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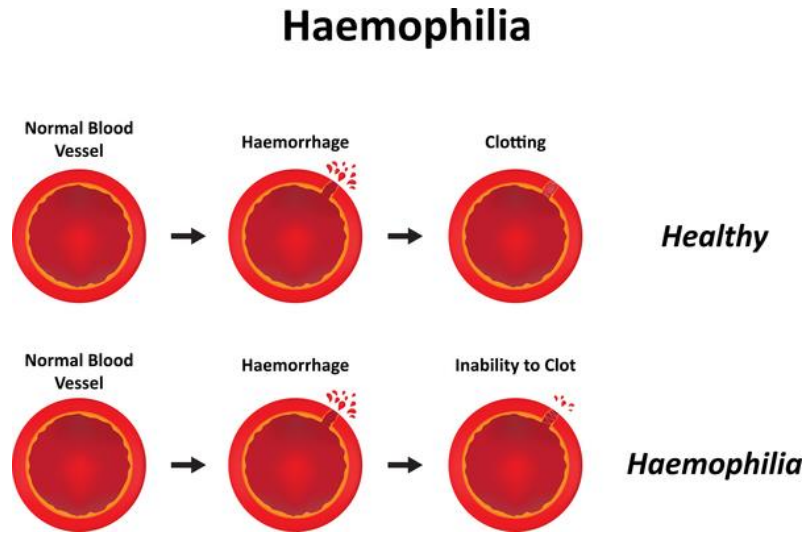
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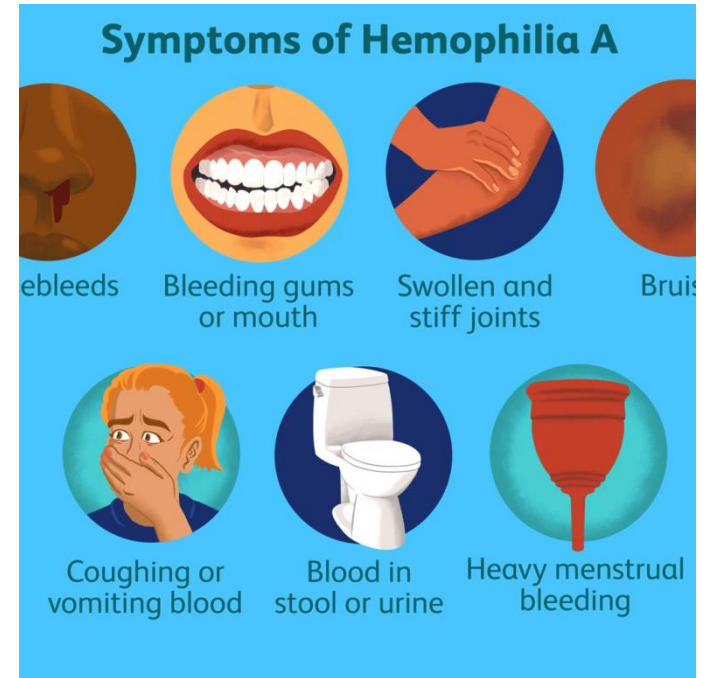
Important Days

➤ World Hemophilia Day is observed on?



- A) April 14
- B) April 15
- C) April 16
- D) April 18
- E) April 17

Answer
E) April 17



Important Days



Explanation

- **April 17** is celebrated every year as World Hemophilia Day.
- 1st in **1989**.
- By **The World Federation of Hemophilia**.
- Hemophilia is a rare disorder in which the blood of the patient **does not clot properly** due to lack of blood-clotting proteins.
- To commemorate the birthday of **Frank Schnabel**, the founder of the World Federation of Hemophilia.

Theme

- **'Access for All: Partnership. Policy. Progress. Engaging your government, integrating inherited bleeding disorders into national policy.'**



SPORTS



➤ IAF to organised ____ edition of hockey tournament in memory of Arjan Singh?

- A) 1st
- B) 2nd
- C) 3rd
- D) 4th
- E) 5th

Answer
C) 3rd



Explanation

- **The Indian Air Force Sports Control Board (AFSCB)** is going to organise the **3rd Marshal of the Air Force Arjan Singh Memorial Hockey tournament** from April 18-22, which will witness participation from **11 teams** from across the country.
- Besides, the **Bangladesh Air Force hockey team** will also be taking part in the tournament which will be played at **Astro Turf Hockey ground, 3 Base Repair Depot (3BRD)**, Air Force Station, Chandigarh from April 18-22.
- The tournament is **organised every year** in memory of **the late Marshal**.



