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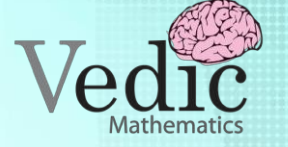
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Important Days

National Post Day (India) : To recognize the role of the Indian Postal Department.

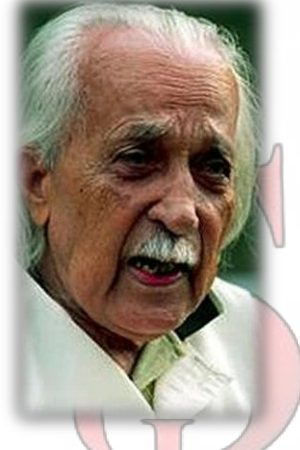
World Mental Health Day : Global observance to raise awareness about mental health issues.

Birth Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

K. Shivaram Karanth (1902 – 1997) : (10 October 1902 – 9 December 1997), also abbreviated as K. Shivaram Karanth, was an Indian author, who was a novelist in

the Kannada language, a playwright and an ecological conservationist.

Ramachandra Guha called him the "Rabindranath Tagore of Modern India, who has been one of the finest novelists-activists since independence". He was the third writer to be decorated with the Jnanpith Award for Kannada, the highest literary honor conferred in India. His son Ullas, is an ecological conservationist. Shivaram Karanth was born on 10 October 1902, in Kota near Kundapura in the Udupi district of Karnataka to a Kannada-speaking Smartha Brahmin family. The fifth child of his parents Shesha Karantha and Lakshamma, he completed his primary education in Kundapura and Bangalore. Shivaram Karanth was influenced by Gandhi's principles and took part in the Indian Independence movement when he was in college. His participation in the Non-cooperation movement did not allow him to complete his college education which he quit in February 1922. He canvassed for khadi and swadeshi in Karnataka led by Indian National Congress leader Karnad Sadashiva Rao, for five years till 1927. By that time, Karanth had already started writing fiction novels and plays.



Badruddin Tyabji : (10 October 1844 – 19 August 1906)

was an Indian lawyer, activist, and politician during the British Raj. Tyabji was the first Indian to practice as a barrister of the High Court of Bombay. He also served as the third President of the Indian National Congress. He was one of the founding members and the first Muslim president of the Indian National Congress.



He founded the Anjuman-i-Islam College in Bombay in 1874. It started with one school and today it has more than eighty institutions from pre-primary schools to graduate and postgraduate level. Tyabji is often referred to as one of the most prominent members of Tyabji family.

Death Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

Mulayam Singh Yadav (1939 – 2022): (22 November 1939 – 10 October 2022) was an Indian politician, a socialist figure and founder

of the Samajwadi Party. Over the course of his political career spanning more than six decades, he served for three terms as the Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh, and also as the Union Minister of Defence in the Government of India. A long-time parliamentarian, he was a seven-time Member of Parliament representing Mainpuri, Azamgarh, Sambhal and Kannauj constituencies in the Lok Sabha, a ten-time member of the Legislative Assembly, member of the Legislative Council and the Leader of Opposition several times as well. Yadav was a prominent figure of his time in Uttar Pradesh politics, and was often referred to as Netaji (meaning respected leader in Hindi) by his party leaders and workers. In





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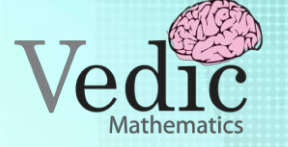
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2023, he was posthumously conferred with Padma Vibhushan, India's second highest civilian award by the Government of India.

Historical event for India

1992: Vidyasagar Setu (Second Hooghly Bridge) Opened The Vidyasagar Setu, a cable-stayed bridge over the Hooghly River, officially opened on October 10, 1992. It is the longest cable-stayed bridge in India and connects the cities of Kolkata and Howrah in West Bengal.

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Birth Anniversaries – International Personalities

Fridtjof Nansen (1861): Norwegian explorer, scientist, diplomat, and humanitarian, who was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

Thelonious Monk (1917): American jazz pianist and composer.

Harold Pinter (1930): English playwright, screenwriter, director, and Nobel Prize laureate.

