

# **May 2022 Current Affairs PDF**

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# **May 2022 Important Day with Theme**

Date	Day with Theme	
1st Sunday of May	World Laughter Day	
1st Tuesday of May	World Asthma day  Theme: " Closing Gaps in Asthma Care".	
2nd Sunday of May	Mother's Day	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday May	National Endangered Species Day	
1st May	International Labour Day	
1st May	Foundation Day of Gujarat and Maharashtra	
2nd May	World Tuna Day	
3rd May	World Press Freedom Day  Theme: "Journalism under digital siege"	
3rd May	World Asthma Day Theme: "Closing Gaps in Asthma Care"	
4th May	International Fire-fighters Day	
5th May	World Cartoonist's Day	
5th May	World hand hygiene day  Theme: "Unite for safety: clean your hands"	
5th May	International Midwives Day  Theme: "100 Years of Progress!"	
6th May	International No Diet Day	
7th May	Border Road Organisation's (BRO) foundation day	
7th May	World Athletics Day	
8th May	World Red Cross Day.  Theme: "Believe in the power of kindness"	
8th May	World Thalassemia Day Theme: "Be Aware.Share.Care: Working with the global community as one to improve thalassemia knowledge."	



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10th May	World Migratory Bird Day	
10th May	International Day of Argania  Theme: "The Argan tree, symbol of resilience"	
11th May	National Technology Day  Theme: "Integrated Approach in Science and technology for sustainable future"	
12th May	International Nurses Day Theme:" Nurses: A Voice to Lead-Invest in Nursing and Respect Rights to Secure a Global Health"	
14th May	World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD). Also in 8th October Theme: "Light Pollution"	
14th May	World Fair Trade Day	
15th May	International Day of Families  Theme: "Families and Urbanisation"	
16th May	International Day of Light Theme: "Basic sciences for sustainable development and glass"	
17th May	World Telecommunication & Information Society Day	
17th May	World Hypertension Day.  Theme: "Measure your blood pressure accurately, control it, Live longer"	
17 <sup>th</sup> to 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Global Road Safety Week.	
18th May	International Museum Day  Theme: "The Power of Museums"	
18th May	World AIDS Vaccine Day	
20th May	World Bee Day  Theme: "Bee Engaged: Celebrating the diversity of bees and beekeeping systems"	
20th May	World Metrology Day  Theme:" Metrology in the Digital Era"	
20th May	National Endangered Species Day  Theme: "Recovering key species for ecosystem restoration"	
21st May	National Anti-Terrorism Day	
21st May	International Tea Day	
21st May	World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development	



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22nd May	International Day for Biological Diversity  Theme: "Building a shared future for all life"			
23rd May	World Turtle Day.  Theme: "Shellebrate:- everyone to Love and Save Turtles"			
23rd May	International Day to End Obstetric Fistula			
24th May	Commonwealth Day  Theme: 'Delivering a Common Future'			
25th May	International Missing Children's Day			
25th May	World Thyroid Day  Theme: "It's not you. It's your thyroid"			
28th May	Menstrual Hygiene Day Theme: "To create a world where no woman or girl is held back because they menstruate by 2030"			
28th May	International Day for Women's Health			
29th May	International Day of UN Peacekeepers  Theme: "People Peace Progress: The Power of Partnerships"			
29 <sup>th</sup> May	International Everest day			
29 <sup>th</sup> May	World Digestive health day			
30th May	Statehood Day of Goa			
30th May	Hindi Journalism Day			
31st May	World No Tobacco Day  Theme: "Protect The Environment"			

# **Important Appointments in May 2022**

Name of the Person	Designation	
Abhilash Barak	First woman combat aviator in the Indian Army	
Alkesh Kumar Sharma	Secretary of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology	
Anthony Albanese	New PM of Australia	
Archana Gulati	Policy head of Google	
Aruna Singh	Chairman & MD of RailTel Corporation of India Limited (RCIL)	



