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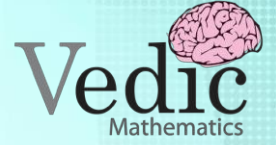
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Birth Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

Amartya Sen (1933): born 3 November 1933) is an Indian American economist and philosopher. Sen has



taught and worked in England and the United States since 1972. In 1998, Sen received the Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences for his contributions to welfare economics.[6] He has also made major scholarly contributions to social choice theory, economic and social

justice, economic theories of famines, decision theory, development economics, public health, and the measures of well-being of countries. Sen is currently the Thomas W. Lamont University Professor, and Professor of Economics and Philosophy, at Harvard University.[7] He previously served as Master of Trinity College at the University of Cambridge.[8] In 1999, he received India's highest civilian honour, Bharat Ratna, for his contribution to welfare economics. The German Publishers and Booksellers Association awarded him the 2020 Peace Prize of the German Book Trade for his pioneering scholarship addressing issues of global justice and combating social inequality in education and healthcare.

Sawai Jai Singh II (1688): Sawai Jai Singh II (3 November

1688 – 21 September 1743), was the 30th Kachwaha Rajput ruler of the Kingdom of Amber, who later founded the fortified city of Jaipur and made it his capital. He became the ruler of Amber at the age of 11, after the untimely death of his father Mirza Raja Bishan Singh on



31 December 1699. Initially, Raja Jai Singh served as a vassal of the Mughal Empire. He was given the title of

"Sawai" by Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb before the siege of Khelna Fort in Deccan. "Sawai" means one and a quarter times superior to his contemporaries. He received the title of "Maharaja Sawai, Raj Rajeshwar, Shri Rajadhiraj" in the year 1723 which happened to be the reign of later Mughals under emperor Muhammad Shah; this was in addition to the title of "Saramad-i-Raja-i-Hindustan", conferred on him on 21 April 1721.

Annapurna Maharana (1917): 3 November 1917 – 31 December 2012) was an India pro-independence



activist active in the Indian independence movement. She was also a prominent social and women's rights activist. Maharana was a close ally of Mahatma Gandhi. Annapurna was born in Orissa Province, British India (now Odisha, India) on 3 November 1917 in an aristocratic Zamindar Karan family, the second child of Ramadevi Choudhury and Gopabandhu Choudhury. Both of her parents were active in the Indian independence movement from the United Kingdom. Annapurna began actively campaigning for independence when she was fourteen years old, becoming a supporter of Mohandas Gandhi. In 1934, she joined Gandhi on his "Harijan Pada Yatra" march through Odisha from Puri to Bhadrak. Choudhury was arrested several times by British and British Raj, including August 1942 during the Quit India Movement civil disobedience campaign

Manavjit Singh Sandhu (1976): Manavjit Singh Sandhu



(born 3 November 1976) is an Indian sport shooter who specializes in trap shooting. He is a Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Awardee in 2006 and Arjuna Awardee in 1998. He is a 4 time Olympian, having represented India at the Athens 2004 Summer Olympics, Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics the London





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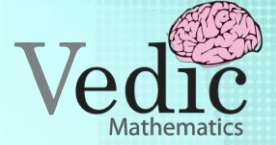
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2012 Summer Olympics and the Rio 2016 Summer Olympics. He is former World No. 1 ranked Trap Shooter. In November 2016, Perazzi announced Manavjit Singh Sandhu as their brand ambassador. Sandhu was educated at the Lawrence School, Sanawar, and Delhi Public School, R. K. Puram. He belongs to the village Ratta Khera Punjab Singh Wala in the district of Firozpur, Punjab. His father is Gurbir Singh and his uncles are Randhir Singh and Parambir Singh.

Death Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

Major Somnath Sharma : (31 January 1923 – 3 November 1947), was an Indian military officer and the first recipient of India's highest military decoration, Param Vir Chakra (PVC), which he was awarded posthumously. Sharma was commissioned into the 4th Battalion, 19th Hyderabad Regiment, in 1942. He served in Burma during the Arakan Campaign in World War II, for which he was mentioned in despatches. Fighting in the Indo-Pakistani War of 1947–1948, Somnath Sharma was killed in action on 3 November 1947 while repulsing Pakistani infiltrators near Srinagar Airport. For his gallantry and sacrifice during the Battle of Badgam, he was posthumously awarded the Param Vir Chakra. Sharma was born in a Dogra Brahmin family on 31 January 1923 at Dadh, Kangra, Punjab (present-day Himachal Pradesh). His father, Amar Nath Sharma, was a military officer. Several of his siblings serve in the military.

Sadashiv Amrapurkar (2014): (11 May 1950 – 3 November 2014) was an Indian actor, best known for his performances in Marathi and Hindi films from 1983



to 2013. He acted in more than 300 movies in Hindi, Marathi, and other regional languages. Amrapurkar played a negative role against Dharmendra in Anil Sharma's first successful movie Hukumat in 1987. He received the Filmfare

Award for Best Performance in a Negative Role in 1991 for Sadak — the first time the award was instituted. In 1993, he won the Filmfare Award for best actor in a villainous role, when the award was instituted. In 1993, Amrapurkar also played a comic hero, Inspector Pyare Mohan, in Aankhen. In addition to negative roles, he played supporting roles and later, comic roles.

