

26-06-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) Who take over as Chief Executive Officer of NitiAayog?

a) PawanMunjal b) ManojPande c) Parameswaranlyer d) Gopal Vittal

Answer: C

Explanation: Appointments Committee of the Cabinet has approved the appointment of Parameswaranlyer, 1981 batch Indian Administrative Service (IAS) officer of Uttar Pradesh cadre as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of NITI Aayog for a period of 2 years or until further orders. He takes over as the new CEO of NITI Aayog succeeding Amitabh Kant who is set to complete his 6-year stint as CEO of NITI Aayog by the end of June 2022.

Static Points: NITI Aayog Chairman – Narendra Modi Headquarters – New Delhi, Delhi

2) Who has been appointed as the new Director-General of National Investigation Agency (NIA)?

a) Dinkar Gupta b) Arvind Singh c) Prashant Ranjan d) RupinderBrar

Answer: A

Explanation: The Appointments Committee of Cabinet (ACC) appointed former Punjab director general of police Dinkar Gupta as chief of National Investigation Agency (NIA), according to an order issued by the government. CRPF Director General of CRPF Kuldiep Singh was given additional charge of the NIA in May last year after the retirement of Yogesh Chander Modi.

Static Points:

National Investigation Agency Chief : Yogesh Chander Modi Headquarters: New Delhi

3) Ship-borne weapon system VL-SRSAM successfully flight-tested off in which state?

a) Karnataka

b) Odisha

c) Andhra Pradesh

d) New Delhi

Answer: B

Explanation: Indigenously developed Vertical Launch Short Range Surface to Air Missile (VL-SRSAM) was successfully flight-tested by Defense Research and Development Organization (DRDO) and the Navy from a warship at Integrated Test Range (ITR), Chandipur off the coast of Odisha. The VL-SRSAM, a ship-borne weapon system, is meant for neutralizing various aerial threats at close ranges including sea-skimming targets.

Static Points:

Odisha Capital – Bhubaneswar ; CM - Naveen Patnaik ; Governor - Ganeshi Lal

4) Who launches Policy & Portal of e-auction for Commercial earning, NFR Contracts?

- a) Minister of Minority Affairs
- c) Minister of Railways

b) Minister of AYUSH

ter of Ranways

d) Minister of Civil Aviation

Answer: C

Explanation: Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw launches Policy & Portal of e-auction for Commercial earning, Non-Fare Revenue (NFR) contracts Bidder located anywhere in India need to register only once for participating in auctions of any field unit of Indian Railways through the portal during last one month Pilot, 80 earning contracts were finalized collectively fetching 128 Cr to the RailwaysRailways bring Commercial Earning and Non-Fare Revenue contracts under the ambit of electronic auction through Indian Railway e-Procurement System (IREPS)

Static Points:

Ashwini Vaishnaw: Minister of Railways, Minister of Communications, and Minister of Electronics & Information Technology

Constituency: Odisha

5) Which country became India's largest trading partner in Fiscal Year 2021-22?

c) US

a) Russia

b) Brazil

d) China

Answer: C

Explanation: US Emerges as India's Largest Trade Partner in Fiscal Year 2022, Surpasses China. The US surpassed China to become India's top trading partner in Fiscal Year 2021-22, reflecting stronger economic ties between the two countries. Bilateral trade between India and the US stood at US\$119.42 billion, or 11.5 percent of India's total trade.

Static Points:

United States Capital: Washington, D.C. ; President: Joe Biden ; Currency: United States Dollar

6) Who has developed India's first body suit for Yoga in Space?

a) AIIMS Delhi b) IIT Madras c) IISc Bangalore

d) IISER Kolkata

Answer: A

Explanation: While the world celebrates International Day for Yoga on June 21, experts at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Delhi, have developed an anti-gravity body suit for astronauts that will help them perform yoga in space. The development comes at a time when India is preparing to launch its own human space flight mission.

7) Which company sign MoU with belarus firm for the supply of Airborne defense suite?

a) HAL b) BEL c) SAIL d) BHEL

Answer: B

Explanation: Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL), a defense Public Sector Unit under the Ministry of Defense, Government of India, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Defense Initiatives, Belarus, and Defense Initiatives Aero Pvt Ltd India, a subsidiary of DI Belarus. The MoU calls for the three companies to collaborate on the supply of Airborne Defense Suite (ADS) for Indian Air Force (IAF) helicopters.

Static Points:

Belarus Capital: Minsk ; Currency: Belarusian Ruble ; President: Alexander Lukashenko

8) On which day World Vitiligo Day is observed?

a) 27th June

b) 25th June

c) 24th June

d) 26th June

Answer: B

Explanation: World Vitiligo Day(WVD) is annually observed across the globe on 25th June to create awareness about vitiligo, a long-term skin condition caused due to lack of melanin. The day also aims to include recognition of bullying, social neglect, psychological trauma and disability of the people affected by vitiligo.

9) RBI extended the timeline for tokenization of debit and credit cards by _____.

a) 3 Months b) 6 Months c) 9 Months d) 12 Months

Answer: A

Explanation: The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) extended the timeline for tokenization of debit and credit cards by three months till September 30, 2022 "to avoid disruption and inconvenience to cardholders". After September 30, no entity in the card transaction or payment chain, other than the card issuers and card networks, should store the CoF (Card-on-File data or storage of actual card data) and any such data stored previously will be purged.

Static Points:

RBI Headquarters – Mumbai

RBI **Governor** – Shaktikanta Das

RBI Deputy Governor – Mahesh Kumar Jain, M. Rajeshwar Rao, Michael Patra, and T. Rabi Shankar

10) Defense Ministry approves establishment of 'BRO Cafes' at how many locations?

a) 25 b) 50 c) 75 d) 100

Answer: C

Explanation: Ministry of Defense has approved setting up of wayside amenities under the brand of BRO Cafe at 75 locations on different sections of roads with Border Roads Organization across 12 states nd Union territories. These are intended to provide basic amenities and comfort to tourists and lead to boosting of economic activities in board areas, besides generating employment for the local people.

Static Points:

Minister of Defense: Rajnath Singh; Constituency: Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh

11) International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking is observed on which day?

a) 27th June

b) 25th June c) 24th June

d) 26th June

Answer: D

Explanation: International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking 2022 is observed on 26th June. The focus is to create awareness about the hazardous impacts of drug abuse on the society and to create a world without it. Drug use continues to be a major problem in the world. It's harmful effects are not unknown to the world. In order to create awareness about the serious impact of drug abuse and to seek international support to fight it out. This year the theme is "Addressing drug challenges in health and humanitarian crises".

