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We are thrilled!

5 out of 21 candidates who are selected as **Assistant Commissioners in HR & CE (TNPSC Group 1B)** are from our **Chinmaya IAS Academy!**

Hearty Congratulations to our Achievers

State



Mrs. P. BHUVANESHWARI

(Mains & Interview candidate)

State



Mr. M. KANTHARAJAN

(Mains & Interview candidate)



Mrs. S. ASWINI

(Mains & Interview candidate)



Mrs. S. KIRUTHIKA

(Mains & Interview candidate)



Mr. S. VEERA PANDIYAN

(Interview candidate)

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NATIONAL

Jhumur Dance and "Jhumoir Binandini 2025"

1. World Record Attempt & Celebration of Tea Tribe Heritage

- *Jhumoir Binandini 2025* aims to set a Guinness World Record with a large-scale Jhumur dance performance.
- Jhumur dance is a traditional folk dance of Assam's tea garden communities.
- The event serves as a grand celebration of the rich cultural heritage of Assam's Tea Tribes.



2. Link to "Advantage Assam 2.0" & Economic Promotion

- The Jhumur dance performances are strategically tied to the *Advantage Assam 2.0* Investment Summit.
- This connection aims to promote cultural tourism and attract investment in Assam.
- The Assam government's initiative merges cultural preservation with economic development, boosting tourism and local industries.

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

INS Guldar

India's First:

- INS Guldar is set to become India's first underwater museum.

Decommissioned Naval Vessel:

- It is a decommissioned Landing Ship Tank from the Indian Navy.

Transformation by MTDC:

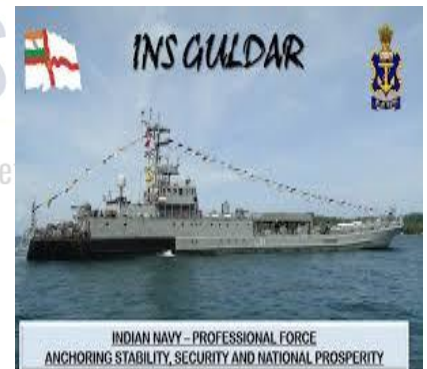
- The Maharashtra Tourism Development Corporation (MTDC) will undertake the transformation.

Dual Purpose:

- The project aims to create both an underwater museum for tourism and an artificial reef to enhance marine biodiversity.

Environmental and Tourism Benefits:

- The project is designed to boost marine conservation awareness, create economic opportunities for local communities, and promote underwater tourism.



NASM-SR (Naval Anti-Ship Missile - Short Range)

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1. Indigenous Development & Maritime Capability

- Developed by **DRDO**, highlighting India's **self-reliance in defense technology**.
- Enhances the **Indian Navy's maritime strike capabilities**.
- Strengthens **India's coastal defense** and **blue-water operations**.

2. "Man-in-the-Loop" Feature & Precision Targeting

- Allows **real-time retargeting** during flight.
- Operators can **adjust the missile's course** to hit hidden or moving targets.
- Increases **accuracy and effectiveness** in **naval warfare**.



ART & CULTURE

Gir Somnath Temple

1. Location & Significance

- Situated in **Prabhas Patan, Gujarat**.
- One of the **twelve Jyotirlingas** of Lord Shiva.
- Considered the **first and most sacred Jyotirlinga**.

2. Historical Background

- The temple has been **destroyed and rebuilt multiple times** due to invasions (notably by **Mahmud of Ghazni in 1025 CE**).
- Reconstructed in its **current form in 1951** under **Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's initiative**.

3. Architectural Features

- Built in **Chalukya-style architecture**.
- The temple's **Shikhar (spire)** is **50 meters high**, with a **7.5 kg gold kalash** at the top.
- An **inscription on the temple wall** states that it stands at a point where the **first ray of sunlight falls in India**.

4. Religious & Cultural Importance

- Associated with **Lord Krishna's departure from Earth**.
- Mentioned in **ancient texts like the Skanda Purana**.

