



INTERNATIONAL WETLAND DAY

2nd FEBRUARY 2026

UTTAR PRADESH

**Nature**  
AND  
**Bird**  
**Festival**

LALITPUR

TIMELESS HERITAGE  
PRESERVING NATURE

## PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION WINNERS

ON THE OCCASION OF  
WORLD WETLANDS DAY – 02 FEBRUARY 2026  
MAHAVIR SWAMI WILDLIFE SANCTUARY, LALITPUR



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BENGALURU, KARNATAKA

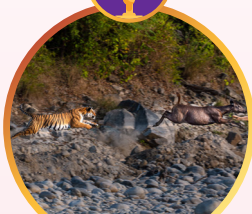


**ANKIT BAKDE**  
CHANDRAPUR, MAHARASHTRA



**NITIN JAIN**  
PUNE, MAHARASHTRA

### CONSOLATION PRIZES



**PADMANABHA KG**  
BENGALURU, KARNATAKA



**RAHUL VELAYUDHAN PV**  
RAIPUR, CHHATTISGARH

AFTER EVALUATION OF 517 PHOTOGRAPHS SUBMITTED BY 120 PARTICIPANTS FROM ACROSS INDIA,  
THE JURY IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THE WINNERS OF THE UP NATURE & BIRD FESTIVAL 2026  
PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION.

ON THE OCCASION OF WORLD WETLANDS DAY 2026, THIS FESTIVAL CELEBRATES BIRDS, WETLANDS, WILDLIFE  
AND CONSERVATION AWARENESS THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHY, EXHIBITIONS AND NATURE ACTIVITIES.

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