12) Which state government to launch MEDISEP scheme for government employees?

a) Punjab

b) Karnataka

c) Odisha

d) Kerala

Answer: B

Explanation: Kerala Government will roll out MEDISEP scheme- the medical insurance scheme for State Government employees, pensioners and their eligible family members from 1st July, 2022. The scheme will provide cashless medical assistance with a comprehensive coverage up to 3 lakhs per year. The annual premium would be Rs 4,800 plus 18 per cent GST for the policy period of 2022-24.

Static Points:

Kerala **CM** – PinarayiVijayan Kerala **Capital** - Thiruvananthapuram Kerala **Governor** - Arif Mohammad Khan

13) Home Minister Amit Shah launched the National Cyber Forensic Laboratory' (NCFL) on the premises of the CFSL in which city?

a) Indore b) Vishakhapatnam c) Bangalore d

d) Hyderabad

Answer: D

Explanation: Union Home Minister Amit Shah inaugurated the 'National Cyber Forensic Laboratory' (NCFL) at Central Forensic Science Laboratory (CFSL) campus in Hyderabad. The NCFL will speed up the process for disposal of cybercrime cases in the country. "Cybercrime is one of the biggest challenges to the 21st century world. The Modi government is setting up a modern cyberlab ecosystem across the nation. This will help in increasing the conviction rate of cyber crimes.

14) When was Day of the Seafarer is observed?

a) 27th June

b) 25th June

c) 24th June

d) 26th June

Answer: B

Explanation: The United Nations (UN)'s Day of the Seafarer is annually observed across the globe on 25th June to create awareness about the seafarers and the challenges they face. The day also offers a platform to pay tribute to the seafarers recognizing the risk they take in the execution of their daily life and their duties in the hostile environment.

15) Who inaugurated the north India's first Industrial Biotech Park constructed in Jammu & Kashmir?

a) Jitendra Singh b) Anurag Thakur c) Piyush Goyal

d) Amit Shah

Answer: A

Explanation: Jammu and Kashmir (J&K) Lieutenant Governor, Manoj Sinha and Union minister Jitendra Singh inaugurated the north India's first Industrial Biotech Park constructed at Ghatti near Kathua. The Industrial Biotech Park at Kathua will transform the economy and enable scientists to tackle the challenges of climate change.

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1) Which country president signs the breakthrough gun safety legislation?

a) China

b) Russia

c) Brazil

d) US

Answer: D

Explanation: President Joe Biden signed into law the first major federal gun safety legislation passed in decades, marking a significant bipartisan breakthrough on one of the most contentious policy issues in Washington. The legislation came together in the aftermath of recent mass shootings at a Uvalde, Texas, elementary school and a Buffalo, New York, supermarket that was in a predominantly Black neighborhood.

2) World bank has approved USD ____ million funding for 3 projects in India.

a) 447 b) 562 c) 374 d) 550

Answer: B

Explanation: The World Bank announced that it had authorized three loans totaling USD 562 million (about Rs 4,393.70 crore) to support projects for education in Gujarat, social protection in Tamil Nadu, and the rehabilitation of the fisheries industry after the epidemic. The Outcomes for Accelerated Learning (GOAL) initiative, which aims to enhance educational outcomes for kids throughout the state of Gujarat, received extra funding of USD 250 million from the World Bank Board of Executive Directors.

Static Points:

World Bank **President:** David Malpass **Headquarters**: Washington D.C., United States **Motto**: Working for a World Free of Poverty

3) MoU signed between Telangana Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP) and

a) Flipkart

b) Myntra

c) Amazon

d) Snapdeal

Answer: A

Explanation: Flipkart, India's homegrown e-commerce marketplace, today signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty, Department of Rural Development, Government of Telangana, to enable market access for Farmer Producer Organizations and Self-Help Groups (SHGs) in the state of Telangana. Through this partnership, Flipkart aims to empower local farming communities and SHGs of Telangana by providing pan-India market access to more than 400 million customers on its platform. **Static Points:** Flipkart **CEO**: Kalyan Krishnamurthy **Headquarters**: Bengaluru

4) Which country launched a solid-fueled rocket with a satellite carrier?

a) Israel

b) Turkey

c) Iran

d) Syria

Answer: C

Explanation: Iran has launched a solid-fueled rocket into space. Defense Ministry Spokesman Ahmad Hosseini said Zuljanah, a 25.5 meter-long rocket, is capable of carrying a satellite of 220 kilograms that will ultimately gather data in low-earth orbit and promote Iran's space industry.

Static Points: Iran Capital: Tehran ; President: EbrahimRaisi ; Currency: Iranian Rial

5) ____ & ___ pair grabs maiden compound mixed team gold for India in Archery World Cup.

a) Abhishek Verma&JyothiSurekha

- c) JyothiSurekha&AnkitaBhakat
- b) AnkitaBhakat& Abhishek Verma
- d) None of the above

Answer: A

Explanation: Abhishek Verma combined with world No. 3 women's compound archer JyothiSurekhaVennam to claim India's first gold medal at Stage 3 of the Archery World Cup 2022 in Paris. Abhishek Verma and JyothiSurekhaVennam defeated the French pair of Sophie Dodemont and Jean Philippe Boulch 152-149 in the compound mixed team final to grab the yellow metal.

6) Who inaugurated the 'Mango Festival' in which country?

a) Nitin Gadkari b) Amit Shah c) Piyush Goyal c

d) Jitendra Singh

Answer: C

Explanation:Piyush Goyal, Union Minister of Commerce and Industry, inaugurated a "Mango Festival" in Brussels on June 17 to raise awareness among Europeans and establish a market for Indian mangoes in Europe. India is a big supplier of mangoes to the rest of the globe, but most of the mangoes end up in the Middle East rather than Europe.

Static Points:

Piyush Goyal: Minister of Commerce and Industry, Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, Minister of Textiles **Constituency**: Maharashtra

7) Who inaugurated the India pavilion at the technology exhibition Vivatech 2020?

a) Amit Shah

b) Piyush Goyal

c) Ashwini Vaishnaw

d) Nitin Godakari

Answer: C

Explanation: Europe's biggest startup conference, "Vivatech 2020" has recognized India as the "country of the year." It is a tremendous honour for India to be named "country of the year" in Vivatech 2020. This is due to the contribution of the Indian startups to the world. This is the recognition of Indian startups.

8) Rare carnivorous plant species called Utricularia Furcellata has been found in _____.

a) Chhattisgarh b) Uttarakhand

c) Himalayas

d) Ladakh

Answer: C

Explanation: A very rare carnivorous plant species called UtriculariaFurcellata has been found in the western Himalayan region for the first time. The detection of the rare species was made by a research team of the Uttarakhand Forest Department in the picturesque Mandal valley located in Chamoli district, Chief Conservator of Forest (Research).

