

June 2025 Monthly Current Affairs – Complete Summary in Simple English

Welcome to the monthly current affairs summary for June 2025. This comprehensive article has been written in simple and easy-to-understand English to help students, aspirants preparing for government exams like UPSC, SSC, Banking, Railways, State PSCs, and curious readers stay informed. It includes detailed coverage of national and international events, government schemes, economic updates, important days, appointments, awards, sports achievements, books, and notable deaths.

Important Days in June 2025

June 1 – World Milk Day

This day is celebrated globally to highlight the importance of milk in our diet and to recognize the efforts of the dairy industry. In India, which is the largest milk producer in the world, campaigns are organized to promote milk consumption and raise awareness about its nutritional benefits, especially for children and women.

June 1 – Global Parents Day

This day is observed to express gratitude to parents for their selfless love, care, and lifelong support. Schools and communities across the globe conduct special programs and activities to honour parents and guardians.

June 2 – Telangana Formation Day

On this day in 2014, Telangana became the 29th state of India after being carved out of Andhra Pradesh. The state government celebrates the day with cultural performances, public events, and announcements of new welfare schemes.

June 3 – World Bicycle Day

A day to promote the benefits of cycling for health, the environment, and sustainable urban mobility. Rallies and cycling events are organized worldwide to spread awareness.

June 5 – World Environment Day

One of the most important global observances, this day encourages people to act for environmental protection. The 2025 theme was "Restore Land, Stop Desertification." India and many other countries planted trees, organized clean-up drives, and held awareness sessions.

June 21 – International Yoga Day

Observed globally, this day highlights the health benefits of practicing yoga. The 2025 theme was "Yoga for Self and Society." In India, mass yoga sessions were conducted in schools, parks, and government institutions with enthusiastic participation.

Other significant days included World Food Safety Day (June 7), World Day Against Child Labour (June 12), World Blood Donor Day (June 14), and United Nations Public Service Day (June 23), among others.

National and State News

India Conducts First Mobile E-Voting Trial in Bihar

In a significant step towards electoral reform, India carried out its first-ever mobile e-voting pilot in Bihar using blockchain technology. The aim is to simplify the voting process, especially for migrants, the elderly, and people with disabilities. This pilot reflects the government's push toward using technology to strengthen democratic participation.

INS Arnala Commissioned into Indian Navy

INS Arnala, the first indigenous shallow water anti-submarine warfare craft, was officially commissioned into the Indian Navy. Built under the 'Make in India' initiative, this vessel enhances coastal security and maritime surveillance, especially in shallow waters where large ships cannot operate effectively.

Surat Diamond Bourse Declared World's Largest Office Building

Located in Gujarat, the Surat Diamond Bourse has overtaken the Pentagon in the USA to become the world's largest office building. Spread over 67 lakh square feet, it accommodates more than 65,000 professionals and includes offices, safe vaults, restaurants, and trading halls, revolutionizing the diamond trade industry in India.

First Hydrogen-Powered Metro to Launch in Kolkata

Indian Railways announced plans to introduce the country's first hydrogen-powered metro train in Kolkata. This eco-friendly metro system will help reduce carbon emissions and dependence on fossil fuels, marking a major advancement in green urban transport.

Delhi Declares Heat Emergency

With temperatures reaching record highs in June, the Delhi government declared a heat emergency. Schools were temporarily closed, and hospitals were put on high alert for heatstroke cases. The government also issued advisories for citizens to stay hydrated and indoors during peak hours.

Bengaluru Ranked Among World's Top 10 Tech Cities

In a global study, Bengaluru was ranked among the top 10 fastest-growing technology hubs worldwide. This reflects the city's increasing role in innovation, digital services, and startup growth.

India Joins Global Solar Power Sharing Initiative

India took a lead role in the international 'One Sun, One World, One Grid' initiative, aimed at creating a global solar power sharing network. Alongside countries like France and the UK, India plans to build interconnected grids for clean energy exchange.

Government Schemes and Economic Updates

New Electric Vehicle (EV) Subsidy Policy Announced

The central government launched a revised EV policy that offers subsidies up to ₹1.5 lakh for electric two-wheelers. This is part of the effort to encourage green mobility, reduce air pollution, and support the domestic electric vehicle industry. States like Maharashtra and Delhi also launched their own top-up schemes.

Digital India Act Draft Released

The Ministry of Electronics and IT released the draft of the Digital India Act, meant to replace the outdated Information Technology Act of 2000. It includes rules related to artificial intelligence, data privacy, misinformation, deepfakes, and child safety online. Public consultations have begun to finalize the act.

India's Forex Reserves Cross \$650 Billion

India's foreign exchange reserves reached an all-time high of over \$650 billion, providing a strong buffer for the economy against global financial shocks and currency fluctuations. This shows the resilience and growth of the Indian economy.

GST Collection Hits ₹1.87 Lakh Crore in June

India's Goods and Services Tax (GST) collection for June 2025 stood at ₹1.87 lakh crore, the second-highest ever monthly collection. This indicates strong economic activity and improved compliance.

