

## Current affairs 17 Aug 2025

### ▶ Kerala Farmers Day

Chingam 1

- Chingam 1, the first day of Malayalam Calender, is celebrated as Farmer's Day in Kerala.

### ▶ Theyyam artist who has been awarded the 2025 P.K.Kalan Award by the Department of Culture for his comprehensive contribution to folk art

Athiyadam Kunjirama Peruvannan

- The award was instituted in memory of P.K.Kalan, the chairman of the Kerala Folklore Academy and a Gaddhika artist.

### ▶ Winner of the Ullala Babu Memorial Award at the 7th Kerala Children's Literature Awards of the Kerala Bala Sahitya Academy

Alankode Leelakrishnan

- The award is for his work 'Poovum Kaayum'.

### ▶ Venue of the first-ever World Athletics Bronze Level Continental Tour event in India

Bhubaneswar

### ▶ The project launched by Kudumbashree to revive and promote the diverse indigenous tribal arts in all districts

Janagalsa Project

- The project aims to provide a better livelihood to the indigenous people by transforming traditional art forms of the local area into an entrepreneurial model.
- 'Janagalsa' means celebration of the people.



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