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1. Lovlina, Parveen, Saweety and Alifiya win Asian Boxing Championship titles at Amman (Nov. 11, 2022)

Lovlina, Parveen, Saweety and Alifiya win Asian Boxing

It was a gold medal day for India as **Lovlina Borgohain(75kg)**, **Parveen Hooda** (63kg), **Saweety** (81kg) and **Alfiya Khan** (81+kg) won gold and were crowned Asian champion at the **ASBC Asian Elite Boxing Championships** in **Amman**, Jordan on 11 November 2022.

World championships bronze medallist **Parveen Hooda** (63kg) defeated Japan's Kito Mai to win the **first gold** for India in the current Asian Boxing championship.

Tokyo Olympic 2020 bronze medallist **Lovlina Borgohain**, won the gold medal in the 75kg category by defeating Ruzmetova Sokhiba of Uzbekistan. It is Lovlina's **third Asian Championship medal**, she had won the bronze in 2017 and 2021 in the welterweight division.

Saweety and **Alifiya** then added to the gold rush, defeating Gulsaya Yerzhan of Kazakhstan and Islam Husaili of Jordan respectively.

Minakshi (women's 52kg) had to settle for Silver medal as she lost to Kinoshita Rinka of Japan in the final.

The ASBC Asian Elite Boxing Championships in Amman, Jordan is being held from 30 October -13 November 2022.

2. India has 2.49 lakh voter aged above 100 years: Chief Election Commissioner Rajiv Kumar (Nov. 9, 2022)

India has 2.49 lakh voter aged above 100 years

According to the Chief Election Commissioner of India **Rajiv Kumar** there are 2.49 lakh voters aged above 100 in India and 1.80 crore voters are over 80 years of age.

He was speaking after flagging off a bicycle rally in Maharashtra's **Pune city** on 9 November 2022 to create an awareness about voter registration as part of the national level launch of a special summary revision of the voters' list.

He also mentioned the first voter of Independent India **Shyam Saran Negi** who died at the age of 106 years after casting his postal ballot for the forthcoming [Himachal Legislative Assembly election](#).

What is Special summary revision of voters list?

Election commission of India prepares the voters list of eligible Indian citizens who are 18 years or above of age.

Any eligible citizen who has attained the age of 18 years **on 1 January** of that year (for this year it will be 1 January 2022) can enrol himself/herself as General Voter by filling form number 6.

To include anyone who has been left and not included as a voter, are included through the Special Summary Revision initiative.

The [Election Commission of India](#) conducts Special Summary Revision to enrol unenrolled eligible citizens during the month of Oct-Nov every year.

This year the Special Summary Revision of electoral rolls with reference to January 01, 2022 as qualifying date, will start from 01.11.2021.

Important points to Know

Whenever an election takes place, a public holiday is announced by the government on the polling day to encourage people to vote. The holiday is given under the **Negotiable Instrument Act 1881**.

National Voters day is observed in India on 25 January. It was on this day in 1950 the Election Commission of India came into being.

3. PM Modi to gift Himachal Pradesh artifact to the G20 leaders in the Bali summit (Nov. 9, 2022)

PM Modi to gift Himachal Pradesh artifact

Prime Minister Narendra Modi will gift various artifacts of [Himachal Pradesh](#) to the world leaders at the 17th G20 summit to be held at **Bali, Indonesia** on 15-16 November 2022. India will formally take over the G20 Presidency from Indonesia from 1 December 2022 and it will host the 18th G20 summit in 2023.

According to the newspaper reports the Prime Minister Modi will present **Chamba Rumal, Kangra miniature paintings, Kinnauri Shawl, Himachali Mukhate, Kullu Shawl, and Kanal Brass Set** to the world leaders as an attempt to boost the Himachal's art and culture across the globe.

The Prime Minister unveiled the [logo](#), theme, and website of India's G20 Presidency via video-conferencing on 8 November 2022.

G-20 is the premier forum for international economic cooperation representing around 85 percent of the global GDP, over 75 per cent of the worldwide trade, and about two-thirds of the world population.. G-20 is a group of 19 countries and the European Union.

4. Three Indian women on Forbes Asian women businesswomen list (Nov. 9, 2022)

Forbes Asian women businesswomen list

The [Forbes](#) Asia magazine released its annual 'Asia's Power Businesswomen' list which includes three Indian women amongst the 20 women from the Asia-Pacific region. Among the three Indian businesswomen who feature on the unranked list is **Ghazal Alagh, Soma Mondal** and **Namita Thapar**.

This year, the list includes three women each from India, Japan, Australia and Indonesia, two each from South Korea, Singapore and Thailand, and one each from Taiwan and China.

Indian Business woman on the list

Ghazal Alagh is the co founder of Honasa Consumer, which is the owner of Mamaearth, The Derma Company

Soma Mandal is the first woman chairman of the Public sector company, Steel Authority of India Ltd (SAIL).

Namita Thapar is the executive director of the Emcure Pharma (India).

