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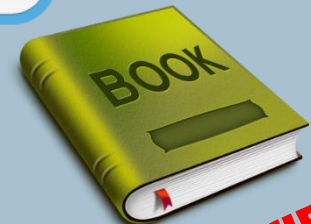
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EVENTS



S&H Department – The department Commemorated the 125th Anniversary of Swami Vivekanandha’s Speech in Chicago. The following events were conducted for the I year B.E., / B.Tech students.

- Essay writing (English & Tamil)
- Recitation / Elocution (English & Tamil)
- Drawing competition
- Quiz

NATIONAL NEWS:

- *Manmohan Singh set to lose SPG cover-The Hindu*
- *Coimbatore under security cover for third day-The Hindu*
- *Crop-raiding tusker captured in Dharmapuri-The Hindu*
- *Encouraging innovation and entrepreneurship among school students-The Hindu*
- *Minister flags off vehicles to be used for waste collection-The Hindu*
- *Over 900 school students participate in education conclave-The Hindu*
- *Raising a mini forest, the Japanese way-The Hindu*
- *Residents protest inspection of site mooted for horse racing track-The Hindu*
- *Horticulture dept. 's sapling as return gift scheme blooms-The Hindu*
- *Gauze-making helps prisoners hone new skill-The Hindu*
- *Textile mills cut down production-The Hindu*
- *Gutkha scam: CBI expected to file final charge sheet soon-The Hindu*
- *IIT-M students design low-cost freezers to transport farm produce-The Hindu*
- *No clue of deputy CM plan: Yediyurappa-The Hindu*
- *Boat stuck in Prakasam Barrage removed-The Hindu*
- *Kingpin in human trafficking racket traced in Dubai-The Hindu*
- *A young biologist recreates a blue whale from bones-The Hindu*
- *SC slams govt. for denying pension to freedom fighter-The Hindu*
- *CSIR to certify air quality monitoring instruments-The Hindu*
- *Children in mica mining areas abandoning education-The Hindu*
- *Modi launches Bahrain temple project-The Hindu*
- *CVC sets up panel to probe bank Fraud-The Hindu*
- *Pranab expresses concern over state of economy-The Hindu*
- *NRC: Supreme Court rejected most of 51 petitions in 6 years-The Hindu*
- *Jaitely cremated with state honours-The Hindu*
- *IMF report flags several delays in India's data reporting-The Hindu*
- *Tricolour up, but J&K flag not to be seen-The Hindu*
- *No new engines for Jaguars, phase-out starts in 2023-The Hindu*
- *CII meets with global trade representatives to discuss biz-The New Indian Express*

INTERNATIONAL NEWS:

- *Rift emerge as G7 summit kicks off-The Hindu*
- *Modi, Johnson agree to step up bilateral cooperation-The Hindu*
- *Hang Kong police drew guns in latest protests-The Hindu*
- *Air strike in Syria a message to Iran: Israel-The Hindu*

BUSINESS:

- *Read up to stay afloat in times of uncertainty-The New Indian Express*
- *Passive investing space has a lot of opportunity-The New Indian Express*
- *Planning and full disclosure keys to bequeathing of wealth-The New Indian Express*

SPORTS NEWS:

- *Manasi makes it a red-letter day-The Hindu*
- *Sindhu scales a peak no Indian ever has-The Hindu*
- *Imran Pasha does it for Team TVS Racing-The Hindu*
- *Uncertainty over testing measures at inter-State meet-The Hindu*
- *Watling and de Grandhomme put New Zealand ahead-The Hindu*
- *Big Ben stokes England's incredible chase-The Hindu*
- *Rahane, Vihari and Indian bowlers put West Indians on the mat-The Hindu*
- *Stokes brilliant knock takes England to sensational win -The Hindu*

INTERESTING ENGINEERING

Puncture-Proof Tires Revealed by GM and Michelin

Get ready to have the wind taken out of you? Michelin and General Motors aiming for a 2024 launch of airless, environmentally friendly tires.

Could a tire be puncture-free, better for the environment, and minimize danger on roads? It sounds almost too good to be true.

But, General Motors (GM) and Michelin have teamed up to execute exactly that, creating an airless tire.

The tire will be called Uptis, and is due to launch in 2024.

"Unique Puncture-proof Tire System"

"Uptis" as it is more simply called, was first unveiled at the [Movin'On Summit](#) for sustainable mobility in 2017. The aim is for a complete reshuffle of conventional wheels and tires, so that they are fully replaced as an assembly unit for passenger cars.

GM's plan is to start tests at the end of this year on their Michigan-based Bolt Electric Vehicles (EVs).

The airless tire has all-round benefits: less raw material and energy are used in their production, the amount of scrapped tires due to punctures or damage will dramatically minimize, wear and tear issues due to over or under inflation will be eliminated, and roads will become safer with fewer blowouts or flat tires.



