

One Liners (14 August 2021)

- PM **Narendra Modi** formally launched the **National Automobile Scrappage Policy** and Investors Summit for setting up **Vehicle Scrapping Infrastructure**, through video conferencing at **Gandhinagar** in Gujarat.
- Union Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports **Anurag Thakur** launched a nationwide programme of '**Fit India Freedom Run 2.0**' programme from Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium in New Delhi
- The **Reserve Bank of India** has cancelled the license of **Raigad based Karnala Nagari Sahakari Bank Limited** in Maharashtra.
- Shakib Al Hasan (Bangladesh all-rounder) and West Indies skipper Stafanie Taylor were named the **ICC Player of the Month** for July in men's and **women's categories** respectively. ICC Headquarters: **Dubai, United Arab Emirates**, ICC Chairman: **Greg Barclay**
- India is sending its **largest-ever contingent to the Paralympic Games** in Tokyo - 54 para-sportspersons across 9 sports disciplines.
- **Kerala Police** to launch "**country's first-of-its-kind**" Drone Forensic Lab & Research Centre.

Today in History

- Prime Minister **Narendra Modi** declared that **August 14** will be observed as Partition Horrors Remembrance Day. It will be observed as '**Partition Horrors Remembrance Day**' or 'Vibhajan Vibhishika Smriti Diwas', in memory of people's struggles and sacrifices during the partition of the country in 1947.
- "Unity, Faith, and Discipline" is the guiding principle and national motto of Pakistan. The country celebrates its Independence Day on **August 14**.