

1. Which country has announced the historic Nuclear Fusion Breakthrough?

- A. China
- B. USA ☒
- C. Russia
- D. India



- ✓ **US scientists announced a major scientific breakthrough in the research to harness nuclear fusion energy. Researchers at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory in California for the 1st time produced more energy in a fusion reaction that was used to ignite it, which is also called net energy gain. This achievement will pave the way for developments in defence and future of clean power.**

2. Who is the head of the Supreme Court Collegium, which recently sent its first set of recommendations?

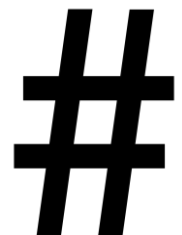
- A. Narendra Modi
- B. DY Chandrachud ☒
- C. Rajiv Kumar
- D. Amitabh Kant



- ✓ **The Supreme Court Collegium recommended five High Court judges for appointment as judges of the top court. This is the first set of recommendations by the Collegium. It includes the recommendation of appointment of Justice Dipankar Datta as a judge of the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court Collegium also recommended the elevation of three high court judges as chief justices of the high Courts of Jharkhand, Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh and Gauhati.**

3. Which state/UT has proposed to launch a unique alpha-numeric identification number for all families?

- A. Jharkhand
- B. Jammu and Kashmir ☒
- C. Meghalaya
- D. Kolkata



- ✓ **Jammu & Kashmir Lieutenant-Governor Manoj Sinha said the administration will launch an eight-digit unique alpha-numeric identification number for families in the Union Territory. The Unique Family ID aims for speedy and transparent implementation of social security schemes. The JK Family ID will also be used to determine eligibility of beneficiaries of various social welfare schemes.**

4. Which institution launched the 'International Climate Club'?

- A. G20
- B. G7 ☒
- C. ASEAN
- D. SAARC



- ✓ The Group of Seven economies have created an open, international climate club for countries to cooperate in the fight against global warming. German Chancellor Olaf Scholz, who holds the presidency of the G-7 until the end of the year, announced the decision. Germany will pass the Presidency to Japan. The club will work to help accelerate the industrial transition to cleaner forms of energy and to further develop emission-reduction measures

5. Which state recently passed a bill to remove Governor as Chancellor of state's universities?

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Kerala ☒
- C. Karnataka
- D. Gujarat



- ✓ Kerala Assembly recently passed a Bill to remove the Governor as the ex-officio Chancellor of 14 universities in the state. The CPI(M) government introduced the University Laws (Amendments) Bill in the Assembly after repeated issues with Governor Arif Mohammed Khan on administration and appointments at these universities. The Bill will now be sent for the governor's consent before it becomes a law.

6. Which country won the 'Davis Cup title' in 2022?

- A. Canada ☒
- B. Australia
- C. France
- D. United Kingdom



- ✓ Canada wins Davis Cup title by defeating Australia 2-0 in final match. Felix Auger-Aliassime gave Canada a 2-0 lead against Australia by defeating Alex de Minaur 6-3, 6-4. The World No. 6 won both of his singles and doubles matches. Canada made its debut in the Davis Cup title game in 2019.

7. Who has been selected as the first woman president of Indian Olympic Association (IOA)?

- A. Mary Kom
- B. P T Usha ☒
- C. Karnam Malleswari
- D. Anju George



- ✓ **Legendary athlete PT Usha was elected as the first woman president of Indian Olympic Association (IOA). She is a multiple Asian Games gold medalist and fourth place finisher in the 1984 Los Angeles Olympics 400m hurdles final. The 58-year-old athlete was declared elected unopposed for the top post in the polls. The elections were held under the supervision of Supreme Court-appointed retired SC judge L Nageswara Rao. She became the first Olympian and first international medallist to head the IOA in its 95-year history.**

8. When is the 'International Jaguar Day' celebrated?

- A. November.29 ☒
- B. December.01
- C. December.05
- D. December.09



- ✓ **International Jaguar Day is celebrated on November 29 every year. Jaguar is the third largest Cat Predator in the World and an important species of the Amazon Rainforest. International Jaguar Day was created to raise awareness about the increasing threats facing the jaguar and the critical conservation efforts for its survival.**

9. The UN panel has recommended which site to be listed as 'world heritage site in danger'?

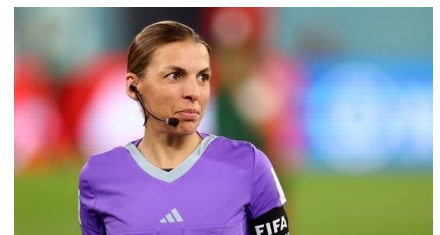
- A. Australia's Great Barrier Reef ☒
- B. Lady Elliot Island
- C. Heron Island
- D. Andaman and Nicobar Islands



- ✓ **A UN panel recommended Australia's Great Barrier Reef should be listed as 'world heritage site in danger'. The UN panel said that the world's biggest coral reef ecosystem was significantly impacted by climate change and warming of oceans. Frequent bleaching events are threatening the reef, including four over the last seven years and the first during a La Nina phenomenon.**

10. Stephanie Frappart, who was seen in the news, is associated with which game?

- A. Cricket
- B. Football ☒
- C. Hockey
- D. Squash



- ✓ **Stephanie Frappart is set to become the first woman to referee a men's World Cup match after FIFA announced that she will take charge of Group E match between Germany and Costa Rica. The 38-year-old is one of three women referees among the 36 selected for the tournament in Qatar, alongside Rwandan official Salima Mukansanga and Japan's Yoshimi Yamashita.**