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Q. India’s First Ever Private Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Facility Plant Has Been Inaugurated In Which City?

A) Nagpur  
B) Pune  
C) Dehradun  
D) Ahmedabad

Answer - A

- Union Transport Minister Nitin Gadkari inaugurated the country’s First Private LNG (Liquefied Natural Gas) plant in Nagpur.
- The Country’s first LNG facility plant has been set up by Baidyanath Ayurvedic Group on Kamptee Road near Nagpur Jabalpur Highway.
- Gadkari also informed that the Central Government is promoting Ethanol, Electric, CNG, LNG gas as an alternative to conventional fuels.
- Experiments were carried out to produce bioethanol from these agricultural products which have succeeded.
- Large scale production of bioethanol from Paddy Straw is underway in East Vidarbha which is known for Paddy cultivation.

About Maharashtra:

- Maharashtra is a state in the western peninsular region of India occupying a substantial portion of the Deccan Plateau.
- Maharashtra is the second-most populous state in India as well as the third-most populous country subdivision in the world.
- Capital: Mumbai
Governor: Bhagat Singh Koshyari
Chief minister: Uddhav Thackeray

About Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRTH)

- Union Minister - Nitin Jairam Gadkari (Lok Sabha - Nagpur, Maharashtra)
- Minister of State - Gen. V K Singh (Lok Sabha - Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh)

Q. Name the winner of the 2021 Wimbledon women’s single title in Tennis

A) Sofia Kenin
B) Ashleigh Barty
C) Simona Halep
D) Karolina Pliskova

Answer - B

SUPER FACTS:

- Ramanathan Krishnan was the first Indian to win a junior title when he won the 1954 Wimbledon junior championship. His son Ramesh Krishnan went on to become the second Indian to win a junior title when he won the 1970 junior Wimbledon and junior French Open titles.

List of Wimbledon 2021 Winners:

- Men's Single – Novak Djokovic (Serbia) defeated Matteo Berrettini
- Women's Single – Ashleigh Barty (Australia) defeated Karolína Plíšková (Czech Republic)
- Men's Double – Nikola Mektić and Mate Pavić defeated Marcel Granollers and Horacio Zeballos
- Women’s Double – Hsieh Su-wei and Elise Mertens defeated Veronika Kudermetova and Elena Vesnina
- Mixed Double – Neal Skupski and Desirae Krawczyk defeated Joe Salisbury and Harriet Dart

About Novak Djokovic:

- Novak Djokovic is currently ranked as world No. 1 by the Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP).
- Djokovic has won 85 ATP singles titles overall & he is the only player to win all of the “Big Titles” on the modern ATP Tour which consists of all four Grand Slam tournaments, all nine ATP Masters events, and the ATP Finals.

About 2021 Wimbledon Championships:

- The 2021 Wimbledon Championships is a Grand Slam tennis tournament that is currently taking place at the All England Lawn Tennis and Croquet Club in Wimbledon, London, United Kingdom.

Q. Who among the following has won the Women’s Singles title at Wimbledon 2021?

A) Ashleigh Barty  
B) Simona Halep  
C) Serena Williams  
D) Karolina Pliskova

Answer - A

About Ashleigh Barty:

- Barty is ranked No. 1 in the world in singles by the Women’s Tennis Association (WTA).
- She is the first Australian woman to win the singles trophy at the All England Club since Evonne Goolagong in 1980.
• Barty serves as the National Indigenous Tennis Ambassador for Tennis Australia.

Achievements:

• In 2019, she got ABC Sport Personality of the Year award, Female Athlete of the Year & Sportswoman of the Year award.
• In 2020, she received the Young Australian of the Year award.

About Women’s Tennis Association:

• Headquarters: St. Petersburg, Florida, United States
• Founder: Billie Jean King
• Founded: June 1973, London, United Kingdom
• President: Micky Lawler
• Chairman: Steve Simon

MOST IMPORTANT OPEN IN NEWS 2021

French Open (Tennis) 2021

• Men’s Singles: Novak Djokovic (Serbia)
• Women’s Singles: Barbora Krejčíková (Czech Republic)
• Men’s Doubles: Pierre-Hugues Herbert (France) and Nicolas Mahut (France)
• Women’s Doubles: Barbora Krejčíková (Czech Republic) and Kateřina Siniaková (Czech Republic)
• Mixed Doubles- Desirae Krawczyk (United States) and Joe Salisbury (United Kingdom).

