



## **CURRENT AFFAIRS OF SEPTEMBER 2025**

### **Awards**

The Indian actor and filmmaker (predominantly in Malayalam films) who has been chosen to be awarded the Dada Saheb Phalke award – **Mohanlal Viswanathan**

### **Defence**

The multinational maritime exercise with participation of over 40 countries (including India) conducting at Changi, Singapore from 15 Sep 2025 is named – **Exercise Pacific Reach 2025**

The world's first all-women tri-service circumnavigation sailing expedition comprising 10 officers aboard IASV Triveni, which was flagged off from Gateway of India on 12 September 2025 is named – **Samudra Pradakshina**

The operation launched by Indian Army's Western Command, to provide relief missions in the flood-affected regions of Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, and Jammu and Kashmir was named – **Operation Rahat**

The multilateral (Belarus-Russia-India) joint military exercise conducted from 10 to 16 September 2025 at the Mulino Training Ground, Nizhniy, Russia is named – **Exercise ZAPAD 2025**

The 14th edition of the India - Thailand joint military exercise conducted at Joint Training Node (JTN), Umroi, Meghalaya from 1st to 14th September 2025 is named – **Exercise MAITREE-XIV**

The venue of the 21st edition of the India–USA Joint Military Exercise Yudh Abhyas 2025, scheduled from 1st to 14th September 2025 – **Fort Wainwright, Alaska**

### **Sports**

The former Indian cricketer and administrator who has been elected as the 37th President of the BCCI – **Mithun Manhas**

The country whose membership has been suspended by the International Cricket Council over governance issues – **USA**

The well-known English cricketer and international cricket umpire who passed away on 22 September 2025 – **Dickie Bird**

The French footballer who has been awarded the 2025 Ballon d'Or – **Ousmane Dembele**

The team which has won the 2025-26 edition of Duleep Trophy cricket tournament – **Central Zone**

The Indian Chess player who has won the FIDE Women's Grand Swiss Tournament 2025 held at Samarkand, Uzbekistan from 4 to 15 September 2025 – **Ms. Vaishali Rameshbabu**

The team which has won the 2025 Women's Hockey Asia Cup organized by the Asian Hockey Federation from 5 to 14 September 2025 at the Gongshu Canal Sports Park Hockey Field in Hangzhou, China defeating India in the finals – **China**

### **Persons**

The Indian novelist, philosopher and screenwriter who wrote in Kannada (recipient of Padma Shri, Padma Bhushan, Saraswati Samman and Sahitya Akademi Award) who passed away on 24 September 2025 – **Shri SL Bhurappa**

The Indian musician, singer, composer of primarily Assamese, Bengali and Hindi films who passed away on 19 September 2025 – **Zubeen Garg**

The former first woman Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Nepal who has taken over as the first woman Prime Minister of the country with effect from 12 September 2025 – **Smt Sushila Karki**

The Governor of Gujarat who has been additional charge as the Governor of Maharashtra following the election of its Governor as the Vice President of India – **Shri Acharya Devvrat**

The 15th Vice President of India who has been elected to succeed Shri Jagdeep Dhankar who resigned in July 2025 – **Shri CP Radhakrishnan**

The Italian fashion designer and founder of the Armani luxury fashion house who passed away on 04 September 2025 – **Giorgio Armani**

### **Miscellaneous**

The typhoon in the Pacific Ocean which severely affected Philippines and Taiwan and also impacted Hong Kong, Macau and Vietnam was named – **Typhoon Ragasa**

The two wetlands in Bihar which have been designated as Ramsar sites recently – **Gokul Jalashay (Buxar) and Udaipur Jheel (W. Champaran)**

The Indian singer and film maker from Assam on whose birth centenary, the RBI has issued a commemorative coin – **Shri Bhupen Hazarika**

The Beta Version of India's first AI-powered translation platform for tribal languages launched by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs is named – **Adi Vaani**

The city in China which hosted the 2025 SCO (Shanghai Cooperation Organisation) Summit from 31 August to 01 September 2025 – **Tianjin**