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Arvind Krishna	Ninth Board of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York		
B Govindarajan	CEO of Eicher Motors parent company of Royal Enfield		
Campbell Wilson	New MD & CEO of Air India		
Dr. Swati Dhingra	Member of the Bank of England		
Elisabeth Borne	New PM of France		
Gaurav Sachdeva	CEO of JSW One Platforms		
Gopal Vittal	MD & CEO of Bharati Airtel		
Gyanesh Kumar	New Secretary of the Ministry of Cooperation		
Hassan Shaikh Mahmud	President of Somalia		
Indian Officer Anwar Hussain Shaik	Chair of the WTO committee on Technical Barriers to Trade		
Jean Pierre	First Black LGBTQ White House Press Secretary		
John Lee Ka-Chiu	Hong Kong's Next Chief Executive		
Justice Sudhanshu Dhulia and Justice Jamshed B Pardiwala	Supreme Court Judges		
Kamal Bawa	US National Academy of Sciences		
Madhur Deora	Whole time Director of Paytm		
Mana Saha	New CM of Tripura		
Marcos Junior	President of the Philippines		
Mr. Naveen Srivastava	Next Ambassador to Nepal		
Nand Mulchandani	CIA's Technology Officer		
Nidhi Chibber	New Chairperson of CBSE (Central Board of Secondary Education)		
Oscar Brodkin	Managing Director of Asia Pacific (APAC)		
Pieter Elber	CEO of the airline		
Pradip Kumar Mohanty	Additional Charge of Lokpal Chairperson		
Rajesh Bhushan Union	Chairperson of the Financial and Administrative Committee		



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Health Secretary		
Rajiv Kumar	Next Chief Election Commissioner	
Rajiv Ranjan	Monetary Policy Department & Secretary to MPC of RBI	
Ranil Wickremasinghe	New PM of Sri Lanka	
Ravinder Singh Dhillon	Chairman and Managing Director of REC Ltd.	
Richard Verma	Member of the US Intelligence Advisory Board	
Salil Parekh	MD and CEO of Infosys	
Sameer Khetripal	CEO & MD at Jubilant Foodworks	
Sangeeta Singh	CBDT chairman	
Sanjiv Bajaj	President of CII (Confederation of Indian Industry)	
Sheikh Mohd Zayed Al Nahyan	President of the UAE	
Sindhu Gandharan	Independent Director For Siemens India Board	
Sitikantha Pattanaik	Advisor in Dept of Economic and Policy Research of RBI	
SN Subramanyam	MD & CEO of Larsen & Tourbo	
SS Mundra	Former Deputy Governor of RBI as Chairman	
Sunil Arora	Non Executive Chairman of Gram Unnati an agriculture start up	
Tarun Kapoor	New Advisor to the Prime Minister in PMO	
Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus	Director General of WHO	
Viktor Orban	PM of Hungary	
Vinai Kumar Saxena	Delhi Lt Governor	
Vinay Kwatra	India's Foreign Secretary	
Yoon Suk-yeol	President of South Korean	





# **May 2022 Awards and Honours**

Award	Awardee
Aster Guardian Global Nursing Award	Anna Qabale Duba (Kenyan nurse)
Bangla Academy Award	Mamata Banerjee (for her book "Kabita Bitan")
Best Content Award and Immunization Award by UNICEF	RJ Umer
British honorary Award	Mr.Ajay Piramal (chairman of the Piramal group)
ENBA Award 2021(14th edition of the Exchange4media News Broadcasting Awards)	Doordarshan
International Booker Prize	Geetanjali Shree(Indian) & Daisy Rockwell(American translator) for "Tomb of Sand"
L'OEil d'Or award 2022	Shaunak Sen for his documentary "All That Breathes"
Pulitzer prize 2022	Danish Siddiqui (photography category)
Romain Rolland Book Prize 2022	The Bengali translation of the French novel "Meursault, contreenquete" (The Meursault Investigation).
Royal Gold Medal 2022	Balkrishna Vithaldas Doshi(Indian Architect)
Seema Nazareth Award For Excellence in Journalism 2021	Nitin Kumar(Political Journalist)
Templeton Prize 2022	Dr. Frank Wilczek
The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division) Award 2022	Guruswamy Krishnamoorthy(CEO of Penlon.)
Palme d'Or at 75th Cannes Film Festival	Triangle of Sadness
V Shantharam lifetime achievement award at MIFF (Mumbai International Film Festival)2022	Sanjit Narwekar
VASVIK (Vividhlaxi Audyogik Samshodhan Vikas Kendra) Industrial Research Award 2020	A Gopalakrishnan (Director of the ICAR Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute)