Italian Open (Tennis) 2021

• Men’s singles - Rafael Nadal (Spain)
• Women’s singles - Iga Swiatek (Poland)
• Men’s doubles - Nikola Mektić (Croatia) and Mate Pavić (Croatia)
• Women’s doubles - Sharon Fichman (Canada) and Giuliana Olmos (Mexico)

Madrid Open (Tennis) 2021

• Men’s Single: Alexander Zverev
• Women’s Single: Aryna Sabalenka

Geneva Open (Tennis) 2021

MIAMI OPEN (TENNIS) 2021
Men’s Single : Hubert Hurkacz (Poland)
Women’s Single : Ashleigh Barty (Australia)

ALL ENGLAND BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

Men’s singles : Lee Zii Jia (Malaysia)
Women's singles : Nozomi Okuhara (Japan)

SWISS OPEN 2021 (BADMINTON)

Men’s Single : Viktor Axelsen (Denmark)
Women’s Singe : Carolina Marin (Spain)

Q. Dr P.K. Warrier, who has passed away at the age of 100 recently, was a veteran

A) Agricultural Scientist C) Astrologer
B) Economist D) Ayurveda practitioner

Answer - D

On July 10, 2021, doyen of ayurveda medicine and managing trustee of Vaidyaratnam P S Varier’s Arya Vaidya Sala, Dr Panayambally Krishnakutty Warrier, Passed away.

He was 100.

About Dr PK Warrier :
• Panniyampilly Krishnankuty Warrier was born on June 5, 1921, Kottakkal, Malappuram district in Kerala.
• He was the chief Physician and Managing trustee of Arya Vaidya Sala.
• He was elected president of All India Ayurvedic Congress twice.
• His autobiography titled Smrithiparvam won the Kerala Sahitya Academy Award in 2009.

Achievements:

• In 1999, P.K. Warrier was awarded an honorary D.Litt by University of Calicut.
• He has won Kerala Sahitya Akademi Award for Biography and Autobiography for Smrithi Parvam in 2008.
• K. Warrier was awarded the 30th Dhanvanthri Award by the then Maharashtra Governor P. C. Alexander.
• The nation had honoured Warrier for his contributions made to Ayurveda by conferring Padma Shri in 1999 and Padma Bhushan in 2010.
• In addition to that he received the “International Bhoopalman Singh Award” from Nepal, the “Dr. Poulos Mar Gregorios Award” for his contribution to the development of Ayurveda and the ‘Management Leadership Award’ instituted by Kerala Management Association (KMA).

About Kerala:

• Governor: Arif Mohammad Khan
• Capital: Thiruvananthapuram
• Chief minister: Pinarayi Vijayan

Q. India’s first cryptogamic garden has been set up in which city, featuring over 50 species of Cryptogam plants?

A) Dehradun  B) Ladakh
C) Srinagar          D) Nainital

Answer - A

- **India’s first cryptogamic garden** with nearly 50 species of lichens, ferns, and fungi has been opened in **Uttarakhand’s Dehradun district**.
- The garden was **inaugurated** by social activist **Anoop Nautiyal**, and it is **situated** in the district’s **Chakrata town** and at a height of 9,000 feet.
- **Algae, bryophytes (moss, liverworts), lichens, ferns and fungi** are the best-known groups of cryptogams that require moist conditions to survive.
- **Deoban** has pristine majestic forests of Deodar and Oak which create a natural habitat for cryptogamic species.

**About Cryptogamic:**

- Cryptogamae refers to the fact that **no seed, no flowers are produced, and it means “hidden reproduction”**

**UTTARAKHAND IN NEWS**

- **India’s First Cryptogamic Garden Inaugurated In Uttarakhand**
- **Pushkar Singh Dhami To Be Next Chief Minister Of Uttarakhand**
- Researchers Discovered **Black-Bellied Coral Snake** In Forests Of Uttarakhand
- Uttarakhand CM Declared Vatsalya Yojana For Children Orphaned Due To Corona
- Uttarakhand Police Department has launched ‘**Mission Hausla’**
- Uttarakhand CM Trivendra Singh Rawat Resigns
- Uttarakhand CM Launches **“Gharoki Pechan, Chelik Naam”** Scheme
- Uttarakhand sets up Botanical Garden to conserve **210 species** of trees of Shivalik range
- **India’s first Pollinator Park** inaugurated in Haldwani, Uttarakhand
- Uttarakhand CM Trivendra Singh Rawat inaugurated the Suryadhar lake at Doiwala in Dehradun
- **India’s first moss garden** built in Nainital district of Uttarakhand
- Ganga Avalokan the first museum on River Ganga, located at Chandi Ghat, Haridwar Uttrakhand
- PM Modi to inaugurate 6 mega projects in Uttarakhand under ‘Namami Gange Mission’
- **India’s longest motorable suspension bridge** inaugurated in Uttarakhand’s Tehri-Garhwal district
- ITBP ties up with Uttarakhand govt to promote adventure tourism
- Uttarakhand Develop India’s first snow leopard conservation centre
- **Ganga Kayak Festival** celebrated in Uttarakhand
- Uttarakhand 1st state in the country to implement agricultural leasing policy
- **India’s first Glass floor bridge** to replace the iconic Lakshman Jhula in Rishikesh, Uttarakhand
- Phool Dei festival celebrated in Uttarakhand
- Jim Corbett National Park
- Uttarakhand becomes **India’s 1st quarantine centre for animals**
- ‘**HOPE’ Portal ‘HOPE’** - Helping Out People Everywhere
- Mukhyamantri Swarozgar Yojana
- India’s first lichen park developed in Pithoragarh district of Uttarakhand
- Gairsain in Chamoli district declared as summer capital of Uttarakhand
- Harela festival celebrated in Uttarakhand