SPORTS

➤ India how many gold medals at Danish Open held at Copenhagen?

- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 0
- D) 3
- E) 4

Answer
B) 2



Explanation

- **Men's 800m freestyle** at the Danish Open in Copenhagen.
- Gold- **Vedaant Madhavan**
- Silver- **Alexander L Bjorn**
- The 28-year-old **Sajan Prakash**, who is preparing for the Commonwealth Games and Asian Games, had won a **gold** in the **200m butterfly**.
- **Vedaant Madhavan** had won the **silver** medal in the **1500m freestyle event**.



SPORTS



➤ _____ edition of La Roda International Open Chess tournament at Spain?

- A) 48th
- B) 50th
- C) 45th
- D) 21st
- E) 30th

Answer
A) 48th



Explanation

- **48th La Roda International Open Chess tournament** at La Caja Blanca (White Box), en la Roda, Albacete, Spain.
- **1st - GM D Gukesh**
- **2nd - Victor Mikhalevski (Israel), Haik M Martirosyan (Armenia)**
- **3rd – GM R Praggnanandhaa**
- **4th - GM Sadhwani**
- **5th - Manuel Lopez Martinez Josep (Spain), Ramon Martinez (Venezuela)**



APPOINTMENTS



➤ Which of the following company appointed Satya Easwaran as Country Head of India?

- A) OLA
- B) Wipro
- C) Sun Pharma
- D) Bajaj Auto
- E) Amazon

Answer
B) Wipro



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- **Wipro** had appointed **Satya Easwaran** as the Country Head for India.
- Satya will be in charge of **strengthening Wipro's business in India** across key industry sectors through strategic consulting, transformation and modernization engagements.



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Wipro

- Founded : **29/12/1945**
- HQ : **Bangalore**
- CEO & MD : **Thierry Delaporte**



APPOINTMENTS



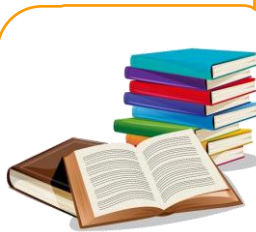
- Who among the following person will Be New CMD, Air India Asset Holding?



- A) Gopal Singh
- B) Virag Joshi
- C) Gautam Chatterjee
- D) Vikram Dev Dutt
- E) C.Vijayakumar

Answer

D) Vikram Dev Dutt



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- 1993 batch IAS officer **Vikram Dev Dutt** has been named as Chairman and Managing Director (CMD), **Air India Asset Holding Ltd (AIAHL)**.
- According to an order issued by the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT), the **Appointments Committee of the Cabinet** has approved the appointment of Dutt to the post with effect from 27.01.2022.
- Prior to this, Dutt was in-charge of **Air India** as a CMD till the airline was handed over to the Tata Group.
- Air India Asset Holding Ltd. (AIAHL) was set up in 2019 by the government for holding debt and non-core assets of the Air India group.



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

AIAHL

- Abbrevation : **Air India Asset Holding Ltd**
- Incorporated : **22/01/2018**
- HQ : **New Delhi**



AWARDS



➤ AIMA honoured with who among the following with Director of the Year award for Sardar Udham?

- A) Ali Abbas Zafar
- B) Anurag Kashyap
- C) Shoojit Sircar
- D) Rajkumar Hirani
- E) Zoya Akhtar

Answer

C) Shoojit Sircar



AWARDS



Explanation

- An award ceremony held in **Delhi**, **Nitin Gadkari**, Minister for Road Transport and Highways, presented the **2021 AIMA Managing India Awards (AIMA)** in multiple categories in Delhi.
- In the films category, Shoojit Sircar was honoured with the Director of the Year award for **Sardar Udham**.
- In previous years, filmmakers such as **Zoya Akhtar**, **Rajkumar Hirani**, **Anurag Kashyap**, **Ali Abbas Zafar**, and **Nitesh Tiwari** have been honoured with this award.

