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Important Days

1. 05-11-22

- World Tsunami Awareness Day (since 2015)
- ❖ Freedom fighter 'Deshapandu' Chittaranjan Das (1870), birthday.

Central News

1. Gujarat Elections: Aam Aadmi Party Chief Ministerial Candidate Isudan Gadvi

- ❖ The party's national general secretary and journalist Isudhan Gadvi was announced as the Aam Aadmi Party's chief ministerial candidate for next month's assembly elections in Gujarat.
- ❖ 40-year-old Kadvi was born into a farming family in Bipalia village of Dwarka district.
- ❖ Belongs to Other Backward Classes. He has already worked as a TV host.
- ❖ While Other Backward Classes constitute 48 percent in Gujarat, a person belonging to that class has been announced as the Chief Ministerial candidate of Aam Aadmi Party.
- As in Punjab, Aam Aadmi's chief ministerial candidate in Gujarat is also by the people Arvind Kejriwal had said that he will be selected.
- ❖ Accordingly, he has announced Isudhan Gadvi as the chief ministerial candidate based on the opinions received from the people.

2. Labor Pension Amendment Bill Goes: Supreme Court

- The Supreme Court has said that the amendments made in the Labor Pension Act will go ahead.
- ❖ Amendments were made to the Labor Pension Act in 2014.
- Accordingly, the maximum salary for pension contribution has been increased from Rs.6,500 to Rs.15,000 per month. The rules have been amended to make 1.16 per cent additional pension contribution for those earning more than Rs 15,000 per month.
- ❖ Also, the rules were amended to make the minimum wage of workers joining the pension scheme Rs.15,000 per month.
- ❖ However, the judges ordered to cancel the rule that only those who get a monthly salary of more than Rs.15,000 can join the pension fund.
- ❖ The judges also struck down the amendment requiring those earning more than Rs 15,000 per month to pay an additional 1.16 per cent pension contribution.
- The judges also said that this provision was voided as the **EPFO** system was intended to raise additional funds.



State News

1. 22 parties inactive in Tamil Nadu: Election Commission information

- ❖ The Election Commission found that out of 233 registered parties in Tamil Nadu, 22 parties did not contest any election and did not follow the rules of the Election Commission including filing income tax returns.
- Delisting:
 - ✓ The Election Commission of India has temporarily delisted 22 parties from the list of registered political parties.

Sports News

1. Indian men's team champions

- At the Asian Teams Squash Championship held in South Korea
- The Indian men's team won.
- This is the first time that India, who have won silver twice before in the tournament, will win gold.
- ❖ In the final match, the Indian team consisting of **Sourav Ghoshal**, **Ramat Tandon and Abhaisingh** defeated **Kuwait** 2-0.

Committee

1. Committee to strengthen accreditation process for higher education institutions

- ❖ Officials said the Union Education Ministry has constituted a high-level committee to strengthen the process of accreditation of higher education institutions.
- ❖ IIT Kanpur is chaired by **K. Radhakrishnan**, Chairman of the Board of Trustees and Chairman of the IIT Council Standing Committee.
- This High Level Panel consists of:-
 - ✓ Assam Mahapurusha Srimad Shankaradeva,
 - ✓ Vishwa Vidyalaya Vice-Chancellor Myrdul Hazarika,
 - ✓ Professor Bharat Bhaskar, IIM Lucknow,
 - ✓ Joint Secretary, Higher Education, Union Ministry of Education.
- ❖ This high-level committee has been set up to strengthen the process of inspection and accreditation of higher education institutions and lay down procedures for the National Accreditation Council as mentioned in the National Education Policy.



Award

1. Miss North East India: Zareen Dakar chosen

- ❖ Zareen Dakar (20) from Meghalaya has been selected as Miss North East India.
- The North East India beauty pageant was held at Kalayaranga in Kohima, the capital of Nagaland.

Scheme

1. 'Yuva' training programme

- University Grants Commission (UGC) Secretary Rajnish Jain, in a circular to all higher education institutions, said:
- As per the National Education Policy, the Young Writers Promotion Scheme (YUVA), was introduced by the Union Ministry of Education last year.
- ❖ The Yuva-2.0 program for the current academic year (2022-23) has been implemented under the theme 'Jana Nayakam'.
- ❖ Under this scheme, young writers below 30 years of age are encouraged to write in various forms including essay, poetry, story, drama, travelogue.

Ranking

1. Cheapest cost of production: India tops

- ❖ The list of top countries has been published by **US News & World Report**.
- **Switzerland** is at the top.
- ❖ India is ranked 31st.
- ❖ India tops the list of countries with the cheapest manufacturing costs in the world.
 - ✓ Factors for indexing
 - ✓ Entrepreneurship skills
 - ✓ Quick actions
 - ✓ Quality of life
 - ✓ Social factors
 - ✓ Energy
 - ✓ cultural influence,
 - ✓ Acts of Courage
 - ✓ The context for starting a business is tradition

Countries with cheapest manufacturing cost: Ranking

- ✓ India rank 1
- ✓ China rank 2



- ✓ Vietnam Rank 3
- ✓ Thailand Rank 4
- ✓ Philippines Rank 5

❖ World's Best Countries: Ranking

Countries	Ranking
Switzerland	1
Germany	2
Canada	3
USA	4
Sweden	5
India	31
Myanmar	76
Zambia	77
Oman	78
Lebanon	79
Algeria	80