9) Tata Power Solar Systems commissions India's largest floating solar power project of 101.6-Megawatt Peak in which state?

a) Maharashtra b) Odisha c) Kerala d) Karnataka

Answer: C

Explanation: Tata Power Solar Systems, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tata Power, has accomplished a remarkable feat by commissioning India's largest floating solar power project in Kayamkulam, Kerala on a 350-acre water body, backwaters area, having an installed capacity of 101.6 Megawatt Peak. Tata Power Solar successfully built a scaffolding platform on the water body to make the entire solar plant float on water. This project is the first one in the Floating Solar Photovoltaic (FSPV) through Power Purchase Agreement category.

Static Points:

Kerala **CM** - PinarayiVijayan Kerala **Capital** - Thiruvananthapuram Kerala **Governor** - Arif Mohammad Khan

10) India needs USD	billion investment to meet 2030 wind & solar capacity goals.

a) 185 b) 227 c) 274 d) 233

Answer: D

Explanation: India will need USD 223 billion of investment to meet its goal of wind and solar capacity installations by 2030, according to a new report by research company BloombergNEF (BNEF). The government has set a target of increasing non-fossil power capacity to 500 GW by 2030. It wants non-fossil fuel power sources to provide half of its electricity supply by 2030.

11) Who records most wickets in powerplay in T20I history?

a) Umran Malik b) Avesh Khan c) Bhuvneshwar Kumar d) Ishan Kishan

Answer: C

Explanation: India pacer Bhuvneshwar Kumar recorded the most wickets in the powerplay in the history of the T20I format. Bhuvneshwar achieved this feat during the first T20I against Ireland in Dublin at Malahide Cricket Club Ground. He dismissed Ireland skipper Andrew Balbirnie on the fifth delivery of the innings and completed his 34th powerplay wicket in T20I.

12) Ronaldo Singh has become the first Indian cyclist to win <u>medal</u> at the Asian championship.

a) Gold b) Silver c) Bronze d) None of the above

Answer: B

Explanation: India's Ronaldo Singh has brought glory to the country in Cycling. The Cycling Champion scripted history by winning Silver in the sprint event at the Asian Cycling Championships 2022. With the win, he also became the first Indian cyclist to win a silver medal (including the Elite category) at the Asian Track Championship. Earlier this week, he won two bronze medals at Indira Gandhi Stadium, Delhi.

13) Who has been appointed as the chairman of Bombay Stock Exchange?

a) Nitin Gupta b) AtulLaxman c) S.S. Mundra d) VivekJohri

Answer: C

Explanation: Leading stock exchange BSE on Tuesday said its board has appointed S.S. Mundra, a public interest director, as the chairman of the bourse. Mr. Mundra will replace Justice Vikramajit Sen. Mr. Mundra retired as Deputy Governor of Reserve Bank of India in July 2017 after a stint of three years. Prior to that, he was Chairman and Managing Director of Bank of Baroda from where he superannuated in July 2014.

14) Which state's public transport system has been recognized by the UN's Public Service Awards?

a) Maharashtra	b) Odisha	c) Kerala	d) Karnataka
Answer: R			

Explanation: Mo Bus, the bus service of Odisha's Capital Region Urban Transport (CRUT) authority, has been recognised by the United Nations as one of 10 global recipients of its annual Public Service Awards for 2022. The public transport service has been recognised for its role in "promoting gender-responsive public services to achieve the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals).

28-06-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) Which bank launches 'Campus Power' to help students aspiring to pursue higher education in India and abroad?

a) Axis Bank b) HDFC Bank

c) SBI

d) ICICI Bank

Answer: D

Explanation: ICICI Bank launched a digital platform called 'Campus Power' to help students aspiring to pursue higher education in India and abroad. The new Campus Power platform assists users to explore financial products matching their needs ranging from bank accounts including overseas accounts, education loans and its tax benefit, foreign exchange solutions, payment solutions, cards, other loans, and investments.

Static Points: ICICI Bank MD & CEO - Sandeep Bakhshi Headquarters - Vadodara Tagline - Hum haina, KhayalApka

2) ____ public transport services has been honored with a prestigious UN Public Service Award 2022.

a) Gujarat b) Karnataka

c) Odisha d) Rajasthan

Answer: C

Explanation: An Odisha-based public transport service is among the 10 global initiates honoured with a prestigious United Nations award on Wednesday for their role and efforts in helping the world recover better from COVID-19. Mo Bus, Capital Region Urban Transport India is the recipient of the prestigious UN Public Service Awards, the global organization announced.

Static Points: Odisha **Capital** - Bhubaneswar Odisha **CM** - Naveen Patnaik Odisha **Governor** - Ganeshi Lal

3) Which country launches first satellite with homegrown rocket using domestic rocket 'Nuri'?

a) Brazil

b) Russia

c) South Korea

d) China

Answer: C

Explanation: South Korea conducted its first successful satellite launch using a domestically developed rocket. Boosting its growing aerospace ambitions and demonstrating it has key technologies needed to launch spy satellites and build larger missiles amid tensions with rival North Korea. The satellite transmitted signals about its status to an unmanned South Korean station in Antarctica.

Static Points: South Korea Capital: Seoul Currency: South Korea Won President: Yoon Seok-youl

4) G7 leaders unveil USD	_ billion plan to rival China's Belt and Road Initiative in
developing nations.	

c) 600

a) 200

b) 400

d) 800

Answer: C

Explanation: US President Joe Biden and other G7 leaders re-launched the "Partnership for Global Infrastructure and Investment" at their annual gathering at SchlossElmau in Germany. It aims to raise USD 600 billion in private and public funds over five years, to finance infrastructure in developing countries and counter China's Belt and Road project.

5) ____ has been appointed as acting president of the Indian Olympic Association.

a) Anil Khanna b) NarinderBatra c) Rajeev Mehta d) Sandip Pradhan

Answer: A

Explanation: Anil Khanna has been appointed the acting President of Indian Olympic Association (IOA). The Delhi High Court on Friday ordered that NarinderDhruvBatra cannot continue as the President of the IOA and appointed Anil Khanna as acting president. Veteran sports administrator NarinderBatra was on Friday ordered to stop functioning as Indian Olympic Association (IOA) president.

