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Let's check this news about (SOFI Report). Then, we will move ahead

## SOFI Report Flags Rising Global Food Challenges

According to the SOFI 2025 report, around 8.2% of the global population—approximately 720 million people—suffered from chronic hunger in 2024, while 2.3 billion faced moderate or severe food insecurity. Although this marks a slight improvement from previous years, hunger levels remain higher than before the pandemic. Africa has the highest hunger rate, with over 17% of its population undernourished. Projections indicate that 512 million people may still be chronically hungry by 2030. The report stresses the need for targeted fiscal actions, stable policies, and stronger market systems to tackle food insecurity.



[Image Source: Mint]

## Mangalore Student Sets 170-Hour Bharatanatyam Record

Remona Evette Pereira, a 20-year-old Mangalore student, broke the world record by performing Bharatanatyam nonstop for 170 hours, securing a spot in the Golden Book of World Records. Her week-long performance, reflecting spiritual dedication and cultural heritage, was honored by religious leaders and the local community. Having trained for 13 years under Guru Sri Vidya, Remona's achievement represents the harmony between different faiths and highlights Indian classical dance as a unifying cultural force.

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[Image Source: India Today]

## Turkey Reveals Gazap, the Most Powerful Non-Nuclear Bomb

Turkey unveiled Gazap, the world's most powerful non-nuclear bomb, at IDEF 2025. Weighing 970 kilograms, this thermobaric fragmentation weapon releases nearly 10,000 particles within a one-kilometer radius, generating intense heat and shockwaves that can vaporize targets. Compatible with F-16 and F-4 jets, Gazap surpasses conventional bombs in both precision and destructive power. Alongside Gazap, Turkey also introduced the NEB-2 Ghost, a deep-penetration bomb. These developments highlight Turkey's advancing defense technology, amid ongoing humanitarian concerns.



[Image Source: CNN News]

## Shiksha Samagam 2025 Celebrates NEP Five-Year Anniversary

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Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan inaugurated the Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Samagam 2025, celebrating five years since the launch of NEP 2020. The event saw the rollout of educational initiatives worth ₹4,000 crore, including enhanced school infrastructure and digital platforms like TARA and ViBe. Foreign universities expressed interest in establishing campuses in India. The summit highlighted progress in curriculum reforms, foundational learning, teacher development, and digital integration. However, challenges such as state-level policy disagreements and delays in institutional reforms like HECI and teacher education frameworks persist.



[Image Source: Mint]

## Global Tiger Day Highlights India's Environmental Initiatives

Union Minister Bhopender Yadav announced that India's tiger reserves have grown from 46 in 2014 to 58 in 2025 during the Global Tiger Day event. He also launched a nationwide tree-planting campaign, planting over 100,000 saplings across the reserves, and urged citizens to participate in the 'Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam' initiative. India continues to lead global big cat conservation through the International Big Cat Alliance, involving 24 countries. Efforts like plastic-free reserves and the youth-focused Mission LiFE promote sustainable conservation and environmental responsibility.

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[Image Source: Wikipedia]

## DRDO Successfully Tests Indigenous Pralay Missile's Range Capabilities

The Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) successfully conducted range tests of the indigenous quasi-ballistic missile 'Pralay' over two days from Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Island in Odisha. The missile precisely struck its targets, confirming its minimum and maximum range capabilities. Developed collaboratively by several DRDO laboratories and industry partners such as Bharat Dynamics and Bharat Electronics, Pralay is equipped with advanced guidance systems and can carry different types of warheads. Defence Minister Rajnath Singh and DRDO Chairman Samir Kamat lauded the tests, calling them a significant milestone toward the missile's induction into the Armed Forces.



[Image Source: India Today]

## Jabalpur to Host Nation's First Hindi MBBS College

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Jabalpur in Madhya Pradesh is set to become home to India's first Hindi-medium MBBS college, beginning in the 2027–28 academic year with an initial intake of 50 students. Approved by the Madhya Pradesh Medical University, the college will conduct teaching, examinations, and clinical training entirely in Hindi. Building on the state's earlier efforts to translate medical textbooks, this initiative aims to make medical education more accessible for Hindi-speaking students and could pave the way for Hindi-medium postgraduate medical courses in the future.



**Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Medical College Jabalpur**



[Image Source: PIB]

## ISRO's GSLV Set to Launch NASA-ISRO NISAR Satellite

The Geosynchronous Satellite Launch Vehicle (GSLV), developed by ISRO, is a three-stage rocket designed to deliver heavier payloads into Geosynchronous Transfer Orbit (GTO). Measuring 49.13 meters in height, it consists of a solid first stage, a liquid-fueled second stage, and a cryogenic upper stage. Its variants include GSLV Mk I, Mk II—with an indigenous cryogenic engine—and Mk III (LVM-3), India's most powerful launcher. GSLV has successfully carried missions like INSAT, GSAT, NavIC, and Chandrayaan-2, and is now preparing to launch the NASA-ISRO NISAR satellite.



[Image Source: BBC News]

## Bhil community revives ancient Gavri dance tradition

Each year, the Bhil community of Mewar observes the 40-day Gavri festival, a lively dance-drama that portrays the battle between Goddess Amba and Demon Bhiamwal, representing the triumph of good over evil. Exclusively performed by men, groups travel to villages where their married sisters and daughters reside, presenting scenes known as khels accompanied by music and vibrant costumes. This age-old tradition pays tribute to Gorkhiya Mata and supports family welfare. For the first time, Bhil rituals and oral heritage are being exhibited at the India International Centre.



[Image Source: India Today]

## Divyanshi Bhowmick Wins Historic U-15 Title

Divyanshi Bhowmick made history by winning the U-15 Girls' Singles title at the 29th Asian Youth Table Tennis Championships in Tashkent, ending India's 36-year drought in the category. She defeated top Chinese players and qualified for the World Youth Championships. Trained under the Dani Sports Foundation and Ultimate Table Tennis, Divyanshi also won the U-19 title at the WTT Youth Contender in Kazakhstan. India secured 11 medals overall at the event, signaling a bright future in youth table tennis.



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