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Tuesday, 04 August 2026

1. Who received the Lokmanya Tilak National Award 2026?

- (A) Ajit Doval (B) Amit Shah
(C) Rajnath Singh (D) S. Jaishankar

2. Recently, the Pithora Painting of which state received the Geographical Indication (GI) tag?

- (A) Rajasthan (B) Chhattisgarh
(C) Gujarat (D) Maharashtra

3. Which country officially adopted the name "Republic of Naoero" in 2026?

- (A) Tuvalu (B) Palau
(C) Kiribati (D) Nauru

4. Who became the first Indian athlete to win a Commonwealth Games medal in decathlon?

- (A) Neeraj Chopra (B) Tejaswin Shankar
(C) Avinash Sable (D) Tajinderpal Singh

5. Alluri Sitarama Raju International Airport, inaugurated in 2026, is located in which Indian state?

- (A) Andhra Pradesh (B) Telangana
(C) Odisha (D) Karnataka

6. World Wide Web Day 2026 has been observed recently on which date of August?

- (A) 01 August (B) 02 August
(C) 03 August (D) 04 August

7. Who became the first woman Director General of the Geological Survey of India in 2026?

- (A) Meera Joshi (B) Rukmani Devi
(C) Anju Sharma (D) Varsha Ashok Aglawe

8. Which two Indian judokas created history by winning India's first-ever Commonwealth Games gold medals in judo at Glasgow 2026?

- (A) Harsh Singh and Yamini Mourya
(B) Asmita Dey and Harsh Singh
(C) Asmita Dey and Tulika Maan
(D) Yamini Mourya and Avtar Singh

9. Who has been appointed as the Director General Armed Forces Medical Services (DGAFMS) of India with effect from 31 August 2026?

- (A) Surgeon Vice Admiral Arti Sarin
(B) Air Marshal Rakesh Kumar
(C) Air Marshal Sandeep Thareja
(D) Lieutenant General Daljit Singh

10. Which type of solar technology is being promoted under the Pradhan Mantri Surya Sarovar Yojana (PM-SSY) for installation on reservoirs and inland water bodies?

- (A) Rooftop Solar Technology
(B) Floating Solar Photovoltaic Technology
(C) Solar Thermal Technology
(D) Concentrated Solar Power Technology

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British Governors-General of India (1773–1805)

Warren Hastings (1773–1785)

- **Significance:** The first Governor-General of Bengal.
- **Key Contributions:**
 - Introduced **administrative reforms** to streamline **revenue collection**.
 - Founded the **Calcutta Madrasa** in **1781** to **promote Islamic studies**.
 - **Encouraged** the codification of **Hindu and Muslim laws**.
 - Played a critical role in the **Regulating Act of 1773**, which established the framework for **British administration in India**.

Lord Cornwallis (1786–1793)

- **Significance:** Known for his **administrative and judicial reforms**.
- **Key Contributions:**
 - Introduced the **Permanent Settlement of Bengal (1793)**, fixing land revenues permanently.
 - Reorganized the judicial system and civil services, laying the foundation for a professional bureaucracy.
 - Reformed the **military by improving discipline** and structure.

Lord Wellesley (1798–1805)

- **Significance:** An architect of British imperialism in India.
- **Key Contributions:**
 - Established the **Subsidiary Alliance System**, which expanded British influence by making Indian princely states dependent on British protection.
 - Played a key role in the expansion of **British territories, particularly** after the Fourth **Mysore War**.
 - Founded the Fort **William College in Calcutta** to **train British administrators**.

DAILY GENERAL AWARENESS QUIZ

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1. State Conclave on Yuga Yugeen Bharat Museum inaugurated in New Delhi. In context to the same tell us, when did the government of India launch the Central Vista project?

- (A) 2019 (B) 2015
(C) 2016 (D) 2020

2. Neeru Dhanda won the women's trap shooting gold medal at the ISSF Shotgun World Cup 2026 in Lonato. In context to the same tell us, who was the first Indian shooter to win a medal in the rifle event of the Olympics?

