

# Current Affairs for 5th June, 2026

1. Kotgarh Wildlife Sanctuary is located in which state?

- [A] Odisha
- [B] Maharashtra
- [C] Gujarat
- [D] Karnataka

**Correct Answer:** A [Odisha]

**Notes:**

Forest officials arrested four suspected poachers in the Baliguda forest division of Kotgarh Wildlife Sanctuary in Odisha. Kotgarh Wildlife Sanctuary is located in Kandhamal district of Odisha in the Eastern Highlands region. It is classified as a moist deciduous forest ecosystem with rich biodiversity. The sanctuary includes tribal communities such as Kutia Kondh and Desia Kondh living within or near forest areas.

2. Which state has launched the "Khuarel" mobile application to strengthen disaster response mechanisms?

- [A] Nagaland
- [B] Tripura
- [C] Mizoram
- [D] Assam

**Correct Answer:** C [Mizoram]

**Notes:**

Mizoram has launched the "Khuarel" mobile application to strengthen **disaster** response mechanisms. The app is a real-time disaster incident reporting and management system. The application enables citizens to quickly report disaster-related incidents. It improves coordination and information flow during emergencies. The system enhances timely decision-making and disaster management effectiveness. Mizoram is among the first states in Northeast India to adopt such an advanced digital solution. The initiative reflects the growing use of technology in disaster preparedness and response.

3.Udayan Fort, that was recently seen in news, is located in which state?

- [A] Uttar Pradesh
- [B] Madhya Pradesh
- [C] Rajasthan
- [D] Gujarat

**Correct Answer: A [Uttar Pradesh]**

**Notes:**

Udayan Fort is a historic site dating back nearly 2,500 years to the era of the Vatsa Mahajanapada. It is located in Kaushambi, Uttar Pradesh, on the banks of the Yamuna River. The fort is associated with King Udayana, one of the sixteen Mahajanapadas. King Udayana was known for his military strength, diplomacy, and patronage of culture. The fort is now set for restoration to preserve its historical and cultural significance.

4.International Sun Day is celebrated on which day every year?

- [A] May 1
- [B] May 2
- [C] May 3
- [D] May 4

**Correct Answer: C [May 3]**

**Notes:**

International Sun Day is celebrated on May 3 every year. On International Sun Day , the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy organised the 'Run for Sun' marathon. The event celebrated India's achievement of over 1,50,000 MW (150 GW) of installed solar energy capacity. It highlighted progress under the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana. Around 30 lakh rooftop solar installations have been completed, benefiting over 45 lakh households. India's solar capacity has increased from 2.82 GW in 2014 to about 150 GW, marking rapid growth.

5.Atomic Energy Regulatory Board operates under which Act?

- [A] Environment Protection Act, 1986
- [B] Atomic Energy Act, 1962

[C] Disaster Management Act, 2005

[D] Electricity Act, 2003

**Correct Answer: B [Atomic Energy Act, 1962]**

**Notes:**

The Atomic Energy Regulatory Board has permitted major equipment erection at Kudankulam Nuclear Power Project Units 5 and 6. The Atomic Energy Regulatory Board is India's premier authority for nuclear and radiation safety. It was established on November 15, 1983, under the Atomic Energy Act, 1962. Its regulatory powers are derived from the Atomic Energy Act and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. The main objective of the Board is to ensure safe use of nuclear energy and ionising radiation without risk to people and the environment. Its headquarters is located in Mumbai.

6.The Bureau of Indian Standards functions under which ministry?

[A] Ministry of Commerce and Industry

[B] Ministry of Science and Technology

[C] Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution

[D] Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

**Correct Answer: C [Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution]**

**Notes:**

The Bureau of Indian Standards has published standards for medical assistive technologies under the National List of Essential Assistive Products (NLEAP) initiative. BIS is the national standards body of India established under the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016. It aims to ensure standardization, marking, and quality certification of goods in India. It represents India in the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) and the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC). BIS functions under the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution and is headquartered in New Delhi.

7.Who became the first man to win five consecutive ATP (Association of Tennis Professionals) Masters 1000 titles?

- [A] Jannik Sinner
- [B] Carlos Alcaraz
- [C] Alexander Zverev
- [D] Daniil Medvedev

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**Correct Answer:** A [Jannik Sinner]

**Notes:**

Jannik Sinner won the Madrid Open title by defeating Alexander Zverev in straight sets (6–1, 6–2). With this victory, Sinner became the first man to win five consecutive ATP (Association of Tennis Professionals) Masters 1000 titles. He also became the first player to win the season's opening four Masters events: Indian Wells, Miami, Monte Carlo, and Madrid. The 24-year-old Italian has shown dominance across both hard and clay courts. Sinner has now won nine consecutive matches against Zverev and 10 out of their 14 encounters.

8. When is Fire Safety Week 2026 observed in India?

- [A] 1–7 May 2026
- [B] 4–10 May 2026
- [C] 5–11 May 2026
- [D] 10–16 May 2026

**Correct Answer:** B [4–10 May 2026]

**Notes:**

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is observing Fire Safety Week from May 4 to May 10, 2026, across healthcare facilities. The theme is "Safe School, Safe Hospital and Fire Safety Aware Society – Together for Fire Prevention." The initiative focuses on mandatory fire audits, mock drills, and implementation of the National Guidelines on Fire and Life Safety in Healthcare Facilities (2026). The campaign aims to enhance safety standards, especially in hospitals, to protect patients and healthcare personnel.

9. What is the name of the scheme recently approved by the Union Cabinet to provide credit guarantee support to businesses?

- [A] Credit Linked Subsidy Scheme (CLSS)
- [B] Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS) 5.0
- [C] Stand-Up India Scheme
- [D] Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme

**Correct Answer: B [Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS) 5.0]**

**Notes:**

The Union Cabinet chaired by Narendra Modi approved the Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS) 5.0 to provide financial relief to businesses. The scheme offers credit guarantee support through the National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company Limited (NCGTC) to Member Lending Institutions (MLIs). It provides 100% guarantee coverage for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) and 90% for non-MSMEs and the airline sector. The scheme allows additional credit up to 20% of peak working capital, with limits for airlines up to ₹ 1,500 crore. The scheme is valid till March 31, 2027 and aims to address liquidity issues arising from the West Asia crisis.

10. Where was conference on Brain-Computer Interface (BCI) held?

- [A] Hyderabad
- [B] New Delhi
- [C] Mumbai
- [D] Chennai

**Correct Answer: B [New Delhi]**

**Notes:**

The conference on Brain-Computer Interface (BCI) titled "Expanding Neural Frontiers & Its Strategic Implications" was inaugurated by Anil Chauhan in New Delhi. It was jointly organised by Headquarters Integrated Defence Staff (HQ IDS) and the Centre for Joint Warfare Studies (CENJOWS). The event brought together military leaders, scientists, policymakers, academia, and start-ups to discuss BCI's defence and civilian applications. The conference emphasized

collaboration to harness BCI for national security, operational efficiency, and societal benefits.