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TNPSC BITS

- ❖ Aman Sehrawat made history as he became the first Indian wrestler to win a gold medal at the U-23 World Wrestling Championships in Pontevedra, Spain.
- ❖ Cyclone Sitrang made its landfall in the southwestern Bangladesh coast.
- ❖ The 2023 Asian Cup football tournament will be held in Qatar.
 - The Asian Football Confederation (AFC) has announced this after China withdrew earlier this year.

TAMIL NADU

Kashi Tamil Sangamam



- ❖ 'Kashi Tamil Sangamam' will be organized by the Ministry of Education.
- ❖ The 'Kashi Tamil Sangamam' is a month-long program that will be held from the 16th of the next month.
- ❖ It aims to rediscover the centuries-old bond of knowledge and ancient civilizational linkage between Varanasi and Tamil Nadu.

- ❖ The hosting partners of this event will be IIT-Madras and Banaras Hindu University.

NATIONAL

Migration Monitoring System



- ❖ India's first 'Migration Monitoring System' has been inaugurated in Mumbai.
- ❖ The system has been developed by the Department of Women and Child Development.
- ❖ It is aimed at providing updated information on migrant pregnant women, lactating mothers and children instantly on a single system.
- ❖ The website-based Migration Tracking System (MTS) will track the movements of vulnerable seasonal migrant beneficiaries through unique identification numbers.

1st SemiconIndia Future Design roadshow



- ❖ The first SemiconIndia FutureDesign roadshow held in Gujarat.

- ❖ It aims to encouraging startups, next-generation innovators, and business titans to invest in semiconductor design.
- ❖ During the event, ISRO-tested and approved NavIC Receiver Chipsets also unveiled.

ECONOMY

India's third-largest export market

- ❖ The Netherlands has emerged as India's third-largest export destination, ahead of China and Bangladesh.
- ❖ It has moved up two spots in the list of India's top ten export destinations since FY22.
- ❖ The US and the UAE continue to be the largest and second-largest export destinations.
- ❖ Brazil, occupied the 21st spot in FY22, is now India's 8th biggest export market.

STATES

Honesty Shops



- ❖ Honesty Shops have been opened in 15 schools in the Ernakulam district of Kerala.
- ❖ The Honesty Shops are a part of the Student Police Cadet (SPC) project which aims to provide valuable lessons on truth, and integrity for students.

- ❖ In these honestly shops, there is no salesman at the counters and students can drop the money for each item in the collection box kept in the shop.

Kati Bihu



- ❖ The harvest festival of Kathi Bihu is observed on the first day of the Kati month in the Assamese calendar.
- ❖ The festival is also known as Kongali Bihu.
- ❖ Though Kati Bihu is celebrated with much pomp across Assam, each tribe has their own interpretation and rituals.

IMPORTANT DAYS

National Ayurveda Day - October 23

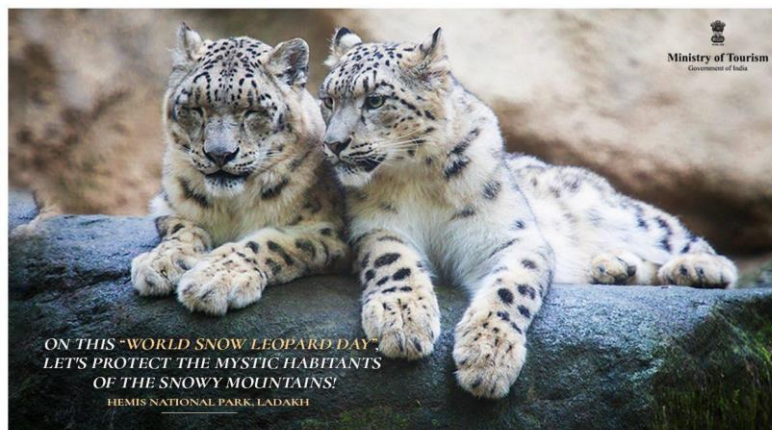


- ❖ This Day is observed on the occasion of Dhanvantri Jayanti (Dhanteras) every year since 2016.