Static Points: Indian Olympic Association President: NarinderBatra Headquarters location: New Delhi Secretary General: Rajeev Mehta

6) Micro-Small and Medium-sized Enterprises Day is celebrated on which day?

a) 26th June

b) 25th June

c) 28th June

d) 27th June

Answer: D

Explanation: Recognizing the potential of the MSME and their role in strengthening economies, June 27 is celebrated as the Micro-Small and Medium-sized Enterprises Day. The day is aimed at raising public awareness of the contribution of MSMEs to global economic growth and sustainable development. MSME or Micro-Small and Medium-sized Enterprises are crucial for the growth of a country as they form the backbone of the economy.

7) ____ has been appointed as Director of Intelligence Bureau.

a) Rakesh Asthana b) Tapan Kumar Deka c) Subodh Kumar Jaiswal d) None

Answer: B

Explanation: The Central government has appointed senior IPS officer Tapan Kumar Deka as Director of Intelligence Bureau. Tapan Kumar Deka, a 1988 batch Himachal Pradesh cadre IPS officer, was appointed for a tenure of two years from the date of assumption of the charge of the post or until further orders, whichever is earlier.

8) Which country has launched a solid-fueled rocket named 'Zuljanah'?

a) Russia

b) Brazil

c) Israel

d) Iran

Answer: D

Explanation: Iran has launched a solid-fueled rocket into space named 'Zuljanah'. It is aa 25.5 meter-long rocket, capable of carrying a satellite of 220 kilograms. The satellites will gather data in low-earth orbit. Zuljanah is named after the horse of Imam Hussein, the grandson of the Prophet Muhammad.

Static Points:

Iran **Capital**: Tehran **Currency**: Iranian Rial **President**: EbrahimRaisi

9) Which country has launched new batch of 3 Yaogan-35 remote sensing satellite?

a) Brazil

b) Russia

c) South Korea

d) China

Answer: D

Explanation: China launched a batch of three Yaogan-35 satellites. The Long March carrier rocket series, developed by the China Aerospace Science and Technology Corporation, is responsible for about 96.4 percent of all the launch missions in China. This launch marked the 424th mission for the Long March series carrier rockets.

Static Points:

China **Capital**: Beijing **President**: Xi Jinping **Currency**: Renminbi

10) Which country to host England for the day-night Test and India for white-ball series?

a) Australia b) Canada c) New Zealand d) Switzerland

Answer: C

Explanation: White ball cricket against world powerhouse India, a day-night Test against England, and six inbound touring teams - these are just some of the highlights of a jam-packed New Zealand home international schedule. India to tour New Zealand for white-ball series post T20 World Cup.

Static Points: New Zealand Capital: Wellington Prime minister: JacindaArdern Continent: Oceania

11) Tata Power Solar Commissions India's Largest Floating Solar Power Project in which state?

c) Bihar

a) Kerala

b) Odisha

d) Assam

Answer: A

Explanation: Tata Power Solar Systems, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tata Power, has accomplished a remarkable feat by commissioning India's largest floating solar power project in Kayamkulam, Kerala on a 350-acre water body, backwaters area, having an installed capacity of 101.6 Megawatt Peak.

12) Ministry of Finance has extended the period for levy till _____.

a) April 2026	b) December 2026	c) March 2026	d) January 2026
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Answer: C

Explanation: The Ministry of Finance has extended the period for levy and collection of cess under sub-section (1) of Section 8 of the Goods and Services Tax (Compensation to States) Act, 2017 under 28% slab by nearly 4 years from July 1, 2022 to March 31, 2026. This extension was made on the recommendation of the GST Council as many states incurred losses in the past two years during Covid pandemic.

13) <u>& Worldline India Partners for POS Payments.</u>

a) Aditya Birla b) L & T c) Tata Capital d) Bajaj Finance

Answer: D

Explanation: Bajaj Finance Limited(BFL), a part of Bajaj Finserv Limited, has partnered with Worldline, a global leader in payment services, to develop Point-Of-Sales (POS) payments acquiring solutions for its merchant network. BFL and Worldline India Private Limited, a whollyowned subsidiary of Worldline, have partnered to provide customers and merchants partners with an integrated payment solution.

14) Chennai based drone start up Garuda Aerospace has partnered with which country to set up first international drone factory?

a) Philippines

b) Malaysia

c) Singapore

d) Japan

Answer: B

Explanation: Chennai-based drone startup Garuda Aerospace Pvt Ltd on June 22 announced that it has teamed up with Malaysia-based HiiLSE Global SdnBhd (HiiLSE Drones) to set up a 2.42 hectares drone factory in Malaysia with an investment of Rs 115 crore. The startup recently deployed white knight delivery drones in Assam to support the state disaster management department's rescue efforts amid the ongoing floods.

Static Points: Malaysia **Capital**: Kuala Lumpur **Currency**: Malaysian Ringgit Currency: Malaysian Ringgit Prime Minister: Ismail SabriYaakob

15) ____ becomes first tennis player to win 80 matches at each of the four Grand Slam tennis tournaments.

a) Carlos Alcaraz b) Novak Djokovic c) Andy Murray d) Rafael Nadal

Answer: B

Explanation: Serbian Novak Djokovic began his quest for a seventh Wimbledon title with a historic 80th win, becoming the first player ever in the history of men's and women's tennis to do so in each of the four grand slams of tennis tournaments. Djokovic defeated the unseeded Korean player in four sets in the first match of the tournament at iconic Centre Court.

29-06-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) Who was selected to head the India Debt Resolution Company?

a) Avinash Kulkarni b) Rakesh Sethi c) Atul Kumar Goel d) Arun Tiwari

Answer: A

Explanation: The chief executive of India Resurgence Asset Reconstruction Company (IRARC), Avinash Kulkarni, has been selected to head the India Debt Resolution Company (IDRCL) which will be the sole agent to resolve more than ₹83,000 crore of bad loans to be acquired by the government-backed National Asset Reconstruction.

2) BOB Financial has launched a co-branded contactless RuPay credit card with which bank?

a) SAIL b) ONGC c) HPCL d) IOCL

Answer: C

Explanation: HPCL and BOB co-branded contactless RuPay Credit Card has been launched by BOB Financial and Hindustan Petroleum (HPCL) in collaboration with National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI). The card has a number of advantages, including incentives for utility, supermarket, and department shop purchases.

3) What is the peak capacity of India's largest floating solar power project commissioned by Tata Power Solar?

a) 110.1

b) 107.2

c) 104.3

d) 101.6

Answer: D

Explanation: Tata Power Solar Systems, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tata Power, has accomplished a remarkable feat by commissioning India's largest floating solar power project in Kayamkulam, Kerala on a 350-acre water body, backwaters area, having an installed capacity of 101.6 Megawatt Peak.

