

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - MARCH 25, 2025

STATE

- Kerala Became First State To Establishes Senior Citizens Commission
- ✓ Kerala has become India's first state to establish a Senior Citizens Commission by passing the Kerala State Senior Citizens Commission Bill, 2025.



- ✓ This statutory body aims to safeguard the rights and welfare of the elderly, ensure their protection and rehabilitation, and act as an advisory body for state policies.
- ✓ The initiative highlights Kerala's commitment to elderly empowerment, inclusivity, and dignity in society.

DEFENCE

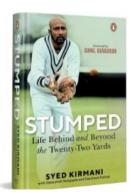
- AIKEYME Maritime Exercise
- ✓ The Indian Navy is set to conduct maritime exercise named AIKEYME, aimed at enhancing defence cooperation with several African nations.



- ✓ The exercise will take place off the coast of Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania, co-hosted by the Indian Navy and the Tanzania Peoples Defence Force.
- ✓ AIKEYME stands for Africa-India Key Maritime Engagement.
- ✓ The exercise will involve ten African countries: Tanzania, Comoros, Djibouti, Eritrea, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Mozambique, Seychelles, and South Africa.

BOOKS & AUTHORS

- > Stumped: Syed Kirmani's Autobiography
- ✓ Stumped, co-authored by Syed Kirmani, Debashish Sengupta, and Dakshesh Pathak, is an autobiography offering insights into Kirmani's career and India's 1983 World Cup victory.



- ✓ The book highlights Kapil Dev's iconic 175 not out against Zimbabwe, a gamechanging innings that rescued India from 17/5 to 266/8.
- ✓ This historic knock played a crucial role in India's triumph, shaping the future of Indian cricket.

SPORTS

- Kabaddi World Cup 2025
- ✓ India won both men's and women's Kabaddi World Cup 2025.



- ✓ The Indian men's team defeated the home team, England, 44–41 in the final match. Whereas, the Indian women's team also defeated England by an impressive score of 57-34 in the final at the same venue.
- ✓ For the first time outside Asia, the tournament featured top Kabaddi teams from the West Midlands, with matches played in Birmingham, Coventry, Walsall and Wolverhampton.