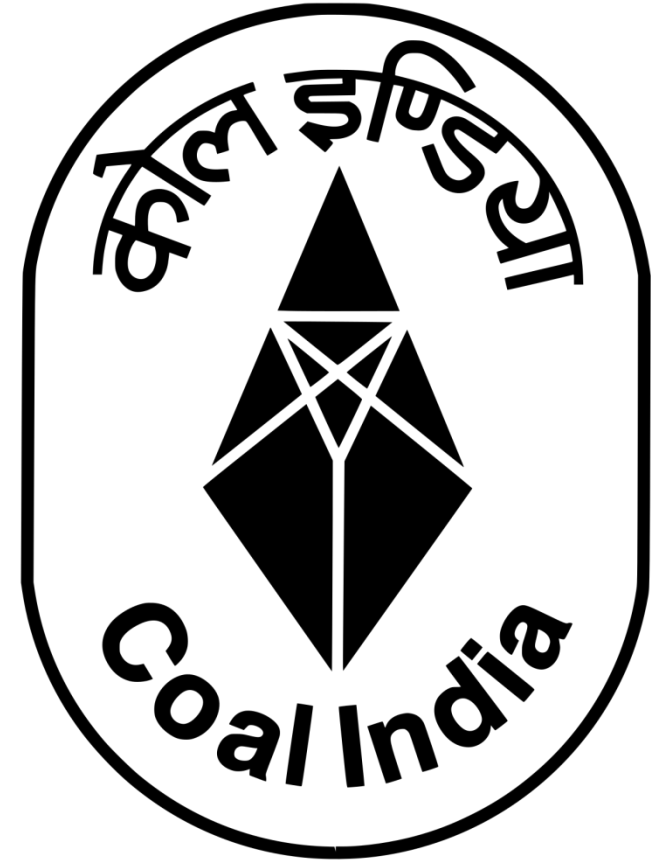


➤ Which of the following company all set to launch its own e-auction platform?

- A) Coal India Ltd
- B) BEML
- C) BSNL
- D) Bharat Petroleum
- E) BBNL

Answer

A) Coal India Ltd



Explanation

- **Coal India Ltd** is set to launch its own e-auction platform, and the mining major has informed new and existing bidders to register on the portal.
- At present, the e-auction portal is managed by **mjunction and state-owned MSTC Ltd.**
- E-auction sales account for around **120 million tonnes annually** for Coal India, while the rest is sold through fuel supply agreements and other special sales windows.
- The miner's dedicated e-auction portal has been developed by **National Informatics Centre** and supported by **CIL subsidiary Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Ltd.**
- E-auction of Coal India is executed in a **60:40** ratio between mjunction and MSTC.



Titbits

Coal India Ltd

- Founded : **1975**
- HQ : **Kolkata**
- Chairman & MD : **Pramod Agarwal**
- Under : **Ministry of Coal**



- Who among the following minister launched two online portals CROP and PQMS of Plant Protection Division?

- A) Narendra Modi
- B) Amit Shah
- C) Narendra Singh Tomar
- D) Jai Shankar
- E) Rajnath Singh

Answer

C) Narendra Singh Tomar



Explanation

- Agriculture Minister **Narendra Singh Tomar** launched two online portals- **Comprehensive Registration of Pesticides -CROP** and **Plant Quarantine Management System- PQMS** of the Plant Protection Division at a function in New Delhi.
- The portals will provide **hassle-free service to the traders** besides helping them in export and imports.
- The country has registered a **quantum jump in Agriculture exports** in the recent times.
- Bringing reforms, promoting research and use of innovative technologies are the need of hour to give a **boost to the agriculture sector.**



Titbits

Ministry of Agriculture and Farmer's Welfare

- Union Minister : **Narendra Singh Tomar** (Morena,MP)
- Minister of State : **Shobha Karandlaje** (Udupi
Chikmagalur,Karnataka)
Kailash Choudhary (Barmer,Rajasthan)



➤ TIDCO & GE to set up Centre of Excellence for Aerospace Research in which of the following state?

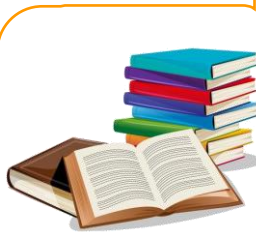


GE Aviation

- A) Andra Pradesh
- B) Tamil Nadu
- C) Karnataka
- D) Telangana
- E) Kerala

Answer

B) Tamil Nadu



Explanation

- **GE Aviation**, a world leader in aircraft engines and technology development, has partnered with **Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation Ltd (TIDCO)** to set up a **Centre of Excellence (CoE)** in emerging technologies.
- Governed by the **special purpose entity (SPV)** of TIDCO, the CoE aims to create an ecosystem of **advanced research and development** using additive technologies.
- The CoE is the result of a memorandum of understanding (MoU) signed between **both organisations in 2021**.
- An investment of about **₹141.26 crores over five years** was proposed to be funded by TIDCO and GE in two phases.



