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Which team has won the 3rd edition of SAFF U-18 Women's Football Championship? A) India

B) Malaysia

C) Bangladesh

D) South Korea

Name the winner of the Stockholm Water Prize for 2022? A) George Pinder B) Ignacio Rodriguez C) Andrea Rinaldo D) Wilfried Brutsaert

Which organization has issued the \$150 million Wildlife Conservation Bond (WCB), also known as "Rhino Bond", to support South Africa's efforts to conserve endangered species of Black Rhino?

(a) Amnesty International

(b) International Monetary fund

<mark>(c) World bank</mark>

(d) International Monetary fund

Who has been appointed as the Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of Maruti Suzuki for a period of three years?

(a) Takuya Tsumura

(b) Eishin Chihana

- (c) Kenichi Ayukawa
- <mark>(d) Hisashi Takeuchi</mark>

Name the Secretary-General of North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) who has got extension till 2023.

(a) Martin Scorsese

(b) Jens Stoltenberg

(c) Alexander Schellenberg

in 2022.

(d) Jonas Gahr Store

Which Indian Naval Ship has been awarded the prestigious President's Colour by President Ram Nath Kovind?

(a) INS Vikrant

(b) INS Tushil

(c) INS Valsura

(d) INS Kalinga

UN Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) has projected India's GDP growth at

<mark>(a) 4.6%</mark> (b) 5.3%

(c) 6.0%

(d) 7.5%

RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das has inaugurated the Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH) in Bengaluru, which was established with a Rs 100 crore initial capital contribution to foster and nurture financial innovation. Who is the first Chairman of RBIH?

(a) Rajesh Bansal

(b) Kris Gopalakrishna

(c) Michael D Patra

(d) Mahesh Kumar Jain

Which airport has been adjudged as the 'Best Airport' under the General Category at Wings India 2022?

A) Rajiv Gandhi International Airport

B) Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport

C) Kempegowda International Airport

D) Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose International Airport

What is the theme of World Theatre Day in the year 2022?

A) Theatre and a Culture of Peace

B) Tales of Theatre

C) Theatre of Nations

D) Theatre and Drama in Education

Indian Army recently undertook rapid response exercise near the Siliguri Corridor, which is a strategically important region. The region do not have a boundary with which of these countries?

A) Nepal

B) Bangladesh

<mark>C) Pakistan</mark>

D) Bhutan

Which state has retained the top position in the 2nd edition of NITI Aayog's Export Preparedness Index 2021?

(a) Karnataka

<mark>(b) Gujarat</mark>

(c) Odisha

(d) Kerala

Which day will be celebrated as National Dolphin Day from 2022?

(a) 4 October

<mark>(b) 5 October</mark>

(c) 6 October

(d) 7 October

Which Union Territories has topped the Export Preparedness Index (EPI) 2021?

<mark>(a) Delhi</mark>

(b) Chandigarh

(c) Jammu and Kashmir

(d) Puducheery

Indian shuttler HS Prannoy lost to which player to settle for silver in men's single title at the 2022 Swiss Open Super 300 badminton tournament?
A) Anthony Ginting
B) Fajar Alfian
C) Shesar Rhustavito
D) Jonatan Christie

Which Indian company has become an official sponsor for the upcoming 2022 FIFA World Cup in Qatar?

(a) Dream 11

(b) Tata Group

(c) Jio

<mark>(d) Byju's</mark>

Which airport in India has been awarded with the 'Covid champion' award at Wings India 2022?

A) Surat International Airport

B) Cochin International Airport

C) Chennai International Airport

D) Goa International Airport

As per recent Government data, which state has the highest number of ODF plus villages in the country, as of 2022?

[A] Tamil Nadu

[B] Telangana

[C] Gujarat

[D] Maharashtra

'Rashtriya Sanskriti Mahotsav 2022' was inaugurated in which Indian state/UT?

[A] Rajasthan

[B] Andhra Pradesh

[C] Gujarat

[D] Uttar Pradesh

Which airport has won 'Covid Champion' award at Wings India 2022?

(a) Indira Gandhi International Airport, New Delhi

(b) Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai

(c) Cochin International Airport, Cochin

(d) Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru

Which Naval Command of Indian Navy has conducted offshore security exercise 'Prasthan' off the Mumbai coast?

(a) Western Naval Command

(b) Southern Naval Command

(c) Northern Naval Command

(d) Eastern Naval Command

The Ishan Manthan festival, to showcase culture, crafts and cuisines of North-East India, has been organised in which city?