- (A) Gagan Narang (B) Abhinav Bindra
(C) Saina Nehwal (D) Prakash Padukone

3. Lt Gen Sadhna Saxena Nair: First woman DG of Medical Services (Army). In context to the same tell us, who was the first woman to join the Indian Army?

- (A) Gunjan Saxena (B) Lakshmi Sahgal
(C) Indira Gandhi (D) Sushmita Sen

4. Sanjay Shukla assumes charge as MD of the National Housing Bank. In context to the same tell us, who is the regulator of housing finance in India?

- (A) Securities and Exchange Board of India
(B) Reserve Bank of India
(C) Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority
(D) State Bank of India

5. Kashmir, 4th Indian city to receive World Craft City Certificate. In context to the same tell us, who is the Lieutenant Governor of the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir?

- (A) Satyapal Malik (B) Jitendra Singh
(C) Manoj Sinha (D) Yashwant Sinha

6. Madhya Pradesh Farmers End Protests After State Hikes Summer Moong Procurement Limit to 60%.

Consider the following statements:

(1) The A2 cost formula includes direct, paid-out expenses incurred by the farmer such as seeds,

fertilizers, fuel, and hired labor.

(2) Under the current A2 + FL method, MSP is set to guarantee a minimum return of 50% over production costs.

(3) The government has accepted and implemented the C2 + 50% formula recommended by the National Commission on Farmers.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- (A) Only (1) and (3) (B) Only (1) and (2)
(C) Only (2) and (3) (D) None of the above

7. Cauvery Authority Directs Karnataka to Release 3,500 Cusecs of Water to Tamil Nadu Despite 60% Shortfall.

Consider the following statements:

(1) Article 262 of the Constitution deals with the adjudication of inter-state river water disputes.

(2) The CWMA and CWRC were established following the 2018 Supreme Court judgment.

(3) The 2007 CWDT Award allocated no water for environmental protection or Puducherry.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- (A) Only (1) and (3) (B) Only (1) and (2)
(C) Only (2) and (3) (D) None of the above

8. Government Highlights India's Rising Potential as Global Tourism Hub Driven by Infrastructure and Sustainability.

With reference to India's projects on connectivity, consider the following Statements:

(1) East-West Corridor under Golden Quadrilateral Project connects Dibrugarh and Surat.

(2) Trilateral Highway connects Moreh in Manipur and Chiang Mai in Thailand via Myanmar.

(3) Bangladesh - China - India - Myanmar Economic Corridor connects Varanasi in Uttar Pradesh with Kunming in China.

Which of the above is/are correct?

- (A) Only (1) and (3) (B) Only (1) and (2)
(C) Only (2) and (3) (D) None of the above

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TOPIC OF THE DAY

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Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA)

Why in News?

The **Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA)** successfully facilitated the **first-ever air export shipment of Neelam and Totapuri mangoes from Karnataka to the Maldives.**



Expository: -

Introduction-

- **APEDA (Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority)** is a **statutory body** under the **Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India.**
- It was established under the **Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority Act, 1985.**
- The Act came into force on **13 February 1986.**
- It replaced the **Processed Food Export Promotion Council (PFEPIC).**
- **APEDA** is headquartered in **New Delhi.**

Objectives-

- To promote the export of **agricultural and processed food products.**
- To expand the **global market** for Indian agricultural products.
- To enhance farmers' income and make agricultural exports more competitive.
- To promote quality standards, packaging, and marketing of agricultural exports.

Major Functions-

- Promotion and development of **exports of scheduled** agricultural and processed food products.
- Registration of exporters through **Registration-Cum-Membership Certificate (RCMC).**
- **Prescribing quality standards** and specifications for exports.
- Improving packaging, marketing, and branding of export products.
- Quality inspection of meat and meat products.

- Monitoring the import of sugar.
- Serving as the Secretariat of the **National Accreditation Board (NAB)** for the accreditation of certification bodies under the **National Programme for Organic Production (NPOP).**
- Coordinating among farmers, **Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs)**, pack-houses, exporters, ports, railways, airports, and international buyers.

