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NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

India, UK unveil 10 year roadmap for Bilateral Trade Partnership

- The Prime Minister of India, **Shri Narendra Modi** and his British counterpart **Boris Johnson** held a **virtual Summit** meeting.
- Both the leaders unveiled an **ambitious 10-year road map** to elevate the **India-UK bilateral relationship** to a **comprehensive strategic partnership**.

The World's Longest Pedestrian Bridge Opens in Portugal

- The **world's longest pedestrian suspension bridge** named "**Arouca**" was opened in **Portugal**, according to a press release by **UNESCO's Arouca World Geopark**.
- The **Arouca Bridge** offers a **half-kilometre** (almost 1,700-foot) **walk across** its span.

Odisha announces Gopabandhu Sambadika Swasthya Bima Yojana

- Odisha** government has announced **Gopabandhu Sambadika Swasthya Bima Yojana** for **journalists**.
- Odisha has declared the **journalists as frontline Covid warriors**. It will benefit more than **6500 journalists** of the state.

Nation's first 'Drive in Vaccination Center' unveiled in Mumbai

- The **Nation's first 'Drive in Vaccination Center'** was inaugurated by MP **Rahul Shewale** in **Mumbai**.
- This center has been set up in the parking lot of **Kohinoor Square Tower** at **Dadar**.

BUSINESS & ECONOMY

RBI Announces Term Liquidity Facility of Rs. 50,000 Crore For Healthcare

- The **Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** Governor **Shaktikanta Das** has announced a **Covid-19 healthcare package** of **Rs 50,000 crore**, for **lending to entities** such as **vaccine makers, medical equipment suppliers, hospitals and related sectors**, besides the patients in need of funds for treatment.

S&P Revises India's GDP Growth Forecast to 9.8% for FY22

- The **US-based S&P Global Ratings** has **lowered the GDP growth forecast** of the Indian economy to **9.8 per cent** for the financial year **2021-22 (FY22)**.

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AWARDS & RECOGNITION

Singer Pink bags Icon Award at Billboard Music Awards

- **Singer Pink** will be honoured with the **Icon Award** at the **2021 Billboard Music Awards** (BBMAs).
- The award aims to recognize **artists who have achieved success on the Billboard charts** and left an indelible impact on music.

APPOINTMENTS & RESIGNATIONS

RM Sundaram appointed as Director of Indian Institute of Rice Research

- **Raman Meenakshi Sundaram** has been appointed as **Director of the Indian Institute of Rice Research (IIRR)**, an arm of the **Indian Council of Agricultural Research**.
- Prior to this elevation, he was working as **Principal Scientist (Biotechnology)** at the institute **crop Improvement Section**.

Vijay Goel takes over as CMD of THDCIL

- **THDC India Ltd** has announced that **Vijay Goel** assumed as **chairman and managing director**.
- His appointment will come into effect from **May 1, 2021**.

IMPORTANT DAYS

International No Diet Day: 06 May

- **International No Diet Day** is observed on **May 6**, and its symbol is a **light blue ribbon**.
- It is an annual celebration of **body acceptance, including fat acceptance and body shape diversity**.

SPORTS

AICF launches Checkmate Covid Initiative

- The **All India Chess Federation** has launched the **'Checkmate Covid Initiative'** to help the chess community affected by the pandemic.
- The initiative was launched at an online event in the presence of **FIDE (World Chess Federation) president Arkady Dvorkovich**, **five-time world champion Viswanathan Anand**, **World Rapid Chess Champion Koneru Humpy**, **AICF president Sanjay Kapoor** and **secretary Bharat Singh Chauhan**.

OBITUARY

V Kalyanam, Mahatma Gandhi's Former Personal Secretary, Passes Away

- **Mahatma Gandhi's** former **personal secretary V Kalyanam** passed away.
- He was **Gandhi's** personal secretary from **1943 to 1948**, when the **Mahatma** was assassinated.