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IMPORTANT DAYS**Gandhi Jayanti 2023: October 2, 2023**

- Gandhi Jayanti, which falls on **October 2** every year, is commemorated to honour the birth anniversary of **Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi**, a prominent figure in the Indian struggle for independence, who made significant sacrifices for his homeland.
- Commonly known as **Mahatma Gandhi**, he was a **political philosopher, a dedicated nationalist, and a lawyer** whose principles and efforts played a pivotal role in India's journey toward freedom.

Lal Bahadur Shastri Jayanti: October 2, 2023

- On **October 2**, the nation commemorates Gandhi Jayanti, celebrating the birthday of the **Father of the Nation**.
- Interestingly, this day also marks the birthday of another important figure in India's history - **the country's second Prime Minister, Lal Bahadur Shastri**.
- In **1961**, Lal Bahadur Shastri faced an unexpected housing challenge when he couldn't afford to purchase a rented house in **Mutthiganj**, resulting in his homelessness.
- The concept of the **White Revolution**, a nationwide campaign to boost milk production and supply, by supporting the **Amul milk co-operative in Anand, Gujarat**, and establishing the **National Dairy Development Board in 1965**.

Google Doodle celebrates German Unity Day: Commemorates reunification of East and West Germany

- Google Doodle's hand-quilted Doodle commemorates **German Unity Day** on **October 3, 2023**.
- This day commemorates the historic reunification of **East and West Germany** on this day in **1990**.
- The fall of the **Berlin Wall** a year earlier was a momentous occasion that reunited loved ones after decades of separation, allowing people to travel freely within Germany.
- However, bridging the cultural and economic gaps that had developed between the two regions proved to be a considerable challenge.
- The artwork in Doodle beautifully represents the collaborative efforts of East and West Germans on **either side of the wall**, working together to achieve reunification.

Google Doodle celebrates Polish composer Karol Szymanowski's 141st Birthday.

- The Doodle released on October 3, 2023 Google Doodle celebrates the 141st birthday of **Karol Szymanowski** who was a renowned Polish composer of the early 20th century.

- The doodle was illustrated by **Wrocław**-based guest artist **Paweł Szlotawa**. Szymanowski's works demonstrated originality, explored many styles, and embodied absolute mastery of orchestration. **Szymanowski** helped **Poland** create its unique national style, when it gained independence in 1918.

World Nature Day 2023: October 3, 2023

- World Nature Day, established by the **World Nature Organization (WNO)** on **October 3, 2010**, serves as a crucial platform to raise awareness about the challenges our environment faces, particularly due to climate change.
- It is celebrated globally by **individuals, groups, and organizations** dedicated to spreading information about climate change and advocating for its mitigation.
- The initiative aims to combat ignorance about **climate change, encourage eco-friendly practices** such as recycling and reducing plastic usage, and ultimately contribute to saving the planet.

World Animal Welfare Day 2023: October 4, 2023

- **World Animal Welfare Day** is annually celebrated on **4th October** with the objective to raise awareness to improve the welfare standards of animals all over the world.
- World Animal Welfare Day 2023 theme is '**Great or small, love them all.**'
- This theme was chosen to raise the status of **animals** for their better and improved welfare standards all around the world.
- **World Animal Day or World Animal Welfare Day** was established on **24th March 1931** by **Heinrich Zimmerman**, a German cynologist, who first organised World Animal Day at the Sports Palace in Berlin.

World Space Week 2023 Starts from October 4th-10th 2023

- According to the **World Space Week Association (WSWA)**, which exists to promote this event, World Space Week (WSW) is a global celebration of space science and technology, and their contribution to making life better for humans.
- The event began in **1999**, when the United Nations General Assembly declared that **World Space Week** will be held annually from **October 4 to 10, 2023**.
- The actual celebration of World Space Week is managed by the **UN Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (COPUOS)** and the **UN Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA)**.
- The theme of World Space Week 2023 is **Space and Entrepreneurship**.