**About Uttarakhand:**

- Uttarakhand, a **state in northern India** crossed by the Himalayas, is known for its Hindu pilgrimage sites.
- Rishikesh, a **major centre for yoga study**, was made famous by the Beatles’ 1968 visit.
- The state’s forested **Jim Corbett National Park** shelters Bengal tigers and other native wildlife.
- **Capital:** Dehradun
- **CM:** Pushkar Singh Dhami
- **Governor:** Baby Rani Maurya
- **National Parks:** **Valley of Flowers** National Park, **Rajaji** National Park, **Nanda Devi** National Park, **Gangotri** National Park, **Corbett** National Park, **Govind** National Park.

**Q. The World Malala Day is designated by United Nations on which day of the year?**

A) 11 July  
B) 10 July
C) 12 July
D) 9 July

Answer - C

- **World Malala Day** Observed on **July 12**
- At **age 17, Malala** was the **youngest recipient** ever of the **Nobel Peace Prize**.
- On this day in 1997 **Malala Yousafzai** was born in Pakistan and in 2013 on the same day i.e. 12th July she gave her historic address in United Nations.
- From **2014 onwards**, United Nations has decided to celebrate this day as **Malala Day in her honour**.
- The day also honors the rights of children and women.

Q. The BCCI has formed a working group to look into Domestic Cricket, including the compensation package, amid Pandemic. How many members are there in this group?

A) 9
B) 7
C) 11
D) 15

Answer - B

**Purpose:**
- The main focus of the group will be the **remuneration of domestic players for the previous season wherein tournaments were cancelled, due to COVID-19**.

**List of seven-members:**

1. Rohan Jaitley (North Zone),
2. Yudhvir Singh (Central Zone),
3. Jaydev Shah (West Zone),
4. Devajit Saikia (North-East Zone),
5. Avishek Dalmiya (East Zone),
6. Santosh Menon
7. Mohammed Azharuddin (South Zone).

**BCCI In NEWS**

- BCCI Forms Seven-member Working Group for Domestic Cricket
- BCCI Referee Rajendrasinh Jadeja Passes Away
- BCCI Appoints Ramesh Powar as Head Coach of Indian Women’s Cricket Team
- Shabir Khandwawala Appointed New BCCI ACU Chief
- BCCI cancels Ranji Trophy 2020-21 for first time in 87 years
- BCCI Secretary Jay Shah Takes Over As President Of ACC
- BCCI Announces MPL Sports As Official Kit Sponsor
- BCCI approves 10-team IPL from 2022

**About Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI)**

- Founded : 1928
- Headquarters : Wankhede Stadium
- 1st President : R E Grant Govan
- 39th President : Saurav Ganguly
- Vice President : Rajeev Shukla
- Secretary : Jay Shah
- Men's Coach : Ravi Shastri
- Women's Coach : Ramesh Powar
- Interim CEO of BCCI : Hemang Amin

**Q.Vinay Prakash is the Grievance Officer for India, for which social media platform?**

A) WhatsApp  
B) Facebook  
C) Twitter  
D) Instagram
About Twitter:

- **Twitter** is an American microblogging and social networking service on which users post and interact with messages known as “tweets”.
- Registered users can post, like, and retweet tweets, but unregistered users can only read them.
- **CEO:** Jack Dorsey

Grievance Officer in NEWS

- Facebook Names **Spoorthi Priya** As Grievance Officer For India
- WhatsApp Appoints **Paresh B Lal** As Grievance Officer For India

Q. Manu Sawhney has recently resigned as the CEO of which organisation?

A) Badminton World Federation  
B) Board of Control for Cricket in India  
C) International Cricket Council  
D) World Athletics

Answer - C

About ICC:

- The **International Cricket Council** is the world governing body of cricket.
- It was founded as the **Imperial Cricket Conference in 1909** by representatives from Australia, England and South Africa.
- It was **renamed** as the International Cricket Conference in 1965, and took up its current name in 1987.
- **Headquarters:** Dubai, United Arab Emirates
- **Chairman:** Greg Barclay

Q. PM Modi has received 1st copy of ‘The Ramayana of Shri Guru Gobind Singh’. “The Ramayana of Shri Guru Gobind Singh Ji” is written by ____________.
A) Baljit Kaur Tulsi          C) Anant Vijay
B) Anindya Dutta            D) Romila Thapar

Answer - A

- The book was published by Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA).
- PM Modi also shared the audio of the recital of Gurbani Shabad by KTS Tulsi.

