

## Nandyal Banking Coaching Center - Daily News Dated 29 Jan 2026

1. Who laid the foundation stone of the ₹450 crore "Matabari Tourism Circuit" in Tripura? Ans: Union Minister Jyotiraditya Scindia
2. Under the "Mukhya Mantrir Eti Koli Duti Paat Scheme" in Assam, what amount is provided as one-time financial assistance to tea garden workers? Ans: ₹5,000
3. Which organization released the report titled "State of Finance for Nature 2026"? Ans: United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
4. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) signed an agreement with which European regulator to allow the recognition of Indian clearing corporations? Ans: European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA)
5. Which player scored the first century in the history of the Women's Premier League (WPL)? Ans: Nat Sciver-Brunt
6. What is the minimum capital threshold proposed by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for Credit Cooperative Societies to convert into Urban Cooperative Banks (UCBs)? Ans: ₹300 Crore
7. Which Indian state inaugurated its first Drone School and Drone Center of Excellence at Kohima? Ans: Nagaland
8. Who has been elected as the new President of the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA)? Ans: Sheikh Joaan Bin Hamad Al Thani
9. What is the name of the second-generation AI chip unveiled by Microsoft? Ans: Maia 200
10. Which Central Armed Police Force (CAPF) officer commanded the all-male contingent at the 77th Republic Day parade? Ans: Assistant Commandant Simran Bala
11. The Department of Fisheries (DoF) approved the development of a "Smart and Integrated Fishing Harbour" at which location in Andaman & Nicobar? Ans: Mayabunder
12. Which initiative launched by NITI Aayog (National Institution for Transforming India) aims to saturate development indicators in Aspirational Districts over 3 months? Ans: Sampoonata Abhiyan 2.0
13. Western Coalfields Limited (WCL) launched which Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiative to train youth for army recruitment? Ans: Project SANDEEP
14. What is the projected dividend transfer from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) to the Government of India for the financial year 2027? Ans: ₹3 Lakh Crore
15. Who received the Ashok Chakra for his performance in the Axiom-4 mission? Ans: Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla
16. Which two entities signed an agreement to share deepwater resources in the Krishna Godavari (KG) basin? Ans: Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) and Reliance Industries
17. The Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS) signed an Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with which state for a vulture conservation breeding programme? Ans: Jharkhand
18. What is the name of the security program under the European Union (EU) that India has agreed to participate in? Ans: Security Action for Europe (SAFE)
19. Which city has been selected as the host for the 2026 Asian Games? Ans: Aichi-Nagoya, Japan
20. According to the "State of Finance for Nature 2026" report, what is the ratio of finance for nature-negative activities compared to nature-based solutions? Ans: 30:1
21. Which credit rating agency estimated that the India-EU Free Trade Agreement (FTA) will increase India's export potential by \$4 to \$4.5 billion? Ans: Care Ratings
22. What is the financial outlay for the two bamboo sector projects launched by the Union Minister in Guwahati, Assam? Ans: ₹82.5 crore
23. Which organization has appointed Ruth Trevelyan as its first "Head of Athlete Welfare and Sustainability"? Ans: International Skating Union (ISU)
24. The Central University of Karnataka (CUK) signed an MoU with which organization to boost research in geospatial technologies? Ans: Survey of India (SoI)
25. Which airport is the venue for the "Wings India 2026" exhibition? Ans: Begumpet Airport, Hyderabad

26. Under the Agarwood Value Chain Development Scheme (AVCDS), where will the two Central Processing Centres (CPCs) be established? Ans: Golaghat (Assam) and Kadamtala (Tripura)
27. The Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission (IPC) signed an MoU with which state council to strengthen pharmacovigilance? Ans: Jharkhand State Pharmacy Council (JSPC)
28. According to the Reserve Bank of India's (RBI) draft guidelines for natural disaster relief, what is the maximum moratorium period allowed for loans? Ans: 3 months
29. Which institute developed a method using Google Earth imagery to detect "Glacial Lake Outburst Floods" (GLOFs)? Ans: Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Guwahati
30. NITI Aayog partnered with which foundation to achieve 100% digital literacy coverage in select Aspirational Blocks? Ans: NIIT Foundation
31. What is the total number of Padma Awards approved by the President of India for the year 2026? Ans: 131
32. Which company partnered with GAIL (India) Ltd and K LINE to acquire an equity stake in an LNG carrier? Ans: J M Baxi Marine Services
33. What term did the Union Minister use to describe the initiative promoting engineered bamboo in the Northeast? Ans: Green Gold
34. During "India Energy Week" in Goa, India held a Ministerial Energy Dialogue with which country? Ans: Canada
35. The Department of Posts signed an agreement with which entity to provide capital market services through post offices? Ans: Stock Holding Services
36. Which state government signed power agreements worth ₹60,000 Crore with Torrent Power, Adani Power, and Hindustan Thermal? Ans: Madhya Pradesh
37. On which date is International Data Privacy Day observed annually? Ans: January 28
38. Which act facilitates the resource-sharing collaboration between ONGC and Reliance Industries? Ans: Oilfields (Regulation and Development) Amendment Act, 2025
39. Who is the current Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of NITI Aayog? Ans: B.V.R. Subrahmanyam
40. Which iconic saree was featured in a record-setting walk event in Malaysia? Ans: Lal Paad Saree
41. What is India's target for seafood exports by the year 2030-31? Ans: ₹1 lakh crore
42. The "Smart and Integrated Fishing Harbour" at Mayabunder is being developed in line with which initiative? Ans: Blue Port Initiative
43. Which council is executing the bamboo sector projects in the Northeast in collaboration with the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER)? Ans: North East Cane and Bamboo Development Council (NECBDC)
44. Which two vulture species are the focus of the conservation breeding programme in Jharkhand? Ans: Oriental White-backed Vulture and Long-billed Vulture
45. According to the India-EU Free Trade Agreement (FTA), EU exports to India are expected to double by which year? Ans: 2032
46. Who served as the Parade Commander of the 77th Republic Day parade? Ans: Lt General Bhavnish Kumar
47. The "Maia 200" AI chip is manufactured using which nanometer technology? Ans: 3-nanometer chipmaking technology
48. Where is the headquarters of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) located? Ans: Nairobi, Kenya
49. Who is the current Union Minister for Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER) and Communications? Ans: Jyotiraditya Scindia
50. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) agreement with ESMA allows which entity to re-apply for recognition in the European Union? Ans: Clearing Corporation of India Limited (CCIL)