Wangari Maathai Forest Champions Award 2022	Cecile Ndjebet (Cameroon Activist)
William E.Colby Award for 2022	Wesley Morgan (for military and intelligence writing)
World Food Prize 2022	Cynthia Rosenzweig (Scientist at NASA)

# **Books & Authors in May 2022**

Book	Author
"A Place Called Home"	Preeti Shenoy
"Civil List –2022 of IAS officers" (The e-book)	<b>Jitendra Singh,</b> Union Minister of State(MoS), Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions released
"INDO-PAK WAR 1971- Reminiscences of Air Warriors"	Edited by Air Marshal <b>Jagjeet Singh</b> and Group Captain <b>Shailendra Mohan</b>
"Leaders, Politicians, Citizens: Fifty Figures Who Influenced India's Politics"	Rasheed Kidwa
"Listen to Your Heart: The London Adventure"	Ruskin Bond Published on Ruskin Bond's 88th birthday (19th May 2022).
"Modi@20 Dreams Meet Delivery"	Released by M Venkaiah Naidu
"The India Story"	Bimal Jalan (Former RBI governor)
"The Struggle for Police Reforms in India: Ruler's Police to People's Police"	Prakash Singh (Released by M Venkaiah Naidu)

# **Summits And Conferences May 2022**

Name of the Summit	Organized/Led by	Aim/Theme	Venue
World Health Assembly	Union Minister Mansukh Mandaviya	Focus on linking peace and health	Geneva
India's First International Cruise Conference 2022	Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, the Government of India, and FICCI	To highlight regional connectivity and also promote the building of new destinations and attractions like a lighthouse.	Virtual meeting



2nd India – Nordic Summit 2022	-	To negotiate terms of trade, people-to- people connections, cultural exchanges, technology transfer, and augmentation among others	Copenhagen, Denmark
Global Organic Expo 2022	The Society of Health, Environment, Safety and Sustainability Professionals (SHESPro)	Create awareness among the stakeholders but also among the people who care about their health Theme: "Profitability for Humanity".	New Delhi
Quad Summit 2022	Japan PM Fumio Kishida	Review the progress of Quad initiatives and working groups so far and find the new areas of cooperation and strategic guidance for future collaboration	Tokyo,Japan
PM CARES for children scheme	Prime Minister Narendra Modi	To ensure comprehensive care and protection of children in a sustained manner by providing them boarding and lodging and empowering them through education and scholarships etc.	Video Conferencing
4th NSAC meeting (National Startup Advisory Council's )	Shri Piyush Goyal (Minister of Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, and Textiles)	To promote the development of the startup ecosystem.	New Delhi

## Conference of the Parties (COP15):

- COP15 held from 9th May to 20th May 2022 taking place in Abidjan, a city in Cote d'Ivoire.
- Theme of COP 15: Life. Legacy: From scarcity to prosperity.
- Union Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Bhupender Yadav represented India.

### 7th Annual Meeting of Board of Governors of NDB:

- Union Minister of Finance & Corporate Affairs and India's Governor for the New Development Bank (NDB), Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman chaired the 7th Annual Meeting of Board of Governors of NDB through video conference in New Delhi.
- The meeting was also attended by Governors/Alternate Governors of Brazil, China, Russia, South Africa and the newly joined members Bangladesh and United Arab Emirates (UAE)

#### Second Global COVID-19 Virtual Summit ::

- Prime Minister Narendra Modi has participated in the Second Global COVID-19 Virtual Summit on the invitation of the President of the USA, Joseph R. Biden.
- The summit was co-hosted by the United States, Belize, Germany, Indonesia, and Senegal.
- Theme of the summit: Preventing Pandemic Fatigue and Prioritizing Preparedness.