4) _____ clocked her personal best time of 22.89s to win the 200m sprint at the Qosanov Memorial 2022.

a) Seema Punia b) DhanalakshmiSekar c) Dutee Chand d) Bhawna Jat

Answer: B

Explanation: Tokyo Olympian DhanalakshmiSekar clocked her personal best time of 22.89s to win the 200m sprint at the Qosanov Memorial 2022 athletics meet in Almaty, Kazakhstan. DhanalakshmiSekar, who has been in good form this season, narrowly missed out on breaking a 20-year-old national record of 22.82s set by SaraswatiSaha in 2002.

5) Which company signed an MoU with a Belarusian Company and its subsidiary for the supply of Airborne Defence Suite?

a) NTPC b) BEL c) BHEL d) BEML

Answer: B

Explanation: Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Defense Initiatives (DI), Belarus, and Defense Initiatives Aero Pvt Ltd, India (a subsidiary of DI Belarus). The MoU is signed to build cooperation amongst the three companies for the supply of Airborne Defense Suite (ADS) for Indian Air Force's helicopters.

6) When was International Day of the Tropics is observed?

a) 26th June b) 29th June c) 28th June

d) 27th June

Answer: B

Explanation: The International Day of the Tropics, which is observed on June 29 annually, highlights the challenges faced by the nations of the Tropics and the opportunities their citizens have access to. The nations of the tropics are those that fall between the Tropic of Capricorn and the Tropic of Cancer.

7) Which state has issued orders regarding the implementation of a medical insurance "MEDISEP" scheme?



Explanation: Kerala Government will roll out MEDISEP scheme- the medical insurance scheme for State Government employees, pensioners and their eligible family members from 1st July, 2022. The scheme will provide cashless medical assistance with a comprehensive coverage up to 3 lakhs per year.

Static Points: Kerala **CM** - PinarayiVijayan Kerala **Capital** - Thiruvananthapuram Kerala **Governor** - Arif Mohammad Khan

8) According to a report by NASSCOM, Artificial Intelligence can add \$500 bn to GDP by which year?

a) 2023 b) 2024 c) 2025 d) 2026

Answer: C

Explanation: Data utilization strategy and AI adoption to add \$500 billion to India's GDP by 2025: Nasscom report. The AI adoption in four key sectors BFSI, consumer packaged goods (CPG) and retail, healthcare, and industrials/ automotive can contribute 60 percent of the total \$ 500 billion opportunity. Though the current rate of AI investments in India is growing at a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 30.8% and poised to reach \$881 million by 2023.

9) Who has been appointed as the Chairman of the Central Board of Direct Tax (CBDT)?

a) Anil Khanna b) Rakesh Asthana c) Sangeeta Singh d) Nitin Gupta

Answer: D

Explanation: IRS officer Nitin Gupta has been appointed as the new CBDT chairman. Gupta, an Indian Revenue Service (IRS) officer of the 1986 batch of the Income Tax cadre, is serving as the Member (investigation) in the Board and is scheduled to retire in September next year. Member Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) as chairman, Central Board of Direct Taxes from the date of assumption of the post."

10) ____ released a report titled 'India's Booming Gig and Platform Economy'

a) RBI b) NITI Aayog c) World Bank d) IMF

Answer: B

Explanation: NITI Aayog launched a report titled 'India's Booming Gig and Platform Economy'. The report was released by NITI Aayog Vice Chairman Suman Bery, CEO Amitabh Kant and Special Secretary Dr. K Rajeswara Rao. The report is a first-of-its-kind study that presents comprehensive perspectives and recommendations on the gig–platform economy in India.

11) Which Indian state/ UT is the host of G-20 summit in 2023?

a) Ladakh b) Jammu & Kashmir c) Kerala d) Punjab

Answer: B

Explanation: Jammu and Kashmir will host the 2023 meetings of the G20, an influential group of the world's major economies. J&K government has set up a five-member high-level committee for overall coordination of G20 meetings to be held in the Union Territory. Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal was appointed as India's Sherpa for the G20 in September 2021.

12) Which Union Ministry released the 'Performance Grading Index for Districts (PGI-D)'?

a) Ministry of Education c) Minister of Steel b) Minister of Civil Aviationd) Minister of Finance

Answer: A

Explanation: The Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education released the Centre's first-ever Performance Grading Index for Districts (PGI-D) for 2018-19 and 2019-20. PGI-D assesses the performance of the school education system at the district level by creating an index for comprehensive analysis.

13) Who has been named the 2021 recipient of the Golden Achievement Award by the International Tennis Hall of Fame and International Tennis Federation?

a) Leander Paes b) Tapan Kumar c) Vijay Amritraj d) Monalisa Adams

Answer: C

Explanation: The International Tennis Hall of Fame and International Tennis Federation recognized a most deserving person—one who has made important contributions internationally to tennis, on and off the court. Though still actively competing, the impacts that these three icons have left on the sport are already significant.

14) Which bank approves USD 250 million for India road safety program?

a) SBI b) ADB c) RBI d) World Bank

Answer: D

Explanation: The Board of Executive Directors of the World Bank has approved the financing of USD 250 million to support the "India State Support Program for Road Safety", a project by the Indian government to improve road safety. The project will be implemented in seven States: Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Odisha, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.

15) Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying is set to launch 'One Health' Pilot project in which city?

a) Bangalore b) Lucknow c) Indore d) Mumbai

Answer: A

Explanation: The Department of Animal Husbadry& Dairying (DAHD) will be launching the One Health pilot in Bengaluru, Karnataka. The programme is aimed at bringing stakeholders from animal, human and environment health on a common platform to address challenges, the government. AtulChaturvedi, Secretary, DAHD, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying will be launching the pilot project in Bengaluru.

30-06-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) Which of the company has launched wearable ATM cards and Offline UPI?

a) MasterCard

b) RuPay

c) VISA

d) Acemoney

Answer: D

Explanation: The wearable ATM cards are gadgets designed as key chains and rings that enable people to carry out cashless transactions without ATM cards and phones. The services were launched by SourabhTomar, Head, UPI, National Payment Corporation of India and Mohammed Y Safirulla IAS, Special Duty Officer, Finance Department, at a function in Kochi.

2) Which state government has bagged the first prize in National MSME Award 2022?

a) Gujarat b) Punjab c) Assam d) Odisha

Answer: D

Explanation: The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) Department of the Odisha government has bagged the first prize because of various developmental initiatives taken up for the development of MSMEs. For the development of the sector the Government of India interacts regularly with all stakeholders, industry associations, individual enterprises, state government through seminars, video conferencing, meeting to assess the problems and challenges faced by the MSMEs.

