

Important Days in July 2026, National and International Days

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July is an important month that includes several national and international observances related to health, education, environment, science, peace, culture and global development. **Important Days in July 2026** help spread awareness about major global challenges, honour inspiring personalities and remember significant historical events. These observances also improve general awareness and encourage responsible citizenship.

Important Days in July 2026

Important Days in July 2026 include awareness days, commemorative events and national observances celebrated across the world. These July Special Days 2026 focus on topics such as healthcare, population, youth empowerment, environmental protection, justice, friendship and sustainable development.

List of Important Days in July 2026

The following table includes the major national and international Important Days in July 2026 along with their significance and historical background.

Important Days in July 2026		
Date	Day	Significance
1 July	National Doctor's Day (India)	Observed to honour doctors and commemorate the contribution of Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy towards healthcare and medical education in India.
1 July	Chartered Accountants Day	Marks the establishment of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) in 1949 and recognises the contribution of chartered accountants to the economy .
1 July	National Postal Worker Day	Appreciates postal employees for ensuring reliable delivery of letters and parcels across the country.
2 July	World UFO Day	The day began in 2001 to mark the incident of 1947 when a mysterious object was crashed at Roswell, New Mexico. The day highlights the awareness of UFO and life possibilities beyond Earth.
4 July	International Day of Cooperatives	Celebrates the contribution of cooperative societies in promoting sustainable development, employment and community welfare.
6 July	World Rural Development Day	Highlights the importance of rural development , inclusive growth and improving the quality of life in rural communities.
6 July	World Zoonoses Day	Commemorates the first successful rabies vaccination by Louis Pasteur in 1885 and spreads awareness about diseases transmitted from animals to humans.
7 July	World Kiswahili Language Day	Promotes the Kiswahili language as a tool for cultural exchange, education and international cooperation. It is the first African language to receive official recognition from the UN.
7 July	Global Forgiveness Day	The day originated in Canada and promotes forgiveness as a core human value and encourages people for letting go so as to lead for a peaceful co-existence.
11 July	World Population Day	Started by the UN in 1989. Draws attention to population related issues such as family planning, sustainable development and gender equality.

11 July	World Horse Day	Adopted by the UN General Assembly in 2025 to recognise the historical and economic importance of horses in agriculture, transport, sports and culture.
11 July	International Day of Reflection and Commemoration of the 1995 Genocide in Srebrenica	Remembers the victims of the 1995 Srebrenica genocide and promotes peace, justice and prevention of future atrocities.
12 July	International Day of Combating Sand and Dust Storms	Raises awareness about the environmental and economic impact of sand and dust storms across affected regions.
12 July	International Day of Hope	Encourages hope, resilience and international cooperation during global challenges.
12 July	NABARD Foundation Day	The day commemorates the establishment of the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development in 1982.
14 July	Bastille Day (French National Day)	The day commemorates the Bastille prison event of 1789 which lead to the beginning of the French Revolution .
15 July	World Youth Skills Day	Promotes skill development among youth to improve employability and support sustainable economic growth.
17 July	World Day for International Justice	Marks the adoption of the Rome Statute and promotes international criminal justice and accountability.
18 July	Nelson Mandela International Day	Celebrates the life and values of Nelson Mandela and encourages voluntary service for society.
20 July	World Chess Day	Marks the establishment of the International Chess Federation (FIDE) and promotes chess as a game of strategy and learning.
20 July	International Moon Day	Commemorates the first human landing (Apollo 11) on the Moon in 1969 and celebrates achievements in space exploration.
22 July	National Flag Adoption Day (India)	Marks the adoption of the Indian National Flag by the Constituent Assembly on 22 July 1947 and celebrates national unity.