# List of MoUs signed by India in May 2022

Signed Between	Purpose
India - UAE Trade Pact	It would boost bilateral trade from 60 bn USD to 100 bn USD in the next five years.
WEF & NITI Aayog	For this purpose WEF set up the center for the fourth industrial revolution in 2017 to help these core sectors.
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers with UNDP	UNDP will provide its expertise in systems and global support for the implementation of credit & crop insurance.
NSDC international & Hindustan Ports Ltd	To provide high-quality training to Indian youth and also meet the global demand of countries like UAE, Canada, etc.
MSDE with ISB	To develop leadership skills among these officers and also strategic mindsets, which in turn helps in gaining insights into data analytics and digital transformation.
Ministry of Heavy Industries and NRDC	NRDC will conduct the evaluation and management of intellectual property, and asl provide commercialization support for capital goods.
Gem with Self Employed Women's Associations	This MoU will pave the way for the advocacy, outreach, mobilization, and capacity-building for women-led micro and small enterprises and women entrepreneurs.
India and US	Provided investment support in many sectors like COVID-19 vaccine manufacturing, healthcare financing, renewable energy, etc.
Ministry of Railways and the Centre for Development of Telematics (C-DOT)	To form a strong collaborative working partnership for coordination and resource sharing in the provision of telecommunication facilities in the delivery and implementation of C-Telecom DOT's Solutions and services in railways.
Ministry of Skill Development with ISRO	To establish a formal framework for short-term courses to provide training for the skill development and capacity building of ISRO technical professionals in the space domain in the country, in accordance with industry requirements.



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Prasar Bharati with ORTM	To exchange programmes, investigate co-production of programmes, and exchange persons.	
Uttarakhand government and Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL)	For the promotion of the renewable energy industry and other projects in the state.	

## Scheme, App & Campaign in May 2022

- > "Delhi Startup Policy" Delhi cabinet -with an aim to create an ecosystem for people to launch startups and provide them with fiscal and non-fiscal incentives, collateral-free loans, and free consultancy from experts, lawyers, and CA. To encourage, facilitate, and support 15,000 startups by 2030.
- "Mukhyamantri Muft Sewer Connection Yojana"- Delhi govt -will provide free sewer connections in 12 colonies in Mustafabad and Karawal Nagar.
- > Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PM-GKAY) scheme for another six months, till September 2022, in order to show care and compassion towards the underprivileged and vulnerable parts of society (Phase VI).
- > In Chennai, Union Minister of State for Home Affairs Ajay Kumar Mishra announced the New Repatriate Welfare Scheme, a Repco Bank deposit scheme, a Repco Micro Finance Ltd. (RFML) micro finance lending scheme, and an application. E. Santhanam, Chairman of Repco Bank, Managing Director R.S. Isabella, and the Board of Directors were in attendance.
- Plumbex India Exhibition ceremony of was started by Honourable Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs, Sh. Hardeep Singh Puri. He also announced the **Bharat Tap project**, a campaign to produce low-flow fixtures and sanitaryware to help India enter a new era of water conservation and sustainable development. Plumbex India is a three-day event that will take place in the Pragati Maidan in New Delhi and is the country's largest solo exhibition on plumbing, water, and sanitation products.
- > Paper Import Monitoring policy To protect the domestic paper industry, the commerce and industry ministry has decided to make registration compulsory for importing major paper products such as newsprint, handmade paper, envelopes, among others. All imports arriving on or after 1st October.
- > GatiShakti Sanchar portal :The Department of Telecommunications has launched the GatiShakti Sanchar portal, which would streamline the application and approval procedure for right of way (RoW) across the country. According to Telecom Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw, the platform would help achieve the goal of Ease of doing business for telecoms infrastructure projects.
- > Breakfast with midday meals: Tamil Nadu is set to become the first state to offer breakfast along with midday meals. The primary school students from 1st to 5th standards will be provided nutritious breakfast on all working days.





