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Bhopal: Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board has received Sanctuary Asia Award for "the best sustainable wildlife tourism state" in the TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards.

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Madhya Pradesh

Madhya Pradesh receives 'Sanctuary Asia Award' for wildlife tourism

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Why In News?

Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board has been awarded the 'Sanctuary Asia Award' for 'The Best Sustainable Wildlife Tourism State' at the Tough Tigers Wildlife Tourism Awards at a ceremony held in New Delhi on December 6, 2023.

Key Points:

- Madhya Pradesh has been awarded for its outstanding performance in Nature, Tourism, Industry, Sustainable Practices and Responsible Tourism in the Indian Subcontinent. Deputy Director Yuvraj Padole received this award on behalf of the Tourism Board.
- At the function, a short film based on various tourism destinations and products of the state was screened by Madhya Pradesh Tourism. Through audio-visual presentation, information based on various historical, natural, spiritual, folk and craft arts and wildlife tourism of Madhya Pradesh was
- Madhya Pradesh has the distinction of being the 'Tiger State of India' as it has the highest number of tigers in the country. There are currently 785 tigers in Madhya Pradesh. Along with this, the state also has the pride of 'Leopard State' and 'Gharial State'. With the arrival of cheetahs in Kuno National Park, the state has been recognized as 'Cheetah State'.



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1. The John Wakefield Memorial Award for Most Inspirational Lodge of the Year 2023. (These Awards will be awarded in this category as per TOFT certification category of Outstanding, Quality and Good).
2. The Billy Arjun Singh Memorial Award for Wildlife Guide of the Year 2023
3. Wildlife Promotion Company of the Year 2023
4. Wildlife Tourism Community Initiative of the Year 2023
5. Wildlife and Tourism Initiative of the Year 2023
6. International Wildlife Tour Operator 2023
7. Lodge Naturalist of the Year 2023
8. Wildlife Photography Award
9. Wildlife Documentary Award
10. Wildlife Harmony Homestay Awards
11. Kailash Sankhala Wildlife Award
12. Sanctuary Asia Award for "Best State for Sustainable Wildlife Tourism".

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The Awards aim to highlight and reward the very best in the nature tourism field; those individuals, businesses, service providers, naturalists, guides, community enterprises and parks who are leading the way in the Indian subcontinent. This year's theme is highlighting "Recognising Responsible Wildlife Tourism" - which serves as a motivation for responsible nature tourism business. Each Award winner, in their own way, will be pioneering new ways to support and inspire wildlife conservation, engage local communities, and help restoration of wildlife habitat through their vision, drive and action and thus supporting UN's Sustainable Development Goals. The Awards are run by TOFTigers, in association with The Sanctuary Asia Foundation.

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6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards and B2B Travel Trade Show at Bikaner House, New Delhi

TOFTigers, in collaboration with the esteemed Sanctuary Nature Foundation, organized the 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards at Bikaner House, New Delhi. The awards ceremony, theme "Recognizing and Rewarding the Good Work," served as a platform to honour outstanding contributions to sustainable and responsible tourism in the Indian subcontinent.

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Fostering Wildlife at the 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards

The 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards, a collaborative effort between TOFTigers and the esteemed Sanctuary Nature Foundation held under the theme 'Recognising and Rewarding the Good Work,' stood as a platform honouring exceptional contributions to sustainable and responsible tourism within the Indian subcontinent.

- Tripti Jain

Bringing together a diverse array of participants, including state tourism officials, businesses, service providers, photographers, community enterprises, and wildlife enthusiasts, the awards ceremony celebrated those who have demonstrated profound commitment to conservation through remarkable wildlife tourism initiatives.

Established in 2010 to champion responsible tourism in India, the TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards have significantly gained prominence and importance over the years. Past winners have enjoyed increased recognition and exposure for their dedication to sustainable tourism practices. By acknowledging and rewarding industry players dedicated to conservation, TOFTigers aims to inspire others to adopt similar sustainable approaches, thereby contributing to the preservation of wildlife, the environment, and the creation of sustainable ecosystems in India.