The women were selected for their achievements in running a business with sizeable revenue and demonstrating strong leadership throughout their career.

5. Justice D Y Chandrachud takes oath as 50th CJI (Nov. 9, 2022)

Justice D Y Chandrachud takes oath as 50th CJI

Justice **D Y Chandrachud** took oath as the new **Chief Justice of India** on November 9, 2022. President Draupadi Murmu administered the oath of office to Justice Chandrachud as the **50th Chief Justice of India at Rashtrapati Bhavan**. He succeeded Justice **U U Lalit**, who retired on November 8, 2022.

Important facts

- Justice Chandrachud's term will last till **November 10, 2024**.
- Justice Chandrachud, born on **November 11, 1959**, was appointed a judge of the Supreme Court on **May 13, 2016**.
- His father Justice **Y V Chandrachud** was the **16th Chief Justice of India** from **2 February 1978 to 11 July 1985**.
- Justice Chandrachud was the Chief **Justice of the Allahabad High Court** before his appointment to the Supreme Court with effect from October 31, 2013.
- He was a judge of the **Bombay High Court** prior to his appointment as the Chief Justice of the Allahabad High Court with effect from March 29, 2000.
- Justice Chandrachud also served as the **Additional Solicitor General of India** from 1998 until his appointment as a judge in the Bombay High Court.
- He was nominated as a **Senior Advocate** by the Bombay High Court in **June 1998**.
- Justice Chandrachud gave historic judgments in matters relating to **Section 377 IPC, Aadhaar, Sabarimala etc.**
- Recently a bench headed by Justice Chandrachud had allowed **medical termination of pregnancy** to unmarried women.

Supreme Court and its Chief Justice

- The Supreme Court of India came into existence on **26 January 1950**. The Federal Court which was set up under the Government of India act 1935 was converted into the Supreme Court of India.
- Its first sitting was held on **28 January 1950**.
- The first Chief Justice of India was **Harilal J.Kania**.
- The 16th Chief Justice of India, Yeshwant Vishnu Chandrachud, is the longest-serving Chief Justice. He was Chief Justice of India for over **7 years (February 1978 - July 1985)**.
- The **22nd Chief Justice of India, Kamal Narain Singh**, is the **shortest-serving Chief Justice**. He was the Chief Justice of India for 17 days (25 November 1991 - 12 December 1991).

6. Caroline Garcia of France beats Aryna Sabalenka to win the WTA Finals 2022 title (Nov. 8, 2022)

WTA Finals 2022 title

Caroline Garcia of France won the **WTA (Women Tennis Association) Finals 2022** with a straight-sets victory over **Aryna Sabalenka** on 7 November 2022.

The season ending WTA tournament in which the top ranked women players participate ,was held at **Forth Worth, Texas** in the United States of America from 31st October -7 November 2022.

Caroline Garcia is the second Frenchwoman to win the tournament after Amelie Mauresmo in 2005.

Sabalenka was not playing under the Belarus flags as the WTA has suspended the players from Belarus and Russia to participate under their national flags due to the Ukraine war.

Iga Swiatek of Poland finished the 2022 tennis year as the top ranked women player.

Women Tennis Association (WTA)

It was founded by the legendary women Tennis player Billie Jean King in 1973 as an association of professional women tennis players in the world.

The WTA organises women's tennis tournaments called Tour comprising over 50 events and four Grand Slams. The Tour culminates with the WTA Finals.

The WTA's corporate headquarters is in **St. Petersburg, Florida**, with its European headquarters in London and its Asia-Pacific headquarters in Beijing.

7. Government constitute 22nd Law Commission with Justice (retd.) Rituraj Awasthi as the Chairperson (Nov. 8, 2022)

Government constitute 22nd Law Commission

The Union ministry of **Law and Justice** constituted the **22nd Law Commission** on 7 November 2022 and appointed former Karnataka High court chief justice **Rituraj Awasthi** as the chairperson of the Law Commission.

The five member 22nd Law Commission will have a term of **three years**.

Justice Rituraj Awasthi was recently in the spotlight as the judge who headed the Karnataka High Court bench which delivered the hijab verdict.

Other members of the Law Commission

Former Kerala High Court judge Justice KT Sankaran, Prof. Anand Paliwal, Prof. DP Verma, Prof. (Dr) Raka Arya and M Karunanithi have been appointed members of the Law Commission.

Justice BS Chauhan was the chairman of the 21st Law Commission whose term expired in August 2018.

Law Commission in India

Law commission is a non-statutory body which is set up by the Union Ministry of Law and Justice for suggesting reform in laws in India.

Its recommendations are not binding on the government.

The provision for the Law commission was made in the Charter **act 1833** and the **first Law commission** was set up in 1834 under the chairmanship of **Lord Thomas Babington Macaulay**.

The Indian Penal Code 1860 is based on the recommendation of the Macaulay commission.

