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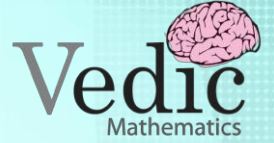
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Birth Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

Jhulan Goswami (1982): (Born 25 November 1982) is an Indian former cricketer. She played for the India women's national cricket team from 2002 to 2022. She



played as a right-arm medium fast bowler and right-handed batter. She is one of the fastest (female) bowler of all times and considered one of the greatest bowlers to ever play the sport. She played 204 ODI matches before her retirement from international cricket in 2022, taking 255 wickets, and holds the record for taking the most number of wickets in Women's One Day International cricket. Goswami won the ICC Women's Player of the Year award in 2007 and the M.A. Chidambaram trophy for Best Women's Cricketer in 2011. She became number one in the Women's ODI bowling rankings of ICC in January 2016 and regained it in March 2019.

Death Anniversaries – Indian Personalities

Chandulal Jaisinghbhai Shah (1898 – 1975): (13 April 1898 – 25 November 1975) was a famous director, producer and screenwriter of Indian films, who founded Ranjit Studios in 1929. Shah was born in 1898 in Jamnagar, Gujarat, British India. He studied at Sydenham College in Bombay (now Mumbai) and got a job at the Bombay Stock Exchange in 1924. While waiting to get a job he helped his brother, J. D. Shah, who was a writer for mythological films. He was called by the "Laxmi Film Company" to direct a film Vimla in 1925 as



its director Manilal Joshi was bedridden. Chandulal Shah not only directed the film but also went on to do two more films for the company, Panch Danda (1925) and Madhav Kam Kundala (1926) before returning to the Stock Exchange.

Historical event for India

1675: Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur

Event: This day marks the Martyrdom Anniversary (Shaheedi Diwas) of Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji (1621–1675), the Ninth Sikh Guru.

Significance: Guru Tegh Bahadur was publicly executed in Delhi on the orders of the Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb. He sacrificed his life to defend the right of the Kashmiri Pandits and other non-Muslim communities to practice their religion, setting a paramount example of tolerance and freedom of conscience in Indian history. He is famously known as '*Hind Di Chadar*' (The Shield of India).

Post-Independence Era Events

1948: Establishment of the National Cadet Corps (NCC) Day

While the NCC Act was passed in July 1948, the Raising Day of the first NCC Unit is traditionally celebrated on the fourth Sunday of November.

Significance: The first Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, presided over the function raising the first NCC Unit at Delhi on the fourth Sunday of November in 1948. This day is marked annually to celebrate the foundation of the country's youth wing of the Indian Armed Forces, dedicated to developing character, comradeship, and discipline among the youth.

1956: Lal Bahadur Shastri's Resignation





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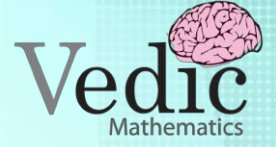
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Event: Lal Bahadur Shastri resigned from his post as the Minister of Railways following a serious rail accident (the Ariyalur rail disaster) in Tamil Nadu.

Significance: This act of resigning on the grounds of moral responsibility set a rare and powerful precedent for ethical accountability in independent India's political system.

1984: Death of Yashwantrao Chavan

Event: Yashwantrao Balwantrao Chavan, a prominent Indian politician, the first Chief Minister of Maharashtra, and a former Deputy Prime Minister of India, passed away.

Significance: He was a towering figure in Maharashtra's politics and played a key role in national affairs, holding important portfolios like Defence, Home, and External Affairs in the Union Cabinet.

Early Colonial Event

1510: Portuguese Conquest of Goa

Event: Portuguese forces, led by Afonso de Albuquerque, captured the city of Goa from the Bijapur Sultanate.

Significance: This conquest marked the establishment of Goa as the capital of the Portuguese State of India (*Estado da Índia*), initiating nearly 451 years of Portuguese colonial rule, which fundamentally shaped the region's culture, architecture, and religion.

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International Observances

International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women: Designated by the United Nations, this day aims to raise awareness of the fact that women around the world are subject to rape, domestic violence, and other forms of violence. It also marks the start of the "16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence" campaign.

Birth Anniversaries – International Personalities

Andrew Carnegie 1835: (Scottish-American industrialist and philanthropist)

Karl Benz 1844: (German engineer, credited with inventing the first practical automobile)

Carrie Nation 1846: (American temperance advocate)

Joe DiMaggio 1914: (American baseball player)

Augusto Pinochet 1915: (Chilean general and President/dictator)





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John F. Kennedy Jr. 1960: (American lawyer, journalist, and son of U.S. President John F. Kennedy)

Death Anniversaries – International Personalities

U Thant 1974: (Burmese diplomat, 3rd Secretary-General of the United Nations)

George Best 2005: (Northern Irish footballer)

Fidel Castro 2016: (Cuban revolutionary and political leader)

International Historical Events

Human Rights and Assassination

1960: Assassination of the Mirabal Sisters Three Dominican political dissidents—Patria, Minerva, and María Teresa Mirabal (known as *Las Mariposas* or "The Butterflies")—were brutally assassinated on the orders of dictator Rafael Trujillo. Their murder, staged as an accident, galvanized opposition to the regime and led the United Nations to designate November 25th as the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women in their honor.

World Diplomacy and Conflict

1936: The Anti-Comintern Pact Nazi Germany and the Empire of Japan signed this pact in Berlin, agreeing to consult on measures "to safeguard their common interests" in the event of an unprovoked attack by the Soviet Union against either nation. This treaty aligned the two major powers that would later form the core of the Axis in World War II.

1950: China Enters the Korean War The People's Republic of China officially joined the Korean War, launching a massive counterattack against the

advancing United Nations forces, completely changing the course of the conflict.

1783: British Evacuation of New York Following the Treaty of Paris which formally ended the American Revolutionary War, the last remaining British troops evacuated New York City. This event marked the final departure of British forces from the newly independent United States.

Independence and Political Change

1975: Suriname Independence The South American nation of Suriname gained its complete independence from the Netherlands.

1973: Military Coup in Greece President George Papadopoulos was overthrown in a military coup led by Brigadier General Dimitrios Ioannidis, just a week after the violent suppression of the Athens Polytechnic uprising.

1510: Portuguese Conquest of Goa Portuguese naval forces led by Afonso de Albuquerque conquered Goa from the Bijapur Sultanate. This marked the beginning of 451 years of Portuguese colonial rule in the region (now part of India).

Culture and Technology

1952: The Mousetrap Premieres Agatha Christie's murder-mystery play, *The Mousetrap*, premiered at the Ambassadors Theatre in London's West End. It went on to become the longest continuously-running play in history.

Sports-related Historical Events Internationally

1985: Mike Tyson's Quickest KO In boxing, a young Mike Tyson achieved one of the quickest knockouts of his early career by defeating opponent Sammy Scaff in





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just 55 seconds in Houston, Texas. This victory continued his rapid ascent to the heavyweight title.

1914: Birth of Joe DiMaggio American baseball Hall of Famer Joe DiMaggio was born. Known as "Joltin' Joe" and "The Yankee Clipper," he is most famous for his 56-game hitting streak in 1941, a record that stands to this day.

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