The event featured Mr Praveen Pardeshi, Member Administration at Capacity Building Commission, Government of India, as the keynote speaker. Mr Pardeshi expressed his appreciation for the platform created by the TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards, stating, "The TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards play a crucial role in acknowledging the efforts of those dedicated to sustainable and responsible tourism. It is heartening to see the industry come together to celebrate these efforts." He also emphasised the need to consider



discouraging the fencing around lodge boundaries, particularly within tiger reserves, as it impedes wildlife corridors.

In addition to Mr Pardeshi's address, Dr Anish Andheria, President and CEO of Wildlife Conservation Trust, delivered a compelling speech on the significance of wildlife conservation and its broader impacts. Dr Andheria emphasised the role of tiger conservation as a flagship for conservation tourism, communicating the message that this landscape is shared by all creatures, big and small. Highlighting the positive outcomes of tiger conservation projects and initiatives, he stressed the importance of preserving natural habitats.

The event was graced by the presence of key figures in the industry, including Mr Prakhya Mishra, IFS, Director of Uttar Pradesh Tourism, Mr Yuvraj Padole, Deputy Director of Events, Marketing and Film Tourism at Madhya Pradesh Tourism Board, Mr Sandeep Fellows, Deputy Director of Satpura Tiger Reserve, and Mr Naveen Khandelwal, Deputy Director of Pilibhit Tiger Reserve. Overall, the TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards not only recognised outstanding achievements but also served as a rallying point for promoting positive change within the industry. It encouraged the adoption of sustainable practices, inspiring others to contribute to the preservation of India's wildlife and ecosystems.

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national parks and wildlife sanctuaries, the state has received several awards for its rich biodiversity, animals and birds.

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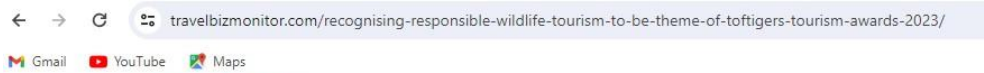
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TOFTigers India Wildlife Association is gearing up for the 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 to be held in September, centred around this year's theme "Recognising Responsible Wildlife Tourism".



The awards serve to recognise and reward the top performers in the nature tourism industry, including

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6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 rescheduled to 5th December, 2023

By  Kanchan Nath — On Nov 1, 2023
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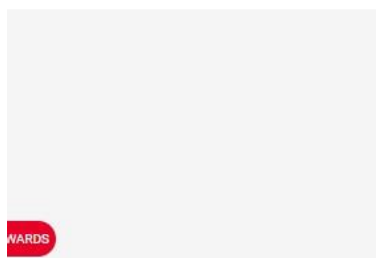
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6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 rescheduled to 5th December, 2023

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TOFTigers is excited to unveil the rescheduled dates for 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 to December 5, 2023, at the distinguished Bikaner House in New Delhi.

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6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 rescheduled to 5th December, 2023

TOFTigers has unveiled the rescheduled dates for 6th TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards 2023 to December 5, 2023 at the distinguished Bikaner House in New Delhi. As a prelude to the awards, TOFTigers are also hosting Sustainable Tourism B2B Travel Trade Show. This year's theme is "Recognising Responsible Wildlife Tourism". The awards serve to recognize and reward the top performers in the nature tourism industry, including individuals, businesses, service providers, and community enterprises.

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TOFTigers promoting sustainable wildlife tourism

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reward the top performers in the nature tourism industry, including individuals, businesses, service providers, and community enterprises, who have demonstrated a deep commitment to sustainable practices and responsible tourism in the Indian subcontinent. By shining a spotlight on these leaders, TOFTigers hopes to inspire others to follow suit and promote conservation through exceptional wildlife tourism enterprises and initiatives throughout India. The TOFTigers Wildlife Tourism Awards were first introduced in 2010 to promote and celebrate responsible tourism in India. Since then, the awards have gained prominence and significance, with past winners enjoying increased recognition and exposure for their dedication to sustainable tourism practices.

There are fourteen categories of awards:

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