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1. First ever Global Women's Kabaddi League to begin in Haryana

The first global women's kabaddi league, officially called the Global Overseas Women's Kabaddi League, is set to begin in Haryana next month. Women players from over 15 countries will participate in the league, which will see the performance of teams like England, Poland, Argentina, Canada, and Italy. The main objective of the event is to promote kabaddi internationally and strengthen efforts to include it in the Olympic Games.



2. Bihar government made registration of temples, monasteries and trusts mandatory.

The Bihar government has made registration mandatory for all temples, monasteries and trusts in the state, and has instructed to upload the details of their immovable properties on the website of Bihar State Religious Trust Board (BSBRT). District magistrates have been given the responsibility of this task. Under the Bihar Hindu Religious Trust Act 1950, it is mandatory for all public temples, monasteries, trusts and dharamshalas to be registered with BSBRT.



3. Indian Railways and NCRTC launch 'One India-One Ticket' initiative

The National Capital Region Transport Corporation (NCRTC) has tied up with Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation Limited (IRCTC) to facilitate travel on the Delhi-Ghaziabad-Meerut Regional Rapid Transit System (RRTS) corridor. Under this agreement, passengers will now be able to book tickets for Namo Bharat trains on IRCTC website and app through the 'One India-One Ticket' initiative.



4. Rana A.K. Singh takes charge as MD of SBI

Rana Ashutosh Kumar Singh has taken charge as Managing Director (MD) in charge of Risk Compliance and Stressed Asset Resolution Group (SARG) departments of State Bank of India (SBI). His appointment has been approved by the government. Singh replaces Gajendra Singh Rana, who was the former chief general manager of the Mumbai circle and was currently serving as deputy managing director (DMD) of retail and real estate at SBI.



5. PB-BCL sign historic deal to promote cricket.

The Big Cricket League (BCL), a franchise-based T20 event that will give aspiring local players a chance to play alongside their cricket heroes, has signed a historic long-term deal with national broadcaster Prasar Bharati. The inaugural edition of the BCL will be held in Lucknow in September this year. The league will be telecast live on DD Sports, and Prasar Bharati will also promote the league on its network. The first season of the BCL will air internationally in over 30 countries. It will feature six teams:



6. Shri Sandeep Poundrik took over as Secretary, Ministry of Steel.

Shri Sandeep Poundrik has taken over as Secretary, Ministry of Steel at Udyog Bhawan. He is a 1993 batch IAS officer of Bihar cadre. Prior to this, Shri Poundrik was serving as Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Industries, Government of Bihar and also held additional charge of several other important posts.



7. NHA and MUHS sign MoU to provide digital health education and support Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission.

The National Health Authority (NHA) and Maharashtra University of Health Sciences (MUHS) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) in the presence of Union Health Minister J.P. Nadda in New Delhi today. Under this agreement, MUHS will deliver its Digital Health Foundation Course to NHA as well as co-develop additional digital health programs.



8. Independence Day 2024 I

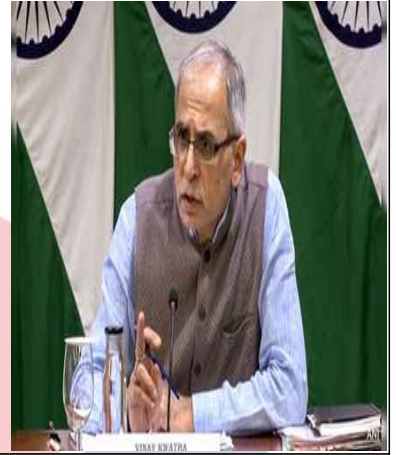
With the arrival of Independence Day 2024, students across India are being encouraged to write essays on this important day. This day, celebrated on 15th August, marks India's attainment of independence from British rule, when leaders like Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru and Subhash Chandra Bose led the struggle. This day is an opportunity to remember the sacrifices of the freedom fighters and understand the duties as a responsible citizen.



1. Who has recently taken charge as India's new ambassador to the United States?

- A - Taranjit Singh Sandhu B - Vinay Mohan Kwatra
C - Harsh Vardhan Shringla D - Alok Srivastava

Vinay Mohan Kwatra took charge as India's ambassador to the US in Washington. Kwatra, who retired as India's foreign secretary on July 14 and has previously served as commerce minister and India's ambassador to France and Nepal, took charge as India's ambassador to the US. He wrote on X that it is an honor for him and his team will continue to work to strengthen the India-US partnership.



2. Who has recently taken charge as Managing Director in charge of Risk Compliance and Stressed Asset Resolution Group (SARG) in State Bank of India (SBI)?

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C - Rana Ashutosh Kumar Singh D - CS Setty

Rana Ashutosh Kumar Singh has taken charge as the Managing Director (MD) of Risk Compliance and Stressed Asset Resolution Group (SARG) departments of State Bank of India (SBI). His appointment has been approved by the government and the promotion has also been authorised by the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC).



3. Who has been announced as the ICC Players of the Month for July 2024?

- A - Virat Kohli (Men) and Smriti Mandhana (Women) B - Gus Atkinson (Men) and Chamari Atapattu (Women)
C - Babar Azam (Men) and Ellyse Perry (Women) D - Ben Stokes (Men) and Sophie Ecclestone (Women)

The International Cricket Council (ICC) has announced the Player of the Month awards for July. England fast bowler Gus Atkinson was named the ICC Men's Player of the Month for his outstanding performance in the Test series against the West Indies.



4. Tom Daley has recently retired from diving after the 2024 Paris Olympics. He is from which country?

- A - United States B - Australia
C - Great Britain D - Canada

Britain's leading diver Tom Daley has declared the Paris Olympics as the last games of his career. Daley, 30, has won five medals in five games and won a silver medal in the synchronized 10m platform event in Paris. He made his Olympic debut in Beijing in 2008 and performed brilliantly at London 2012, Rio 2016, and Tokyo 2020, notably winning a gold medal in Tokyo.





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5. The “Excellent” 3-star rating is awarded by the Capacity Building Commission (CBC) to institutions for promoting and facilitating which sector?

- A - Sustainable Agriculture B - Information Technology
C - Green Energy D - MSME

The National Institute for MSME (NI-MSME), under the Ministry of MSME, Government of India has received an ‘Excellent’ grading with 3 star rating on successfully completing the National Standards for Civil Services Training Institutions (NSCSTI) process for excellence in development of micro, small and medium enterprises.



6. In which state of India will the first Global Overseas Women's Kabaddi League (GPKL) be launched in September 2024?

- A - Punjab B - Maharashtra
C - Haryana D - Uttar Pradesh

The first Global Women's Kabaddi League, which is starting in Haryana next month, will try to promote international kabaddi with the participation of women players from over 15 countries. The league aims to get kabaddi recognized globally and move towards its inclusion in the Olympic Games.



7. When is Independence Day celebrated?

- A - 26 January B - 15 August
C - 2 October D - 14 November

With the advent of Independence Day 2024, students across India are being encouraged to write essays on the significance of this day. India gained independence from British rule on 15 August 1947, a day remembered for the inspiration and struggle of leaders such as Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, and Subhash Chandra Bose. The day is an opportunity to honor the sacrifices of freedom fighters and understand civic responsibilities.



8. The National Health Authority (NHA) recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with _____ to advance digital health education.

- A - All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) B - Indian Institute of Technology (IIT)
C - Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU) D - Maharashtra University of Health Sciences (MUHS)

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10. Which bank has launched the Antar Drishti Braille Debit Card specially designed for visually impaired customers? - **Punjab National Bank**

