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Ministry of Tribal Affairs



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Hon'ble Prime Minister's speech on 15.08.2016

“Brothers and Sisters, when we talk about the history of freedom struggle of our country, some persons are talked about a lot, some are excessively mentioned but the contribution made by the people living in jungles, the tribals, in the freedom struggle was unmatched. We hear the name of Birsa Munda but perhaps there would be no tribal dominated district where the tribals would not have fought and given sacrifice since 1857 to the time we got freedom. They proved through their sacrifice what is freedom, what is struggle against servitude. But our forthcoming generations are not much aware of this history. The government desires and plans that in the coming days, in the states where these freedom fighters, who were tribals, who lived in jungles and fought against Britishers, permanent museums will be built, dedicated to the memory of the brave tribal freedom fighters, so that coming generations could be able to know about their sacrifices for the country.”



Initiatives of the Ministry

- Ministry has sanctioned 10 tribal freedom fighters' museums
- Birsa Munda Freedom Fighter Museum Ranchi- conservation & renovation of Birsa Munda Jail in Ranchi, installation of statues of 13 tribal freedom fighters, light and sound show has been completed
- Nine more museums being established in Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh
- 85 tribal movements of pre-Independence have been identified and being compiled
- More than 200 tribal freedom fighters have been identified by different States, stories are being curated by respective State Governments and ICHR



Hon'ble Prime Minister Events

Janjatiya Gaurav Divas 15.11.2021

Sl. No	Activity	Location
1.	Floral tribute at Birsa Munda Statue at Parliament house, New Delhi	Parliament House, New Delhi
2.	Inauguration of Birsa Munda Freedom Fighter Museum at Ranchi (Virtually)	Jharkhand
3.	Birsa Munda Janjatiya Gaurav Diwas	Madhya Pradesh



National Level Events

Sl. No	Activity	Location	Date
1.	National Aadi Mahotsav by TRIFED	Dilli Haat, INA, New Delhi	16.11.2021 to 30.11.2021
2.	One day national level conference jointly by Ministry of Panchayati Raj and Ministry of Tribal Affairs with PESA States	Vigyan Bhavan, Delhi	18.11.2021
3.	Honouring ST Entrepreneurs including SHGs by NSTFDC	Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh	22.11.2021
4.	Foundation Stone Laying Ceremony for Tribal Freedom Fighter Museum (Date to be decided)	Tamenglong, Manipur	

State Level Events

Sl. No	Name of the State	No. of Events
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	3
2.	Andhra Pradesh	2
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	2
4.	Assam	1
5.	Chhattisgarh	1
6.	Goa	2
7.	Gujarat	2
8.	Jharkhand	2
9.	Karnataka	1
10	Kerala	6
11.	Manipur	1
12.	Meghalaya	1
13.	Mizoram	1
14.	Nagaland	1
15.	Odisha	1
16.	Rajasthan	2
17.	Sikkim	1
18.	Tamilnadu	1
19.	Telangana	3
20.	Tripura	1
21.	Uttarakhand	2
	Total	37

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