### **2025 Men's Hockey Asia Cup**

**Host City:** Rajgir, Bihar

Held from 29 August to 07 September 2025

**Teams:** India, China, Japan, Kazakhstan, Malaysia, South Korea, Bangladesh, Chinese Taipei

**Venue:** Bihar Sports University Hockey Stadium

**Winners:** India (4th title)

**Runners-up:** South Korea

**Top scorer:** Akhimullah Anuar (12 goals) (Malaysia)

**Best Player:** Abhishek Nain (India)

### **Important Days of September**

**International Day of Charity:** 05 September 2025

Designated by: United Nations General Assembly

First observed: 2013

Note: 05 September is the death anniversary of Mother Teresa

**International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies:** 07 September 2025

Designated by: United Nations General Assembly

First observed: 2020

Theme: **Racing for Air. Every Breath Matters**

**International Literacy Day:** 08 September 2025

Designated by: UNESCO

First observed: 1996

Theme: **Promoting literacy in the digital era**

<b>World Suicide Prevention Day:</b> 10 September 2025 Designated by: International Association for Suicide Prevention First observed: 2003 Theme: <b>Changing the narrative on suicide (2024-26)</b>
<b>International Day of Democracy:</b> 15 September 2025 Designated by: United Nations General Assembly First observed: 2008
<b>International Day for Preservation of Ozone Layer:</b> 16 September 2025 Designated by: United Nations General Assembly First observed: 1995 Theme: <b>From science to global action</b>
<b>World Patient Safety Day:</b> 17 September 2025 Designated by: World Health Organisation First observed: 2019 Theme: <b>Safe care for every newborn and child</b>
<b>International Day of Peace:</b> 21 September 2025 Designated by: United Nations General Assembly First observed: 1982 Theme: <b>Act Now for a Peaceful World</b>
<b>International Day of Sign Languages:</b> 23 September 2025 Designated by: United Nations General Assembly First observed: 2020 Theme: <b>No Human Rights Without Sign Language Rights</b>
<b>International Day for Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons:</b> 26 September 2025 Designated by: United Nations General Assembly First observed: 2014
<b>World Tourism Day:</b> 27 September 2025 Designated by: UNWTO First observed: 1980 Theme: <b>Tourism and Sustainable Transformation</b>
<b>World Rabies Day:</b> 28 September 2025 Designated by: Global Alliance for Rabies Control First observed: 1980 Theme: <b>Act now: You, Me, Community</b>
<b>International Day for Universal Access to Information:</b> 28 September 2025 Designated by: UNESCO First observed: 2016 Theme: <b>Ensuring Access to Environmental Information in the Digital Age</b>
<b>World Maritime Day:</b> 28 September 2025 Designated by: International Maritime Organisation First observed: 1978 Theme: <b>Our Ocean, Our Obligation, Our Opportunity</b>

**International Translation Day: 30 September 2025**

Designated by: Federation of International Translators and UN General Assembly

First observed: 1953 (by FIT) and 2020 (by UN)

## **2025 Men's Cricket Asia Cup**

**Host:** UAE

**Held from** 9 to 28 September 2025

**Teams:** Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Hong Kong, Oman and UAE

**Venue of the final match:** Dubai International Cricket Stadium in Dubai

**Winners:** India (9th title)

**Runners-up:** Pakistan

**Player of the series:** Abhishek Sharma (India)

**Most runs:** Abhishek Sharma (314)

**Most wickets:** Kuldeep Yadav (17)

**Player of the final match:** Tilak Verma

## **US Open 2025**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner-up</b>
Men's Singles	Carlos Alcaraz (Spain)	Janik Sinner (Italy)
Women's Singles	Aryna Sabalenka (Belarus)	Amanda Anisimova (USA)
Men's Doubles	Marcel Granollers (Spain) and Horacio Zeballos (Argentina)	Joe Salisbury and Neal Skupski (United Kingdom)
Women's Doubles	Gabriela Dabrowski (Canada) and Erin Routliffe (New Zealand)	Katerina Siniakova (Czechia) and Taylor Townsend (USA)
Mixed Doubles	Sara Errani (Italy) and Andrea Vavassori (Italy)	Iga Swiatek (Poland) and Casper Ruud (Norway)