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1.) Which of the following state governments has recently set up a “Fintech Governing council” to become a global Fintech club ?

निम्नलिखित में से किस राज्य सरकार ने हाल ही में एक वैश्विक फिनटेक क्लब बनने के लिए "फिनटेक गवर्निंग काउंसिल" की स्थापना की है?

- a) Kerala Government
- b) Government of Tamil Nadu
- c) Jharkhand Government
- d) Haryana Government

Answer : Government of Tamil Nadu

Explanation : Government of Tamil Nadu has constituted a FinTech Governing Council in a bid to become a global fintech hub. FinTech Governing Council was set up under the chairmanship of Industries Minister Thangam Thennarasu.

Chief Secretary V Irai Anbu will act as the Vice Chairman of Governing Council. Managing Director and CEO of Guidance Tamil Nadu, Pooja Kulkarni will be the convenor of Governing Councils. Fintech is an emerging sector, which is being promoted by Tamil Nadu government strongly. Government has already started the implementation of a fintech city in Chennai by Tidco.

Total cost of the fintech city is Rs 165 crore. This city will also supplement efforts of FinBlue, which is a fintech Centre of Excellence hosted at STPI, Chennai. FinBlue identifies funds, nurture and scales fintech start-ups.

2.) In India, November 24 is observed as Martyrdom day of Guru Tegh Bahadur ji. He was the _____ Guru of Sikhs.

भारत में 24 नवंबर को गुरु तेग बहादुर जी के शहादत दिवस के रूप में मनाया जाता है। वह सिखों के _____ गुरु थे।

- a) 2nd
- b) 4th
- c) 6th
- d) 9th

Answer : 9th

Explanation : Every year, November 24 is celebrated as Martyrdom Day of Guru Tegh Bahadur, the ninth Guru of Sikhs, of the Sikh religion. The day is celebrated as Shaheedi Divas of Guru Tegh Bahadur across the country.

It was on this in 1675, Guru Tegh Bahadur sacrificed his life to protect religion, human values, ideals and principles. The martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur is remembered as Shaheedi Divas every year. Guru Tegh Bahadur had resisted forced conversions of non-Muslims to Islam during Aurangzeb's rule

He was publicly killed in 1675 on the orders of Mughal emperor Aurangzeb in Delhi. Gurudwara Sis Ganj Sahib and Gurudwara Rakab Ganj Sahib in Delhi are the sites of his execution and cremation.

3.) Which of the following organizations has given awards under the "Together for Peace" initiative in collaboration with ABU ?

निम्नलिखित में से किस संगठन ने ABU के सहयोग से "टुगेदर फॉर पीस" पहल के तहत पुरस्कार दिए हैं?

- a) World Bank
- b) Bank of India
- c) UNESCO
- d) Moody's

Answer : UNESCO

Explanation : The awards were given by UNESCO in collaboration with Asia Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) under 'Together for Peace' (T4P) initiative. The award giving ceremony was held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

More than hundred inspiring stories of individuals and communities were received from 33 countries across 5 continents. The competition was open for Radio, TV, and digital platforms. Doordarshan's programme 'DEAFinitely Leading the Way' won an award under 'Living Well with Super Diversity' category, while All India Radio's programme 'Living on the edge – The coastal lives' won another award in the category of 'Ethical & Sustainable Relationship with Nature'.

The ABU-UNESCO T4P Media Awards highlight and promote crucial role of independent, ethical journalism and citizens' media literacy for building positive peace in human minds. Positive peace is not just the absence of conflicts and war, but striving for equitable and fair societies having respectful and sustainable relations with the environment.

4.) As per the recent report of Goldman Sachs, what is the projected GDP growth of rate of Indian economy in the FY 2021-22 ?

गोल्डमैन सैक्स की हालिया रिपोर्ट के अनुसार, वित्त वर्ष 2021-22 में भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्था की अनुमानित जीडीपी वृद्धि दर क्या है?

- a) 8.8 %
- b) 9.1 %
- c) 5.5 %
- d) 7.2 %

Answer : 9.1 %

Explanation : Wall Street brokerage Goldman Sachs has predicted India's GDP for FY22 at 9.1% in its recent Macro Outlook 2022 report. Earlier this was estimated at 11.1 percent. Goldman Sachs pegged the economy to grow at 8 percent in Calendar Year 2021 and 9.1 percent in Calendar Year 2022.

The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. is a leading global investment banking, securities and investment management firm that provides a wide range of financial services to a substantial and diversified client base.

5.) Name the recipient of the 2021 Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development.

शांति, निरस्त्रीकरण और विकास के लिए 2021 के इंदिरा गांधी पुरस्कार के प्राप्तकर्ता का नाम बताइए।

- a) Goonj
- b) SEEDS
- c) Pratham
- d) Helpage

Answer : Pratham

Explanation : Pratham, Mumbai-based civil society organization, has been conferred with the prestigious Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development for 2021 by the Indira Gandhi Memorial Trust.