Titbits

Tamil Nadu

- Capital: **Chennai**
- CM: **MK Stalin**
- Governor: **RN Ravi**
- Language : **Tamil**
- National Park : **Guindy National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Indira Gandhi (Anamalai) WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Point Calimere Wildlife & Bird Sanctuary**
- Tiger Reserve : **Anamalai**
- Power Station : **Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant, North Chennai Thermal Power Station**
- Dams : **BhavaniSagar Dam in Bhavani River**
- RRB : **Tamil Nadu Grama Bank (Indian Bank)**



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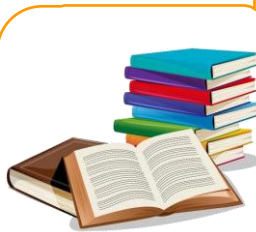


➤ Who among the following CM told that 165 tall Indian National Flag to be installed at INA Headquarter Complex?



- A) Naveen Patnaik
- B) Yogi Adithyanath
- C) Uddhay Thackeray
- D) Biren Singh
- E) MK Stalin

Answer
D) Biren Singh



Explanation

- The Chief Minister of Manipur **N. Biren Singh** said that a **165 ft. tall Indian National Flag**, the highest in the Northeast region, would be installed at the **Indian National Army (INA) Headquarter Complex at Moirang of Manipur.**
- The pole for 165 feet tall Indian National Flag had already been erected and the Union Home Minister will visit the State and unfurl the Indian National Flag as part of the State government's **100 Days Action Plans.**



Titbits

Manipur

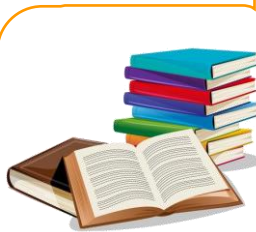
- Capital: **Imphal**
- CM: **N.Biren Singh**
- Governor: **La Ganesan**
- Language : **Manipuri**
- National Park : **Keibul Lamjao National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Amchang WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Loktak lake**
- Tiger Reserve : -
- Power Station : -
- Dams : -
- RRB : **Manipur Rural Bank (United Bank of India)**



