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TODAY'S IMPORTANT CURRENT AFFAIRS BANKING

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IMPORTANT DAYS

World Tuna day observed on May 2

- 1. The **day was sponsored by the UN** to promote the awareness about the importance of sustainable tuna fishing and marine ecosystem.
- 2. The day was first observed on May 2, 2017 and this year it was the 9th annual celebration.
- 3. The theme of the day is "Our Ocean, Our Tuna, Our Future".



NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Madhya Pradesh introduced India's first AI - powered Real - time forest alert system

- 1. Madhya Pradesh has launched India's first AI based
- 2. real time forest alert system, a groundbreaking initiative aimed at enhancing forest conservation efforts.
- 3. The pilot locations of the project are Shivpuri, Guna, Vidisha, Burhanpur, Khandwa.
- 4. The technology used are Google earth engine, AI algorithms, Mobile apps.





CareEdge State rankings 2025

Maharashtra, Gujarat and Karnataka have emerged as the top three states based on their overall performance across seven key pillars like economic, fiscal, infrastructure, financial, development, social, governance and environment.

APPOINTMENTS

Air Marshal N Tiwari to take charge as Vice Chief of Air Staff

- 1. Air Marshal Narmdeshwar Tiwari who was currently serving as the Air Officer Commanding-in-chief of the South-Western Air Command is set to take charge as the new Vice Chief of the Air Staff.
- 2. He will succeed Air Marshal SP Darkar.





Arvind Shrivastava takes charge as Revenue Secretary

- 1. Arvind Shrivastava took charge as the Revenue Secretary in the Finance Ministry.
- 2. He is a 1994 batch IAS officer of Karnataka cadre.
- 3. He served as the Joint Secretary and then additional secretary in the PM's office.
- 4. Previously, he served as the Joint Secretary in the Budget Division of the Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance.

SPORTS

Sports Minister presents Khel Ratna to Satwik - Chirag

Sports Minister Mansukh Mandaviya presented the Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna award to Badminton stars Chirag Shetty and Satwiksairaj Rankireddy in New Delhi.



Harsabardhan, Jyoshna clinch medals in youth weightlifting

Harsabardhan Sahu (49 kg) and Jyoshna Sabar (40 kg) both hailing from **Odisha** claimed overall bronze medals and junior weightlifting championships in Lima, Peru



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