

## Important Gujarat News

April 10, 2023

1. April 9, 2023: **Leicester, UK:** On 4<sup>th</sup> May 2023 are scheduled Local Bodies elections. At Leicester, both Conservative and Labour parties have nominated **Mayoral candidates**, who come from **Gujarat, India**. Both are Councilors today. **Sanjay Modvadia** of Conservative party and a businessman is fighting the election for Mayorship against **Rita Patel**. Rita Patel was a Councilor of Labour party.

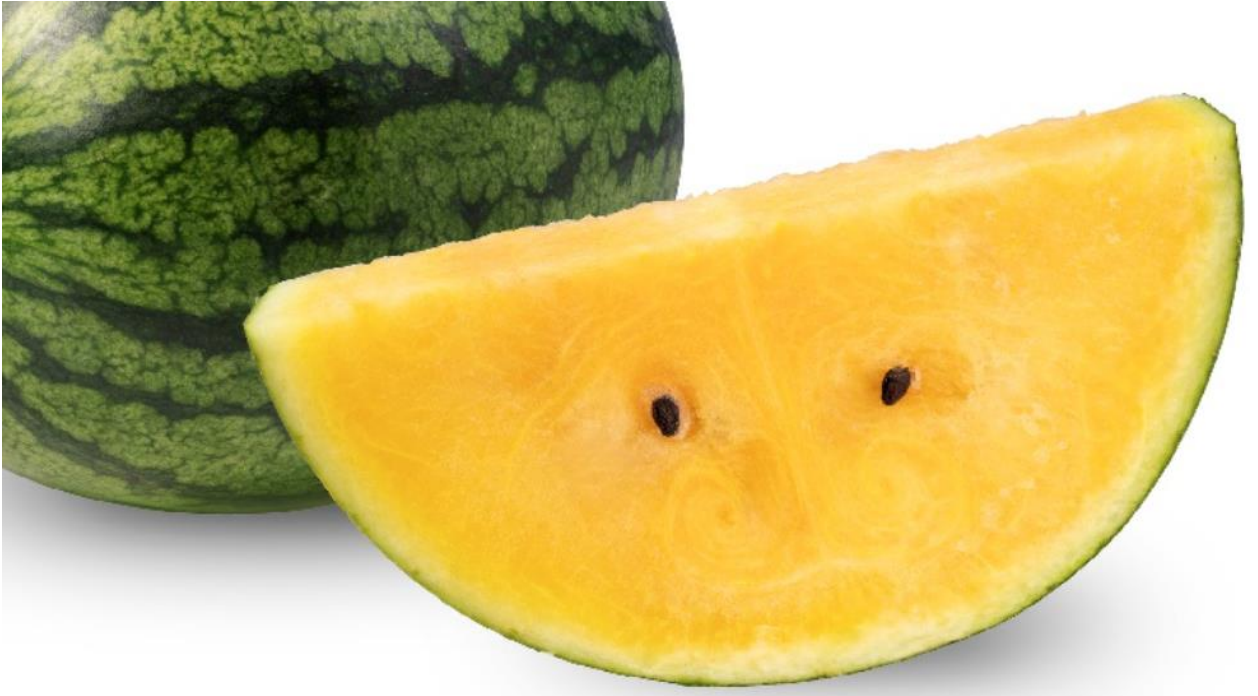
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2. April 7, 2023: A court in Ranchi has issued a warrant against **Ameesha Patel** and her business partner in a 2018 case of a bounced cheque, filed against her by Ajay Kumar Singh, a Film Producer. Since neither Ameesha Patel nor her Lawyer were present in the court, a warrant was issued for April 15, 2023.



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3. April 7, 2023: Surinder Nagar District, Gujarat, India: **Sahdev Jorubhai**, a progressive farmer of Nariyana village and Ta. Dhragandhara, has used innovations to earn Rs 1,00,000 per bigha in his farm of 35 bighas.



Sahdev has developed **yellow watermelon** and very sweet and **multi-coloured sweet potatoes**. These are in great demand and fetch good price.

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4. April 7, 2023: Gujarat, India: On Hanumant Janmotsav, at Talgajarda Chitrakootdham of **Mahuva** (headquarter of Morari Bapu), Morari Bapu gave Awards to artists in different fields.

Hanumant Awards are given every year by Morari Bapu.



The 13 Awardees are: Natraj Samman (Award) to Jackie Shroff for Hindi Cinema, Avinash Samman to Sanjay Oza, Kailash Lalitkala Samman to Vridavan Solanki, Vachaspati Sanskrit Samman to Ajit Thakore, Bhamati Sanskrit Samman to Niranjana Vora, Sadbhavna Samman to Kishanbhai Goradia (Posthumous), Bhavai Natraj Samman to Champakbhai Goradia, Gujarati Rangmanch (drama) Natak Samman to Amit Divetia, Natraj Samman for Hindi to Sunil Laheri, Bharatnatyam dance Hanumant Samman to Rama Vaidyanathan, Hanumant Samman in Tabla Talvadya to Ustad Fazal Qureshi, Hanumant Samman in Santoor Shastriya Vadyasangeet to Pandit Rahul Sharma, Hanumant Samman in Shastriya Gayan to Pandit Uday Bhavalkar.

