

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - OCTOBER 27, 2023

CONFERENCES & SUMMITS

- > Indian Mobile Congress
- ✓ Prime Minister Narendra Modi will inaugurate the 7th Edition of the Indian Mobile Congress 2023 at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi.



- ✓ During the programme, he will award 100 5G Use Case Labs to educational institutions across the country. These labs are being developed under the 100 5G labs initiative.
- ✓ The 100 5G labs initiative, is an endeavour to realize the opportunities associated with 5G technology by encouraging the development of 5G applications that cater, both to India's unique needs as well as the global demands.

DEFENCE

> EU And India Conduct Maiden Joint Naval Exercise

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✓ In a significant display of international cooperation, India and the European Union (EU) recently carried out their first joint naval exercise in the Gulf of Guinea, aimed at strengthening maritime security in the region.



- ✓ On October 24, 2023, the Indian Navy's INS Sumedha, an Offshore Patrol Vessel, joined forces with ships from three EU member states in the Gulf of Guinea.
- ✓ Together, these four vessels engaged in a series of tactical maneuvers conducted in international waters off the coast of Ghana.
- These collaborative activities underscored the mutual commitment of India and the EU to assist coastal states and uphold maritime security in the Gulf of Guinea.

SPORTS

- > 37th Edition Of National Games
- ✓ The 37th National Games were officially inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in a ceremony held in Panaji, Goa.



- ✓ The event witnessed a massive gathering of sports enthusiasts and supporters, who eagerly awaited the commencement of this sporting spectacle.
- ✓ The 37th edition of the National Games has marked a historic moment as it is being held in Goa for the very first time. The Games, a prestigious sporting event in India, commenced on October 26 and will run until November 9, bringing together more than 10,000 athletes from across the country
- > Paralympic Javelin Sumit Antil Breaks World Record

✓ At the Hangzhou Asian Para Games, India's gold medal-winning javelin thrower, Sumit Antil, the current Paralympic champion, created a new world record with an amazing 73.29-meter performance.



- ✓ India won thirty medals on a fantastic day, increasing their total to sixty-four (15 gold, 20 silver, and 29 bronze).
- ✓ With 300 medals, China was the top-ranked nation.
- ✓ Ankur Dhama, an Indian athlete, created history by winning two gold medals in a single games edition.

IMPORTANT DAYS

World Day for Audiovisual Heritage



- ✓ World Day for Audiovisual Heritage 2023 is a significant initiative co-led by UNESCO and the Coordinating Council of Audiovisual Archives Associations (CCAAA) to pay homage to the dedicated audiovisual preservation professionals and institutions safeguarding our rich heritage for the benefit of future generations.
- ✓ The 2023 World Day for Audiovisual Heritage, observed on October 27, revolves around the theme "Your Window to the World."



STUDY