Major Products Promoted by APEDA-

- **APEDA promotes** the export of a wide range of agricultural and processed food products, including fruits and vegetables, meat and meat products, poultry products, dairy products, biscuits, bakery and confectionery products, honey, jaggery and sugar products, cocoa and chocolate, cereals and cereal products, pickles, papad and chutneys, cashew and cashew products, guar gum, floriculture products, and Basmati rice **included under the Second Schedule.**

MAP OF THE DAY - BHARAT

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KALI TIGER RESERVE



Uttara Kannada District, Karnataka, India



INTRODUCTION

- Kali Tiger Reserve is located in Uttara Kannada district of Karnataka, India.
- It spreads over an area of about **834 sq km**.
- It includes Dandeli Wildlife Sanctuary and Anshi National Park.
- Home to Bengal Tigers, black leopards, Indian elephants and many other unique species.
- Kali River flows through the reserve and is the lifeline of the ecosystem, which is why it is named Kali Tiger Reserve.
- The tiger reserve spreads over an area of **1,300 sq km**.



LOCATION

- District: Uttara Kannada, Karnataka, India
- Part of the Western Ghats
- Latitude: 14° 59' N – 15° 36' N
- Longitude: 74° 29' E – 75° 18' E
- Bounded by Goa (North) and Maharashtra (North)
- Nearest towns: Dandeli, Joida
- Nearest Railway Station: Alnavar Junction (27 km from Dandeli)
- Nearest Airport: Hubballi (approx. 150 km)

LOCATION MAP



HISTORY

- Forests of this area were declared as Dandeli Wildlife Sanctuary on 10 May 1956.
- A part of the sanctuary was separated to create Anshi National Park, which was notified on 2 September 1987.
- Initial proposal included an area of 250 sq km. In 2002, the final notification increased the park area by an additional 90 sq km.
- In December 2015, it was renamed as Kali Tiger Reserve.
- The park is home to several hydroelectric dams and a nuclear power station.



RENAMING OF ANSHI TIGER RESERVE

- In January 2007, Anshi–Dandeli Tiger Reserve was declared under Project Tiger.
- Anshi National Park (340 sq km) is contiguous with Dandeli Wildlife Sanctuary and, together with six adjoining protected areas in Goa and Maharashtra, forms a nearly contiguous forest area of more than 2,200 sq km.
- In December 2015, Dandeli–Anshi Tiger Reserve was renamed as Kali Tiger Reserve (JOIDA).
- The name change focuses on the Kali River, the lifeline for the people of Uttara Kannada, and creates awareness.
- Decision was taken after wide public response to the film "Kali" which highlighted the role of the Kali River in the ecosystem.



AREA & EXTENT

- Core Area:** About 834 sq km
 - Dandeli Wildlife Sanctuary: ~400 sq km
 - Anshi National Park: ~500 sq km
- Project Tiger Area:** About 1,300 sq km (approx.)
- Part of a larger landscape of over 2,200 sq km along with adjoining protected areas.



FLORA

- Tropical evergreen forests
- Moist deciduous forests
- Bamboo brakes
- Teak, Terminalia, Pterocarpus, Rosewood, Aini, Honne
- Rich variety of medicinal plants and climbers



FAUNA

- Bengal Tiger
- Indian Elephant
- Black Leopard
- Gaur (Indian Bison)
- Sloth Bear
- Dhole (Indian Wild Dog)
- Sambar, Chital, Barking Deer
- Malabar Giant Squirrel
- Variety of Birds, Reptiles, Amphibians and Butterflies



GEOGRAPHICAL & ECOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

- Part of the Western Ghats – a global biodiversity hotspot.
- Kali River and its tributaries sustain the entire ecosystem.
- Important wildlife corridor between Karnataka, Goa and Maharashtra.
- Supports rich flora and fauna and maintains ecological balance.
- Important for conservation, research, eco-tourism and sustainable development.



OTHER IMPORTANT FACTS

- Declared as Tiger Reserve under Project Tiger.
- Notified Area: 1,300 sq km (approx.)
- Famous for rich biodiversity, dense forests, rivers and waterfalls.
- Attractions: Supa Dam (80 km), Kali River, Syntheri Rocks, Kavala Caves, Magod Falls, Sathodi Falls.
- Important for wildlife conservation, eco-tourism and water resources in the region.