The **First Law commission in Independent India** was set up in 1955 and **M.C Setalvad** who was also the first Attorney General of India was the chairman of the Law Commission.

8. Gopal Vittal of Airtel elected as the Vice Chairman of the Global Telecom body GSMA (Nov. 8, 2022)

Gopal Vittal of Airtel

[Airtel](#) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) **Gopal Vittal** has been elected as the deputy chairman of the Global System for Global Association (GSMA) for a period of **2 years** beginning 1 January 2023. He is the second Indian to hold a post in the GSMA,

Earlier Bharti Airtel founder and Chairman, Sunil **Bharti Mittal** was elected as the GSMA Chairman in 2017-18.

Telefonica Group CEO Jose Maria Alvarez-Pallete Lopez continues to be the chairman of the GSMA board. Telefonica is a Spanish multinational telecom company.

Global System for Global Association (GSMA)

GSMA was founded in 1995 as an international association of telecom companies which uses the GSM mobile platform.

Global System for Mobile communication (GSM) technology for mobile communication was developed by Groupe Speciale Mobile (GSM).

Groupe Speciale Mobile (GSM) was formed by the Confederation of European Posts and Telecommunications (CEPT) in 1982 to design pan-European mobile technology.

Today GSM is the most used digital wireless technology in the world. The other wireless technologies are **CDMA (Code Division Multiple Access)** and **TDMA (Time Division Multiple Access)**.

Headquarters of GSMA: **London**, United Kingdom

9. UK court approves India's request for extradition of Sanjay Bhandari (Nov. 8, 2022)

A magisterial court in the **United Kingdom** has approved the request for extradition of middleman **Sanjay Bhandari** to India in connection with charges of money laundering and tax evasion on November 7, 2022.

Important facts

- Indian authorities had made two requests for the extradition of 60-year-old Bhandari. The first request was related to money laundering, while the second was related to tax evasion.
- District Judge **Michael Snow** heard the case earlier this year at **Westminster Magistrates' Court in London**.
- He said in his decision that there was no stay on Bhandari's extradition and decided to refer the matter to British Home Minister Suella Braverman, who is authorised to order extradition based on a court decision.
- The court passed order on the basis of the assurance of the Government of India that Bhandari would be kept in a separate cell in Tihar Jail in New Delhi along with the concerned health facilities during the trial.
- Bhandari is accused of concealing foreign assets, using old documents, profiting from assets not declared to the Indian tax authorities and falsely informing the authorities that he does not have any assets.

What is Extradition?

- Extradition is the formal process of surrendering a person from one state to another.
- The purpose of this process is the prosecution or punishment for offences committed by a person within the jurisdiction of the requesting country.
- The extradition of a fugitive criminal to India is regulated under the **Indian Extradition Act, 1962**.

- The Consular, Passport and Visa (CPV) Division, Ministry of External Affairs is the central/nodal authority to administer the Extradition Act.
- Extradition process can be initiated in case of under-investigation, under-trial and convicted criminals.

10. Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar to lead India at the ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit in Cambodia (Nov. 7, 2022)

ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit

According to the Ministry of External Affairs press release issued on 7 November 2022 the Vice President of India **Jagdeep Dhankhar** will visit Cambodia from the 11th-13th of November 2022 to attend the **ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit** and the **17th East Asia Summit**. The Vice President will be accompanied by External Affairs Minister Dr. S. Jaishankar.

During his three day official visit, the Vice President will attend the ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit in Phnom Penh on 12th November 2022.

He will also participate in the 17th East Asia Summit on 13th November 2022.

This year marks the **30th anniversary of ASEAN-India relations** and is being celebrated as the ASEAN-India Friendship Year.

He will also have bilateral engagements with the Cambodian leadership and leaders from other countries.

India -ASEAN meeting

As per the Look East foreign policy of the Narasimha Rao government in 90s, the government of India focussed on increasing trade and investment with East Asia with special focus on ASEAN.

Evolution of India -ASEAN relationship

India was initially made a **sectoral partner** by ASEAN in 1992. With the increasing depth in the relationships the status was changed to a **Dialogue Partner** in 1996.

In 2022 the relationship was further upgraded to **Summit level**

And finally in 2012 it was elevated to **Strategic partnership**.

Association of Southeast Asian Nation (ASEAN)

It was set up in 1967 as a group of South-East Asian nations.

At present there are 10 members in the group. They are

Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam.

The headquarters of ASEAN: **Jakarta, Indonesia.**

East Asia Summit

The East Asia Summit is a regional forum set up by ASEAN (Association of SouthEast Asian Nations) with Regional powers of the Asia-Pacific region including United States and Russia to further cooperation on strategic and economic cooperation in the region.

The EAS has **18 member countries**. It includes all the 10 ASEAN countries (Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam) and **Australia, China, India, Japan, New Zealand, South Korea, Russia** and the **US**.

Whichever ASEAN country is the chairman of ASEAN hosts the EAS related meeting in its country. Currently **Cambodia** is the chairman of ASEAN.