## September 25<sup>th</sup> news:

## International issues:

- China to cut oil exports, ban textile imports from North Korea

China will restrict oil exports to and ban textile imports from North Korea. China has decided to join in global efforts to enforce tighter UN Security Council sanctions on North Korea for its provocative nuclear and missile tests. China, the closest ally of North Korea, accounts for about 90 per cent of North Korea's foreign trade.

**Nuclear weapons of North Korea**: North Korea has conducted six nuclear tests, in 2006, 2009, 2013, twice in 2016, and 2017. The first test was on 9<sup>th</sup> October, 2006. The latest one was on September 3, 2017. North Korea declared that the latest one was its first hydrogen bomb.

## **National Issues**

More than 69 species of butterflies recorded in Delhi

Fifteen teams from Bombay Natural History Society claimed that more than 69 species of butterflies are recorded in National Capital Region, New Delhi. The Authorities said the newest found species will be declared as the state's butterfly.

## Sports news:

India clinched series against Australia

India has won in the third One day International against Australia. With this victory, India has won series, India has won all the three One day matches, and still two ODIs to be played between the two countries

- Vaishnavi triumph

Indian shuttler Vaishnavi Reddy has won women's singles Under-19 title at the Belgian Junior Open badminton tournament. She defeated top seed Vivien Sandorhazi

- FIFA U-17 World Cup: Goa stadium handed over to FIFA

The Nehru Stadium in Fatorda, Goa, was on 24<sup>th</sup> September handed over to FIFA for the Under-17 Football World Cup, beginning October 6.

The tournament will be held in India, from 6th and 28 October 2017. This will be the first FIFA tournament hosted by the country. The final will be held at the Salt Lake Stadium in Kolkata on 28 October 2017