3) When was World Asteroid Day is observed?

a) 30th June

b) 29th June c) 28th June

d) 27th June

Answer: A

Explanation: World Asteroid Day (also known as International Asteroid Day) is an annual UNsanctioned global awareness campaign event observed on June 30, which is the anniversary of the Siberian Tunguska event of 1908. To provide knowledge to the general public about the importance of asteroids in history, and the role they play in our solar system.

4) National Insurance Awareness Day is observed on which day?

a) 30th June b) 29th June c) 28th June d) 27th June

Answer: C

Explanation: The National Insurance Awareness Day is observed on 28 June annually to make people aware about the several benefits of investing in an insurance plan or policy. Insurance policies offer financial cover in case of unfortunate happenings such as injury, accident or losses in business, among others, if one remembers to pay their premium regularly.

5) Which edition of the Transilvania International Film Festival has been held in Romania?

a) 21st b) 25th c) 27th d) 28th

Answer: A

Explanation: The winners of the 21st edition of the Transilvania International Film Festival were applauded at the Awards Ceremony, organised in the Unirii Square in Cluj-Napoca. Utama, the debut film of director Alejandro LoayzaGrisi, was chosen as this year's big winner and awarded the 10,000 euro Transylvania Trophy.

Static Points:

Romania Capital: Bucharest ; Currency: Romanian leu ; President: Klaus Iohannis

6) Which company has announced the acquisition of Blink Commerce (Blinkit), earlier known as Grofers India?

a) Swiggy

b) Talabat

c) Zomato

d) UberEats

Answer: C

Explanation:Zomato's total loss in market capitalisation amounts nearly to \$1 billion. Food delivery app Zomato's announcement to acquire Blinkit or Blink Commerce Pvt Ltd (formerly known as Grofers) last week has caused a strong plunge as its shares fell around by 8 percent on Tuesday, 28 June.

7) RAMP scheme, is associated with which Union Ministry?

a) Minister of Financec) Minister of Defence

b) Ministry of MSMEd) Minister of Mines

Answer: B

Explanation: Prime Minister Narendra Modi participated in the 'Udyami Bharat' programme in New Delhi to launch the 'Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance' (RAMP) scheme. He also launched the 'Capacity Building of First-Time MSME Exporters' (CBFTE) scheme and new features of the 'Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme' (PMEGP).

8) What is the theme of World Asteroid Day 2022?

a) Communication with Asteroidc) Small is Beautiful

b) Near-Earth Objectsd) None of the above

Answer: C

Explanation: The theme of this year 2022 event is "small is beautiful," it represents the fascination that scientists feel for asteroids when they can get a close look. Two of the speakers include representatives from JAXA's Hayabusa2 and NASA's OSIRIS-REx sample return missions.

9) When is the 'National Insurance Awareness Day' observed?

a) 30th June b) 29th June

c) 28th June

d) 27th June

Answer: C

Explanation: Insurance Awareness Day is observed on June 28 with the aim of creating awareness among the public about insurance policies, the need for prudent financial planning and creating a safety net to fall back upon, and to dispel myths around the same that has kept a big part of the population wary of buying insurance.

10) One Health Pilot Initiative has been launched in which city?

a) Noida

b) Lucknow

c) Mumbai

d) Bangalore

Answer: D

Explanation: The "One Health" pilot project aimed at improving national and State-level resource allocation and policy ecosystem on early prediction, detection, and diagnosis of zoonotic diseases through increased quality, availability, and utility of data evidence, was launched in Bengaluru.

11) SBI, HDFC Bank, ICICI Bank Acquire _	% Stakes each in Perfios AA.

a) 6.14% b) 7.23% c) 8.44% d) 9.54%

Answer: D

Explanation: The State Bank of India (SBI), HDFC Bank and ICICI Bank acquired a 9.54 per cent stake each in Perfios Account Aggregation Services Private Limited (Perfios AA). Perfios AA, is a Bengaluru-based Reserve Bank of India (RBI)-registered Non-Banking Financial Company (NBFC)-Account Aggregator.

12) Where was a Honey Testing Laboratory launched by Union Minister Narendra Singh Tomar?

a) Assam

b) Nagaland

c) Uttarakhand

d) Punjab

Answer: B

Explanation: The Union Minister for Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Narendra Singh Tomar, officially inaugurated the Dimapur Honey Testing Laboratory. The honey testing facility will support beekeepers and producers in testing their produced honey. At the North-East Agri Expo, ChumaokedIma, Tomar was attending an event.

13) Who was selected to head the India Debt Resolution Company?

a) Avinash Kulkarni b) Rakesh Sethi c) Atul Kumar Goel d) Arun Tiwari

Answer: A

Explanation: The chief executive of India Resurgence Asset Reconstruction Company (IRARC), Avinash Kulkarni, has been selected to head the India Debt Resolution Company (IDRCL) which will be the sole agent to resolve more than ₹83,000 crore of bad loans to be acquired by the government-backed National Asset Reconstruction.

14) Which company signed an MoU with a Belarusian Company and its subsidiary for the supply of Airborne Defence Suite?

a) NTPC b) BEL c) BHEL d) BEML

Answer: B

Explanation: Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Defense Initiatives (DI), Belarus, and Defense Initiatives Aero Pvt Ltd, India (a subsidiary of DI Belarus). The MoU is signed to build cooperation amongst the three companies for the supply of Airborne Defense Suite (ADS) for Indian Air Force's helicopters.

01-07-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) According to Asia Pacific Sustainability Index 2021, Bengaluru tops in India with the rank of ____.

a) 7th

b) 18th

c) 14th

d) 22nd

Answer: C

Explanation: According to the 'Asia Pacific Sustainability Index 2021' released by Knight Frank, an international property consultant based in London, United Kingdom (UK), four Indian cities made it to the top 20 of the Asia Pacific (APAC) Sustainably Led Cities Index Ranking. Bengaluru (Karnataka) was ranked 14th in the APAC region in the Gold standard category. It is the only city from India to receive the Gold standard and topped among the Indian cities.

2) Airtel Payments Bank collaborates with which bank to digitize the cash collection?

a) YES Bank	b) HDFC Bank	c) ICICI Bank	d) A <mark>xis Ban</mark> k

Answer: D

Explanation: Airtel Payments Bank collaborated with Axis Bank to digitise the cash collection system in small cities and semi-urban regions. Airtel Payments Bank will support Axis Bank with its wide reach of a digital-led neighbourhood banking model. Airtel Payments Bank's collection management services reduce the challenges of managing physical cash.