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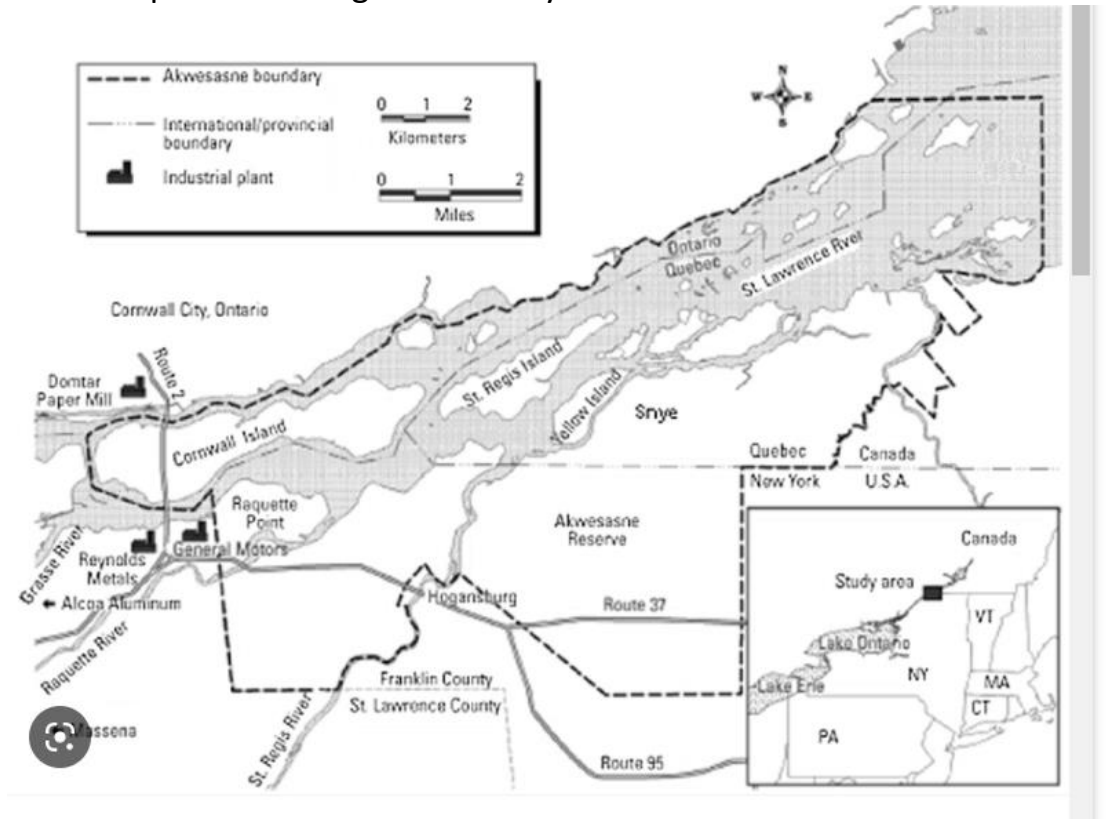
5. April 4, 2023: Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India: The Canadian Coast Guard and the police discovered an overturned boat in a marshy part of the St. Lawrence river and eight bodies on Friday, March 31, 2023. The eight bodies were of two families, who were surreptitiously trying to enter USA.

A Family of four from Gujarat: The superintendent of police for the city of Mehsana, in the western state of Gujarat, helped identify the family as Father, Praveenbhai, 50, a farmer; mother, Dakshaben, 45; daughter, Vidhi, 23; and son, Meet, 20. The body of Dakshaben has not yet been recovered. The family had entered Canada on a tourist visa.

The other family was from Romania: Florin Iordache and Cristina (Monalisa) Zenaida Iordache, both 28, along with two young children, ages two and

one. Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada had determined that the family was to be deported back to Romania. Three weeks back, their lawyer had filed an appeal against it. The family had been living in the Toronto area. Father Emanuel Èșencaliuc, priest at the All Saints Romanian Orthodox Church in Scarborough, said that the two kids had been baptized at the Church in June 2022.

The boat had departed from the east end of the Cornwall Island on Wednesday and was reported missing on Thursday.



**Reference for Map:** <https://tinyurl.com/mw66by66>

The path for illegal migrants into USA is through Akwesasne Mohawk Territory, which straddles provincial and international boundaries and includes regions of Quebec, Ontario and New York state.

Earlier in January 2022, a family of four persons, trying to cross into USA under cover of darkness in a remote area near Emerson, Man. The family was caught in a blizzard and froze to death. The family consisted of Jagdish Patel, 39, his wife Vaishaliben Patel, 37, their 11-year old daughter Vihangi and 3-year old son Dharmik.

**Reference:** <https://nationalpost.com/news/canada/police-search-for-boat-operator-in-st-lawrence-river-drownings>