

CURRENT AFFAIRS 2025

15 MAY

- Recipient of ONV Literary Award instituted by ONV **Cultural Academy for 2025**
 - N. Prabha Varma
 - The award is for his overall contribution to the world of literature.
 - 2024 ONV Literary Award Winner Pratibha Ray
 - 2023 ONV Literary Award Winner C. Radhakrishnan
- Newly appointed Crime Branch ADGP of Kerala **Mahipal Yadav**
- Kerala museum that has been included in the list of Global Network of Water Museums under the Intergovernmental **Hydrological Programme of UNESCO**
 - **CWRDM Water Heritage Museum, Kozhikode**
 - The aim of this global network is to strengthen the cultural and heritage heritage of water and its connection with people.
- Former Minister who was awarded the Dr. Sukumar Azhikode - Tattvamasi Award in 2025
 - G. Sudhakaran
- New bacteria discovered by researchers at the University of Kerala

Exiguobacterium abrahamii

- This name is given in honor of Prof. A. Abraham, the first head of the Department of Botany at the university.
- ▶ Host country of the 2026 Asian Games Japan
 - 20th edition of the Asian Games.



N. Prabha Varma



Mahipal Yadav





G. Sudhakaran

