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Today's blog will be on the current affairs of 9th October 2024. So, check out the current affairs and stay up-to-date. You can download PDF also for current affairs today.

Let's check this news about (Barnawapara Wildlife Sanctuary) Then, we will move ahead.

Two wild buffalo calves born in Barnawapara Wildlife Sanctuary

Indian wild buffalo classified as a highly endangered species recently gave birth to two calves in Barnawapara Wildlife Sanctuary in Chhattisgarh. Indian Wild Buffalo, considered as the state animal of Chattisgarh is native to the Indian subcontinent and Southeast Asia. Its IUCN status is Endangered. Barnawapara Wildlife sanctuary is located in Raipur district of Chhattisgarh and rivers Balmedhi, Jonk and Mahanadi act as lifeline rivers.



[Image Source: Wikipedia]

First mpox diagnostic test for emergency use

The World Health Organisation has recently announced the listing of the first mpox In Vitro Diagnostic (IVD) under its Emergency Use Listing Procedure. The EUL procedure is a risk based procedure for assessing and listing unlicensed vaccines, therapeutics and in vitro diagnostics. The approval for emergency use of the Alinity m MPXV assay, manufactured by Abbott Molecular Inc will expand diagnostic capacities in countries facing mpox outbreaks.

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[Image Source: Mint]

Global Framework on Chemicals Fund

The first project targeting the safe and sustainable management of Chemicals and waste was launched by the Global Framework on Chemicals Fund. The fund was established in September 2023 during the fifth International Conference on Chemicals Management (ICCM5). The Framework is based around 28 targeted with the aim to improve the sound management of Chemicals and waste.



[Image Source: Mint]

National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM 2.0)

The Government of India is set to launch a new version of livelihood mission for urban areas namely National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM 2.0). The mission will focus on six groups including Construction workers, gig workers, waste management workers, care workers, domestic workers and transportation workers. The NULM was launched in 2013 by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs replacing the Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana.

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National Urban Livelihoods Mission (NULM)

Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation

Government of India

[Image Source: Mint]

Israel bans entry of UN Chief

Israel has recently banned the entry of UNSG chief Antonio Guterres from entering the country. The decision of banning the UN chief was taken after UNSG failed to unequivocally condemn Iran's missile attack on Israel. Israel also accused UN chief of backing proxy groups like Hamas, Hezbollah and Houthis along with Iran.



[Image Source: BBC News]

Memorial dedicated to Gond Queen Rani Durgavati

A panel was recently formed by Madhya Pradesh Cabinet to develop a memorial and garden dedicated to Gond Queen Rani Durgavati. She was the descendant of the famous Chandela Dynasty of Mahoba born on October 5, 1524 in the family of famous Chandela ruler Keerat Rai. She is famously remembered for defending Gondwana against the Mughal Empire.



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Lake Kivu in Congo

One of the great lakes of East Africa namely Lake Kivu was recently in the news after a boat carrying 278 passengers capsized leading to the death of 78 people. The lake is situated between Democratic Republic of Congo to the west and Rwanda to the East. It is the sixth largest lake in Africa and 10th largest Inland island on the planet Idjwi Island is located on Kivu lake.



[Image Source: BBC News]

New species of Hammerhead sharks discovered

Marine Biologists from Florida International University have recently discovered a New species of Hammerhead sharks namely *Sphyrna Alleni*. The new species have been discovered from the Caribbean and Southwest Atlantic. These sharks belong to the family Sphyrnidae and are characterised by a flattened hammer or shovel shaped head. They are exothermic animals and are considered as one of the most threatened Shark families.

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[Image Source: Mint]

4th generation Very Short Range Air Defence system (VSHORADS)

The DRDO recently conducted the successful test of the 4th generation of the Very Short Range Air Defence system(VSHORADS). It is a Man portable Air Defence system (MANPAD) developed with the aim to neutralise low altitude aerial threats at short ranges. It is developed by DRDOs Research centre Imarat, Hyderabad. The system has a range of upto 6 km.



[Image Source: India Today]

Pankaj Advani wins Singapore Open Title

Indian Cueist Pankaj Advani wins the Songhe Singapore Open Title defeating local favourite Jaden Ong with a scoreline of 5-1. He defeated IBSF World snooker champion Dechawat Poomjaeng of Thailand in quarterfinals at Lagoon Billiards Room.

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Keep trying! We will meet again with another set of questions in daily current affairs quiz.