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Let's check this news about (Global Fintech Fest) Then, we will move ahead.

Ukraine's First Ballistic Missile Tested

Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky recently announced the successful test of Ukraine's first domestically manufactured ballistic missile, the Hrim-2. At the "Ukraine 2024" forum, Zelensky praised the country's defence industry for this significant achievement but did not disclose additional details about the missile. This development represents a major milestone for Ukraine's defence capabilities and underscores advancements in its military technology.



[Image Source: BBC News]

Indian Army Launches Project NAMAN

The Indian Army has launched Phase One of Project NAMAN, led by General Upendra Dwivedi and Mrs. Sunita Dwivedi. The initiative aims to enhance support for Defence Pensioners, Veterans, and their families through the SPARSH digital pension system. In partnership with CSC e-Governance and HDFC Bank, 14 Common Service Centres (CSCs) have been established across India, with plans to expand to 200 centres in 2-3 years. The project also creates job opportunities for veterans and their families.

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[Image Source: NDTV]

Nepal's first Healthy city

The World Health Organization (WHO) has designated Dhulikhel Municipality in Kavrepalanchok district as Nepal's first 'healthy city' and the second healthiest city in Asia. With a score of 65.48 on health metrics, Dhulikhel earned its place in the WHO Healthy City Network after years of dedicated health initiatives. For its accomplishments, the municipality will be awarded USD 5,000. This recognition is notable amid Nepal's status as the third most polluted country in the world.



[Image Source: India Today]

Digital Bharat Nidhi Enhances Rural Connectivity

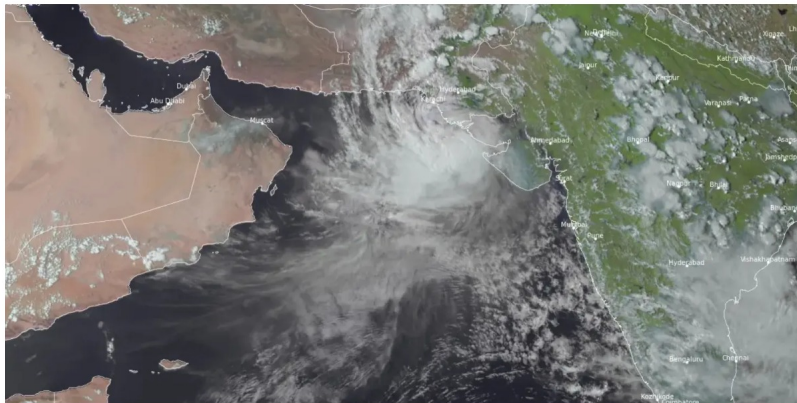
The 'Digital Bharat Nidhi,' the first set of rules under the Telecom Act 2023, has come into effect, replacing the Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF). The initiative, as outlined in the government notification, will fund projects targeting underserved groups such as women, persons with disabilities, and economically weaker sections. Aimed at boosting telecom connectivity in rural and underserved areas, Digital Bharat Nidhi is a step towards advancing India's telecommunications leadership.

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[Image Source: India Today]

August Cyclone Asna Heads Arabian Sea

Cyclone Asna, a rare land-originating storm, formed over Gujarat and Pakistan's Kutch coast, moving towards the Arabian Sea. The India Meteorological Department reported light to moderate rainfall in Gujarat and heavy rainfall in Kutch and Saurashtra on Friday. Originating as a low-pressure area in the Bay of Bengal on August 16, Asna is set to become a cyclonic storm over the Arabian Sea. It is only the fourth August cyclone in the region since 1944.



[Image Source: India Today]

PATA Gold Awarded for Tourism Excellence

The Nepal Tourism Board (NTB) has won the PATA Gold Award for Sustainable Tourism for its Livelihood Recovery Project (STLRP), marking its third PATA accolade in community-based tourism. This recognition follows awards in 2022 and 2023 for tourism resilience and women's empowerment. The STLRP has generated 10,000 temporary jobs and trained 4,000 people post-pandemic. Kerala Tourism also received the 2024 PATA Gold Award for Digital Marketing for its Holiday Heist contest.

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[Image Source: Mint]

Largest Listeria Outbreak Since 2011

A recent Listeria outbreak in the US has led to over 50 illnesses and nine deaths, with 57 hospitalised across 18 states, marking the largest such outbreak since the 2011 cantaloupe incident. Symptoms like fever, chills, and headache can take up to ten weeks to appear. Listeria, which survives on surfaces and in refrigerated foods, is particularly dangerous for individuals with weakened immune systems, pregnant women, and the elderly.



[Image Source: Wikipedia]

Nano DAP Fails to Boost Yields

A two-year study by Punjab Agricultural University (PAU) has shown that nano diammonium phosphate (DAP) significantly reduces wheat yields compared to conventional nitrogen fertilisers. The research revealed decreased plant height, nutrient content, and protein production in wheat grain and straw. Similar to concerns about nano urea, the efficiency of nano DAP remains uncertain. Despite its promotion to reduce imports and subsidies, its benefits are questioned, echoing past issues with nano urea, which also showed decreased crop yields.

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[Image Source: India Today]

INDUS-X Summit Set for September 2024

The INDUS-X Summit, a key event for defence innovation, will hold its third edition on September 9-10, 2024, at Stanford University in California. This summit brings together leaders from India and the United States to explore new ideas and technologies in the defence sector. The primary aim is to enhance collaboration between the two countries, focusing on advancements and innovations in defence. The summit underscores the ongoing commitment to strengthening the U.S.-India defence partnerships.



[Image Source: India Today]

Manish Narwal at the Paris 2024 Paralympics

India's Manish Narwal secured the silver medal in the men's 10m air pistol shooting SH1 class at the Paris 2024 Paralympics. The 22-year-old para shooter scored 234.9, falling short of gold, which went to South Korea's Jo Jeongdu with 237.4. Yang Chao of China, the Tokyo 2020 gold medallist and world record holder, took bronze with a score of 214.3. Narwal's strong start was undermined by only one 10+ hit in his final six shots.



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