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1. NASA's high-resolution air quality monitoring instrument "TEMPO" launched



ISRO successfully conducted the Reusable Launch Vehicle Autonomous Landing Mission (RLV LEX). The test was conducted at the Aeronautical Test Range (ATR), Chitradurga, Karnataka. The RLV LEX test was the second of five tests that are a part of ISRO's efforts to develop RLVs, or space planes/shuttles. It can travel to low Earth orbits to install a payload and return to Earth to use the vehicle again. The RLV flew as an underslung load by a Chinook helicopter of the Indian Air Force and flew to an altitude of 4.5 km (above MSL). ISRO had demonstrated the re-entry of its winged vehicle RLV-TD in the HEX mission in May 2016. The re-entry of a hypersonic sub-orbital vehicle marked a major milestone in developing reusable launch vehicles.

2. Indian Navy conducts Offshore Security Exercise 'Prasthan' in Mumbai



The Indian Navy, other defence, state and civilian agencies conducted a coordinated exercise named "Prasthan". It was conducted in the Offshore Development Area of Mumbai, Maharashtra. The exercise is conducted every six months to validate measures and procedures to address contingencies that may occur in oil production platforms. The exercise involved countering contingencies like oil platform fire, overboard, oil spill in the area, helicopter emergency, hazardous gas leak, assisting a disabled vessel in the offshore area and medical evacuation of platform crew. Several ships and helicopters from Indian Navy, Indian Air Force, Indian Coast Guard, ONGC and Directorate General of Shipping were deployed for the exercise.

3. Bharat Biotech honored at World Vaccine Congress 2023



World Vaccine Congress 2023 Bharat Biotech was awarded the Best Production/Process Development Award as a part of the Vaccine Industry Excellence (ViE) Awards. Hyderabad-headquartered Bharat Biotech was the only Indian company among the ViE Award nominees in broad categories, such as best clinical trial company, best clinical trial network, best central/specialty laboratory, best contract research organization and best production/ process development etc. which is used in India's public immunization program and has also been exported. It brings together experts from all over the world to share their knowledge and expertise in vaccine development. This conference has been particularly important in dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic

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4. Five handicraft products of Madhya Pradesh got GI Tag



The way has been cleared for Madhya Pradesh's craft to be recognized in the world. The stone craft of famous tourist destination Bhedaghat has got the tag of GI. Ministry of Commerce, Industry Promotion and Internal Trade has given 6 handicraft products of the state, Gond painting of Dindori, Carpet of Gwalior, Batik print of Ujjain, Stone craft of Bhedaghat, Varasivni of Balaghat. Sundarja mangoes of Sari and Rewa have been given GI tag. Chief Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan has expressed happiness over the success. He wrote in tweeting, "The stone craft of Jabalpur's Bhedaghat, with its fine carvings and unique craftsmanship, has its own identity in the world. GI tagging of stone craft is a matter of pleasure for us. At present, the artists get very low prices. After getting the GI tag, the price of handicrafts will increase.

5. Dalai Lama names US-born Mongolian boy as 10th Khalkha Jetsun Dhampa



A Mongolian boy born in the United States has been named by the Dalai Lama as the 10th Khalkha Jetsun

Dhampa Rinpoche, the third highest rank in Tibetan Buddhism. The Dalai Lama with an eight-year-old boy in a ceremony where Buddhist leaders live in exile. The move to anoint the boy as the third-highest lama is likely to anger China, which says it will only recognize Buddhist leaders chosen by its government. The eight-year-old has a twin brother and is the son of a university professor and the grandson of a former Mongolian member of parliament.

6. David Warner becomes the fastest batsman to score 6000 runs in IPL



David Warner has created history in the 11th match of IPL 2023 being played between Delhi Capitals and Rajasthan Royals. Delhi Capitals (DC) captain Warner has become only the third overall and the first overseas cricketer in IPL history to cross the 6000-run mark. Australian opener David Warner, who made his IPL debut in 2009, achieved this feat in his 165th match of the league. AB de Villiers' name is in the list of foreign players who have scored the most runs after Warner in IPL. He scored a total of 5162 runs in the T20 league. At the same time, West Indies' explosive batsman Chris Gayle is at number three, who has scored 4965 runs.

7. A record jump of Rs 50,000 crore in the balance of PM Jan Dhan Yojana

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The Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) scheme has achieved a significant milestone on March 31, 2023, the financial year. A record Rs 50,000 crore has been added to basic bank accounts under the scheme, taking the total balance to Rs 1.99 lakh crore, up from Rs 1.49 lakh crore in the previous financial year. Apart from this, 5 crore new accounts have been added under the scheme, taking the total number of beneficiaries to 48.65 crore. The growth momentum of Jan Dhan Yojana has been significant in the last five years, with almost a quarter of the current balance coming in the financial year 2022-23. Under the Jan Dhan Yojana, an inbuilt accident insurance cover of ₹1 lakh with RuPay card The cardholder is valid for 90 days after one successful transaction at a merchant establishment, ATM or e-commerce platform.