- ❖ Lord Dhanvantri is considered as divine propagator of Ayurveda.
- ❖ The 7th National Ayurveda day is celebrated this year.
- ❖ India celebrates this year's Ayurveda Day under the theme of "Har Din Har Ghar Ayurveda".
- ❖ Ayurveda has long been recognised as one of the most ancient and well-documented systems of medicine.

International Snow Leopard Day - October 23

- ❖ The day came into being with the adoption of the Bishkek Declaration by 12 countries on the conservation of snow leopards.
- ❖ It was on October 23, 2013, when 12 countries came together to endorse the 'Bishkek Declaration on the conservation of snow leopards.
- ❖ Snow Leopard is found in 12 countries.
- ❖ They are India, Nepal, Bhutan, China, Mongolia, Russia, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan.



International Gibbon Day - October 24

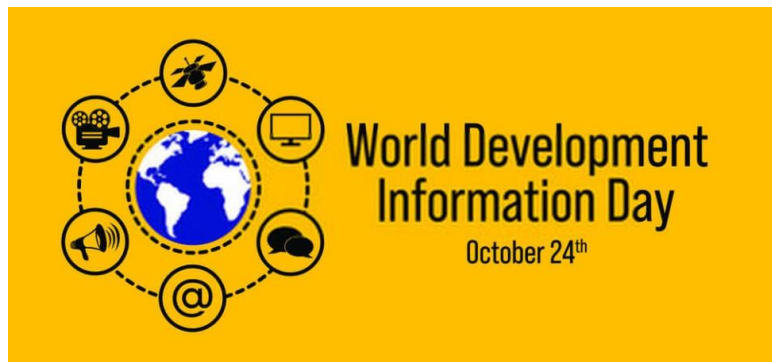




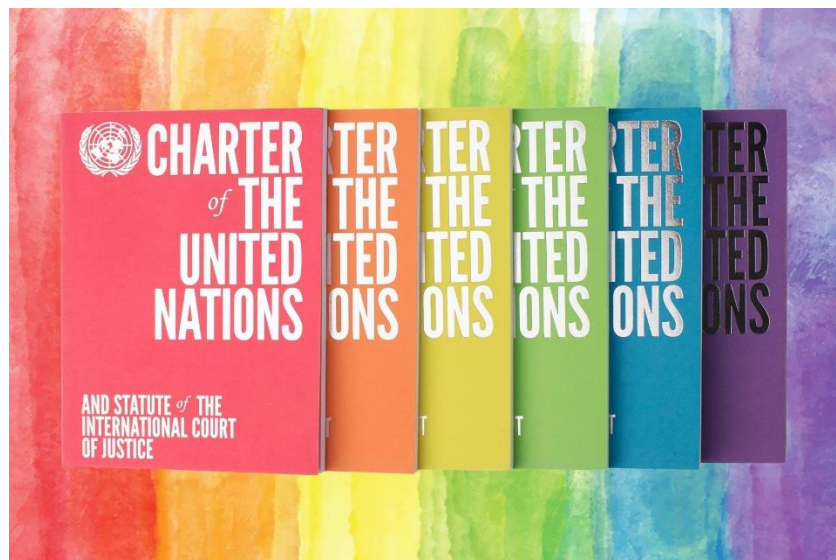
- ❖ It was originated in 2015 when the IUCN Primate Specialist Group established the day as a commemoration to draw public attention to gibbon protection.
- ❖ There is a total of 20 different species of gibbons, also called small apes (not monkeys).
- ❖ They live in the rainforests of Bangladesh, India, China, and Indonesia.