Static Points:

Axis Bank **MD & CEO** - Amitabh Chaudhry Axis Bank **Headquarters** - Mumbai, Maharashtra Axis Bank **Tagline** - BadhtiKaNaamZindagi

3) How many Investments Proposals approved by government of Rs.86,824cr for Electronics Manufacturing.

a) 307 b) 320 c) 300 d) 314

Answer: D

Explanation: The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has approved a total of 314 applications with proposed investments of Rs.86,824 crore under a Modified Special Incentive Package Scheme. The incentives of Rs.1,774.47 crore have been disbursed to 114 applicants.

4) World Bank Approves USD _____ Billion Loans to Support India's Health Sector.

a) 1 bn b) 10 bn c) 1.7 bn d) 2 bn

Answer: A

Explanation: The World Bank Board of Executive Directors today approved two complementary loans of \$500 million each to support and enhance India's health sector. The two complementary combined loans of USD 1 billion will be offered to support India's flagship Pradhan Mantri-Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM) which was launched in October 2021, to improve the public healthcare infrastructure across India.

Static Points:

World Bank **President**: David Malpass **Headquarters:** Washington D.C., United States **Motto**: Working for a World Free of Poverty

5) International Day of Parliamentarism is observed on which day?

a) 29th June

b) 2nd July

c) 1st July

d) 30th June

Answer: D

Explanation: The United Nations (UN)'s International Day of Parliamentarism is celebrated on 30 June every year by the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) to recognise the importance of the parliaments in national plans and strategies. The theme was public engagement following the launch of the Global Parliamentary Report 2022.

6) _____ and Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship signed MoU to Facilitate Training in Engineering Trades to boost Capital Goods Sector.

a) Minister of Minority Affairs	_
c) Minister of Parliamentary Affairs	
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b) Ministry of Heavy Industriesd) Minister of Law and Justice

Answer: B

Explanation: The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship and the Ministry of Heavy Industries signed a Memorandum of Understanding to create a collaborative ecosystem for imparting skill development training in the capital goods sector. The partnership is aimed at facilitating training in several engineering trades through Qualification Packs developed by MHI related Sector Skill Councils (like Automotive, Infrastructure, Instrumentation and Capital Goods) under the Scheme for Enhancement of Competitiveness in the Capital Goods Sector Phase II.

Static Points:

Minister of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises: **MahendraNath Pandey Constituency**- Chandauli, Uttar Pradesh

7) Who has been appointed as Attorney General (AG) of India?

a) MukulRohatgi b) KK Venugopal c) Harish Salve d) UdayLalit

Answer: B

Explanation: Shri K.K. Venugopal, Senior Advocate as Attorney General for India with effect from July 1, 2022 for a further period of three months or until further orders, whichever is earlier. His first term as AG ended in 2020, and he was reappointed for one year. In June 2021, his term was again extended by one year until June 30, 2022.

8) According to the Israel-based Startup Blink's 'Global Startup Ecosystem Index (GSEI) 2022, which city has strongest startup ecosystem in India?

a) Hyderabad	b) Pune	c) Bangalore	d) Mumbai

Answer: C

Explanation: According to the Israel-based Startup Blink's 'Global Startup Ecosystem Index (GSEI) 2022', Bengaluru, the capital city of Karnataka, has the "strongest startup ecosystem in India" and ranks 8th among the world's top 10 cities. India is among the top-20 startup ecosystems globally and has been ranked 19th in the country-wise rankings for 2022. In the Asia-Pacific (APAC) region, India is ranked 4th after Singapore, Australia, and China.

9) One Health Pilot Initiative has been launched in which city?



b) Bangalore

c) Mumbai

d) Lucknow

Answer: B

Explanation: The "One Health" pilot project aimed at improving national and State-level resource allocation and policy ecosystem on early prediction, detection, and diagnosis of zoonotic diseases through increased quality, availability, and utility of data evidence, was launched in Bengaluru.

10) India to have ____ new Unicorns startups in 4 Years.

a) 100 b) 122 c) 157 d) 95

Answer: B

Explanation: According to the Hurun Research Institute's 'ASK Private Wealth Hurun India Future Unicorn Index 2022', India will have 122 new unicorns in the next two to four years. Startups like Shiprocket, Zepto, and Turtlemint are at the top of the list of probable unicorns. India's future unicorns are currently worth \$ 49 billion, with an increase of 36 per cent as compared to 2021.

11) On which day National Doctors Day is observed?

a) 29th June b) 2nd July c) 1st July d) 30th June

Answer: C

Explanation: National Doctor's Day to honor the doctors in the country an signifies the contribution of the doctor's humane service for treating the patient's of the country. This day is observed to honor the legendary physician and West Bengal's 2nd Chief Minister, Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy in the remembrance of his birthday.

12) RIMPAC 2022 Officially Kicks off in _____ with 21 Partner Nation Ships.

a) Hawaii b) Alaska c) Florida d) Nevada

Answer: A

Explanation: A total of 21 United States partner nation ships, including one submarine, from 14 countries are now docked at Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Hawaii for the Rim of the Pacific 2022 (RIMPAC 2022). Twenty-six nations, including the United States as the host, are taking part in the exercise scheduled to go through August 4 in and near the Hawaiian Islands and Southern California.

13) UK announces _____ scholarships for Indian students on 75th year of Independence.



Explanation: The United Kingdom government has announced a partnership with leading businesses in India to offer 75 fully funded scholarships for Indian students to study in the UK from September, in celebration of the 75th anniversary of India's independence. Additionally, the British Council in India is offering around 18 scholarships for women.

Static Points: United **Kingdom Capital**: London **Prime minister**: Boris Johnson Currency: Pound Sterling

14) Where was a Honey Testing Laboratory launched by Union Minister Narendra Singh Tomar?

a) Assam

b) Nagaland

c) Uttarakhand

d) Punjab

Answer: B

Explanation: The Union Minister for Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Narendra Singh Tomar, officially inaugurated the Dimapur Honey Testing Laboratory. The honey testing facility will support beekeepers and producers in testing their produced honey. At the North-East Agri Expo, ChumaokedIma, Tomar was attending an event.

15) What is the theme of National Statistics Day 2022?

a) Connecting the world with data c) Data for Sustainable Development

b) Sustainable Development Goal

d) None of the above

Answer: C

Explanation: The theme of National Statistics Day 2022 is 'Data for Sustainable Development'. National Statistics Day is observed in India on June 29 each year. The day aims to raise public awareness of the value of statistics in everyday life as well as in the planning and development process.

02-07-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

1) When was Worl	d UFO Day is observ	ed?	
a) 3rd July	b) 2nd July	c) 1st July	d) 30th June
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every year to create awareness among people about Unidentified Flying Objects (UFO). The main motive behind celebrating World UFO Day is to make people aware of the possible existence of unidentified flying objects. The first-ever World UFO Day was celebrated by the World UFO Day Organization to support UFO enthusiasts.