8. Aam Aadmi Party got the status of national party



Monday, April 10, brought happiness for Delhi Chief Minister and Aam Aadmi Party convenor Arvind Kejriwal. His party has got great success. The Election Commission has recognized AAP as a national party. If we talk about nationally recognized parties in the country, then a total of 6 parties have got the status of national party. It includes the Bharatiya Janata Party

(BJP), the Indian National Congress (INC), the Communist Party of India (Marxist) ie CPIM, the Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP), the National People's Party (NPP) and now the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP). Has been.

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Which player has made the record of taking most hat-tricks in T20 cricket - **Rashid Khan**

Which Indian has won the title of World Chess Armageddon Asia and Oceania event - **D Gukesh**

Which Indian-American mathematician has been awarded the 2023 International Prize in Statistics - **C. Radhakrishna Rao**

Who has launched the International Big Cats Alliance – **PM Narendra Modi**

Which state has topped the GI tag list in FY 2022-23 - **Kerala**

Which membership did five Indian cricketers including MS Dhoni , Yuvraj Singh get - **Honorary MCC Life**

Who became the world 's richest sports owner as per Forbes list 2023 - **Mumbai Indians owner Mukesh Ambani**

Which state got GI tag for wood carving – **Ladakh**

QUIZ

1. Which Indian - American mathematician has been awarded the 2023 International Prize in Statistics ? _

(a) P.C. Mahalanobis

(b) **c . Radhakrishna Rao**

(c) Harish Chandra

(d) D. R. Kaprekar

EXPLANATION -: Renowned Indian-American mathematician and statistician, Kalyampudi Radhakrishna Rao has been awarded the 2023 International Prize in Statistics. This award is considered as the Nobel Prize in the field of Mathematics. This award has been given for the important contribution made by Rao in the field of mathematics (statistics).

2. Which has become the first American state to condemn Hinduphobia recently ? _

(A) New York

(B) Serbia

(**C**) Georgia

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(D)

EXPLANATION -: Georgia recently became the first US state to pass a resolution condemning 'Hinduphobia'. According to the Associated Press, the resolution was introduced by Forsyth County Representatives Lauren McDonald and Todd Jones. Hinduism is the oldest religion in the world, which includes various traditions and belief systems with values of acceptance, mutual respect and peace.

3. Recently appointed expert member of 'ART and Surrogacy Board' ?

- (A) Ashish Mittal
- (B) Amitabh Agnihotri
- (C) Dr. R G Patel**
- (D) CV Seth

EXPLANATION -: Recently 'Dr RG Patel' has been appointed as an expert member of the 'Art of Surrogacy Board'. Recently 'Neeraj Nigam' has been appointed as the new Executive Director of Reserve Bank of India (RBI).

4. Recently which state government has approved the proposal to set up three new medical colleges ? _____

- (A) Rajasthan**
- (B) Andhra Pradesh
- (C) Tamil Nadu
- (D) Uttar Pradesh

EXPLANATION -: New medical colleges will be established in three districts of Rajasthan. Its proposal has been approved by CM Ashok Gehlot. These three colleges will be constructed at a cost of Rs 250 crore.

5. Recently in 'March 2023' GST revenue collection has increased by what percent to Rs 1.60 lakh crore?

- (A) 6.8%
- (B) 13%**
- (C) 9.2%
- (D) 14.2%

EXPLANATION -: GST revenue collection increased by 13% to Rs 1.60 lakh crore in March 2023 Goods and Services Tax (GST) revenue collection for March 2023 increased by 13% to Rs 1.60 lakh crore, according to data released by the Finance Ministry Is.

6. Where has Bank of Maharashtra inaugurated its first branch backed by startups recently?

- (A) Mumbai
- (B) Vadodara
- (C) Pune**
- (D) Ranchi

EXPLANATION -: Bank of Maharashtra inaugurates its first dedicated branch for start-ups in Pune

7. Recently who has become the fastest Indian to take 50 wickets in IPL history?

- (A) Ravi Vishnoi
- (B) Khalil Ahmed**
- (C) Umran Malik
- (D) Bhuvaneshwar Kumar

EXPLANATION -: He took two victims in the form of Marcus Stoinis and Nicholas Pooran during this period. With these two wickets, Khaleel Ahmed created history and became the fastest Indian bowler to complete 50 wickets in IPL.

8. Recently which country's biotech has won the award in the World Vaccine Congress 2023?

- (A) India**
- (B) France**
- (C) China
- (D) America

EXPLANATION -: Bharat Biotech has been awarded the Best Production/Process Development Award as a part of the Vaccine Industry Excellence (ViE) Awards at the World Vaccine Congress 2023, held in Washington, USA from 3rd to 6th April.