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Central News

1. First Green Airport

- ❖ The Prime Minister inaugurated the newly constructed first green airport and Sumeng hydropower projects in Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ 15 KM from Arunachal Pradesh capital Itanagar. A new '**Donyi Polo Airport**' has been built in the distance.
- ❖ The Prime Minister laid the foundation stone for this airport in February 2019, and now the Prime Minister has opened it for use.
- ❖ This airport has been built at a cost of Rs.645 crores.
- ❖ Similarly, in **West Kameng district** of the state PM Modi also dedicated to the country the 600 MW **Chumeng hydroelectric power station** built at a cost of Rs 8,450 crore.

2. Kasi - Tamil Sangamam

- ❖ Kashi and Tamil Nadu are timeless centers of our culture and civilization.
- ❖ Both these regions are the centers of the ancient languages of the world like Sanskrit and Tamil, said Prime Minister Narendra Modi.
- ❖ A month long program named '**Kasi - Tamil Sangamam**' is organized in **Varanasi (Kasi)**. Prime Minister Modi formally inaugurated these events in Varanasi and addressed them.
- ❖ Kashi and Kanchi of Tamil Nadu have an important place among the **7 major pilgrimage** sites of Hindus known as Saptapuri.
- ❖ **Contribution of Tamil Nadu to the development of Kashi:**
 - ✓ From Ramanujacharya, Shankaracharya to Rajaji, Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan contributed to the development of Kashi.
 - ✓ Radhakrishnan has served as the Vice-Chancellor of Banaras Hindu University.
 - ✓ Swami Kumaragurupar broke the barrier of language and knowledge and made Kashi his Karma Bhumi and built the Kedareshwar temple in Kashi. Later, his disciples built the Kasi Vishwanath Temple on the banks of the Cauvery at Thanjavur.

State news

1. 55th National Library Week Celebration

- ❖ He also presented **the Library Bee Award to V. Thanikasalam** who has worked effectively as a librarian for 33 years in the public library department.
- ❖ **Publication of Books:**

- ✓ Following this, Dr. Ko Periyannan, National President of All India Tamil Writers Association, published the books 'Uirin Thanam' written by **Asaswaran**, ' uyir aṭum tikilale' written by **Mo. Ravindran** and ' kurutiyil pukkuṁ nilam' written by **Akini Bharati**.
- ❖ Tamil Nadu Government's **naṅparkaḷ Scheme** will be launched in Chennai on 1st December
- ✓ To increase the number of library readers and encourage the habit of reading, the Government of Tamil Nadu has announced Nulaka naṅparkaḷ Scheme to help people with disabilities and the elderly, who are unable to visit libraries, to read books from home.

Award

1. Mahatma Gandhi-Mandela Award

- ❖ Himachal Pradesh Governor Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar honored **Tibetan Buddhist monk Dalai Lama** with Mahatma Gandhi Mandela Award.
- ❖ This award is given on behalf of the Gandhi Mandela Foundation operating in Dharamsala to international leaders who advance peace, reconciliation and liberation.

Scheme

1. Mission Nature

- ❖ As the school education department is planning **to implement an environmental project** named '**Mission Nature**' in Tamil Nadu government schools, the guidelines have been published.
- ❖ The Department of School Education is planning to implement an environmental project called Mission Nature in government schools in collaboration with a private charity.