(a) Chennai

<mark>(b) New Delhi</mark>

(c) Guwahati

(d) Surat

The Centre has extended Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PM-GKAY) to _____

(a) September 2022

- (b) December 2022
- (c) June 2023
- (d) December 2023

The first-ever road project, made out of waste steel has come up in which city of India? A) Surat

- B) Gurugram
- C) Hyderabad
- D) Jamshedpur

Which Indian city is ranked as the second noisiest city in the world?

- a) New Delhi
- b) Kolkata
- <mark>c) Moradabad</mark>
- d) Asansol

What is the name of the web portal launched as a volunteer-driven initiative to bring together "inspiring" stories related to Prime Minister Narendra Modi?

(a) Modi Story

- (b) Modi Corner
- (c) Modi Life
- (d) Modi World

Who has inaugurated the ten-day mega Red Fort Festival, 'Bharat Bhagya Vidhata' at Red Fort in Delhi?

- (a) Rajnath Singh
- (b) Narendra Modi
- (c) Amit Shah
- <mark>(d) Smriti Irani</mark>

Which airline's flight collided with an electric pole at the Delhi airport earlier on March 28th? a) Air India

- b) SpiceJet
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- c) Vistara
- d) Indigo

The foundation stone to set up a Learning and Development Centre (LDC) of BRBNMPL has been laid at which place?

- A) Kochi
- B) Bhopal
- <mark>C) Mysuru</mark>
- D) Belagavi

Which football team has won the South Asian Football Federation U-18 Women's Football Championship title 2022 held at Jamshedpur in Jharkhand? (a) Nepal

(b) Myanmar

<mark>(c) India</mark>

(d) Sri Lanka

Who among the following has won the Women's Singles title at Swiss Open Badminton 2022? (a) Saina Nehwal

(b) PV Sindhu

- (c) Sania Mirza
- (d) N. Sikki Reddy

Pramod Sawant has been sworn in as the Chief Minister of Goa for second term after winning 20 seats in the 2022 state Assembly elections. What was the total number of seats in 2022 Goa Assembly Election?

A) 60

B) 30

C) 50

<mark>D) 40</mark>

Which country has hosted the 5th edition of the BIMSTEC Summit?

- (a) Nepal
- (b) Myanmar
- (c) India

<mark>(d) Sri Lanka</mark>

Multiplex companies INOX Leisure Ltd and PVR Ltd have announced the merger of their two companies. Who has been appointed as the MD of the merged entity PVR INOX Ltd?

- (a) Kris Gopalakrishnan
- (b) Pavan Kumar Jain

<mark>(c) Ajay Bijli</mark>

(d) Sanjeev Kumar

Balikatan 2022 is a military drill of the US army with which country?

- A) Japan
- B) Philippines
- C) France
- D) South Korea

Which player has won the Formula One 2022 Saudi Arabian Grand Prix?

A) Max Verstappen

B) Lewis Hamilton

C) Charles Leclerc

D) Carlos Sainz Jr.

United States military has held the largest-ever military drill, 'Balikatan 2022' with the military of which country?

(a) Indonesia

(b) Switzerland

(c) Malaysia

(d) Philippines

Who has been featured as the world's richest self-made billionaire aged 40 and under as per Hurun report for 2022?

A) Zhang Yiming

B) Mark Zuckerberg

C) Dustin Moskovitz

D) Sam Bankman-Fried

Shashi Sinha has been named as the new Chairman of Broadcast Audience Research Council (BARC India). He will replace whom?

A) Partho Dasgupta

<mark>B) Punit Goenka</mark>

C) Sunil Lulla

D) Nakul Chopra

Which multiplex chain has been merged with PVR Ltd to form a new combined entity?

A) Carnival Cinemas

B) CineMAX

C) Big Cinemas

D) INOX Leisure

According to the Annual Frontier Report, 2022 published by United Nations Environment Programme, which city is the second noisiest city in the world?

(a) Dhaka (Bangladesh)

<mark>(b) Moradabad (India)</mark>

(c) Islamabad (Pakistan)

(d) Rajshahi (Bangladesh)

Which district won the Best District award in the North Zone in the 3rd National Water Awards? a) Shahid Bhagat Singh Nagar

<mark>b) Muzaffarnagar</mark>

c) Vadodara

d) Indore

Robert Abela has been re-elected as the Prime Minister of which country for a second term?