World Teachers Day 2023: October 5

- World Teachers Day or International Teachers Day is celebrated on the 5th October of every year.
- In 2023, World Teachers' Day celebrations will focus on the theme "The teachers we need for the education we want: The global imperative to reverse the teacher shortage".
- World Teachers Day was established by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) in the year of 1994.
- World Teachers Day was organized on the 5th of October in order to commemorate the signing of the status of the teacher by UNESCO/ILO in the year of 1966.

About UNESCO:

- Established : 16 November 1945
- Headquarters : Paris, France
- Director General : Audrey Azoulay
- Parent Organisation : United Nations Economic and Social Council
- UNESCO is a specialized agency of the United Nations (UN) aimed at promoting world peace and security through international cooperation in education, arts, sciences and culture.

World Cerebral Palsy Day 2023: October 6

- Every year 6th October is observed as a World Cerebral Palsy.
- The theme for World Cerebral Palsy Day in 2023 is "Together Stronger."
- Dr. Little said that Cerebral Palsy may occur at birth due to difficult labour.
- Dr. Sigmund Freud was the first person who state that Cerebral Palsy may be caused by abnormal development before birth.
- With a small thrust "Change My World in One Minute" World Cerebral Palsy Alliance and United Cerebral Palsy created World Cerebral Palsy Day in the year of 2012.

World Smile Day 2023: October 6

- World Smile Day is celebrated on the first Friday of October every year.
- This year World Smile Day was celebrated on 6th October.
- The theme for World Smile Day in 2023 is "Radiate Joy".
- In 1963, smiley face was created by the commercial artist Harvey Ball in Massachusetts.
- The smiley face looks like a yellow circle with black dots of eyes and a simple curve of a genuine smile.

World Cotton Day 2023: October 7

- **World Cotton Day** is observed on **7th October** of every year.
- 2023 Theme of World Cotton Day: **"Making cotton fair and sustainable for all, from farm to fashion"**.
- In 2019, The four Cotton producers namely Benin, Burkina Faso, Chad and Mali initiated the World Trade Organisation about the World Cotton Day on October 7.
- The **first World Cotton Day** was celebrated on **7th October 2019** and it was hosted by the **World Trade Organization**.

Indian Air Force Day 2023: October 8

- The **Indian Air Force Day** is celebrated on the **8th of October** of every year in India.
- The Indian Air Force was **first established on the 8th October of 1932**, so the Indian Air Force Day is celebrated on the 8th of October of every year.
- The **first flight of the Indian Air Force** came into being on **1 April 1933**.

World Post Day 2023: October 9

- **World Post Day** is celebrated on **9th October** of every year.
- Theme for 2023: **"Together for Trust: Collaborating for a safe and connected future"**
- World Post Day was **first declared by the Universal Postal Union (UPU) Congress in Tokyo, Japan in the year of 1969**.
- World Post Day was observed on 9th October because on this day the **Universal Postal Day** was started in the year **1874 in Switzerland**.

National Post Day: October 10

- The date of **National Post Day 2023** is **October 10**.
- In **1854**, Lord Dalhousie founded the **India Post** for the first time.
- Now, the Ministry of Communications is in charge of the Indian Postal System.
- It is one of the world's most commonly used wide postal systems.

World Mental Health Day 2023: October 10

- **World Mental Health Day 2023** falls on the **10th of October**.
- The theme of World Mental Health Day 2023 is **"Mental health is a universal human right."**
- A non-governmental organization called the World Federation for Mental Health (WFMH) was established in 1948.

- On October 10, 1992, Richard Hunter, who was the deputy secretary general of the WFMH at the time, declared the first World Mental Health Day.

International Day of Girl Child: October 11

- International Day of Girl Child 2023 will occur on October 11.
- "Invest in Girls' Rights: Our Leadership, Our Well-being" is the theme for this year's International Day of the Girl.
- In 1995 at the World Conference on Women in Beijing, countries unanimously adopted the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action – the most progressive blueprint ever for advancing the rights of not only women but girls.

World Arthritis Day: October 12

- World Arthritis Day 2023 falls on October 12.
- This year, the theme of World Arthritis Day is "Living with an RMD at all stages of life".
- The Arthritis Foundation established World Arthritis Day.
- The Greek terms "arthro," which means "joint," and "itis," which means "inflammation," are the origin of the word "arthritis."
- In William Musgrave's 1715 book "De Arthritide Symptomatic," it was first in-depth researched and categorized.

