



# CURRENT AFFAIRS

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## NATIONAL

### 1. Kartavya Path

**Why in news** - The iconic Rajpath from Rashtrapati Bhavan to India Gate to be renamed as Kartavya Path (Path of Duty).

#### Key Points –

- It was called Kingsway during British Rule.
- It is part of the Central Vista project, where a new triangular Parliament Building is being rebuilt.

#### Previous renaming –

- Race Course Road (PM's residence)- Lok Kalyan Marg.
- Aurangzeb Road - Dr A P J Abdul Kalam Road.
- Teen Murti Chowk - Teen Murti Haifa Chowk.

## INTERNATIONAL

### 1. UK's new Prime Minister

**Why in news** - Liz Truss was named leader of the Conservative Party and Britain's next Prime Minister on Sept 5, 2022.

#### Key Points –

- Liz Truss (81,326 votes) defeated Rishi Sunak (60,399 votes).
- Truss is the 3rd female PM in Britain after Margaret Thatcher and Theresa May.

## SCIENCE – TECH

### 1. Inflatable Aerodynamic Decelerator (IAD)

**Why in news** - ISRO has successfully tested the IAD technology to safely land payloads on other planets.

#### Key Points –

- IAD is designed and developed by ISRO's Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC) Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.
- It was successfully test flown in Rohini-300 (RH300 Mk II) sounding rocket from Thumba.

#### Applications –

- A. Recovery of spent stages of rocket,
- B. Landing payloads onto Mars or Venus
- C. Making space habitat for human space flight missions.

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## APPOINTMENTS

### 1. BK Tyagi

**Why in news** - Captain Binesh Kumar Tyagi has been appointed as the new chairman and MD of Shipping Corporation of India Ltd (SCI).

## BOOKS & AUTHORS

### 1. Book "Divorce and Democracy"

**Why in news** - The book titled "Divorce and Democracy: A History of Personal Law in Post-Independence India" on divorce laws was released.

**Key Points** –

- It is written by Saumya Saxena.

## PERSONS IN NEWS

### 1. Sureshwar Sinha

**Why in news** - Commander Sureshwar Dhari Sinha, an Indian Navy veteran and environmentalist passed away.

**Key Points** –

- He was called the grand old river warrior who fought for the revival of the Yamuna River.
- He formed an NGO called Paani Morcha, through which he continued to fight for water resources and environmental resources.
- He was the Commanding Officer of INS Kadmat, an anti-submarine ship.

### 2. B Sheikh Ali

**Why in news** - Eminent history professor Dr B Sheikh Ali passed away.

**Key Points** –

- A major share of Dr. Ali's research work is related to Hyder Ali and Tipu Sultan.
- He is a recipient of the Rajyotsava award and the founder of the South India History Congress in 1985.

## SPORTS

### 1. National Games 2022

**Why in news** - Amit Shah unveiled the anthem and mascot for the 36th National Games.

**Key Points** –

- Mascot – Saavaj (means lion).
- Anthem - Judega India, Jitega India (sung by Sukhwinder Singh).
- Venue – Gujarat (6 cities - Ahmedabad, Surat, Vadodara, Rajkot, Bhavnagar and Gandhinagar).
- Duration - September 29 to October 12, 2022.

## STATES/UTs

### 1. RO water in every household

**Why in news** - Bhartaul village (Bareilly) became the 1st village in Uttar Pradesh to have RO water in every household.

**Key Points** –

- It is a part of the Adarsh Gram Panchayat initiative.

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## BIHAR

### 1. Glass bangles from destroyed liquor bottles

**Why in news** – A feasibility report has been prepared by Jeevika for this purpose.

**Key Points** –

- The Prohibition, Excise and Registration Department has given the responsibility of this to Jeevika Didi.
- A team of women from Jeevika is taking training in Uttar Pradesh in making glass bangles.
- 99.99 lakh has been paid for setting up the production unit of bangles.

### 2. Raj Vardhan Azad

**Why in news** – Renowned ophthalmologist, Dr. Raj Vardhan Azad, has been elected president of the World ROP Council.

**Key Points** –

- He is also the chairman of Bihar State University Service Commission.
- The new council was formed at the 5th World ROP (retinopathy of prematurity) Congress held at Dubai from September 1 to 4.

### 3. Jyotirlinga Darshan train

**Why in news** – For the first time, the Swadesh Darshan tourist train will be dispatched from Bihar.

**Key Points** –

- It will start from Darbhanga on October 10 and stop at Muzaffarpur and Patliputra Junction to pick up the pilgrims.
- The train will return to Darbhanga on October 20 after visiting Mahakaleshwar and Omkareshwar Jyotirlinga, Shri Nageshwar Jyotirlinga and Shri Dwarkadhish Temple, Somnath Jyotirling, Shirdi, Shri Trimbakeshwar and Shan Jyotgnairling.

### 4. Medical waste disposal

**Why in news** – The government has decided to set up at least 6 medical waste plants through private participation.

**Key Points** –

- There are only 4 Bio-Medical Waste Plants (required - 10). They are located in Patna, Muzaffarpur Gaya and Bhagalpur.



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- Which sportsperson has recently been roped in by Reliance Retail's sports brand Performax Activewear as its brand ambassador - **Jasprit Bumrah.**
- Who has signed an MoU with National Dairy Development Board to launch Biogas Demonstration Project in India - **Suzuki Motor Corporation.**
- Which bank has signed a strategic partnership with Asian Development Bank to promote supply chain finance solutions in India - **IndusInd Bank.**
- Which minister has recently distributed the 'Smart Solutions Challenge and Inclusive Cities Award 2022' - **Hardeep Singh Puri.**
- Which Union Minister has virtually inaugurated the “Swasth Sabal Bharat” conference - **Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya.**
- NGT has imposed a fine of Rs 3500 crore on which state for violating waste management rules - **West Bengal.**
- Who is the author of the book “Indian Banking in Retrospect-75 years of Independence” - **Ashutosh Raravikar.**
- Which country will host the first US-Pacific island country summit - **United States.**
- Which bank has issued new guidelines for digital lenders to protect borrowers - **RBI.**
- South Asian Football Federation (SAFF) tournament started in which country - **Sri Lanka.**

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