Kailashpati Mishra (2012): (5 October 1923 – 3 November 2012) was an Indian politician. He was a leader of Jana Sangh along with Ramdeo Mahto who was founding leader of BJP in Bihar. Kailashpati Mishra was born in Dudharchay in Bihar into a Bhumihar family on 5 October 1923. He took

part in the Quit India Movement in 1942 and was arrested for the same. He was a member of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh from 1943, and was even jailed after the assassination of Mahatma Gandhi. While studying in class X, Mr. Mishra was arrested for picketing at the main gate of his school at Buxar in support of 1942 Quit India Movement. Kailash Pati Mishra contested 1971 Lok Sabha election on Jana Sangh's ticket from Patna but lost. He won the Bihar Vidhan Sabha election for Bikram seat in 1977, and was appointed finance minister in the Janata Party government of Karpooori Thakur. In 1980, he became the first BJP Bihar president when the party was founded.



Historical event for India





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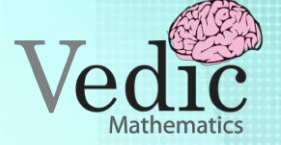
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1838: The Founding of *The Times of India*

One of the world's most widely circulated English-language newspapers, it was first published in Mumbai (then Bombay) on this date.

It was originally launched as a bi-weekly newspaper called *The Bombay Times and Journal of Commerce*.

2000: Direct-to-Home (DTH) Broadcasting Service Started

The Government of India officially initiated Direct-to-Home (DTH) satellite broadcasting services for the public.

Military and Diplomacy

1947: Death of Major Somnath Sharma

Major Somnath Sharma was martyred while fighting Pakistani raiders in the Battle of Badgam during the 1947 Indo-Pak War.

He was posthumously awarded the Param Vir Chakra, making him the first recipient of India's highest military decoration.

1948: Jawaharlal Nehru's First Address to the UN General Assembly

India's first Prime Minister, Jawaharlal Nehru, delivered his first major speech at the United Nations General Assembly, emphasizing the need for peace and non-violence in resolving global issues.

1962: Gold Bond Scheme Announced

In the wake of the 1962 Sino-Indian War (Chinese attack), the Indian government announced the Gold Bond Scheme to mobilize gold resources for national defense and development.

Tragic Event

1984: Anti-Sikh Riots Continue

The widespread anti-Sikh riots, which erupted following the assassination of Prime Minister Indira Gandhi on October 31, 1984, continued, resulting in

the tragic deaths of thousands of people across various parts of India, particularly in Delhi.

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International Observances

World Jellyfish Day: Celebrated globally to raise awareness about these fascinating marine creatures.

One Health Day: An international campaign dedicated to promoting the connection between the health of people, animals, and the environment.

Japanese Culture Day (Bunka no Hi - Japan): A national holiday for promoting culture, the arts, and academic endeavor.

Independence Day (Dominica): Marks the achievement of full independence from the United Kingdom in 1978.





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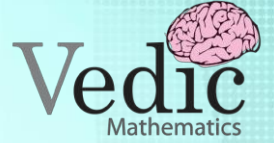
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Birth Anniversaries – International Personalities

Emperor Meiji (Mutsuhito) 1852: The 122nd Emperor of Japan, whose reign saw the country's rapid modernization known as the Meiji Restoration.

Amartya Sen 1933: A highly influential Indian economist and philosopher who was the first Asian to win the Nobel Memorial Prize in Economic Sciences (1998).

Anna Wintour 1949: A British-American journalist and the long-time editor-in-chief of *Vogue* magazine.

Death Anniversaries – International Personalities

Henri Matisse 1954: A highly influential French artist, known for both his use of color and his fluid and original draftsmanship.

Bob Kane 1998: An American comic book artist and writer, widely known for co-creating the DC Comics character Batman.

International Historical Events

1903: Panama declared its independence from Colombia.

This pivotal event, encouraged by the United States (which sought to build the Panama Canal), led to the establishment of the independent Republic of Panama.

1957: The Soviet Union launched *Sputnik 2*.

This was the second spacecraft launched into Earth orbit and the first to carry a living creature, a dog named Laika, marking a major milestone in the Space

Race and providing initial data on a living organism's behavior in space. Laika did not survive the mission.

1978 : **Dominica gained its independence from the United Kingdom.**

The Caribbean island nation became a fully independent republic within the Commonwealth.

1973 : **NASA launched *Mariner 10*.**

This became the first spacecraft to fly by two planets (Venus and Mercury) and the first to reach Mercury.

Other Notable International Events

1493 : **Christopher Columbus first sighted the island of Dominica** during his second voyage to the Americas.

1839 : **The First Opium War between China and Britain erupted**, after British frigates engaged Chinese ships.

1918 : **The German Revolution of 1918–19 began** with a mutiny of sailors at Kiel, an event that contributed to Germany's capitulation and the end of World War I.

1986 : **The Iran–Contra affair first came to light** when a Lebanese magazine reported that the United States had been secretly selling weapons to Iran.

Sports-related Historical Events Internationally

NBA Legend's Debut (1996):

1996: **Kobe Bryant** made his NBA debut for the Los Angeles Lakers against the Minnesota Timberwolves. At the time, he became the youngest player in NBA history to debut at 18 years and 72 days old, breaking a 48-year-old record.⁵

NFL & NBA Records (1990 & 1996):

1990: NBA Hall of Famer Moses Malone set the NBA record for the most career free throws made.⁶





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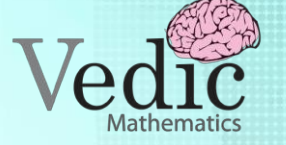
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1996: NFL Hall of Famer Jerry Rice became the first player in NFL history to amass 1,000 career receptions.

MLB - American League Triple Crown (1934):

1934: Baseball legend Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees was confirmed to have won the American League Triple Crown with a .363 batting average, 49 home runs, and 166 RBIs (the most by any Triple Crown winner ever).

Football Club Formation (1869):

1869: The Hamilton Football Club came into existence in Canada, one of the earliest roots of professional sports in North America.

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