25 July	World Drowning Prevention Day	Promotes measures to prevent drowning and improve water safety across the world.
25 July	International Day for Judicial Well being	Highlights the importance of the physical and mental well being of judges and judicial professionals.
26 July	Kargil Vijay Diwas	Commemorates India's victory in the Kargil War of 1999 and honours the courage and sacrifice of Indian Armed Forces.
26 July	International Day for Conservation of Mangrove Ecosystem	The day was recognised by UNESCO in 2015 to highlight the importance of the mangroves in maintaining global carbon sink, coastal ecosystem and environmental protection across world.
27 July	APJ Abdul Kalam Death Anniversary	Pays tribute to former President Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam for his contribution to science, education and national development.
27 July	CRPF Foundation Day	The day marks the establishment of CRPF as Crown's Representative Police in 1939.
28 July	World Hepatitis Day	Raises awareness about hepatitis prevention, early diagnosis and treatment to reduce liver diseases.
28 July	World Nature Conservation Day	Encourages conservation of natural resources and protection of biodiversity for future generations.
29 July	International Tiger Day	Promotes tiger conservation and protection of their natural habitats worldwide.
29 July	Guru Purnima	Celebrates teachers and spiritual gurus for their guidance and contribution to knowledge and values.
30 July	International Day of Friendship	Adopted by the UN General Assembly in 2011. Promotes friendship, mutual respect and peaceful relations among people and nations.
30 July	World Day Against Trafficking in Persons	Raises awareness about human trafficking and supports the protection of victims' rights.

31 July	World Ranger Day	The day commemorates the Park rangers for their contributions. It was established by International Ranger Federation (IRF) in 2007.
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Important Days in July 2026 in India and World

The following Important Days in July 2026 are among the most significant events celebrated during July and are widely recognised for their historical, national and global importance. The detailed highlights of the Special Days in July in India and the world has been provided below:

National Doctor's Day- 1 July

National Doctor's Day in India honours the dedication of doctors and commemorates the birth and death anniversary of Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy. The day recognises the vital role of medical professionals in protecting public health.

Chartered Accountants Day- 1 July

Chartered Accountants Day marks the establishment of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India in 1949. It recognises the contribution of accounting professionals in financial management, taxation, auditing and economic development.

International Day of Cooperatives- 5 July

This day recognises the role of cooperative organisations in reducing poverty, creating employment and supporting sustainable economic and social development through collective efforts.

World Rural Development Day- 6 July

World Rural Development Day highlights the importance of improving rural infrastructure, agriculture, education, healthcare and livelihoods to achieve balanced and inclusive development.

World Population Day- 11 July

Observed every year on 11 July, World Population Day focuses on population growth, reproductive health, gender equality and sustainable development. It encourages governments to address demographic challenges through informed policies.

World Youth Skills Day- 15 July

World Youth Skills Day promotes technical, vocational and digital education that prepares young people for employment, entrepreneurship and changing workplace demands in the modern economy.

World Day for International Justice- 17 July

This day commemorates the adoption of the Rome Statute in 1998, which established the International Criminal Court. It supports accountability, justice and the rule of law for serious international crimes.

Nelson Mandela International Day- 18 July

Observed on Nelson Mandela's birth anniversary, this day encourages individuals to contribute positively to society through voluntary service, equality, peace and social justice.

World Chess Day- 20 July

World Chess Day marks the foundation of the International Chess Federation (FIDE). It promotes logical thinking, strategic planning, concentration and intellectual development through the game of chess.

International Moon Day- 20 July

International Moon Day commemorates the first human landing on the Moon on 20 July 1969. It celebrates scientific achievements, peaceful space exploration and international cooperation in space research.

National Flag Adoption Day- 22 July

This day remembers the adoption of India's National Flag by the Constituent Assembly on 22 July 1947. It symbolises national unity, freedom, democracy and constitutional values.

Kargil Vijay Diwas- 26 July

Kargil Vijay Diwas commemorates India's victory in the 1999 Kargil War under Operation Vijay. The day honours the bravery, courage and supreme sacrifice of Indian soldiers in defending the nation's borders.

World Hepatitis Day- 28 July

World Hepatitis Day spreads awareness about hepatitis infections, their prevention, early diagnosis, vaccination and treatment. It aims to reduce liver related diseases and improve public health globally.

International Tiger Day- 29 July

International Tiger Day promotes conservation of tigers and their habitats. The observance encourages wildlife protection and highlights the ecological importance of maintaining healthy tiger populations.

International Day of Friendship- 30 July

International Day of Friendship recognises friendship as a powerful force for promoting peace, cooperation, mutual understanding and harmony among individuals, communities and nations.

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