is being celebrated today.

Born on this day in 1883 near Nasik in Maharashtra, Savarkar was popularly called Veer Savarkar.

He was a revolutionary who fought against the British Government. On the occasion, a function to pay floral tributes to him will be held in the Central Hall of Parliament House today.

Prime Minister paid tributes to V D Savarkar on his Jayanti.

ISSF World Cup: Saurabh Chaudhary wins 10m Air Pistol gold; beats own World record

In ISSF shooting World Cup, in Munich Germany, India's Saurabh Chaudhary has won 10m Air Pistol Gold beating his own World Record.

The 17-year old Chaudhary scored 246.3 bettering his previous best of 245 points that was set in New Delhi World Cup Shooting in February this year.

Chaudhary has already secured a berth for the Tokyo Olympics. This is India's second Gold in the championship.