World Sight Day: October 12

- World Sight Day 2023 will occur on October 12.
- "LOVE YOUR EYES AT WORK" is the theme of this year.
- Lions Clubs International partnered with blindness presentation organizations worldwide for the first World Sight Day in 1998.
- This event was later integrated into VISION 2020, a global initiative that the International Agency for the Prevention of Blindness (IAPB) coordinates.
- This initiative is a joint program between WHO and the IAPB.
- It involves non-government organizations, and professional associations, as well as eye-care institutions and corporations.

World Egg Day 2023: October 13

- World Egg Day is observed annually on the second Friday in October.

- This year, World Egg Day is on the 13th of October 2023.
- World Egg Day 2023 theme 'Eggs for a healthy future'
- World Egg Day was created in 1996 at the IEC conference in Vienna to recognize and honour the value and relevance of eggs to all of humanity.

International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction: October 13

- The International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction 2023 is observed on the 13th of October.
- The 2023 International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction under the theme “Fighting Inequality for A Resilient Future”
- The International Day for Natural Disaster Reduction was established by a resolution passed by the UN General Assembly in 1989.
- However, the Assembly changed its resolution on December 21, 2009, deciding to observe the Day on October 13.

World Standards Day: October 14

- World Standards Day is observed annually on the 14th of October 2023.
- The theme of this year's celebration is – “Shared Vision for a Better World – Standards for Sustainable Development Goals” (incorporating SDG3).
- The first World Standards Day was celebrated in 1946 in London, the same year that the International Organization for Standardization was founded.

World Students Day: October 15

- World Students Day 2023 is observed on the 15th of October 2023, to honour the birthday of our former president, the late Dr APJ Abdul Kalam.
- In 2010, World Students Day was established by the United Nations.
- In honor of former Indian president APJ Abdul Kalam, who was born on the same day in 1931, October 15 of each year is observed as World Students' Day.

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day: October 15

- Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day 2023 is observed on the 15th of October 2023.
- Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day (PAILRD) is a memorial day that is annually honoured on October 15 in the United States and Canada.
- In order to honor, commemorate, and remember infants who have died from miscarriage, stillbirth,

neonatal death, and other causes of baby loss, the day was created in 2002.

International Day of Rural Women: October 15

- **International Day of Rural Women 2023** is observed on the **15th of October 2023**.
- The **United Nations (U.N.)** has been working to keep the world's nations peaceful and friendly since its founding in **1945**.
- It was proposed to empower and recognize women in **1995 during the Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing, China**.
- A resolution calling for the development of ICT skills for all, especially women and indigenous people living in remote and rural communities, **was adopted in 2003 at the World Summit on the Information Society in Geneva**.

World Food Day: October 16

- **World Food Day 2023** is observed annually on the **16th of October 2023**.
- The theme of World Food Day is - **Water is life, water is food. Leave no one behind.** "
- The **Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)**, a specialized body of the United Nations, created **World Food Day in 1945**.

World Anaesthesia Day: October 16

- **World Anaesthesia Day 2023** is observed on the **16th of October 2023**.
- The theme of this year's World Anaesthesia Day is "**Anaesthesia and Cancer Care**".
- The purpose of celebrating World Anaesthesia Day is to organise the global anaesthesia community and to act as a potent lobbying tool.

International Day for the Eradication of Poverty: October 17

- **International Day for the Eradication of Poverty 2023** is observed on the **17th of October 2023**.
- The theme for this year's (2023) International Day for the Eradication of Poverty is "**Decent Work and Social Protection: Putting Dignity in Practice for All**".
- The **first commemoration** of this day took place in **1987 at the Trocadéro in Paris**.
- The general assembly established October 17 as the **International Day for the Eradication of Poverty on December 22, 1992**, four years after Wresinski passed away in 1988.

National Solidarity Day: 20th October

- On 20th October, **National Solidarity Day 2023** is observed.
- This day serves for the war bravery, honouring the War soldier's family and honouring the defence armed forces in Military, Navy and Air soldiers.

