

Most Important Points Of 03rd November in History

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A group of 70 men, women, and children in 15 wagons set out west from near Independence, Missouri on May 15, 1841.

In Idaho, the group splits and 32 men and nine wagons follow John Bartleson and John Bidwell off the Oregon Trail into uncharted territory to the southwest, which the group hopes will lead to California.

- **James Buchanan was elected the 15th president of the United States in 1856.**

James Buchanan was the 15th president of the United States (1857-1861), taking office just before the American Civil War. He is the only president to be elected from Pennsylvania and to remain unmarried throughout his life.

Born in 1791 to a wealthy Pennsylvania family, Buchanan, a graduate of Dickinson College, was a gifted debater and a master of law.

He was elected to the House of Representatives five times; then, after an interlude as minister to Russia, served a decade in the Senate. He became Polk's secretary of state and Pierce's minister to Great Britain. Service abroad helped him secure the Democratic nomination in 1856 because it exempted him from involvement in bitter domestic disputes.

- **The University of Washington was founded in 1861 in Seattle.**

The University of Washington is a public research university in Seattle, Washington, United States. Founded in 1861, the University of Washington is one of the oldest universities on the West Coast of the United States.

The university's main campus spans 703 acres (284 hectares) located in the city's University District. It also has satellite campuses in the nearby cities of Tacoma and Bothell.



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- In 1879, African American inventor Thomas Elkins patented a refrigerating apparatus on this day.

Elkins' work as a medical examiner may have inspired his next and most famous invention - a device intended to improve the refrigeration of "articles liable to rot" such as "food, or human cadavers." The device was approved on November 4, 1879, and consisted of a covered trough or container to be kept at a low temperature.



- On this day in 1922, British archaeologist Howard Carter discovered the tomb of the Egyptian pharaoh Tutankhamun.

Tutankhamun's tomb was discovered in 1922 by excavators led by Howard Carter. As a result of the quantity and opulent appearance of the burial goods, the tomb caused a media sensation and became the most famous discovery in Egyptian history.

The discovery yielded limited evidence about Tutankhamun's reign and the history of the earlier Amarna Period, but it did provide insight into the material culture of wealthy ancient Egyptians, as well as patterns of ancient tomb robbing.

Tutankhamun became one of the most famous pharaohs, and some of the artifacts found from his tomb, such as his golden funerary mask, are among the most famous artifacts of ancient Egypt.



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National News

➤ **PM Modi Launches Coin & Stamp for Sardar Patel**

On the occasion of the 150th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel — a key figure in India's post-independence unification — the government of India took symbolic and substantive steps to honour his legacy. On October 2025 in Gujarat, Narendra Modi (Prime Minister of India) launched a special commemorative coin and postage stamp, along with development projects worth over ₹1,219 crore.



Key Points:-

- Known as the "Iron Man of India," Sardar Patel played a decisive role in integrating over 500 princely states into the Indian Union after independence.
- Celebrating this important anniversary gives us an opportunity to reaffirm his vision of "One India, Great India."

National News

➤ **Union Minister Piyush Goyal Unveils Second Edition of ₹1 Lakh Crore Startup Fund 'Anusandhan'**

Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal has called for India to reduce its dependence on foreign technologies and promote home-grown innovation under the Make in India initiative. Speaking at the TiEcon Delhi-NCR conference, he highlighted India's transition from digital success to a new phase of technological self-reliance.



Key Points:-

- During his address, Piyush Goyal announced two major funding initiatives to boost research and innovation:
 1. The second edition of the Startup Fund of Funds, which will support early-stage deeptech startups, and
 2. The ₹1 lakh crore Research Fund, aimed at funding research, product development, and transformative technologies in India.

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International News

➤ Russia's Poseidon Drone

In a dramatic announcement on October 2025, Russian President Vladimir Putin revealed that Russia had successfully tested Poseidon, a nuclear-powered and nuclear-armed unmanned underwater drone. According to Putin, the system is both "impossible to intercept" and capable of delivering devastating effects by triggering radioactive tsunamis near enemy coastlines. This signals a major development in strategic deterrence and maritime warfare.



Key Points:-

- Poseidon, formerly known as "Status-6," is an autonomous underwater vehicle equipped with a miniature nuclear reactor.
- This weapon was tested for the first time on nuclear power, which Putin described as a "major success."

Appointments

➤ President Appoints Justice Surya Kant as Next CJI

Justice Surya Kant has been officially appointed as the 53rd Chief Justice of India (CJI). President Droupadi Murmu approved the appointment following the recommendation of outgoing CJI Justice BR Gavai, whose tenure ends on 23 November 2025. Justice Surya Kant's term as CJI will begin on 24 November 2025, as announced by Law and Justice Minister Arjun Ram Meghwal.



Sports

➤ ICC T20 World Cup 2026

The ICC T20 World Cup 2026 is set to bring cricket fever back to South Asia. Scheduled from February 6 to March 8, 2026, this edition will be co-hosted by India and Sri Lanka, marking a landmark collaboration between two cricket-loving nations. After the 2024 T20 World Cup in the West Indies and USA, the upcoming ICC T20 tournament promises even greater excitement, fresh talent, and world-class cricketing action.