Pratham is among India's largest NGOs working to improve education quality for underprivileged children across the world. The Indira Gandhi Peace Prize is given to individuals or organisations since 1986 by the Indira Gandhi Memorial Trust.

The award recognise work towards ensuring international peace and development, ensuring that scientific discoveries are used to further the scope of freedom and better humanity, and creating new international economic order. The award comes a cash award of Rs 25 lakh and a citation.

6.) Lachit day is celebrated by which state annually ?

लचित दिवस किस राज्य द्वारा प्रतिवर्ष मनाया जाता है?

- a) Assam
- b) Goa
- c) Karnataka
- d) Madhya Pradesh

Answer : Assam

Explanation : In Assam, Lachit Divas (Lachit Day) is celebrated every year on November 24. The day marks the birth anniversary of the legendary Ahom army general Lachit Borphukan.

It also commemorates the heroism of Lachit Borphukan. In 2017, the celebration of Lachit Divas was held for the first time. Chao Lachit was an army general (Borphukan) from Assam, who was the commander at the Battle of Saraighat, which was fought in 1671 between the Mughals and the Ahom Kingdom on the Brahmaputra river at Saraighat, now in Guwahati to curb the expansion of the Mughal Empire in Assam. He played his heroic role in the battle to drive away from the Mughal forces under the command of Ram Singh to take over the kingdom.

7.) The Tribal Affairs ministry plans to set up how many museums are dedicated to tribal freedom fighters across the country ?

जनजातीय मामलों के मंत्रालय ने देश भर में आदिवासी स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को समर्पित कितने संग्रहालय स्थापित करने की योजना बनाई है?

- a) 8
- b) 9
- c) 10
- d) 11

Answer : 9

Explanation : Union Home Minister Amit Shah has laid the foundation for 'Rani Gaidinliu Tribal Freedom Fighters Museum' in the state through video conferencing .

It aims to honour the contribution made by freedom fighters of the state during the freedom struggle against British Rule.

In 2016, the Tribal Affairs Ministry planned to set up nine museums dedicated to tribal freedom fighters across the country, are being established in Rajpipla in Gujarat, Ranchi (Jharkhand), Lambasingi (Andhra Pradesh), Raipur (Chhattisgarh), Kozhikode(Kerala), Chhindwara (Madhya Pradesh), Hyderabad (Telangana), Senapati (Manipur) and Kelsi (Mizoram).

Rani Gaidinliu Tribal Freedom Fighters Museum will be established at Luangkao village, Tamenglong district, the birthplace of freedom fighter Rani Gaidinliu and the Ministry of Tribal Affairs will fund an estimated cost of Rs 15 crore. Rani Gaidinliu was born on 26th January 1915 at Nungkao village in Tamenglong district of Manipur, was associated with the Rongmei tribe of Manipur.

8.) PM Modi will lay the foundation stone of which international airport on 25th November ?

पीएम मोदी 25 नवंबर को किस अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे की आधारशिला रखेंगे?

- a) Kochi International Airport

- b) Ahmedabad International Airport
- c) Pune International Airport
- d) Noida International Airport

Answer : Noida International Airport

Explanation : Prime Minister Narendra Modi lay the foundation stone of the Noida International Airport (NIA) in Jewar, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh on November 25 at 1 pm.

According to Prime Minister's Office (PMO), Uttar Pradesh become the only state in India to have five international airports. This airport will be the second international airport to come up in Delhi NCR.

It will help decongest the Indira Gandhi International (IGI) Airport. airport is strategically located and will serve the people of cities including Delhi, Noida, Ghaziabad, Aligarh, Agra, Faridabad and neighbouring areas. The airport will be the logistics gateway of northern India. Due to its scale and capacity, the airport will be a game-changer for Uttar Pradesh. It will unleash the potential of Uttar Pradesh to the world, and help establish the state on the global logistics map.

9.) Who has been conferred with the 2021 International Emmy awards for Best actor ?

सर्वश्रेष्ठ अभिनेता के लिए 2021 के अंतर्राष्ट्रीय एमी पुरस्कार से किसे सम्मानित किया गया है?

- a) David Tennant
- b) Matt Smith
- c) Michael Sheen
- d) None of these

Answer : David Tennant

Explanation : The 49th edition of the International Emmy Awards hit the floors in New York. The awards were handed out among winners from 44 nominees across 11 categories from 24 countries during an in-person ceremony in NYC.

The French comedy Call My Agent and Israeli drama Tehran bagged top accolades of the night. Actor David Tennant won best actor award for his stunning performance in character of serial killer Dennis Nielsen in ITV's Des. From India, actor Nawazuddin Siddiqui, comedian Vir Das and Sushmita Sen- starrer Aarya were among the nominees. However, India could not register a win this year.

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