



EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – JUNE 10, 2026

INTERNATIONAL

PM Modi to Visit France and Slovakia; G7 Summit, Innovation and Strategic Ties in Focus

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi will undertake a six-day visit to France and Slovakia from June 13–18, 2026, aimed at strengthening India's strategic partnerships in Europe.
- During the visit, he will hold bilateral talks with Emmanuel Macron in Nice, focusing on defense, technology, AI, clean energy, space cooperation, trade, and global issues.
- The leaders will also inaugurate the Bharat Innovates event to promote startup and innovation collaboration.
- Modi will then undertake the first-ever visit by an Indian Prime Minister to independent Slovakia, meeting Robert Fico and Peter Pellegrini to expand bilateral cooperation.
- He will also participate in the G7 Summit 2026, discussing global challenges such as economic growth, climate change, energy security, AI, and sustainable development.

El Niño Returns in 2026: Global Weather Patterns Face Major Disruptions

- The El Niño has returned in 2026, according to the Japan Meteorological Agency, marking its first occurrence since 2023. Scientists expect it to strengthen through late 2026 and potentially develop into a "Super El Niño."

- Caused by unusually warm waters in the central and eastern Pacific Ocean, El Niño alters global weather patterns, increasing risks of droughts, floods, heatwaves, and higher temperatures.
- It may weaken India's monsoon, affecting agriculture and water resources. Globally, crops such as rice, wheat, coffee, cocoa, and cotton could face reduced yields and supply disruptions.

NATIONAL

Narendra Modi Becomes India's Longest Continuously Serving Elected Prime Minister

- On June 10, 2026, Prime Minister Narendra Modi completed 4,399 consecutive days in office, surpassing the record of Jawaharlal Nehru (4,398 consecutive days after election) to become India's longest continuously serving elected Prime Minister.
- Modi first assumed office on May 26, 2014, and led his party to victories in the 2014, 2019, and 2024 Lok Sabha elections.
- He is the first non-Congress Prime Minister to complete two full-majority terms and the first since Nehru to win three consecutive general elections as incumbent. Earlier, he also surpassed Indira Gandhi's uninterrupted tenure record.
- However, Nehru remains India's longest-serving Prime Minister overall, with a total tenure of 6,131 days (1947–1964).

SCHEMES

VB-G RAM G Scheme: Government Announces ₹95,692 Crore Allocation for New Rural Employment Framework

- The Union Government has announced an interim allocation of ₹95,692.31 crore under the newly introduced VB-G RAM G Scheme (Viksit Bharat – Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission – Gramin), marking a major shift in India's rural employment and welfare framework.
- The scheme is set to begin from 1 July 2026 and aims to ensure smooth transition for existing beneficiaries without disruption.

- Designed under the Viksit Bharat @2047 vision, the programme links employment generation with durable asset creation under the principle “Rozgar Bhi, Samman Bhi.”
- It targets up to 125 days of annual employment, faster DBT wage payments, and focuses on water security, rural infrastructure, livelihood assets, and climate-resilient development, strengthening long-term rural economic growth.

Rapido Partners with MoRTH to Promote Rahveer Scheme

- Rapido has partnered with the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRTH) to promote the Rahveer Scheme, an initiative encouraging citizens to assist road accident victims during the “golden hour.”
- As part of the campaign, over 4 lakh Rapido captains took a road safety pledge, creating a Guinness World Record.
- The initiative was launched in the presence of Union Minister Nitin Gadkari and aims to improve emergency response and save lives.
- Rapido will use its platform across 400+ cities for awareness through digital campaigns, in-app education, and outreach, strengthening India’s road safety ecosystem.

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY NEWS

50-Year Mystery Solved: Scientists Discover Winds Blowing from Milky Way’s Central Black Hole

- Astronomers have found the first strong evidence of winds blowing from Sagittarius A*, solving a mystery that has persisted since its discovery in the 1970s.
- Using over 100 hours of observations from the Atacama Large Millimeter/submillimeter Array in Chile, researchers identified a cone-shaped cavity near the black hole lacking cold carbon monoxide gas.
- The findings suggest that gentle hot winds from Sagittarius A* are pushing material away.
- Published in The Astrophysical Journal Letters, the study improves understanding of how even relatively quiet black holes influence star formation, galaxy evolution, and the growth of supermassive black holes.

Reliance Industries and Meta Partner to Build India's First AI-Enabled Hyperscale Data Centre in Gujarat

- Reliance Industries Limited and Meta Platforms have partnered to develop an AI-enabled hyperscale data centre in Jamnagar.
- The facility will have an initial capacity of 168 MW, is expected to be completed within two years, and will be Meta's first built-to-suit data centre in India. Meta will lease capacity to support its growing AI, cloud, and data-processing needs.
- Reliance will oversee design, development, renewable power supply, connectivity, operations, and maintenance.
- Powered by renewable energy and using desalinated seawater for cooling, the project highlights India's rising role in the global AI and digital infrastructure ecosystem.

NASA Names Artemis III Crew for Historic 2027 Moon Mission Test Flight

- NASA has announced the crew for the historic Artemis III mission, scheduled for 2027. The prime crew includes Randy Bresnik (Commander), Luca Parmitano (Pilot), and mission specialists Andre Douglas and Frank Rubio, with Bob Hines as backup.
- The mission will launch aboard the Space Launch System (SLS) carrying the Orion spacecraft and will test critical rendezvous, docking, navigation, and crew-transfer technologies in Earth orbit.
- Artemis III will conduct docking demonstrations with lunar lander pathfinders from Blue Origin and SpaceX. Notably, Luca Parmitano becomes the first astronaut from the European Space Agency (ESA) assigned to an Artemis mission.
- The two-week mission will help prepare for future lunar landings and eventual human missions to Mars under the Artemis program.