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Awards

➤ **World Food Prize Honour This Padmashree Awardee Chef**

Celebrated chef, author and Padma Shri awardee Sanjeev Kapoor has been recognised by the World Food Prize Foundation (WFPF) as one of its 2025 Top Agri-Food Pioneers (TAP). The honour highlights his work far beyond the kitchen — linking culinary expertise, nutrition advocacy, and agricultural sourcing into a unified agenda for better food systems. According to the Foundation's profile, Kapoor has helped deliver over 2.5 million nutrient-rich meals to schoolchildren and championed bio-fortified crops such as iron-rich pearl millet and zinc-rich wheat.



State News

➤ **New Sainik School in Namakkal District**

The Sainik School Society under the Union Ministry of Defence has added a new school in Tamil Nadu for candidates appearing in the All India Sainik Schools Entrance Examination (AISSEE) 2026. SRRI SPK Public Senior Secondary School in Namakkal district has been included in the list of schools considered for AISSEE 2026. With this addition, Tamil Nadu now has five schools under consideration for the examination.



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Q.1. Who was recently appointed as the 53rd Chief Justice of India (CJI)?

A. Justice D.Y. Chandrachud

C. Justice Surya Kant

B. Justice B.R. Gavai

D. Justice Sanjiv Khanna

1. C

Justice Surya Kant has been appointed as the 53rd Chief Justice of India (CJI), succeeding Justice Bhushan Ramakrishna (B.R.) Gavai. The appointment was made through a notification issued by the Department of Justice, Union Law Ministry, after the President's assent, under Article 124(2) of the Constitution.

Q.2. Which area has been a major focus of cooperation between India and Nepal recently?

A. Defence

C. Energy

B. Education

D. Tourism

2. C

India and Nepal signed two major agreements to develop new cross-border transmission lines to boost energy cooperation and enhance regional energy trade and connectivity. The agreements were signed between India's PowerGrid and the Nepal Electricity Authority. The two agreements involve the development of 400-kilovolt transmission systems from Inaruwa in Nepal to New Purnia in India and 400-kilovolt transmission systems from Lamki, Dododhara in Nepal to Bareilly in India.

Q.3. Which player was named Player of the Match for her unbeaten 127-run innings in the semi-final of the Women's ODI World Cup 2025, recently played at the D.Y. Patil Stadium?

A. Harmanpreet Kaur

C. Jemimah Rodrigues

B. Smriti Mandhana

D. Ellyse Perry



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3. C

India entered the final of the ICC Women's ODI World Cup after defeating Australia by 5 wickets in a thrilling semi-final match played at the Dr. D.Y. Patil Sports Academy in Navi Mumbai. Chasing a target of 339 runs, India achieved the target with 5 wickets in hand and 9 balls to spare. India achieved the target set by Australia thanks to Jemimah Rodrigues' unbeaten 127 runs off 134 balls and captain Harmanpreet Kaur's unbeaten 89 runs off 88 balls. Shree Charani and Deepti Sharma took 2 wickets each for India.

Q.4. What denomination commemorative coin did Prime Minister Narendra Modi recently release on the occasion of the 150th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel?

A. ₹150 coin

C. ₹200 coin

B. ₹100 coin

D. ₹50 coin

4. A

On the occasion of the 150th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the architect of India's post-independence integration, the Government of India has taken several symbolic and development initiatives to pay tribute to his contributions. Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched a commemorative coin worth ₹150, a special postage stamp and development projects worth ₹1,219 crore in Kevadia, Gujarat.

Q.5. Which global logistics company recently announced a new investment of US\$5 billion to expand its integrated supply chain network in India?

A. Maersk

C. DP World

B. DHL

D. FedEx

5. C



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In a major step towards strengthening India's logistics and maritime infrastructure sector, Dubai-based global logistics company DP World has announced a new investment of \$5 billion to expand its integrated supply chain network in India. This investment is in addition to the \$3 billion invested over the last 30 years, reflecting the company's long-term commitment to India's trade and export growth. The announcement was made by Sultan Ahmed bin Sulayem, Group Chairman and CEO of DP World, who described India as a strategic hub for global trade.

Q.6. Recently, ISRO is going to launch one of India's heaviest communication satellites via LVM3-M5 rocket from Sriharikota. What is the name of that satellite?

A. CMS-03

C. INSAT-4A

B. GSAT-30

D. GSAT-11

6. A

India's space program is poised to enter another historic chapter. The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) is set to launch its heaviest communications satellite, CMS-03, from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota (Andhra Pradesh). The launch will take place aboard the LVM3-M5 launch vehicle—the same powerful rocket that powered India's historic Chandrayaan-3 mission. This mission will advance India's high-capacity space communications capabilities and strengthen digital coverage and communication services across the country and surrounding maritime areas.

