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## EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - MARCH 30, 2024

## CONFERENCES \& SUMMITS

> Meghayan 2024

$\checkmark$ Metoc Seminar 'Meghayan 2024' - an insight into the frontline of climate change.
$\checkmark$ The METOC seminar 'Meghayan-24' was conducted by the School of Naval Oceanology \& Meteorology (SNOM) and the Indian Naval Meteorological Analysis Centre (INMAC) at the Southern Naval Command on March 28, 2024.
$\checkmark$ It was organized in commemoration of World Meteorological Day, with the theme 'At the Frontline of Climate Action' set by the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) for 2024.

## SPORTS

$>$ 6th Shaastra Rapid FIDE Rated Chess Tournament
$\checkmark$ IIT Madras is set to host the prestigious '6th Shaastra Rapid FIDE Rated Chess Tournament' on March 30 and 31, 2024.
$\checkmark$ The tournament, sanctioned by the International Chess Federation (FIDE), will draw the participation of esteemed players from across the globe, including Grandmasters, International Masters, and Women Grandmasters.

## IMPORTANT DAYs

> International Day of Zero Waste: March 30
$\checkmark$ On December 14, 2022, the United Nations General Assembly passed a resolution to have an International Day of Zero Waste celebrated every year on March 30th.

$\checkmark$ This day aims to raise awareness about reducing waste and promoting zerowaste initiatives to achieve sustainable development.