## **May 2022 Sports News**

## **IPL 2022 Winners**

Gujarat Titans (GT) won the Indian Premier League (IPL) 2022 trophy by defeating Rajasthan Royals (RR) at the Narendra Modi Stadium, Ahmedabad on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

In IPL 2022 ,two more team were added to play :-Lucknow Super Giants (LSG) captain by KL Rahul and Gujarat Titans captain by Hardik Pandya

#### **Key points of IPL 2022**

- 2022 IPL held Location/Host country -India
- 2022 IPL edition -15<sup>th</sup> edition
- IPL 2022 played from **26 March 29 May 2022**
- Number of Teams participate in IPL 2022-10 teams
- Total number of Match played in IPL 2021- 74 match
- Cricket Format– Twenty20
- The tournament format(s)- Double Round-robin and Playoffs
- Sponsor company of IPL 2022– TATA Group
- IPL 2022 regulate by -BCCI (Board of control in India) which was formed in 1928.
- The present chairman of BCCI Sourav Ganguly
- Present Secretary BCCI Jay Shah
- 1<sup>st</sup> IPL Played in **–2008** (Won-Rajasthan Rayals)
- Purple cap for Highest Wicket/ Maximum wicket
- Orange cap for Highest Run/ Maximum run scorer
- IPL Delhi Daredevils name changes to –Delhi Capitals
- Team Won IPL Matches maximum time- Mumbai Indians
- Mumbai Indians Won IPL Matches in -2013, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2020
- Chennai super kings won IPL Matches in 2010, 2011, 2018, 2021
- 1<sup>st</sup> Team to win 100 matches in IPL Mumbai Indians

## IPL 2022 Complete Details Award winners /End of the Season awards

- ❖ IPL 2022 Winner/Champions:- Gujarat Titans (GT)
- Runners-Up Team :- Rajasthan Royals (RR)
- Orange cap (Most Runs): Jos Buttler (RR) (863 runs)
- ❖ Purple Cap (Maximum Wicket) :- Yuzvendra Chahal (RR) (27 wickets)
- Emerging player of the Season :- Umran Malik (SRH)

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- Player of the series: Jos Buttler (RR)
- Most Valuable Player of the season:- Jos Buttler (RR)
- ❖ Player Of The Match (Final):- Hardik Pandya (GT)
- Game-changer of the season: Jos Buttler (RR)
- ❖ Dream11 Game Changer Of The Match (Final):- Hardik Pandya (GT)
- Fastest Delivery of the season:- Lockie Ferguson (GT)
- ❖ Fastest Delivery Of The Match (Final):- Lockie Ferguso (GT)
- Super Striker of the season:- Dinesh Karthik (RCB)
- ❖ Super Striker Of The Match (Final):- **David Miller** (RR)
- ❖ Maximum Sixes Award in IPL:- Jos Buttler (RR)
- Unacademy Let's Crack It Sixes Award (Final):- Yashasvi Jaiswal (RR)
- Fair Play Award:- Rajasthan Royals and Gujarat Titans
- Powerplayer of the season:- Jos Buttler (RR)
- ❖ Powerplayer Of The Match (Final):- Trent Boult (RR)
- Fours of the Season:- Jos Buttler (RR)
- Rupay On The Go 4s Of The Match (Final):- Jos Buttler (RR)
- Catch of the Season:- Evin Lewis (RR)

#### Italian Open 2022

79th edition of the Italian Open (Internazionali BNL d'Italia) in Rome

Category	Winner	Runner up	
Men's singles	Novak Djokovic (Serbia)	Stefanos Tsitsipas (Greece)	
Women's singles Iga Swiatek (Poland)		Ons Jabeur (Tunisia)	
Men's doubles	Nikola Mektic & Mate Pavic (Croatia)	John Isner (United States) & Diego	
		Schwartzman (Argentina)	
Women's doubles	Veronika Kudermetova & Anastasia	Gabriela Dabrowski (Canada) &	
	Pavlyuchenkova (Russia)	Giuliana Olmos (Mexico)	

## 2021 Summer Deaflympics Game:-

- The **24th edition** of 2021 Summer Deaflympics i.e. Caxias 2021 is the XXIV Summer Deaflympic Games, was an international multi-sport event held at *Festa da Uva, Caxias do Sul, Brazil*.
- The Motto of the event is "Sports comes from the our hearts"
- Mascot The mascot of the Deaflympics is the Ring-tailed Coati Nino, meaning priceless, worthy of appreciation, cheerful, happy, very lucky, and auspicious.



