



## EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – NOVEMBER 17, 2024

### NATIONAL

#### ➤ **Special Dolphin Ambulance Project**

- ✓ The National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) is introducing a special Dolphin Ambulance with a budget of 1 crore to rescue and assist distressed Ganga River Dolphins, India's national aquatic animal.

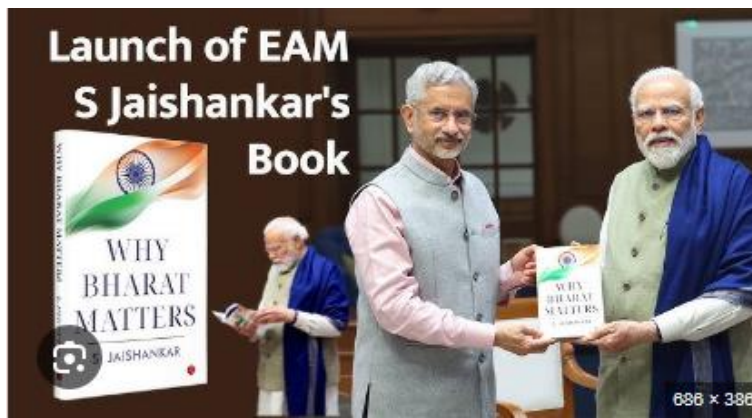


- ✓ The initiative, 'Advancing Rescue System for the Protection of Stranded Ganges River Dolphins,' also aims to boost awareness and community training for dolphin conservation.

### BOOKS & AUTHORS

#### ➤ **Why Bharat Matters**

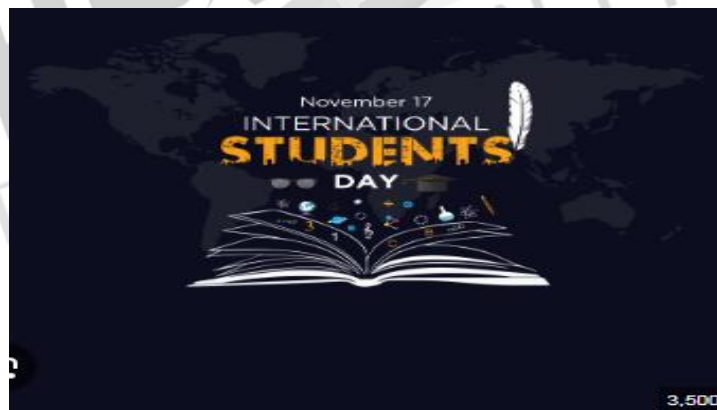
- ✓ External Affairs Minister Dr S. Jaishankar launched his book, Why Bharat Matters, at the Mohammed Bin Rashid Library in Dubai, UAE.



- ✓ During the event, Dr. Jaishankar provided insight into the themes and key messages of his book, reflecting on the complex interplay of global and domestic factors shaping India's position in the world.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

- **International Students' Day: November 17**
- ✓ The International Students' Day is observed every year on 17 November. It is observed to mark the Nazi invasion of a university in Prague in 1939.



- ✓ The Nazis imprisoned many students and killed and tortured several others. It is observed to raise awareness about the challenges faced by students.
- ✓ It is observed to celebrate multiculturalism, diversity and cooperation among students across the globe.