QUICK FACTS

- Location: Uttara Kannada, Karnataka
- Established: Dandeli WLS (1956), Anshi NP (1987)
- Renamed: 2015 (Kali Tiger Reserve)
- Core Area: 834 sq km
- Total Area: 1,300 sq km (approx.)
- River: Kali River
- Key Species: Tiger, Elephant, Leopard, Gaur, Sambar
- Significance: Biodiversity, Conservation, Eco-tourism

Source: Wikipedia – Kali Tiger Reserve (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kali_Tiger_Reserve)

MAP OF THE DAY - WORLD

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KURIL ISLANDS

Location, Importance and Geographical Overview



LOCATION

- The Kuril Islands are a volcanic archipelago located in the North Pacific Ocean.
- They stretch in a northeast-southwest direction between the Kamchatka Peninsula (Russia) in the north and Hokkaido (Japan) in the south.
- They form part of the Pacific Ring of Fire and are tectonically very active.
- The islands separate the Sea of Okhotsk in the west from the Pacific Ocean in the east.
- The southernmost islands are just about 20 km from Hokkaido, Japan.



IMPORTANCE

- **Strategic Importance:** The islands are the gateway to the Sea of Okhotsk, rich in natural resources.
- **Economic Importance:** The area is rich in fishery resources, oil and natural gas reserves.
- **Geopolitical Importance:** Russia and Japan have a longstanding territorial dispute over sovereignty.
- **Security & Trade:** Control over the islands provides advantage in naval movements and sea routes.
- **Environmental Importance:** The islands are of significance due to their unique biodiversity and ecosystems.

MAP OF KURIL ISLANDS



MAIN ISLANDS (North to South)

1. Shumshu
2. Paramushir
3. Shikotan
4. Iturup (Etorofu)
5. Kunashir
6. Habomai Islands

GEOGRAPHICAL DESCRIPTION



- **Number of Islands:** About 56
- **Length of the Chain:** About 1,200 km
- **Total Area:** About 10,503 sq km
- **Origin:** Volcanic in nature
- **Topography:** Mostly mountainous with several active volcanoes.
- **Climate:** Temperate maritime; cold, foggy and snowy in winters.
- **Natural Features:** Hot springs, volcanoes, crater lakes and rugged coastlines.
- **Vegetation:** Coniferous forests, alpine meadows.
- **Wildlife:** Bears, foxes, seals, sea lions, various fishes and seabirds.

OTHER IMPORTANT FACTS



- After World War II, in 1945, the Soviet Union occupied the islands.
- Japan considers the southern islands (Northern Territories) as its inherent territory.
- Russia refers to these islands as the "South Kurils".
- The dispute remains unresolved for decades.
- The islands are rich in fish, minerals, and offshore hydrocarbon resources.

EXAM POINTS



- **Location:** North Pacific Ocean
- **Between:** Kamchatka Peninsula (Russia) and Hokkaido (Japan)
- **Number of Islands:** About 56
- **Main Islands (N to S):** Shumshu, Paramushir, Shikotan, Iturup, Kunashir, Habomai Islands
- **Dispute:** Between Russia and Japan
- **Reason:** Sovereignty dispute since the end of World War II
- **Strategic Importance:** Military, economic and geopolitical significance



SUMMARY: The Kuril Islands are geographically, strategically and economically important. The Russia-Japan dispute over sovereignty of these islands has created a long-standing issue.

Source: Wikipedia – Kuril Islands (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kuril_Islands)



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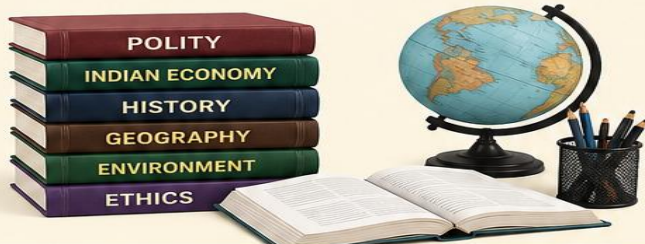
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