

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – MAY 01, 2025

TAMIL NADU

- **GI tag sought for Pollachi Tall Coconut**
- ✓ The Pollachi Tall Coconut, locally known as Pollachi Nettai Thennai, is a highly sought-after variety of coconut that enjoys significant demand during summer.



- ✓ In a bid to preserve its authenticity and protect the interests of local farmers, the producers have formally applied for a Geographical Indication (GI) tag.
- ✓ The Pollachi Tall Coconut is known for its large nut size, high water content in tender coconuts, thick shells, superior copra quantity and also its oil.”

CONFERENCES & SUMMITS

- **World Audio Visual Entertainment Summit (WAVES) 2025**
- ✓ On 1 May, the World Audio Visual Entertainment Summit 2025 inaugurated by PM Modi in Mumbai.

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- ✓ The first edition of the World Audio Visual Entertainment Summit (WAVES) 2025 is being hosted by India at the Jio World Convention Centre in Mumbai from May 1 to 4, 2025.
- ✓ A global platform for discussions on the future of the entertainment and audio-visual sectors will be provided through this summit.
- ✓ The event is being organized with the tagline 'Connecting Creators, Connecting Countries' to emphasize global collaboration.

AWARDS

- **Nammazhvar Award for Excellence in Organic Farming**
- ✓ Three farmers, one each from Coimbatore, Tiruppur, and Nagapattinam districts, received the Tamil Nadu government's Nammazhvar award for excellence in organic farming for this year.

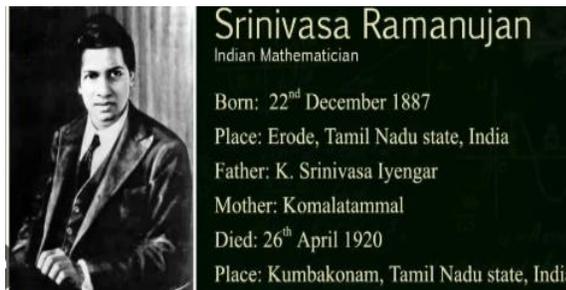


- ✓ Chief Minister M.K. Stalin presented the awards at the Secretariat in Chennai on Friday (May 2, 2025).
- ✓ G. Sampathkumar from Coimbatore district secured the first prize, while T. Jagadeesh from Tiruppur district and V. Kalidoss from Nagapattinam district received the second and third prizes, respectively.

BOOKS & AUTHORS

➤ **Ramanujan: Journey Of A Great Mathematician**

- ✓ National Archives of India launched a book titled 'Ramanujan: Journey of a Great Mathematician' in New Delhi.



- ✓ The book is a historical account that delves into the life and contributions of Indian Mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan.
- ✓ It also documents Ramanujan's journey, from his beginnings in Erode, Tamil Nadu, to his groundbreaking work in number theory, infinite series, and continued fractions.
- ✓ The book is authored by Arun Singhal and Dr Devendra Kumar Sharma.

IMPORTANT DAYS

➤ **International Labour Day 2025 – May 01**

- ✓ International Labour Day 2025 will be celebrated worldwide on Thursday, 1st May 2025.



- ✓ Dedicated to recognising the efforts, sacrifices, and achievements of the global workforce, this day serves as a powerful reminder of the historic struggles that shaped the rights and protections workers enjoy today.
- ✓ Labour Day in India : First celebrated in India in 1923 in Chennai (then Madras) by the Labour Kisan Party of Hindustan, led by Comrade Singaravelu Chettiar. The red flag symbolizing labour rights was used for the first time in this event.

