

**Today's Event – 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

- 1682 – Bishop Gore School, one of the oldest schools in Wales, is founded.
- 1723 – Grand Master António Manoel de Vilhena lays down the first stone of Fort Manoel in Malta.
- 1741 – George Frideric Handel completes his oratorio, *Messiah*.
- 1752 – The British Empire adopts the Gregorian calendar, skipping eleven days (the previous day was September 2).
- 1901 – U.S. President William McKinley dies after being mortally wounded on September 6 by anarchist Leon Czolgosz and is succeeded by Vice President Theodore Roosevelt.
- 1911 – Russian Premier Pyotr Stolypin is shot by Dmitry Bogrov while attending a performance of Rimsky-Korsakov's *The Tale of Tsar Saltan* at the Kiev Opera House, in the presence of Tsar Nicholas II
- 1914 – HMAS *AE1*, the Royal Australian Navy's first submarine, is lost at sea with all hands near East New Britain, Papua New Guinea.
- 1917 – The Russian Empire is formally replaced by the Russian Republic.
- 1936 – Raoul Villain, who assassinated the French Socialist Jean Jaurès, is himself killed by Spanish Republicans in Ibiza.
- 1944 – World War II: Maastricht becomes the first Dutch city to be liberated by allied forces.
- 1948 – The Indian Army captures the city of Aurangabad as part of Operation Polo.
- 1954 – In a top-secret nuclear test, a Soviet Tu-4 bomber drops a 40 kiloton atomic weapon just north of Totskoye village.
- 1958 – The first two German post-war rockets, designed by the German engineer Ernst Mohr, reach the upper atmosphere.
- 1959 – The Soviet probe *Luna 2* crashes onto the Moon, becoming the first man-made object to reach it.
- 1960 – The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) is founded.
- 1975 – The first American saint, Elizabeth Ann Seton, is canonized by Pope Paul VI.
- 1982 – President-elect of Lebanon Bachir Gemayel is assassinated.
- 1984 – Joe Kittinger becomes the first person to fly a gas balloon alone across the Atlantic Ocean.
- 1985 – Penang Bridge, the longest bridge in Malaysia, connecting the island of Penang to the mainland, opens to traffic.
- 1989 – The Standard Gravure shooting where Joseph T. Wesbecker, a 47-year-old pressman, killed eight people and injured 12 people at his former workplace, Standard Gravure, before committing suicide.
- 1992 – The Constitutional Court of Bosnia and Herzegovina declares the breakaway Croatian Republic of Herzeg-Bosnia to be illegal.

- 1994 – The Major League Baseball season is cancelled because of a strike.
- 1999 – Kiribati, Nauru, and Tonga join the United Nations.
- 2000 – Microsoft releases Windows Me.
- 2001 – Historic National Prayer Service held at Washington National Cathedral for victims of the September 11 attacks. A similar service is held in Canada on Parliament Hill, the largest vigil ever held in the nation's capital.
- 2003 – In a referendum, Estonia approves joining the European Union.
- 2007 – Financial crisis of 2007–2008: The Northern Rock bank experiences the first bank run in the United Kingdom in 150 years.
- 2015 – The first observation of gravitational waves is made, announced by the LIGO and Virgo collaborations on 11 February 2016.
- 2019 – Yemen's Houthi rebels claim responsibility for an attack on Saudi Arabian oil facilities

#### **National Events-**

- PM Modi to lay foundation stone Raja Mahendra Pratap Singh University
- Bhupendra Patel takes oath as Gujarat's 17<sup>th</sup> Chief Minister
- 25k cases recorded in India in the last 24 hours related to covid-19
- Tamil Nadu raised the quota of women in government jobs up to 40%
- PM Modi to attend Quad summit in person hosted by US President Joe Biden

#### **International Events-**

- Germany allows entry of 2k Afghan refugees
- Greek medical experts approve booster of covid-19 for people above 60
- 1.2 billion dollars pledged by the international community for Afghanistan humanitarian problems
- The US completed the evacuation of 1.24 lakhs of Afghan refugees
- China locks down cities as Covid Delta case rises

#### **Job alerts-**

- NHM Sirsa Jobs for ambulance driver and other posts. Last date 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021
- NIA Stenographer Jobs for Assistant, Accountant, and other posts. Last date 11<sup>th</sup> October 2021
- OPSC Jobs for geologist and other posts. Last date 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021
- AP High Court Jobs for assistant and other posts. Last date 30<sup>th</sup> September 2021
- HURL Jobs for Executive and other posts. Last date 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021

#### **Sports-**

- VVS Laxman says that ICC should award a 2-1 victory to India for their performance against England
- Sourav Ganguly said that the Fifth Test must be rescheduled for a proper ending

- Ireland draws series with Zimbabwe as rain disrupts match on the 3<sup>rd</sup> ODI
- Former Chelsea striker Demba Ba announced retirement

#### Technology-

- Jio launched the cheapest prepaid plan at Rs. 75 with 28 days validity
- NXP Semiconductor selects TCS as a strategic partner
- JioBook laptop to launch in India very soon
- Coinbase planning to raise 1.5 billion dollars through a debt offering
- Xiaomi unveils smart glasses with live translation

#### Economy –

- Zomato co-founder Gaurav Gupta resigned
- Apple issued a fix for flaw linked to Pegasus
- WPI inflation rose up to 11.39% during August
- Petrol at Rs. 101.19; diesel at Rs. 88.62
- Freshworks targeting 912 million dollars in US IPO

#### Local –

- Samples of a 25-year-old man in Mangalore sent for Nipah test
- Kishore Dutta resigned as Advocate General of West Bengal
- A 21-year woman constable in training in UP resigned after uploading lip-syncing video showcasing guns on Instagram
- Haryana drives mega vaccination campaign till September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- One terrorist killed in Rajouri district of J&K

#### Person in News –

- Charlotte Johnson, the mother of UK PM Boris Johnson, passed away at age 79

#### GK –

##### Who has been sworn in as the Chief Minister of Gujarat?

- [A] Bhupendra Patel
- [B] Acharya Devvrat
- [C] Anandiben Patel
- [D] Pushkar Singh Dhami

##### Who has become the first woman excavation engineer to work in an open cast mine at Central Coalfields Ltd?

- [A] Akanksha Kumari
- [B] Shivangi Singh
- [C] Bhawana Kanth
- [D] Shivani Meena

**Who has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of Lebanon?**

- [A] Hassan Diab
- [B] Aziz Akhannouch
- [C] Najib Mikati
- [D] Michel Aoun

**Who has been appointed as Prime Minister of Morocco?**

- [A] Moulay Hafid Elalamy
- [B] Aziz Akhannouch
- [C] Nizar Baraka
- [D] Aziz Rabbah

**Who is the author of the book 'Human Rights and Terrorism in India?'**

- [A] Ajit Doval
- [B] Subramanian Swamy
- [C] Bipin Rawat
- [D] Shashi Tharoor