• Events and Participation A total number of 226 events across 18 sports were held with a participation of 2,349 athletes representing 71 nations.

#### **Total Medal:**

Rank	Country	Medal
1	Ukraine	138 (Gold- 62, Silver- 38, Bronze- 38)
2	USA	55 (Gold- 20, Silver- 11, Bronze- 24)
3	Iran	40 (Gold- 14, Silver- 12, Bronze-14)
9	India	17 (Gold- 8, Silver- 1, Bronze- 8)

#### Medals Won by India:

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Medal	Athlete	Event
Gold	Dhanush Srikanth	Men's 10m air rifle
Gold	Abhinav Deshwal	Men's 10m air rifle
Gold	Dhanush Srikanth & Priyesha Deshmukh	Mixed team 10m air rifle
Gold	Badminton Team	Mixed team badminton
Gold	Jerlin Jayaratchagan	Women's singles badminton
Gold	Diksha Dagar	Women's golf
Gold	Jerlin Jayaratchagan & Abhinav Sharma	Mixed doubles badminton
Gold	Sumit Dahiya	Men's freestyle 97kg
Silver	Prithvi Sekhar & Dhananjay Dubey	Men's doubles tennis
Bronze	Abhinav Sharma	Men's singles badminton
Bronze	Amit Krishan	Men's freestyle 86kg
Bronze	Prithvi Sekhar	Men's singles tennis
Bronze	Prithvi Sekhar & Jafreen Shaik	Mixed doubles tennis
Bronze	Vedika Sharma	Women's 10m air pistol
Bronze	Virender Singh	Men's freestyle 74kg
Bronze	Shourya Saini	Men's 10m air rifle

#### **IBA Women's World Boxing Championships**

- The **12th edition** of the 2022 International Boxing Association (IBA) Women's World Boxing Championship (WWBC) was held at Basaksehir Youth and Sports Facility, **Istanbul**, **Turkey**.
- The event saw the participation of 310 Boxers from 73 nations.
- Belarusian and Russian boxers were not allowed to compete at the event after a ban as a result of the Russian invasion of Ukraine.

#### **Overall Medal:**

Rank	Nation	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1	Turkey	5	0	2	7
2	Ireland	2	0	0	2
3	Canada	1	1	0	2
4	India	1	0	2	3

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**Thomas Cup 2022**: **India** won the Thomas Cup 2022 title to beat **Indonesia** at the Impact Arena in Bangkok, Thailand.

<u>Uber Cup 2022</u> (Women's):- **South Korea** won the Uber Cup 2022 title to beat **China** at the Impact Arena in Bangkok, Thailand.