QUICK RECALL



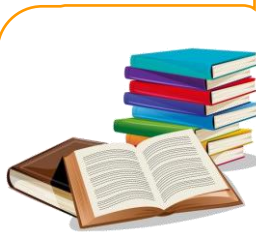
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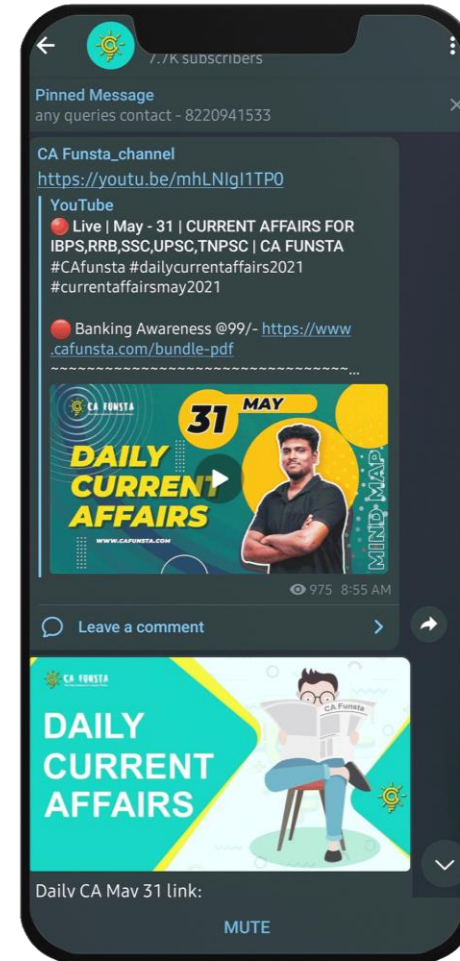
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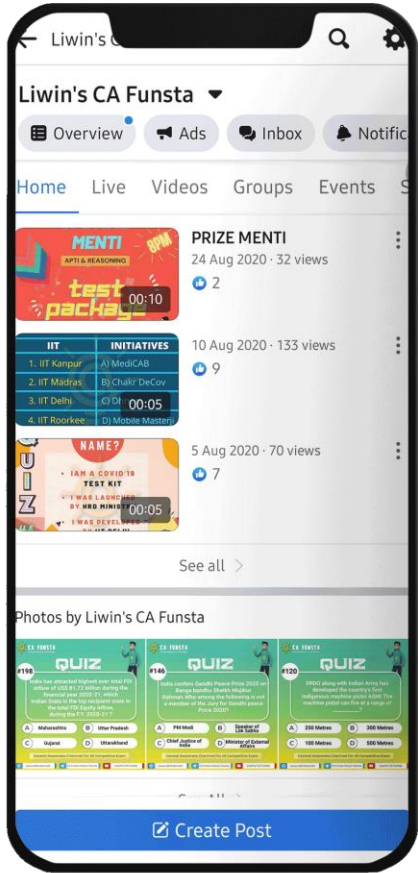
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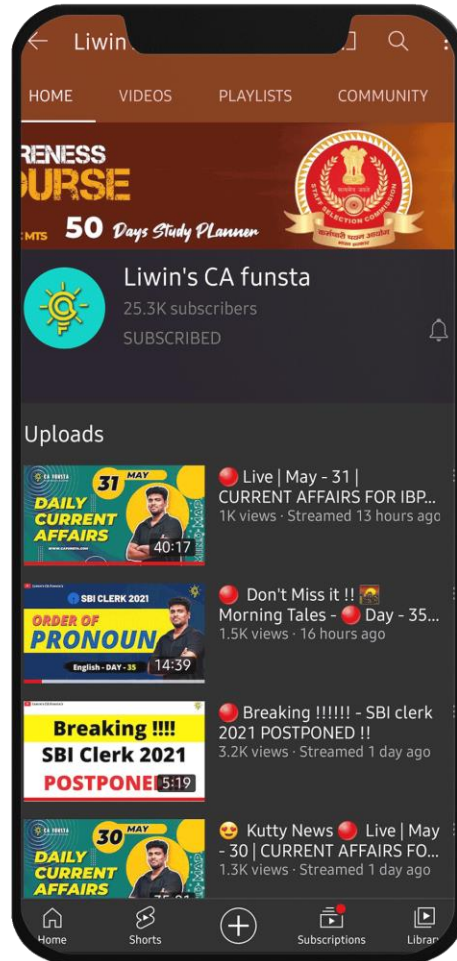
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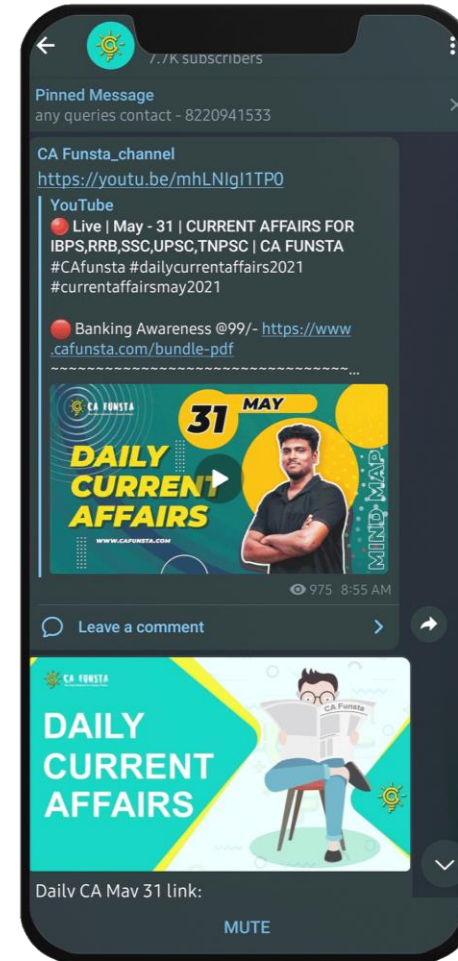
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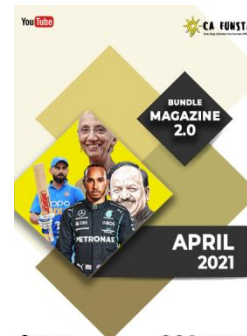
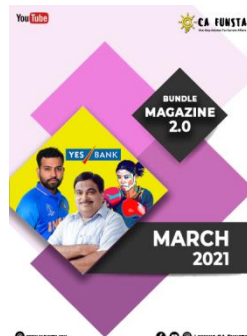
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