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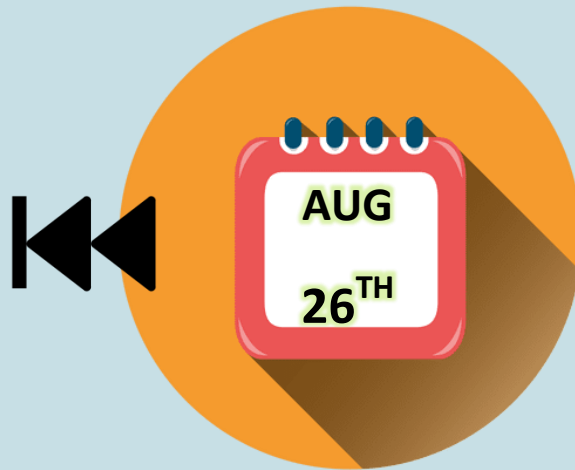


WHAT HAPPENED TODAY

1910 Mother Teresa [Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu], Albanian-born Indian nun and founder of Missionaries of Charity (Nobel Peace Prize, 1979), born in Skopje, Ottoman Empire (d. 1997)

1959 British Motor Corporation introduces the Morris Mini-Minor, designed by Alec Issigonis, it was only 10 ft long but seated 4 passengers

2014 Burger King agrees to purchase Canadian donut chain Tim Hortons for \$11.4 billion



**DID YOU
KNOW???**



In 1809, the Spanish town of Huéscar declared war on Denmark, then forgot about it for 172 years. Not a single shot was fired, no one was killed, and a peace treaty was finally signed in 1981 when a historian randomly found the official declaration and realized they were supposed to be fighting.

HEALTH TIPS

These 3 types of chips will help you to reduce your weight

Many people love to eat chips in snacks. But many people don't eat for it because it increases their fat. But today we're going to tell you a few different types of chips that you can eat and lose weight. In today's era, everyone wants to lose their increased weight. The best way to lose weight is to keep your food in mind.

According to a nutrientist, if you are very fond of eating chips, eat baked chips instead of fried chips. But make sure that not all baked chips are beneficial. Eating them does not provide any nutrients and is not 100% baked. They are also added to the preservatives when packing.

Don't eat:

Potato Chips: Potato chips get too many calories and it is not beneficial for you in any form. So don't eat it at all.

Banana Chips: If you think baked banana chips are very beneficial for you, you are wrong. Banana chips, like potato chips, also contain a large amount of sugar and salt that can hinder your weight loss.

Sabudana Chips: These chips are made from the root of a plant called cassava. They also contain a very high amount of starch and are also high in calories. So avoid them.

Jacquefruit Chips: Jacquefruit chips are very tasty. In fact, jackfruit is rich in iron and is considered a good source of energy, but Dr. Sanvalka explains that when these chips are fried, they lose all their nutrients.

What to eat:

Ragi Chips: Ragi is rich in calcium and fiber, so you can eat baked ragi chips. Ragi also has a high iron content that protects you from anemia. However, eat it in limited quantities.

Soy chips: Soy chips are a perfect choice if you are thinking of losing weight. They are high in protein and are also healthy because of baking.

Nachos Chips: These chips are made of cornmeal, which is gluten-free and has high iron content. They help to reduce weight due to low-calorie intake. However, when buying, make sure that they are not fried.

Your **RO DRINKING WATER** could be making you sick without your **KNOWLEDGE**



AWARENESS CORNER

BOOK REVIEW



Franny and Zooey

J.D. Salinger

The short story, Franny, takes place in an unnamed college town and tells the tale of an undergraduate who is becoming disenchanted with the selfishness and inauthenticity she perceives all around her.

The novella, Zooey, is named for Zooey Glass, the second-youngest member of the Glass family. As his younger sister, Franny, suffers a spiritual and existential breakdown in her parents' Manhattan living room -- leaving Bessie, her mother, deeply concerned -- Zooey comes to her aid, offering what he thinks is brotherly love, understanding, and words of sage advice.

Salinger writes of these works: "FRANNY came out in The New Yorker in 1955, and was swiftly followed, in 1957 by ZOOEY. Both stories are early, critical entries in a narrative series I'm doing about a family of settlers in twentieth-century New York, the Glasses. It is a long-term project, patently an ambiguous one, and there is a real-enough danger, I suppose that sooner or later I'll bog down, perhaps disappear entirely, in my own methods, locutions, and mannerisms. On the whole, though, I'm very hopeful. I love working on these Glass stories, I've been waiting for them most of my life, and I think I have fairly decent, monomaniacal plans to finish them with due care and all-available skill."