- The India Boxer **Nikhat Zareen**( from Nizamabad, Telangana) won the gold in the 52kg flyweight.
- Women boxers **Manisha Moun** (from Haryana) and **Parveen Hooda**(from Haryana) had won the bronze medals in the **57kg** and **63kg** categories.
- Santosh Trophy 2022 :-Kerala beat West Bengal 5-4 in the penalty shootout to win the 75th Santosh Trophy 2022 at the Manjeri Stadium in Malappuram, Kerala.
- ➤ Banglore city University won the Khelo India University hockey championship 2022 title in Bangalore.
- Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar has announced that a stadium will be built in Olympic gold-medallist Neeraj Chopra's native village in **Panipat**.
- World Snooker Championship 2022:- Ronnie O'Sullivan from England has won the 2022 World Snooker Championship by defeating Judd Trump (England) against 18-13 in the finals, which were held from 16<sup>th</sup> April to 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022 at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, England.
- ➤ Harshada Sharad Garud made history by being the first Indian woman to win a gold medal at the IWF Junior World Championships in Heraklion, Greece. She won the 45-kilogram weight category with a total of 153 kilograms lifted, including 70 kilograms in Snatch and 83 kilograms in Clean and Jerk.
- Miami Grand Prix 2022: Max Verstappen has won the Miami Grand Prix 2022 for Red Bull after defeating the Ferrari rival Charles Leclerc.
- Carlos Alcaraz from Spain has clinched the men's singles Madrid Open title 2022
- Indian Grandmaster **D Gukesh** has champion in the 1st Chessable Sunway Formentera Open 2022 chess tournament in Punta Prima.
- The Asian Games 2022, due to be held in Hangzhou, China in September has been postponed to 2023 due to rising COVID-19 cases in the country, the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) announced.
- The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) has banned journalist **Boria Majumdar** for two years after an internal inquiry found him guilty of an attempt to "threaten and intimidate" wicketkeeper Wriddhiman Saha.
- Union Sports Minister Anurag Thakur has launched the mascot "**Dhakad**" along with the official logo and official jersey of the Fourth Khelo India Youth Games at Panchkula and lauded the effort of Haryana to host the games.
- Uber cup
- Nikhat Zareen gave a dazzling performance to beat Thai Olympian Jutamas Jitpong 5-0 and become the fifth Indian woman to win a World title at the Women's World Championships, Istanbul.



- Odisha women's team has won its first-ever gold in Senior Nationals as they defeat Karnataka 2-0 in the final of the 12th Hockey India Senior Women's National Championship.
- Spanish Grand Prix 2022:-Formula One world champion Max Verstappen won the Spanish Grand Prix in a Red Bull.
- > Haryana Hockey team won the Hockey India subjunior women's national championship 2022 in Imphal.
- Punjab Kings opening batter **Shikhar Dhawan** has become the **first player to hit 700 fours** in the history of the Indian Premier League (IPL).
- The Supreme Court appointed a three-member Committee of Administrators (CoA) to oversee the affairs of the All India Football Federation (AIFF) and the adoption of its constitution in accordance with the National Sports Code and model guidelines, led by former apex court judge AR Dave.
- Narinder Batra has resigned from his position as president of the Indian Olympic Association (IOA). He is also the International Hockey Federation's president (FIH).
- ➢ ISSF Junior World Cup 2022 :- International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) Junior World Cup 2022 was held at Suhl in Germany. The Indian contingent was led by ace shooters Manu Bhaker and Saurabh Chaudhary. At the ISSF Junior World Cup 2022, the Indian junior shooting team came in first position overall. They won 33 medals in total, including 13 gold, 15 silver, and 5 bronze. With four gold medals, Italy came in second place.
- ➤ **Supernovas** won the Women's T20 Challenge 2022

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## **Obituaries in May 2022**

Name of the Personality	Field	
Andrew Symonds	ymonds Former Australia Cricketer	
Bhagirath Prasad Tripathi	Sanskrit Scholar	
Bob Lanier	American Former Professional Basketball player & NBA Basket Ball	
	hall of Fame	
Bujar Nishani	Former Albania President	
Dr.Ramakant Shuklar	Eminent Sanskrit & Hindi Scholar	
Leonid Kravchuk	First President of Independent Ukraine	
Pandit ShivKumar Sharma	na Indian Music Composer and Santoor Player	
Pandit Sukh Ram	Member of Parliament from Mandi, Himachal Pradesh Lok Sabha	
	Constituency & Ex Telecom minister from 1993 to 1996	
Rajat Kumar Kar	Padma Shri Odia Writer	
Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed	UAE President and Ruler of Abu Dhabi	
Shireen Abu Akleh	Veteran Al Jazeera Journalist	
Shivaji Patnaik	Veteran Communist Leader	
Sidhu Moose Wala	Punjabi Singer	
Stanislav Sushkevich	First President of Belarus	
Sultana Begum	Renowned Punjabi Writer	
Tony Brooks	Formula One Grand Prix in the 1950s	
Yuri Averbakh	World's Oldest Chess Grandmaster	