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Current Affairs

English

Q:1 Who among the following has been named as captain of ICC Men's T20I team of the year?

1. Rohit Sharma
2. Pat Cummins
3. Virat Kohli
4. Suryakumar Yadav

Q:2 Recent survey conducted by Kerala Forest and Wildlife Department in collaboration with Travancore Natural History Society records 11 new species in _____.

1. Mudumalai Tiger Reserve
2. Anamalai Tiger Reserve
3. Bandipur Tiger Reserve
4. Parambikulam Tiger Reserve

Q:3 A Team of Researchers from the Thackeray Wildlife Foundation (TWF) have discovered 5 new species of reptile and named the Genus as _____.

1. Dravidoseps
2. Subdoluseps
3. Deityoseps
4. Helinacucep

Q:4 Name India's first indigenously developed Hepatitis A vaccine that was recently launched in Hyderabad.

1. HAVISURE
2. HEALTHKART
3. HEALTHISURE
4. HEALTHSURE

Q:5 Name the Programme launched by MNRE to bolster domestic electrolyser manufacturing and green Hydrogen production.

1. SAKI
2. SIGHT
3. SILVI
4. SHIVALIK

Q:6 Which among the following Ramsar Site also known as the largest freshwater Lake in India witnessed more than four lakh migratory birds this winter?

1. Chilika Lake
2. Wular Lake
3. Renuka Wetland
4. Sunderland Wetland

Q:7 Who is the author the book "Assam's Braveheart Lachit Barphukan" recently released by Home Minister Amit Shah?

1. Arup Kumar Dutta
2. Amitabh Ghosh
3. Shruti Nayar
4. Kemplong Junior

Q:8 Name the Initiative under which the Ministry of Culture will showcase 1900 Sarees, weaves and drapes at Kartavya Path during the Republic day Parade.

1. Ananda Sutra
2. Vaidehi Sutra
3. Kalpana Sutra
4. Yajur Sutra

Q:9 The Ram Mandir Trust of Ayodhya has invited representatives from over 50 nations to attend the Pran Pratishtha Ceremony at Ayodhya that took place on January 22, 2024 including ____ descendent of royal lineage of Queen Heo also known as Suriratna who was an Ayodhya Princess.

1. Kim Chil Su
2. Kim Yong Van
3. Huian sang Su
4. Kim Fa Su

Q:10 Who among the following released the report titled "Right Teacher for Every Child: State of Teachers, Teaching and Teacher Education Report 2023"?

1. TISS
2. LU
3. DU
4. IGNOU



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Answer Key

1. (4)	2. (4)	3. (1)	4. (1)	5. (2)
6. (2)	7. (1)	8. (1)	9. (1)	10. (1)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Suryakumar Yadav**.

India's star T20I player from Mumbai Suryakumar Yadav has been named as the captain of ICC Men's T20I team of the year. The ICC T20I team of the year included three more Indians namely Yashasvi Jaiswal, Ravi Bishnoi and Arshdeep Singh.

Q:2 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Parambikulam Tiger Reserve**.

Recent survey conducted by Kerala Forest and Wildlife Department in collaboration with Travancore Natural History Society records 11 new species in Parambikulam Tiger Reserve. The Parambikulam Tiger Reserve is located in Western Ghats Mountains in Palakkad district of Kerala. The 11 New species includes three birds, four Butterflies and four odonates.

Q:3 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Dravidoseps**.

A Team of Researchers from the Thackeray Wildlife Foundation (TWF) have discovered 5 new species of reptile and named the Genus as Dravidoseps which is a combination of Sanskrit words "Dravid" and "Seps". The first ever viviparous Skink Genus have been found in the Forests of Tamil Nadu, Goa and Maharashtra.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **HAVISURE**.

India's first indigenously developed Hepatitis A vaccine "HAVISURE" was recently launched in Hyderabad. The Vaccine has been developed by the Indian Immunologicals Ltd (IIL) which is a wholly owned Subsidiary of National Dairy Development Board (NDDB). It is a two dose Vaccine and is given in a gap of 6 months to children above 12 months of age.

Q:5 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **SIGHT**.

The Union Ministry of New and Renewable Energy sets aside 17,490 crore for Strategic Interventions for Green Hydrogen Transition (SIGHT) programme. The Programme is aimed at bolstering domestic electrolyser manufacturing and green Hydrogen production. The

SIGHT programme is a Subcomponent of National Green Hydrogen Mission.

Q:6 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Wular Lake**.

The Wular Conservation and Management Authority announced that more than four lakh migratory birds have arrived at Wular Lake this winter. Seven rare species namely Falcated Duck, Long tailed Duck, Horned Grebe, Western Reef Heron, Smew Duck, Pacific Golden Plover and Broad billed Sandpiper were sighted at Wular Lake. It is the largest freshwater Lake in India and designated as a Ramsar Site in 1990.

Q:7 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Arup Kumar Dutta**.

The Union Minister of Home Affairs Shri Amit Shah released the book titled "Assam's Braveheart Lachit Barphukan" in Guwahati, Assam. The Book is authored by Arup Kumar Dutta. The book showcases chronicles of historical events of Assam and heroic sacrifices of Freedom Fighter of Assam Lachit Barphukan.

Q:8 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Ananda Sutra**.

The Ministry of Culture will showcase "Anand Sutra- The Endless Thread" textile Installation at Kartavya Path on Republic Day celebration. The event will showcase nearly 1900 sarees and drapes from every corner of the country. Anand Sutra is a stunning initiative of the Ministry of Culture to showcase Saree, weaves and drapes.

Q:9 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Kim Chil Su**.

The Ram Mandir Trust (RMT) of Ayodhya has invited representatives from over 50 nations to attend the Pran Pratishtha Ceremony at Ayodhya that took place on January 22, 2024. The invitation honoured the symbolic ancient connection between India and Korea by inviting Kim Chil su, descendent of royal lineage of Queen Heo also known as Suriratna who was an Ayodhya Princess.

Q:10 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **TISS**.

A report titled "Right Teacher for Every Child: State of Teachers, Teaching and Teacher Education Report 2023" was released by the Centre of Excellence in Teacher Education (CETE) at Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS). The report stated that 41% of Maths teachers in both Government and Private schools lack expertise in the subject. The data of the report draws from research conducted in eight states across India.