World Osteoporosis Day 2023 Theme and History: 20th October

- **World Osteoporosis Day 2023** is observed on the **20th of October 2023**.
- This year, 2023, the World Osteoporosis Day Theme is **"Build Better Bones"**
- **World Osteoporosis Day** was launched on **October 20, 1996**, by the United Kingdom's National Osteoporosis Society and supported by the European Commission.
- Since 1997, this awareness day has been organized by the **International Osteoporosis Foundation (IOF)**.

Police Commemoration Day: 21st October

- **Police Commemoration Day 2023** is observed on the **21st of October 2023**.
- The day commemorates the sacrifices of ten CRPF personnel who lost their lives while defending our border with China on **October 21, 1959**.

International Stuttering Awareness Day: 22nd October

- **International Stuttering Awareness Day 2023** is observed on the **22nd of October 2023**.
- This year, 2023, the International Stuttering Awareness Day Theme is **"One Size Does NOT Fit All."**
- International Stuttering Awareness Day was **established in the year 1998** to bring attention to the millions of people across the world who are living with his specific Communication Disorder.

United Nations Day: 24th October

- **United Nations Day 2023** is observed on the **24th of October 2023**.
- The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Tonga to the UN is funding this year's UN Day Concert, which has as its theme **"The Frontlines of Climate Action,"** with assistance from the PVBLIC Foundation's Family Offices for Sustainable Development (FOSD).
- The United Nations Conference took place in **San Francisco** in **1945**.

World Polio Day: 24th October

- **World Polio Day 2023** is observed on the **24th of October 2023**.

- World Polio Day was first initiated and Celebrated by Rotary International for the birthday of Jonas Salk, the Medical Researcher who led the first team to develop a vaccine against polio.
- Rotary International and WHO established the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) in 1988.

ITBP Raising Day: 24th October

- ITBP Raising Day 2023 is observed on the 24th of October 2023.
- The war took place between India and China in 1962 in the Himalayan region which is the highest altitude in the country.
- Then in order to protect the nation at a difficult altitude, a special security force formed under CRPF called Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP).
- The Formation of ITBP is called ITBP Raising Day.
- Every Year the ITBP raising day is celebrated to honour the Police forces and to issue medals to the officers who showed bravery and courage in emergency situations.

World Development Information Day: 24th October

- World Development Information Day 2023 is observed on the 24th of October 2023.
- The United Nations General Assembly conducted a conference on Trade and Development on 17th May 1972.
- The Resolution was passed on 19th December 1972.

World Day for Audiovisual Heritage: 27th October

- World Day for Audiovisual Heritage 2023 is observed on the 27th of October 2023.
- The World Day for Audiovisual Heritage (WDAH) is a commemoration of the adoption, in 1980 by the 21st General Conference, of the Recommendation for the Safeguarding and Preservation of Moving Images.

World Stroke Day 2023 Theme and History: 29th October

- World Stroke Day 2023 is observed on the 29th of October 2023.
- The theme for World Stroke Day 2023 is "Together we are Greater Than Stroke." This theme emphasises preventing stroke.
- In the 1990s, the European Stroke Initiative came up with the idea of holding a day of awareness.
- October 29 is designated as World Stroke Day, an event that was started in 2004 during the World Stroke Congress in Vancouver, Canada.

World Savings Day: 31st October

- World Savings Day 2023 is observed on the 31st of October 2023. (30th October in India)
- But in India, it is celebrated on October 30 since the former Prime Minister Mrs. Indira Gandhi died on October 31st.
- World Savings Day, also called World Thrift Day, was first established in the year 1924 during the first International Savings Bank Congress.
- The Congress started on October 24

National Unity Day: 31st October

- National Unity Day 2023 is observed on the 31st of October 2023.
- The National Unity Day 2023 was first started in the year 2014 by our Honourable Prime Minister Narendra Modi to honour the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel on 31st October 1875.
- The Shanghai Cooperation Organisation announced the Statue of Unity as the eighth World Wonder.

Halloween Day: 31st October

- Halloween Day 2023 is observed on the 31st of October 2023.
- Halloween had its origin in the festival of Samhain among the Celts of ancient Britain and Ireland.
- The Observance of Halloween is mainly non-religious.