2) Which country has applied to become a member of group of emerging countries, BRICS?

a) Canada b) Israel c) Iran d) Japan

Answer: C

Explanation: Iran has submitted an application to become a member of the BRICS, an Iranian official said yesterday. Iran, which holds the world's second-largest gas reserves, wants to join the BRICS group of Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa. The BRIC powers had their first summit in 2009 in Russia. South Africa joined in 2010.

3) Which state government has launched 'Kashi Yatra' scheme?

a) Assam b) Karnataka c) Uttar Pradesh d) Punjab

Answer: B

Explanation: Karnataka government has launched the 'Kashi Yatra' scheme. The Kashi Yatra project, which offers a cash assistance of Rs 5,000 to each of the 30,000 pilgrims willing to conduct a pilgrimage to the Kashi Vishwanath Temple in Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh.

Static Points: Karnataka Capital – Bengaluru ; CM – BasavarajBommai ; Governor - Thawar Chand Gehlot

4) Airtel Payments Bank has partnered with which bank to digitize the cash collection system in Tier III?

a) HDFC Bank b)

b) Yes Bank

c) ICICI Bank

d) Axis Bank

Answer: D

Explanation: Airtel Payments Bank will help Axis Bank digitise last-mile cash collections by utilising the broad reach of its digital-led neighbourhood banking concept. This collaboration will aid Axis Bank in streamlining its cash management operations. By doing this, the danger associated with long-distance travel with cash collections by agents will be substantially reduced.

Static Points:

Axis Bank **MD & CEO** - Amitabh Chaudhry Axis Bank **Headquarters -** Mumbai, Maharashtra Axis Bank **Tagline** - BadhtiKaNaamZindagi

5) Which Insurance Company has launched the Global Health Care plan?

- a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance c) HDFC ERGO General Insurance Company
- b) Kotak Mahindra General Insurance d) None of the above

Answer: A

Explanation: Bajaj Allianz General Insurance has launched 'Global Health Care', a comprehensive health indemnity insurance product that provides cover to a policyholder for planned as well as emergency treatment both in India and abroad. The product is available

with two plans - 'Imperial Plan' and 'Imperial Plus Plan' which offer both international and domestic Covers.

6) On which day World Sports Journalists Day is observed?

a) 2nd July b) 3rd July c) 1st July d) 30th June

Answer: A

Explanation: Every year on July 2nd, World Sports Journalist Day is observed globally to recognize the outstanding efforts of the journalists who bring the world of sports closer to its viewers. Sports journalism is a form of reporting that focuses on matters pertaining to any subject or topic related to sports. It is an essential component of every media organization. Sports journalists work on various media platforms including print, broadcast, and the internet.

7) Sandeep Kumar Gupta has been picked to head India's largest gas utility

a) ONGC b) GAIL c) SAIL d) BHEL

Answer: B

Explanation: Sandeep Kumar Gupta, Director for Finance at Indian Oil Corporation, has been picked to head India's largest gas utility GAIL (India) Ltd. He will replace Manoj Jain, who is scheduled to retire on August 31. The PESB recommendation will be vetted by the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) headed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, after the go-ahead of anti-corruption bodies such as the CVC and CBI.

8) According to RBI data, credit card spending has crossed _____ in May.

a) Rs.1.03 lakh crore	b) Rs.1.13 lakh crore
c) Rs.1.31 lakh crore	d) Rs.1.30 lakh crore

Answer: B

Explanation: Credit card spending has crossed Rs 1.13 lakh crore in May compared to Rs 1.05 lakh crore in the previous month according to official data. The month-on-month rise in spending through cards indicates a pick-up in economic activity. The latest data from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) showed that 7.68 crore credit card holders spent about Rs 71,429 crore for buying online, while the amount was spent through swipes at Point of Sale (PoS) machines stood at Rs 42,266 crore in May.

9) PSLV C53 has three satellites from which country?

a) Japan b) China c) South Korea d) Singapore

Answer: D

Explanation: PSLV-C53 took off from Sriharikota at and injected the three satellites into precise orbits around 18 minutes later. The Indian Space Research Organisation (Isro) successfully launched three Singaporean satellites in a commercial mission of the New Space India Limited. This was the second launch of the year by the space agency, the first one having placed an Indian Earth Observation Satellite in orbit in February.

10) International Day of Cooperatives is observed on?

a) 2nd July b) 3rd July c) 1st July d) 30th June

Answer: A

Explanation: International Day of Cooperatives is marked annually on the first Saturday of July. This year, the day will be observed on 2 July to highlight the contributions of the cooperative movement. The aim of this celebration is to increase awareness about cooperatives by highlighting how the United Nations shares similar goals and objectives.

11) Who has sworn in as the new Chief Minister of Maharashtra?

a) Sunil Prabhu b) Bhagat Singh c) EknathShinde d) Raj Thackeray

Answer: C

Explanation: Shiv Sena rebel leader EknathShinde sworn in as Maharashtra CM while BJP leader DevendraFadnavis sworn in as the Deputy Chief Minister. Maharashtra Governor Bhagat Singh Koshyari administered the oath of office and secrecy to the leaders. This was preceded by the resignation of the former CM UddhavThakarey amidst an internal party rebellion.

12) Which is the only authorised institution in India to issue 'Electoral bonds'?

c) SBI

a) CBDT

b) RBI

d) NITI Aayog

Answer: C

Explanation: SBI is the only authorised bank to issue electoral bonds. An electoral bond will be valid for 15 days from the date of issue. No payment would be made to any political party, if the bond is deposited after expiry of the validity period. Electoral bonds can be purchased by Indian citizens or entities incorporated or established in the country. Registered political parties that have secured not less than 1 per cent of the votes.

13) Which state CM opens world's biggest innovation campus T-Hub 2.0?

a) Karnataka	b) Telangana	c) Uttar Pradesh	d) Maharashtra
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Answer: B

Explanation: Telangana Chief Minister K Chandrashekar Rao has inaugurated T-Hub 2.0, the world's biggest innovation campus, with an aim "to incubate the next generation of start-ups" that could become as strong pillars of the country's economy. The Chief Minister later feliciated 21 unicorns with an aggregate valuation of \$50 billion.

14) How many Investments Proposals approved by government of Rs.86,824cr for Electronics Manufacturing.

a) 314 b) 300 c) 327 d) 348

Answer: A

Explanation: The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has approved a total of 314 applications with proposed investments of Rs.86,824 crore under a Modified Special Incentive Package Scheme. The incentives of Rs.1,774.47 crore have been disbursed to 114 applicants.

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