

THE DAILY GK DOSE

Anil Chakravarthy Named Adobe CEO



- Anil Chakravarthy, an Indian-origin technology executive, has been named the next President and CEO of Adobe.
- He will succeed Shantanu Narayen, who has served as Adobe's CEO since 2007 and will become Executive Chair.
- Adobe Inc. is an American multinational software company headquartered in San Jose, California, USA.

Ahuti Mk II Becomes India's Fastest Multirotor UAV



- Ahuti Mk II is an advanced multirotor Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) developed by Hyderabad-based Apollyon Dynamics.
- The UAV achieved a top speed of 498 km/h, making it India's fastest multirotor UAV.
- The achievement was officially recognized by the India Book of Records.

Kerala to Set Up Coconut Park to Boost Value Addition and Exports



- Kerala Chief Minister V. D. Satheesan announced the establishment of a Coconut Park.
- The park will be developed with support from the Coconut Development Board (CDB).
- The proposed Coconut Park will be established at Malappuram district, Kerala.

Tamil Nadu Olympic City to Be Established in Chennai



- Tamil Nadu Chief Minister C. Joseph Vijay announced the establishment of a world-class Tamil Nadu Olympic City in Chennai.
- It will include international-standard sports arenas, advanced equipment and a High Performance Training Centre.
- The Olympic City will be developed through the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT).

Lahore Named SCO Tourism and Cultural Capital for 2026–27

- The designation was made during the 26th SCO Council of Heads of State meeting in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.
- Pakistan assumed the SCO chairmanship for 2026–27.
- Previous SCO Tourism and Cultural Capitals were Varanasi, India (2022–23), Almaty, Kazakhstan (2023–24), Qingdao, China (2024–25), and Cholpon-Ata, Kyrgyzstan (2025–26).

Giorgia Meloni Becomes Italy's Longest-Serving PM Since WWII



- She is the first woman to become Prime Minister of Italy.
- Her government is the 68th government of Italy since 1946.
- Italy is a country in Southern Europe, and its capital is Rome.

ISRO GSLV-F17 Launches EOS-05 in Major Space Mission



- ISRO successfully launched GSLV-F17 carrying EOS-05 from the Second Launch Pad of Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SDSC-SHAR), Sriharikota, Andhra Pradesh.
- EOS-05 is an advanced Earth Observation Satellite and is India's first dedicated imaging satellite designed to operate from geosynchronous orbit.
- GSLV is a three-stage launch vehicle consisting of solid, liquid and cryogenic propulsion stages.

Smriti Mandhana Becomes Leading Run-Scorer in Women's Cricket



- Smriti Mandhana became the highest run-scorer in women's international cricket across all formats, surpassing Mithali Raj's 10,868 runs.
- She achieved the milestone during India's Women's T20 Asia Cup 2026 match against Hong Kong, China in Dubai.
- Smriti Mandhana, who belongs to Mumbai, Maharashtra, scored 124 runs off 64 balls, including 14 fours and 7 sixes.

CORE BANKING SOLUTIONS (CBS) – EXAMPLES

e-Kuber — Reserve Bank of India (RBI)

Finacle — Infosys

BaNCS — TCS

FLEXCUBE — Oracle

Temenos Transact (T24) — Temenos

FinnOne Neo — Nucleus Software

Intellect Core Banking — Intellect Design Arena

WHAT HAPPENED TODAY?

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Dadabhai Naoroji Birth Anniversary 2026 is observed on September 4, remembering the Grand Old Man of India, his Drain of Wealth Theory, nationalism and contribution to Swaraj.