RBI Expands Digital Rupee Pilot

The Reserve Bank of India expanded its digital currency pilot project to more cities and banks. The e-Rupee is a digital version of cash and is being tested for retail and wholesale transactions.

International News

Russia Officially Recognizes Taliban Government

In a major diplomatic move, Russia formally recognized the Taliban as the legitimate

government of Afghanistan and accepted their ambassador. This move may influence how other countries approach diplomatic relations with Afghanistan in the future.

Israel–Hamis Ceasefire Proposal by USA

The United States introduced a ceasefire plan to stop the violent conflict between Israel and Hamas. The plan includes a three-phase approach involving a temporary halt in fighting, release of hostages, and long-term peace talks. Negotiations are still ongoing.

G7 Summit 2025 Held in Italy

The Group of Seven (G7) summit took place in Apulia, Italy. Key topics included artificial intelligence governance, climate change funding, global economic stability, and health cooperation. India was invited as a guest country and emphasized the need for inclusive global development.

New Non-Permanent Members Elected to UN Security Council

Five new countries—Algeria, South Korea, Slovenia, Guyana, and Sierra Leone—were elected as non-permanent members of the United Nations Security Council for the 2026–27 term. These members will contribute to global peace and security decisions.

World Bank Approves \$1 Billion for Africa’s Climate Projects

The World Bank sanctioned \$1 billion in funding to support clean energy and agricultural resilience in several African countries. This is part of the global effort to combat climate change and promote sustainable development.

India Expands Trade Ties with Mercosur Nations

India signed new agreements with the Mercosur group (Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay) to boost trade in pharmaceuticals, textiles, and agriculture. This move will help Indian exporters access South American markets more easily.

Appointments and Resignations

Smriti Irani Appointed UN Women India Ambassador

Union Minister Smriti Irani was appointed as the India Ambassador for UN Women. In this role, she will help promote gender equality, women empowerment initiatives, and drive collaboration between the Indian government and the UN.

Senior Bureaucratic Reshuffle Expected

The central government announced that a major reshuffle of Governors and top-level bureaucrats is expected in early July. Preparations for the 2029 Lok Sabha elections and ongoing reforms in civil services are believed to be the reasons behind the changes.

New Chief Justices Appointed

Three new Chief Justices were appointed in high courts of Madhya Pradesh, Kerala, and Gujarat. The appointments are part of the Centre's effort to reduce pending cases and bring judicial reforms at state levels.

Awards and Honours

PM Narendra Modi Receives Grand Cross of Cyprus

Prime Minister Modi was honoured with the Grand Cross of the Order of Makarios III by Cyprus, the country's highest civilian award. This award was given in recognition of his efforts in strengthening bilateral relations and promoting peace and sustainable development.

Indian Architect Wins Global Green Design Award

Renowned architect Anupama Kundoo received the Green Design Award for her work on sustainable housing in rural India. Her eco-friendly construction models have inspired urban development practices across the world.

Global Education Prize for Indian Teacher

Rajesh Sharma, a government school teacher from Rajasthan, received the 2025 Global Education Prize for developing low-cost online learning tools that benefited lakhs of rural children post-pandemic.

Sports News

Carlos Alcaraz Wins French Open 2025

Spain's Carlos Alcaraz claimed the men's singles title at the French Open, defeating Daniil Medvedev in straight sets. With this win, Alcaraz solidified his place among the top tennis players globally.

South Africa Wins World Test Championship Final

South Africa defeated India in the WTC Final held at Lord's Cricket Ground. Kagiso Rabada's 10-wicket haul played a crucial role in securing the historic victory.

India Tops Taiwan Athletics Open Medal Tally

Indian athletes dominated the Taiwan Athletics Open, winning 18 medals, including 9 gold. Neeraj Chopra and Hima Das were among the standout performers.

India U-20 Women's Football Team Makes History

For the first time, the Indian Under-20 women's football team qualified for the AFC Championship final round. Their success reflects the rising standard of women's football in the country.

PV Sindhu Back in Top 5 of BWF Rankings

Indian badminton star P.V. Sindhu made a strong comeback, climbing back into the top 5 of the BWF World Rankings. Her recent tournament performances have shown consistency and resilience.

Books and Authors

"India @100" by Dr. Bibek Debroy

This book outlines India's development goals and future challenges as it approaches 2047. It covers topics like the economy, education, and governance reforms needed for the country's growth.

Biography of Ratan Tata Released

A new biography titled "Ratan Tata: The Silent Titan" was launched. The book highlights Tata's vision, business leadership, and philanthropic contributions that shaped modern India.

Obituaries

Dr. Bimal Jalan Passes Away

Former Reserve Bank of India Governor and eminent economist Dr. Bimal Jalan passed away at the age of 83. He played a key role in India's economic reforms and financial stability during the early 2000s.

Veteran Actress Sulochana Latkar Dies

Famous for her roles in both Marathi and Hindi cinema, veteran actress Sulochana Latkar passed away. She acted in over 300 films and was widely respected for portraying strong maternal characters.

This concludes the complete and detailed monthly current affairs for June 2025. Suitable for all competitive exam aspirants and general knowledge readers. Stay tuned for more monthly updates.

