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West Bengal News

Annual tiger census in Bengal's Sunderbans to begin

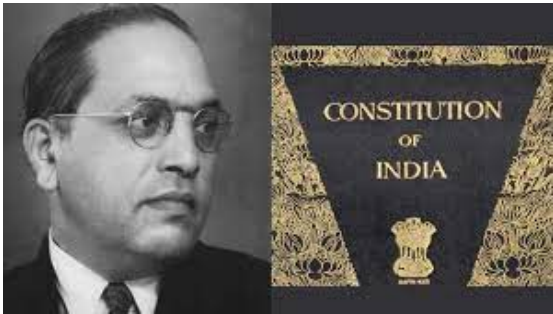
Context

- The annual tiger census in West Bengal's Sunderbans will begin soon.
- According to the last count, there are 101 tigers in the Sunderbans, 20 of them in contiguous areas of Sunderban Tiger Reserve outside STR.

About Sunderban Tiger Reserve

- **Sundarbans Tiger Reserve (STR)** is situated in the coastal districts of West Bengal.
- It lies at the **southernmost extremity of the lower Gangetic delta** bordering the Bay of Bengal.
- The Sundarbans can be described as a maze of estuaries, river channels, and creeks encompassing a number (105) of islands of various shapes and sizes.
- It is the **only mangrove forest** throughout the world (besides Bangladesh) to harbour a significant tiger population.
- Apart from the tiger, the Sundarban Tiger Reserve also has a rich array of biodiversity values, both floral and faunal.

Constitution Day



- Constitution Day also known as "**National Law Day**" , is celebrated in India on 26 November every year to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India.
- On 26 November 1949, the Constituent Assembly of India **adopted the Constitution of India**, and it came into effect on 26 January 1950.
- The Government of India declared 26 November as Constitution Day on 19 November 2015 by a gazette notification.

International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women



- International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women is celebrated every year on **November 25 to create awareness about this global problem.**
- It is a United Nations-designated day marked to create awareness of the different types of violence faced by women, promoting advocacy, and creating better opportunities for women.
- The theme for International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women 2023 is "**UNITE! Invest to prevent violence against women and girls**".
- The theme for this year focuses on the need for funding prevention strategies to stop violence against women.



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<p>Cyclonic storm 'Michaung'</p>	<p>Context: According to the latest meteorological conditions another cyclonic storm is set to take place in the Bay of Bengal basin.</p> <p>Key Points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Bay of Bengal is preparing for the fourth cyclonic storm of the year, named "Michaung".• It is named by Myanmar.• It originated in the Gulf of Thailand, Michaung has been moving towards the Tamilnadu Coast but may curve toward Bengal, Bangladesh and Myanmar.
<p>Cooch Behar's historic Rash Festival flagged off</p>	<p>Context One of the biggest annual events of North Bengal — the Madan Mohan Rash festival — commenced in Cooch Behar.</p> <p>Key points</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Raash-Chakra or The Holy Wheel is a structure built during the Rash Mela that is held in honor of Lord Madan Mohan, the avatar of Lord Krishna in Cooch Behar, India.• Since the time of the Maharajas, the Raash-Chakra in Cooch Behar has been made by Hindu artisans and Muslim artisans.• The Muslim artisans are of a family of ghughumari area for three generations. Before that, it was built by other artisans.• The Raash Mela is held centering around the Lord Madan Mohan Rash Utsav at Madanmohan Temple and the Fair spreads out around the Temple in its adjacent areas up to Rash Mela Ground, Cooch Behar.

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