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National Maritime Day



Context:

- **National Maritime Day** is celebrated in India every year on April 5th.
- It marks the maiden voyage of the **SS Loyalty** in 1919, a pivotal moment symbolizing India's journey as an independent maritime nation.

Key Points:

- Recognizes the vital role of the **maritime sector** in India's history, economy, and development.
- **Honors the contributions of seafarers** and those working in the maritime industry.
- **Raises awareness** about the importance of maritime trade and the challenges faced by the industry.

About:

- **SS Loyalty** is the first Indian merchant ship to set sail under the Indian flag in 1919.
- This historic voyage, **departing from Mumbai for London**, marked a significant step towards India's independence as a maritime nation.
- The **Scindia Steam Navigation Company Ltd.**, owned by the visionary industrialist **Seth Walchand Hirachand Doshi**, played a key role in this achievement.

Theme:

- The Theme for 2024 National Maritime Day is **"Navigating the future: safety first!"**

Telangana among states with better PCI growth rate than national avg



Context:

- Telangana has emerged as a frontrunner among Indian states with a per capita income (PCI) growth exceeding the national average.
- This indicates a **robust economic trajectory** for the state.

Key Points:

- **Impressive Growth:**
- **Top Contenders:** Gujarat, Karnataka, and Telangana are at the forefront of this acceleration.
- Telangana's success can be attributed to factors like:
- **Service Sector Boom:** The state's service sector, particularly **Information Technology (IT)**, has witnessed significant growth, propelling overall **GSDP (Gross State Domestic Product)**.



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Focus on Agriculture: The agricultural sector has also seen improvement, ensuring stability and income generation.
<p>L&T Metro Rail's Office Bubbles launched at Hyderabad stations</p> 	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● L&T Metro Rail (Hyderabad) Limited (L&TMRHL) has launched a new concept called "Office Bubbles" at three Hyderabad metro stations: HITEC City, Durgam Cheruvu, and Madhapur. ● These are secure, remote co-working spaces that are the first of their kind in India's urban transport sector. ● They cater to the growing demand for flexible workspaces in the city. ● This innovative model allows companies to set up satellite offices around the city and leverage Hyderabad's metro network for easy commuting. ● Trendz Property Management LLP is the first company to take advantage of this new offering, leasing 10,000 square feet of space.
<p>International Day of Conscience</p> 	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The International Day of Conscience is celebrated annually on April 5 ● It is a global day of awareness commemorating the importance of human conscience. ● The day encourages us to reflect on our values and how we can use them to build a better world. <p>About:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● It was established by the United Nations General Assembly on July 25, 2019, with the adoption of UN resolution 73/329. ● On April 5, 2020, the first International Day of Conscience was celebrated. <p>Theme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The theme for 2024 is "Promoting the Culture of Peace with Love and Conscience." ● This emphasizes using our conscience to guide actions that foster peace and respect for all.
<p>Telangana's first female football coach</p>	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Masavena Vanitha is the State's first female football coach. ● An All-India Football Federation's D license football coach, Vanitha defied societal norms to pursue her passion for the sport and represented the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh in eight nationals.



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- She is now aiming to ensure Telangana's rise in football

About:

- In the 2024 edition of the competition held in Gajwel, 10 young female footballers trained under Vanitha showcased their skills in the Under-13, 15 and 17 categories representing Care Football Academy, Nizamabad, and Deccan Dynamos, Hyderabad, in the league.



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