

1. 'Halari' is a breed of Donkey, native to which Indian state?

- A) Gujarat ☒  
 B) Maharashtra  
 C) Punjab  
 D) Bihar



- ✓ 'Halari' is a breed of Donkeys native to the Saurashtra region of Gujarat. The population of the breed is fast declining in the country. Union Minister Parsottam Rupala will preside over a meeting of Maldharis (or traditional herdsmen) for the conservation of Halari donkeys.

2. Which state is the host of 'MSME Conclave 2022' organised by the MSME Ministry?

- A) Gujarat B) Maharashtra ☒  
 C) Punjab D) Bihar



- ✓ Union Minister for Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME), Narayan Rane inaugurated the 'MSME Conclave' at Sindhudurg. He also announced the establishment of MSME-Technology Centre with an outlay of Rs. 200 Crore, in Sindhudurg. MSME Conclave for National SC/ST Hub was also inaugurated as a part of the Conclave.

3. Which division commissioned the first Gati Shakti Cargo Terminal of Indian Railways?

- A) Chennai  
 B) Asansol ☒  
 C) Hubballi  
 D) Nagpur



- ✓ Ministry of Railways' Policy regarding 'Gati Shakti Multi-Modal Cargo Terminal' (GCT), Asansol division of Indian Railways has successfully commissioned private siding of Maithan Power Limited at Thaparnagar. This is the first such GCT commissioned in Indian Railways since publication of GCT policy in Dec. 2021.
- ✓ Till now the requirement of coal to the power project was being made through road which is expected to convert into 120 inward coal rakes per month. This will enhance Railways' earnings by approximately Rs 11 crores per month.

4. 'International Day of Women Judges' was first celebrated in which year?

- A) 1992 B) 2002  
 C) 2012 D) 2022 ☒

**2022**

- ✓ During April 2021, the United Nations General Assembly resolved to proclaim 10 March of each year as the 'International Day of Women Judges'. The resolution was moved by Qatar in the UN General Assembly.
- ✓ The Supreme Court of India celebrated the first ever 'International Day of Women Judges' with CJI NV Ramana and four women SC judges.

5. 'No Smoking Day' is observed in which month every year?

- A) January B) February  
 C) March ☒ D) April



- ✓ Every year on the second Wednesday of March, No Smoking Day is observed across the world. It falls on March 9 this year.
- ✓ The aim of No Smoking Day is to raise public awareness about the dangers and consequences of smoking, as well as to assist smokers in quitting. "Quitting smoking doesn't have to be stressful" is this year's theme of 'No Smoking Day'.

6. Every year, on what date is World NGO Day observed in a several of countries around the world?

- A) February 27 ☒  
 B) March 01  
 C) March 15  
 D) August 05



- ✓ World NGO Day is celebrated every year on 27<sup>th</sup> February in several countries across the world. Non-Governmental Organizations or NGOs work in the upliftment of society.
- ✓ It is an international day to recognize, celebrate and honor non-government and non-profit organizations.

7. On which day is Central Excise Day 2022 observed?

- A) February 24 ☒ B) February 25  
 C) February 26 D) February 27



- ✓ Central Excise Day of India is celebrated every year on February 24. The day is being celebrated to honour the service of the Central Board of Excise and Custom (CBEC) to the country.

8. Which Indian state presented 'Child Budget' as part of the annual state Budget?

- A) Gujarat  
 B) Uttar Pradesh  
 C) Rajasthan  
 D) Madhya Pradesh ☒



- ✓ Madhya Pradesh presented a Rs 2.79 lakh crore budget for 2022-23 in the Assembly. For the first time, the state government presented a 'child budget' as part of the annual financial plan. The budget allotted Rs 57,800 crore for 220 schemes under 17 departments, including education, targeted at children aged under 18.

9. 'ULPIN', which was seen in the news, is a unique identification number related to which field?

- A) Taxation  
 B) Land Resources ☒  
 C) MSME  
 D) Drone Registration



- ✓ The Unique Land Parcel Identification Number (ULPIN) was recently launched for Assam. It was conceptualized under the Digital India Land Records Modernization Programme of Department of Land Resources. Under the initiative, a 14-digit alpha numeric geo-spatial unique identification number is issued.

10. Which Indian city released a 'Climate Action Plan' and laid down 30-year Roadmap to tackle challenges of Climate Change?

- A) Chennai B) Mumbai ☒  
 C) New Delhi D) Kolkata



- ✓ The Mumbai Climate Action Plan (MCAP) released recently has laid down a 30-year roadmap for the city to tackle the challenges of climate change. Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC) prepared the plan with technical support from the World Resources Institute (WRI), India and the C40 Cities network.
- ✓ The action plan has set short, medium and long-term climate goals aimed towards zero emission of greenhouse gas or a net-zero target for 2050.