World Development Information Day - October 24

- ❖ This day is observed to create awareness towards the problems surrounding development in different nations and how to overcome them.
- ❖ It aims to draw the attention of the world toward development problems and also to strengthen international cooperation.
- ❖ Notably, the date also coincides with United Nations Day which also falls on 24 October.



United Nations Day - October 24



- ❖ This day marks the anniversary of the entry into force in 1945 of the UN Charter.
- ❖ The ratification of this founding document by the majority of its signatories, including the five permanent members of the Security Council.
- ❖ The United Nations officially came into being.
- ❖ The Charter was signed on 26 June 1945 by the representatives of the 50 countries.

International Day of Diplomats - October 24

- ❖ The day aims to commemorate the contributions made by diplomats in shaping the world since ancient times and in making our planet a better place.
- ❖ It also aims to bridge the gap in perception and reality of diplomats' lives among the general public.
- ❖ The first International Day of Diplomats was celebrated in Brasília on 24 October 2017.
- ❖ The day was proposed by Indian poet-diplomat Abhay K.



MISCELLANEOUS

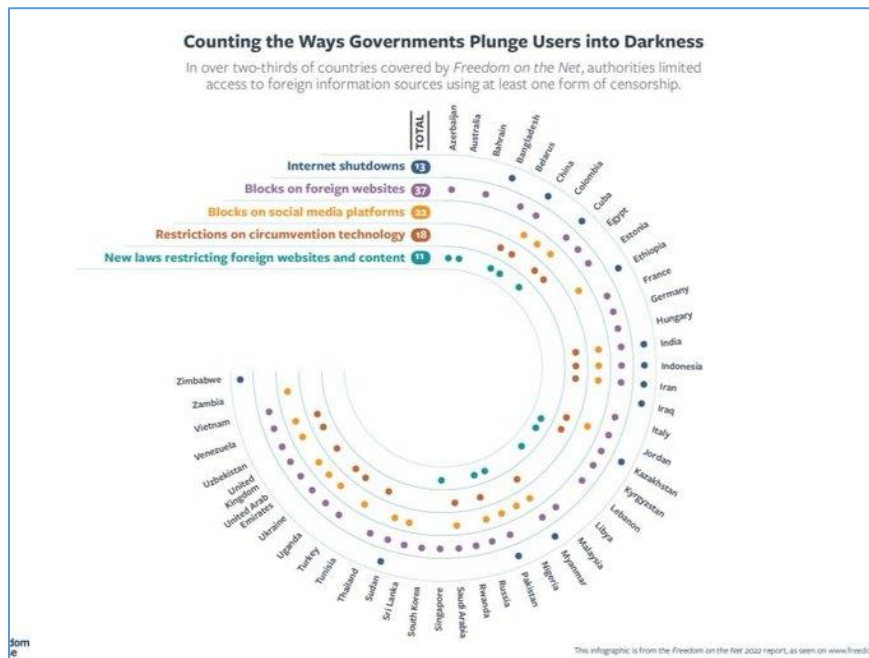
World's Number 1 Basmati Rice Brand

- ❖ India Gate has been recognized as the world's No. 1 Basmati Rice Brand.
- ❖ It is exported to over 90 countries and sells 8+ cr. packs annually.
- ❖ The grains of the Basmati Rice are aged to perfection.

- ❖ It makes them longer, fluffier, non-sticky, and full of beautiful aroma.
- ❖ It is setting them apart from the others.



India's internet freedom



- ❖ US-based NGO Freedom House has stated that India's internet freedom score has improved by two points.
- ❖ Now it is reaching 51 in the global ranking.
- ❖ India's score was 49 in 2021.
- ❖ The report stated that the internet was 'partly free' in the country.
- ❖ China was the worst among internet freedom providers while Iceland ranked at the top.



- ❖ The United States of America was also among the top 15 countries that ranked green in terms of internet freedom.
- ❖ It is improving its rank for the first time in six years.
- ❖ Russia saw the sharpest decline after the Russian war on Ukraine.