Q.7. Which port authority recently signed MoUs worth ₹39,216 crore during India Maritime Week 2025, including a mega shipbuilding cluster project worth ₹29,662 crore in Dugarajapatnam?

A. Chennai Port Authority

C. Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA)

B. Mumbai Port Authority

D. Cochin Port Authority

7. C



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The Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA) made headlines by signing several memorandums of understanding (MoUs) worth ₹39,216 crore at the India Maritime Week 2025 held in Mumbai. These investments are a powerful testament to Andhra Pradesh's growing strategic role in India's blue economy and maritime development.

Q.8. With which country did India recently sign a 10-year defense framework agreement to strengthen defense and security cooperation?

A. United States

C. Japan

B. France

D. Russia

8. A

India and the United States have taken another major step toward elevating their defense relationship to new heights. The two countries have signed a 10-year framework agreement to strengthen defense and security cooperation. This new agreement will guide the India-US strategic partnership in the coming decade and promote peace and stability in the Indo-Pacific region.

Q.9. What is the main objective of the 'AmazonFACE' project recently launched in the Amazon rainforest?

A. Increasing forest cover by planting new trees

C. Studying how rising CO₂ levels affect tropical forests

B. Studying the impact of deforestation

D. Controlling forest fires in tropical regions

9. C

Deep in the Amazon rainforest, a team of scientists is conducting a unique experiment aimed at understanding how rising carbon dioxide (CO₂) levels will affect the world's largest tropical forest. The project, called AmazonFACE, aims to simulate future climate conditions to see how the forest

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adapts. The study's findings will play a key role in the upcoming climate conference COP30, which Brazil will host.

Q.10. Recently, with which company did Nvidia announce the launch of 100,000 robotaxi vehicles by 2027?

A. Ola

C. Uber

B. Tesla

D. Google

10. C

Ride-sharing company Uber has announced a strategic partnership with Nvidia that will see 100,000 autonomous robot taxis on the roads by 2027. The move positions Uber as a leader in the race to incorporate Level-4 self-driving technology into commercial ride-hailing services. Using Nvidia's latest AI-based hardware and software platform, this initiative is a major leap forward in transforming urban mobility globally.

Q.11. Who recently inaugurated and laid the foundation stone for five development projects worth ₹29.50 crore in the Shri Renuka Ji Assembly constituency of Sirmaur district?

A. Harsh Vardhan Chauhan

C. Chief Minister Sukharvindra Singh Sukhu

B. Vinay Kumar

D. Ajay Solanki

11. C

Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu virtually inaugurated and laid the foundation stone of five development projects worth Rs 29.50 crore for Shri Renuka Ji Assembly Constituency of Sirmaur district from New Delhi. The Chief Minister dedicated the Government Industrial Training Institute building constructed at a cost of Rs 6.47 crore at Maina Bagh in Sangrah tehsil and the Sub-Mandi Yard Phase-1 constructed at a cost of Rs 2.20 crore at Nohradhar.

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Q.12. Who is the artist who recently gave Kangra painting a new lease of life and brought it international recognition in Europe?

A. Poonam Katoch

C. Surendra Kaur

B. Dhaniram

D. Ankesh Dogra

12. A

Poonam Katoch, a resident of Baroi Padhar village, near the famous Shaktipeeth Mata Chamunda, has honed her skills and given Kangra painting a new lease of life. Poonam has brought this traditional art, once on the brink of extinction, to the international stage.

Q.13. Recently, President Draupadi Murmu became the first President to fly which fighter aircraft?

A. Sukhoi Su-30

C. Rafale

B. Tejas

D. Mirage 2000

13. C

President Draupadi Murmu created history by flying a Rafale fighter jet for nearly 30 minutes from the Ambala Air Force Station in Haryana. With this flight, she became the first President of India to fly the Rafale and, notably, the first Indian President to fly two different Indian Air Force (IAF) fighter jets – the Rafale and the Sukhoi Su-30 MKI.

Q.14. Chef Sanjeev Kapoor was recently awarded which honor?

A. World Food Prize

C. Global Chef Award

B. Top Agri-Food Pioneers 2025

D. Sustainable Nutrition Award

14. B



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Renowned chef, author, and Padma Shri awardee Sanjeev Kapoor has been named by the World Food Prize Foundation (WFPF) as one of its 2025 "Top Agri-Food Pioneers (TAP)." The honor recognizes his contributions to nutrition, agriculture, and the integrated development of sustainable food systems beyond the kitchen. According to the foundation, Kapoor has so far provided over 2.5 million nutritious meals to schoolchildren and promoted biofortified crops such as iron-rich millet and zinc-rich wheat.

Q.15. Which country recently awarded former US President Donald Trump its highest national honor, the Grand Order of Mugunchwa?

A. Japan

C. France

B. South Korea

D. Russia

15. B

US President Donald Trump was welcomed to South Korea and awarded a replica golden crown and South Korea's highest national honor, the Grand Order of Mugunghwa. The Grand Order of Mugunghwa is South Korea's highest national honor. The honor was given to Trump for his role as a "peacemaker," particularly his past dialogue efforts with North Korea.