

**Top 10 Current Affairs Questions of Today -October 11, 2024**

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Today's blog will be on the current affairs of 11th October 2024. So, check out the current affairs and stay up-to-date. You can download PDF also for current affairs today.

Let's check this news about (ASEAN-India Summit) Then, we will move ahead.

## 21st ASEAN-India Summit

The 21st edition of ASEAN-India Summit 2024 is set to take place in Vientiane, Laos. Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) is an intergovernmental organisation of 10 Southeast Asian Nations. It was established in 1967 in Bangkok with the signing of the Bangkok Declaration also known as the ASEAN Declaration. Its secretariat is located in Jakarta, Indonesia. The ASEAN summit meets annually to discuss regional issues and set policy directions.



[Image Source: India Today]

## Mount Dhaulagiri

The seventh highest mountain in the world Mount Dhaulagiri was recently in the news after five Russian Mountaineers lost their lives during an expedition. The mountain has an elevation of 8167 metres and is located in Dhaulagiri Himal Mountain range of West-central Nepal. The mountain extends from Kaligandak river to the Bheri River and the mountain is entirely located in Nepal.

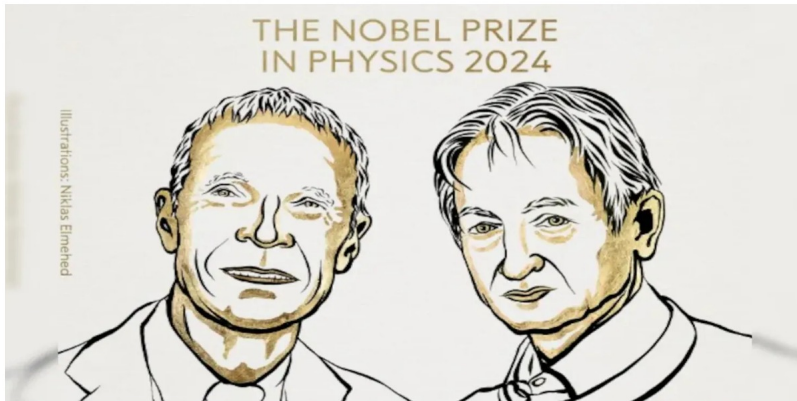
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[Image Source: BBC News]

## 2024 Nobel Prize in Physics

The 2024 Nobel Prize in Physics was awarded to John Hopfield and Geoffrey Hinton for their work on Machine Learning. They made foundational discoveries and inventions that enable machine learning with Artificial Neural Networks. Machine learning is a branch of Artificial Intelligence focussed on building computer systems that learn from data. The work of laureates has been used to solve problems in Physics, Chemistry, Medicine, Biology, Health and Finance.



[Image Source: Mint]

## Endangered Halari Donkey

Halari Donkeys native to the Halar region of Gujarat are considered as the intelligent animals working closely with human beings. The surviving population of the Halari Donkey are fewer than 500 and thus are considered under the Endangered category. The Bharwad and Rabari Pastoralists are the main communities that use donkeys as pack animals.

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[Image Source: Mint]

## Tiger Reserve at Kaimur Wildlife Sanctuary

The National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) recently gave nod to develop a Tiger Reserve at Kaimur Wildlife Sanctuary, Bihar. It is the state's second Tiger Reserve after Valmiki Tiger Reserve. The Kaimur Wildlife Sanctuary forms a catchment to the Kav, Sone and Durgawati river systems. The sanctuary is located in the Vindhyaachal Hill Ranges.



[Image Source: Wikipedia]

## Exercise Malabar-2024

Naval Fleet Exercise Malabar 2024 was recently flagged off at Eastern Naval Command (ENC), Visakhapatnam. The first edition of the Exercise took place in 1992 as a bilateral Naval Exercise between India and US Navy. Japan was included in the Exercise in 2015. The exercise takes place annually in the Indian Ocean and Pacific Ocean alternatively with the aim to strengthen cooperation and security in the Indo-Pacific region.

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[Image Source: India Today]

## Major Atmospheric Cherenkov Experiment (MACE) Observatory

Chairman of Atomic Energy Commission Dr Ajit Kumar recently inaugurated the Major Atmospheric Cherenkov Experiment (MACE) Observatory at Hanle, Ladakh. It is Asia's largest and World's highest Imaging Cherenkov Observatory located at an altitude of 4300m. The Telescope is built indigenously by BAARC in collaboration with ECIL and other Industry partners.



[Image Source: NDTV]

## India eliminates Trachoma

The World Health Organisation (WHO) recently announced the elimination of Trachoma as a Public Health concern in 2024 by India. India became the third country in the South-East Asia Region to achieve this milestone. Trachoma is a Bacterial infection that affects the eyes and is caused by bacterium Chlamydia Trachomatis.

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[Image Source: NDTV]

## Monthly nutrition support doubled under Ni-kshay Poshan Yojana

The Monthly nutrition support under Ni-kshay Poshan Yojana was doubled from Rs 500 to Rs 1000 per month by the Union Health Ministry. Ni-kshay Poshan Yojana was launched by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme under the National Health Mission in 2018. The Ni-kshay Poshan Yojana is a DBT scheme with the aim to provide incentives for nutritional support to Tuberculosis Patients.



[Image Source: India Today]

## Asian Table Tennis Championships 2024

The Indian Men's Table Tennis team defeated Kazakhstan 3-1 in quarterfinals to secure their third consecutive medal at Asian Table Tennis Championships 2024. Indian Men have won bronze medals in 2023 and 2021.

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