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MSME Day Micro, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (MSMEs) Day is celebrated each year on 27 June.

MSME Day 2019 is dedicated to raising awareness of the need for greater investment into small and mid-sized businesses in developing countries but it is also a celebration of the gigantic contribution smaller companies make to the global economy, often away from the spotlight. This includes the launch of ITC's flagship report, the SME Competitiveness Outlook 2019, which this year explores financing for MSMEs under the heading Big Money for Small Business.

Police station in Satara tops SMART survey Rahimatpur police station in Satara district in western Maharashtra has emerged as the State topper in a survey

Based on the 'SMART' policing concept 'SMART' — strict and sensitive, modern and mobile, alert and accountable, reliable and responsive, techno-savvy and trained The Quality Council of India (QCI), which executed the survey, assessed 87 shortlisted police stations across thecountry on a number of parameters like performance in controlling crime, infrastructure of the police building, mess and optimal use of technology, and citizen feedback.

IOA and FIH chief Batra elected IOC member Indian Olympic Association president Narinder Batra was elected as a member of the International Olympic Committee.

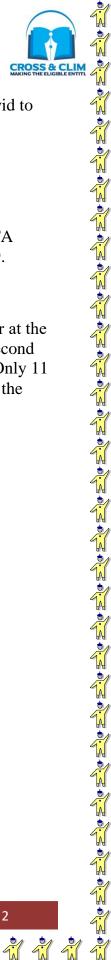
He has already become the first Indian to head an international federation of an Olympic sport -- that of FIH.Other than Batra, Reliance Foundation Chairperson Nita Ambani is the only other member of the IOC who was elected in 2016. She is the first Indian woman to be elected to the prestigious seat.

Amitabh Kant gets two year extension as NITI Aayog CEO

The appointments committee of the cabinet has approved extension of tenure of Amitabh Kant as chief executive officer of the NITI Aayog for a further period of two years beyond June 30, 2019 up to June 30, 2021.

Nirmala Sitharaman on list of 100 most powerful women influencing India-

UK relations Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister of India, is among the 100 most influential women driving the UK-India relationship forward alongside one of Britain's senior-most Cabinet ministers Penny Mordaunt. The '100 Most Influential in UK-India



Relations: Celebrating Women' list was launched by UK Home Secretary Sajid Javid to mark India Day in the Houses of Parliament in London

Sofia Kenin beats Belinda Bencic to claim Mallorca Open title American

20-year-old Sofia Kenin saved three match points on her way to beating third seed Belinda Bencic in the Mallorca Open grass court final. This was her second WTA (Women's Tennis Association) singles title of the season. She claimed her first WTA singles title in the Australian Open 2019 held at Hobart, Australia in January, 2019.

Girish Koushik becomes India's 63rd Grandmaster

Girish A. Koushik, the 22-year-old from Mysuru became India's 63rd Grandmaster at the 37th Balaton International Chess Festival in Hungary. Girish had completed his second GM norm in Mallorca late in May, and the third in Budapest the following week. Only 11 Elo rating points separated him from the figure of 2500 (live), and he duly crossed the line in Balatonlelle

