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World Telecommunication Day

May 17

- World Telecommunication Day has been celebrated annually on 17 May since 1969, marking the founding of ITU and the signing of the first International Telegraph Convention in 1865.

Newly appointed UPSC Chairman

Dr. Ajay Kumar

Title winner of 2025 Italian Cup

Bologna FC

- Bologna FC won the title by defeating AC Milan in the final.

India's rank in the Human Development Index according to the United Nations Development Programme's Human Development Report 2025

130

- First rank - Iceland
- Second rank - Norway
- Third rank - Switzerland
- India's rank in the Human Development Index according to the United Nations Development Programme's Human Development Report 2024 - 134

Indian athlete who won second place in the javelin throw at the 2025 Doha Diamond League

Neeraj Chopra (90.23 m)

- German athlete Julian Webber (91.06 m) won first place and Granada's Anderson Peterson won third place (85.64 m).

Jharkhand's first village which has completely relocated from the core area of Palamu Tiger Reserve

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Dr. Ajay Kumar



Neeraj Chopra