Nora Roberts (1950): Bestselling American novelist.

Dale Earnhardt Jr. (1974): American retired professional stock car racing driver.

Death Anniversaries – International Personalities

Aleksey Konstantinovich Tolstoy (1875): Russian poet, novelist, and playwright

International Historical Events

Battle of Karbala (680): This battle, near Kufa (modern-day Iraq), resulted in the martyrdom of Husayn ibn Ali, a grandson of the Prophet Muhammad, by the forces of the Umayyad caliph Yazid I. It is a pivotal event in Islamic history, especially for Shi'a Muslims.

Battle of Tours (732): Led by Charles Martel, the Frankish forces decisively defeated a large Umayyad army near Tours, France, stopping the Islamic Caliphate's advance into Western Europe.

(1911): Wuchang Uprising and Xinhai Revolution begins An accidental bomb explosion led to the Wuchang Uprising in China, which quickly escalated





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into the Xinhai Revolution, a rebellion that ultimately toppled the Qing dynasty and established the Republic of China. This day is celebrated as Double Ten Day in Taiwan.

Fijian Independence (1970): The South Pacific island nation of Fiji gained its independence from Great Britain, becoming a sovereign state.

Outer Space Treaty Enforced (1967): The Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies, entered into force. It established the foundation of international space law, declaring outer space as the common heritage of mankind.

Tokyo Summer Olympics Begin (1964): The 1964 Summer Olympics opened in Tokyo, Japan, marking the first time the Olympic Games were held in Asia. They were also the first to be telecast internationally via satellite.

Dissolution of the Netherlands Antilles (2010): The Country of the Netherlands Antilles, a constituent country of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in the Caribbean, was officially dissolved, leading to the creation of new status for its islands (Curaçao and Sint Maarten became constituent countries, and Bonaire, Saba, and Sint Eustatius became special municipalities of the Netherlands).

Other Notable Events

Women's Social and Political Union (1903): Emmeline Pankhurst founded the Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU) in Britain, a militant organization that was instrumental in the fight for women's suffrage.

Great Hurricane of 1780: One of the deadliest Atlantic hurricanes on record, it struck the Caribbean, killing an estimated 20,000 to 30,000 people.

Beginning of the Ten Years' War (1868): Carlos Manuel de Céspedes declared Cuban independence from Spain

with the "Grito de Yara," initiating the Ten Years' War for independence.

Achille Lauro Hijacking Aftermath (1985): U.S. Navy aircraft intercepted an Egyptian airliner carrying the perpetrators of the Achille Lauro hijacking and forced it to land in Italy.

Sports-related Historical Events In India

India wins the team title in the World Carrom Competition: On 10 October (year specified in sources), India won the *team title* of the World Carrom Competition.

India's men's team bronze at Asian Table Tennis
On a 10 October (recent, probably 2024 or close), India won men's team bronze at the Asian Table Tennis Championship.

Sports-related Historical Events Internationally

1964 Summer Olympics opening (Tokyo, Japan)
The 1964 Olympics (Games of the XVIII Olympiad) officially opened in Tokyo on 10 October 1964. It was the first time the Summer Olympics were held in Asia.

The opening ceremony included symbolic elements such as the lighting of the Olympic Flame by Yoshinori Sakai, who was born in Hiroshima on the day the atomic bomb was dropped there.

Baseball/MLB: **World Series Actions**
Some notable baseball events on this date in different years:

In 1920, Bill Wambsganss of the Cleveland Indians recorded the only *unassisted triple play* in World Series history during Game 5 vs. the Brooklyn Robins.





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In 1924, Earl McNeely hit a walk-off single in the bottom of the 12th inning of Game 7 to give the Washington Senators their only World Series title, 4-3 over the New York Giants.

Also in 1964, Mickey Mantle hit a game-winning home run in the bottom of the 9th in Game 3 of the World Series, giving the Yankees a 2-1 lead.

Marathon/AgeRecord: In 1976, Dimitrion Yordanidis of Greece, aged 98, became the oldest person to compete in a marathon, finishing in 7 hours 33 minutes.

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