

Current Affairs October 7, 2024

National News

****PM Narendra Modi Inaugurates Banjara Virasat Museum in Maharashtra****



Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated the Banjara Virasat Museum in Poharadevi, Washim, Maharashtra, celebrating the cultural heritage of the Banjara community. The museum features 13 galleries and Modi paid tribute to spiritual leaders of the community. He is also launching agricultural and animal husbandry initiatives worth ₹23,300 crore.

International News

****Nepal Appoints Prakash Man Singh Raut as Chief Justice****



Nepal's President Ramchandra Paudel appointed Prakash Man Singh Raut as the new Chief Justice, administering the oath at a special ceremony.

****End of an Era: Singapore Bids Farewell to Horse Racing After 181 Years****



Singapore hosted its final horse racing event at the Singapore Turf Club, repurposing the site for housing developments, reflecting the city-state's changing land use priorities.

State News

****Vishnu Deo Sai: 'Jal-Jagar' Initiative Redefines Water Conservation****



Chhattisgarh Chief Minister Vishnu Deo Sai inaugurated the Jal-Jagar Mahotsav to promote water conservation strategies addressing groundwater depletion.

****Yogi Adityanath Marks Mahakumbh-2025 with Logo Reveal****



Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath unveiled the logo for Mahakumbh 2025, recognized by UNESCO as an 'Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.'

Defence News

****Visakhapatnam Hosts Malabar 2024 Naval Drill****



The MALABAR naval exercise, involving India, Australia, Japan, and the USA, kicks off in Visakhapatnam from October 8 to 18, starting with the Harbour Phase.

Business News

****LIC Increases Stake in Bank of Maharashtra to 7.10% via QIP****



The Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) has increased its stake in the Bank of Maharashtra from 4.05% to 7.10% through a Qualified Institutional Placement (QIP).

Awards News

****MIDORI Prize 2024 Recognizes Conservation Leaders from Kazakhstan and Peru****



The MIDORI Prize for Biodiversity was awarded to Vera Voronova from Kazakhstan and Ysabel Agustina Calderón Carlos from Peru for their contributions to biodiversity conservation.

Sports News

****Nitish Kumar Unveils Logo, Mascot for Upcoming Women's Asian Champions Trophy****



Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar unveiled the logo and mascot named 'Gudiya' for the Women's Asian Champions Trophy 2024, scheduled in Rajgir from November 11 to 20.

Schemes News

****GREEN Meghalaya Plus Scheme Unveiled by CM in Tura****



Meghalaya Chief Minister Conrad K Sangma launched the GREEN Meghalaya Plus Scheme to enhance forest cover.

Important Days

****World Cotton Day 2024, Celebrating Cotton's Global Impact****



October 7 marks the fifth anniversary of World Cotton Day, highlighting cotton's importance across various industries.

****World Habitat Day 2024, Empowering Youth for a Sustainable Urban Future****



Celebrated on the first Monday of October, World Habitat Day emphasizes the fundamental right to housing and was observed on October 7 this year.

****World Cerebral Palsy Day 2024 Observed on October 06th****



World Cerebral Palsy Day, observed on October 6, focuses on awareness and rights for individuals with CP, promoting inclusion and support.