About Guru Gobind Singh:

- Guru Gobind Singh the 10th and last of Sikh Gurus in Human form was born as Gobind Rai at Patna Sahib, Bihar.
- At the age of 9, he was enthroned at the ‘Guru Gaddi’ following the martyrdom of his father Guru Tegh Bahadur, the 9th Sikh Guru.

Q. World Paper Bag Day is celebrated across the globe on ____________ every year.

A) 11 July          C) 13 July
B) 12 July          D) 14 July

Answer - B

- World Paper Bag Day is celebrated across the globe on July 12 every year to reaffirm the much-needed daily use of paper bags over plastic bags, which apparently came in handy for carrying our groceries and stuff for donkey's years, to the gross detriment of our environment.
- The world has awaken to the realities of climate change, environmental pollution and scarcity of resources, and hence, slowly but surely, adopting sustainable lifestyle choices including paper bags.

Q. Which of the following football team has won the European Championship 2020?
A) Oman
B) Italy
C) Canada
D) England

Answer- B

➢ The European Championship final on 11th July pits England and Italy against each other. Italy won 3-2 on penalties.
➢ Italy, one of the most decorated teams in the world, have ended a few years of trophy drought. England, on the other hand, were in uncharted territory. They haven’t even reached a final since 1966.
➢ Italy has already reached the final twice in recent years — in 2000 and 2012 — whereas England hasn’t got close until now.

Note: List of Winner Football tournament 2021

- Alexander Zverev beats Matteo Berrettini to won his 2nd Madrid title
- Manchester City crowned 2020-21 Premier League champions
- Manchester City beat Tottenham Hotspur in final at London to won League Cup football tournament
- Barcelona won 2021 Copa del Rey
- FA Cup: Leicester Beat Chelsea To Won Title For First Time
- Barcelona beats Chelsea 4-0 to win Women’s Champions League final for first time
- Atletico Madrid pipped city rivals Real Madrid to the La Liga title
- Chelsea beat Manchester City 1-0, won Champions League
- 15th Copa America Argentina won

Q. All-rounder Mahmudullah Riyad has announced retirement from Test cricket. He is from which country?

A) Afghanistan
B) United Arab Emirates
C) Bangladesh  
D) Pakistan  

Answer - C

Q. Who is the author of the book “The Pregnancy Bible”?

A) Kareena Kapoor  
B) Diya Mirza  
C) Neena Gupta  
D) Indra Nooyi  

Answer - A

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Q. Supa Dam is situated in which Indian state?

A) Andhra Pradesh  
B) Maharashtra  
C) Karnataka  
D) Tamil Nadu  

Answer – C

**STATIC GK BASED CURRENT AFFAIRS MCQ**
Q. When is the World Population Day observed?
A) May 20
B) July 11
C) August 14
D) November 7
Answer - B

Q. In which part of India is the “Tilak Maidan Stadium” situated?
A) Punjab
B) Delhi
C) Gujarat
D) Goa
Answer - A

Q. What is the capital of Somalia?
A) Mogadishu
B) San Jose
C) Kyiv
D) Lusaka
Answer - A

Q. The headquarters of “Securities and Exchange Board of India” (SEBI) is located at_______.
A) New Delhi
B) Chennai
C) Hyderabad
D) Mumbai
Answer - D

Q. In which state is the “Tiroda Thermal Power Plant” located?
A) Odisha
B) Maharashtra
C) Kerala
D) West Bengal
Answer - B

Q. “Indravati National Park” is located in which state of India?
A) Himachal Pradesh
B) Rajasthan
C) Chhattisgarh
D) Jharkhand
Answer - C

Q. Where in India is the “Ganga Avalokan Museum” situated?
A) Assam
B) Uttarakhand
C) Madhya Pradesh
D) Jammu & Kashmir

**Answer - B**

Q. What is the currency of Andorra?
A) Euro
B) Dollar
C) Peso
D) Shilling

**Answer - A**

Q. Erode is a city in the Indian state of Tamil Nadu. On which river banks is the city Erode situated?
A) Tung
B) Vegavathy
C) Musi
D) Kaveri

**Answer - D**

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