

Current Affairs: November 1, 2024

National

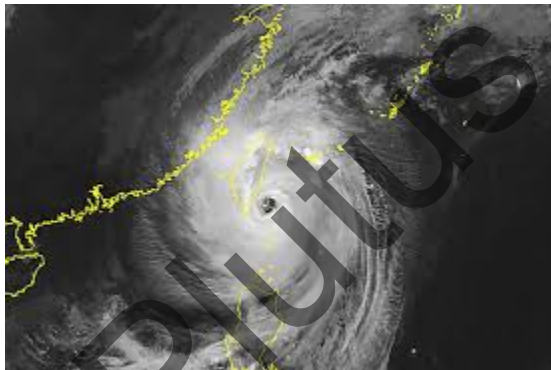
****Durgesh Aranya Zoological Park to Get IGBC Certification****



- Himachal Pradesh CM Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu announced that Durgesh Aranya Zoological Park in Kangra will be the first Indian zoo to receive certification from the Indian Green Building Council (IGBC). This marks a significant step toward eco-friendly infrastructure in India's conservation efforts.

International

****Typhoon Kong-rey Strikes Taiwan****



- On October 31, 2024, Typhoon Kong-rey hit Taiwan, leading authorities to close schools, offices, and markets, and evacuate residents from high-risk areas to ensure public safety.

State

****PM Modi Launches Projects Worth ₹284 Crore in Gujarat's Ekta Nagar****



- During his visit to Gujarat's Ekta Nagar on October 30, 2024, PM Modi inaugurated various projects totaling over ₹284 crore in Narmada district, where the Statue of Unity stands.

Banking

****RBI Transports 102 Tonnes of Gold from Bank of England****



- On October 29, 2024, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) safely transported 102 tonnes of gold from the Bank of England to India, reinforcing the nation's reserves just before Diwali.

Sports

****Ravindra Jadeja Climbs to 5th Spot in India's Test Wicket List****



- Indian cricketer Ravindra Jadeja reached a milestone by becoming the fifth-highest wicket-taker for India in Test cricket, surpassing Ishant Sharma.

Schemes

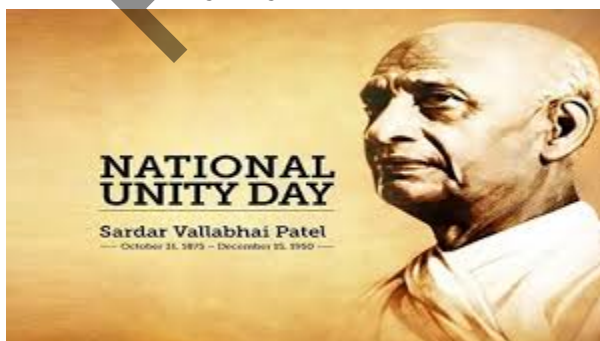
****Piyush Goyal Promotes 'One District One Product' in Saudi Arabia****



- Union Minister Piyush Goyal inaugurated the “One District One Product” (ODOP) Wall at the Indian Embassy in Riyadh on October 31, 2024, to showcase local Indian products and promote the “Made in India” initiative globally.

Important Days

****National Unity Day Celebrated on October 31****



- India observed National Unity Day in honor of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, celebrating his role in uniting India's princely states.

****International Day to End Impunity for Crimes Against Journalists (IDEI)****



- November 2 is observed as IDEI to advocate for journalist safety and accountability, focusing on protecting journalists in conflict zones.

Obituaries

****Bibek Debroy Passes Away at 69****



- Economist and Chairman of the PM's Economic Advisory Council, Bibek Debroy, passed away at age 69. PM Modi paid tribute to his contributions to Indian economics.

Miscellaneous

****Ayodhya Sets Guinness World Records at Deepotsav 2024****



- Ayodhya lit over 2.5 million diyas and achieved two Guinness World Records during Deepotsav 2024, celebrating Lord Ram's return with a grand display along the Saryu River.

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