(a) San Marino

(b) Estonia

(c) Monaco

<mark>(d) Malta</mark>

Who has won the Formula One 2022 Saudi Arabian Grand Prix at Jeddah Corniche Circuit, Saudi Arabia?

(a) Sebastian Vettel

(b) Max Verstappen

(c) Charles Leclerc

(d) Lewis Hamilton

RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das has set up the Ink Manufacturing Unit named, "Varnika" under Bharatiya Reserve Bank Note Mudran Private Limited (BRBNMPL) in Mysuru, Karnataka.

- (a) Salboni
- (b) Nasik
- (c) Devas

<mark>(d) Mysuru</mark>

Pramod Sawant took oath as Goa's Chief Minister for the second time. Name the Governor of Goa who administered him the oath of office and secrecy.

(a) PS Sreedharan Pillai

- (b) Bandaru Dattatreya
- (c) Satyadev Narayan Arya
- (d) V. P. Singh Badnore

Who among the following has won TIME100 Impact Award for contribution to mental health awareness?

- (a) Priyanka Chopra
- (b) Sushmita Sen
- (c) Anushka Sharma
- (d) Deepika Padukone

Which country has qualified for its first FIFA World Cup in 36 years?

a) Luxembourg

<mark>b) Canada</mark>

- c) Finland
- d) Guatemala

Who has become the third woman to win an Oscar for Best Director for Netflix's 'The Power of the Dog'?

- a) Patty Jenkins
- b) Ava DuVernay
- c) Sofia Coppola
- d) Jane Campion

Which film has won the Best Picture award at the 94th Academy Awards? (a) CODA

- (b) Belfast
- (c) The Power of the Dog
- (d) King Richard

Who has been elected as the new Director-General of the International Labour Organization (ILO) to replace incumbent Guy Ryder?

A) Gilbert Houngbo

B) Muriel Pénicaud

C) Kanayo Nwanze

D) Kang Kyung-wha

Which state has topped under the Best State category at the third National Water Awards? <mark>A) Uttar Pradesh</mark>

B) Madhya Pradesh C) Karnataka D) Gujarat

Who among the following has been re-elected as the president of Badminton Association of India (BAI)?

(a) Pullela Gopichand

(b) Sanjay Mishra

(c) Himanta Biswa Sarma

(d) Arun Lakhani

Vice President Venkaiah Naidu released a book titled 'SpoorthiPradatha Sri Somayya', on the life of noted social worker, late Shri Somepalli Somaiah. He was from which state? A) Tamil Nadu

A) Tamii Nadi

B) Odisha

C) West Bengal D) Andhra Pradesh

How many National Water Awards for the year 2022 have been presented by President Ramnath Kovind?

(a) 44

<mark>(b) 57</mark>

(c) 51

(d) 35

A museum dedicated to all former Prime Ministers, Pradhan Mantri Sangrahalaya has been built in which of the following city?

(a) Bengaluru

(b) Mumbai

(c) Hyderabad

<mark>(d) Delhi</mark>

Who has been re-elected as the President of Badminton Association of India (BAI) for four years from 2022-2026?

(a) Jyotiraditya Scindia

(b) Kiren Rijiju

<mark>(c) Himanta Biswa</mark>

(d) Tarun Gogoi

Which state's 'Jingkieng Jri or Living Root Bridge' has been included in UNESCO's tentative list of World Heritage Sites?

(a) Meghalaya

(b) Mizoram

(c) Tripura

(d) Assam

Ratings agency ICRA has projected India's GDP growth at _____ in FY23.

(a) 7.2%

(b) 8.0%

(c) 8.5%

(d) 9.0%

Indian Union Minister Piyush Goyal has recently inaugurated an Indian Jewellery Exposition Centre (IJEX) building in which city?

<mark>(a) Dubai</mark>

- (b) Kathmandu
- (c) Mumbai
- (d) London

What is the rank of India in the Hurun Global Forty and Under Self-Made Billionaires 2022? (a) 1st

- (b) 2nd
- (c) 3rd
- <mark>(d) 4th</mark>

'Jal Shakti Abhiyan: Catch the Rain' campaign was first launched in which year?

[A] 2017

[B] 2019

[C] 2021

[D] 2022

Which of the following state has won the best state award at the 3rd National Water Awards 2022?

- (a) Gujarat
- (b) Karnataka
- (c) Tamil Nadu
- (d) Uttar Pradesh

Who has been named the new CEO of FedEx, the world's largest courier service corporation? (a) Leena Nair

(b) Raj Subramaniam (c) Arvind Krishna

- (d) Parag Agrawal