

Current Affairs: 28 September, 2024

International

- ****Shigeru Ishiba to Become Japan's Prime Minister:****



Former defense minister Shigeru Ishiba is set to succeed Fumio Kishida as Japan's Prime Minister after winning the Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) leadership vote.

State

- ****“Dust Free Drive” Launched in Delhi:****



Delhi's Lieutenant Governor L. G. Saxena initiated the drive to combat air pollution ahead of the winter season.

Economy

- ****SEBI Launches FPI Outreach Cell:****



SEBI introduced this cell to assist Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs) in accessing the Indian securities market.

Awards

- ****Best Tourism Villages Competition 2024 Winner:****



The Ministry of Tourism announced the winners of the Best Tourism Villages Competition 2024 on World Tourism Day.

Science and Technology

- ****Women in Space Leadership Programme Initiative Launched:****



The DST and British Council launched this initiative under the UK-India Education and Research Initiative (UKIERI).

- **Sunita Williams Takes Command of ISS:**



NASA astronaut of Indian origin, Sunita Williams, took command of the International Space Station (ISS) for the second time.

Schemes

- **Paryatan Mitra and Paryatan Didi Initiative:**



Launched by the Ministry of Tourism, this initiative aims to empower local communities, focusing on responsible tourism and sustainability.

Books and Authors

- **“Khaki Mein Sthitapragya” by Anil Raturi:**



The former DGP of Uttarakhand shares his memories and experiences in this book, reflecting on his service in the Indian Police.

Important Days

- ****International Day for Universal Access to Information:****



Celebrated on September 28, 2024, focusing on improving information accessibility.

- **World Rabies Day 2024:**



Observed on September 28 to raise awareness about rabies prevention with the theme "Breaking Rabies Boundaries."