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Which state officially launched the 'Call your Cop' mobile App recently?

- A. Meghalaya
- B. Uttarakhand
- C. Nagaland
- D. Maharashtra

**Points to Know/Note (PTN):**

The App will enable all citizens of the state especially those in distress to get in touch directly with the police as easily available with just one click away.

Who recently won the 2021 Ballon d'Or, adding the seventh golden ball to his account?

A. Neymar Jr.

B. Luka Modric

C. Cristiano Ronaldo

D. Lionel Messi

**PTN:**

The 34-year-old who is also the star player of Paris St-Germain football club, has won Ballon d'Or in 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2019 and 2021.

According to Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU), which is now the world's most expensive city to live in?

A. Damascus

B. Paris

C. Frankfurt

D. Tel Aviv

**PTN:**

Tel Aviv is now the world's most expensive city, rising from fifth place in 2020 to overtake Paris, which previously occupied the top spot.

Recently, which airport has been adjudged the “Best Airport in India and Central Asia” 2021 by Skytrax?

- A. Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai
- B. Chennai International Airport
- C. Kempegowda International Airport, Bangalore
- D. Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi

**PTN:**

Also, Minister of State for Civil Aviation Gen VK Singh said the Delhi airport along with the others in Hyderabad, Mumbai, and Bengaluru feature in the World To 100 airports list published by Skytrax.

Name the bowler who recently became the 3<sup>rd</sup> bowler in the world to take all 10 wickets in an innings of test cricket.

A. Yuzvendra Chahal

B. Shane Bond

C. Ajaz Patel

D. Axar Patel

**PTN:**

Patel ended the Indian innings with figures of 47.5-12-119-10 to equal England great Jim Laker and Indian legend Anil Kumble, who had achieved the rarest of rare feat in Test cricket.

In Germany, who is elected as the country's next Chancellor by the Parliament?

A. Olaf Scholz

B. Britta Ernst

C. Angela Merkel

D. Markus Soder

**PTN:**

Germany's parliament will elect Olaf Scholz as the country's next chancellor, bringing the curtain down on Angela Merkel's 16-year reign, ushering in a new political era.

Who has been recently conferred with 57th Gyanpeeth Award for the year 2022?

A. Vipul Das

B. Mahant Panda

C. Damodar Mauzo

D. Surya Henu

**PTN:**

The 77-year-old writer was conferred with the country's highest literary award for his "outstanding contribution to literature".



Who won the gold medal in the Men's 55kg snatch category at the ongoing Commonwealth Weightlifting Championships 2021 in Tashkent?

A. Sanket Mahadev Sargar

B. Sathish Sivalingam

C. Vikas Thakur

D. Pardeep Singh

**PTN:**

He created the national record by lifting 113kg in the men's 55kg snatch category.

Who among the following took the mantle as Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff Committee to ensure synergy among the three defense forces?

A. Air Chief Marshal Vivek Ram Chaudhari

B. Gen MM Narvane

C. Admiral R. Hari Kumar

D. None of these

**PTN:**

After the unfortunate demise of CDS Gen Bipin Rawat and until the new CDS is appointed, Indian Army chief General MM Naravane has taken over as the Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff Committee.

What is the rank of Union finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman in the Forbes' 100 most powerful women in the world?

A. 28

B. 30

C. 24

D. 37

**PTN:**

Besides Sitharaman, other Indians to feature on the list are the HCL Corporation CEO Roshni Nadar Malhotra (52), Biocon Executive Chairperson Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw (72), and Nykaa founder Falguni Nayar (88).

According to a report by Lowy Institute Asia Power Index 2021, India has risen as the \_\_\_\_\_ most powerful country in Asia.

- A. third
- B. second
- C. fifth
- D. fourth

**PTN:**

India ranked fourth most powerful country according to the Lowy Institute Asia Power Index. However, India's overall score went down by two points from 2020, standing at 37.7 out of 100. 1<sup>st</sup> – US, 2<sup>nd</sup> – China, 3<sup>rd</sup> - Japan

As per a new report by Reporters Without Borders (RSF), which country is the world's biggest captor of journalists?

A. China

B. Pakistan

C. Turkey

D. North Korea

**PTN:**

Reporters Without Borders informed in a report, at least 127 journalists (professional and non-professional) are currently detained by the regime, revealing the extent of the regime's campaign of repression against the right to information.

Which of the following became the world's first paperless government?

- A. Kuwait
- B. Oman
- C. Qatar
- D. Dubai

**PTN:**

The Emirate's Crown Prince, Sheikh Hamdan has announced this by pointing at savings of 1.3 billion Dirham (USD 350 million) and 14-million-man hours.

Name the Indian who has been crowned Miss Universe 2021?

- A. Manushi Chillar
- B. Harleen Kaur
- C. Harnaaz Sandhu
- D. None of these



Source: Times of India

**PTN:**

Harnaaz Sandhu has made the entire country proud by bringing home the Miss Universe 2021 crown. The 21-year-old from Chandigarh brought home the crown, two decades after Lara Dutta won the title in 2000.

Who has been recently named as Time Magazine's Person of The Year?

- A. Jeff Bezos
- B. Joe Biden
- C. Elon Musk
- D. Sundar Pichai



Source: Time



Who has been recently named as Time's 2021 Athlete of the Year?

- A. Emma McKeon
- B. Caeleb Dressel
- C. Simone Biles
- D. Neeraj Chopra



Source: Olympics.com

**PTN:**

One of the world's most decorated gymnast was hailed for putting her mental health first when she withdrew from four event finals at the Tokyo Olympics.

## Assignment:

1. Name the mobile app launched by Education Ministry in order to help people acquire basic conversation ability in languages other than one's mother tongue.
2. According to the latest World Inequality Report 2022, In India the top 10 per cent holds \_\_\_\_\_ per cent of the total national income.
3. Name the world first train to get vegetarian certification?

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