

CURRENT AFFAIRS QUESTIONS – JULY 2017

1. Which country recently launched a rocket named Shimorgh?
(a) Iran (b) Israel (c) North Korea (d) Brazil
2. In which city was a memorial of former Indian President APJ Abdul Kalam inaugurated recently?
(a) New Delhi (b) Guwahati (c) Rameshwaram (d) Bengaluru
3. When is the Chartered Accountants Day observed in India?
(a) July 5 (b) July 1 (c) July 3 (d) July 2
4. HS Prannoy is associated with which of the following sports?
(a) Badminton (b) Tennis (c) Squash (d) Table Tennis
5. What is the official emergency number in the United Kingdom?
(a) 108 (b) 911 (c) 999 (d) 100
6. Who of the following is the only Indian to be inducted into the Satellite Hall of Fame of the US based Society of Satellite Professionals International?
(a) Prof. U.R. Rao (b) Prof. Satish Dhawan
(c) Prof. Vikram Sarabhai (d) Dr. K Kasturirangan
7. Which type of flower has been named after the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi during his visit to Israel?
(a) Chrysanthemum (b) Marigold (c) Dahlia (d) Lotus
8. Which company has developed India's first bio-methane bus?
(a) Ashok Leyland (b) Tata Motors (c) Eicher Motors (d) Swaraj Mazda
9. How many Wimbledon titles has Roger Federer won including the 2017 Wimbledon Singles title?
(a) Five (b) Six (c) Seven (d) Eight
10. With which of the following fields was P Chandra Sekharan associated?
(a) Astronomy (b) Astrology (c) Photography (d) Forensic science
11. Which film won the Best Film Award at the IIFA Awards 2017 ceremony held in New Jersey?
(a) Pink (b) Neerja (c) Udta Punjab (d) Sultan
12. Which country will host the Theatre Olympics in 2018?

(a) New Zealand (b) Canada (c) India (d) China

13. Which country topped the medals tally at the Asian Athletics Championships 2017 held in Bhubaneswar?

(a) China (b) India (c) Japan (d) Iran

14. With which of the following States is the Paika rebellion associated?

(a) Odisha (b) Bihar (c) Punjab (d) Maharashtra

15. JIGYASA, a student-scientist connect programme has been launched by –

(a) UGC (b) NCERT (c) CSIR (d) ICMR

16. Where is the Al Aqsa mosque located?

(a) Jerusalem (b) Istanbul (c) Baghdad (d) Mosul

17. Who of the following persons from China is a recipient of Nobel Peace Prize? (He passed away on 13 July 17)

(a) Mo Yan (b) Liu Xiaobo (c) Gao Xingjian (d) Tu Youyou

18. In which country is China establishing its first overseas military base?

(a) Djibouti (b) Maldives (c) Sri Lanka (d) Seychelles

19. Who of the following women cricketers has the highest aggregate runs in ODIs?

(a) CM Edwards (b) Mithali Raj (c) BJ Clark (d) SC Taylor

20. Which High Court recently passed an order making it mandatory to sing Vande Mataram in all schools?

(a) Bombay (b) Allahabad (c) Madras (d) Delhi

21. Which of the following was the venue of G-20 summit held in July 2017?

(a) Hamburg (b) Hangzhou (c) Brisbane (d) St. Petersburg

22. Shri Achal Kumar Joti is India's new –

(a) Attorney General (b) Chief Election Commissioner

(c) Chief Information Commissioner (d) Solicitor General

23. On which day is the Kargil Vijay Diwas celebrated across India?

(a) July 23 (b) July 24 (c) July 25 (d) July 26

24. Who of the following is the current Attorney General of India?

(a) KK Venugopal (b) Mukul Rohtagi (c) Ranjit Kumar (d) AK Joti

25. N Dharam Singh who passed away recently was the former Chief Minister of -
 (a) Chhattisgarh (b) Karnataka (c) Bihar (d) Himachal Pradesh
26. Who won the Ladies Singles title at Wimbledon 2017?
 (a) Venus Williams (b) Jelena Ostapenko (c) Garbine Muguruza (d) Simona Halep
27. Evo Morales who recently declared his country's complete independence from the World Bank and International Monetary Fund is the President of -
 (a) Bolivia (b) Paraguay (c) Chile (d) Peru
28. The target year for elimination of malaria as per National Strategic Plan for Malaria Elimination is
 (a) 2022 (b) 2024 (c) 2025 (d) 2027
29. Jeff Bezos, who briefly overtook Bill Gates to become the world's richest person is the founder of -
 (a) Google (b) Yahoo (c) Amazon (d) Apple
30. Who was the Player of the Series in the Women's Cricket World Cup 2017?
 (a) Tammy Beaumont (b) Heather Knight (c) Mithali Raj (d) Dane van Niekerk

Answers

1. (a)	2. (c)	3. (b)	4. (a)	5. (c)	6. (a)	7. (a)	8. (b)	9. (d)	10. (d)
11. (b)	12. (c)	13. (b)	14. (a)	15. (c)	16. (a)	17. (b)	18. (a)	19. (b)	20. (c)
21. (a)	22. (b)	23. (d)	24. (a)	25. (b)	26. (c)	27. (a)	28. (d)	29. (c)	30. (a)

Additional Information on questions:

3. The Chartered Accountants Act, 1949 came into force on 01 July 1949.
5. The number completed 80 years of its existence on 1 July. The first ever emergency number system anywhere in the world came into being in London in 1937.
7. A new fast-growing Israeli Chrysanthemum flower has been named in honour of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and will be called MODI.
10. Pakkiriswamy Chandra Sekharan, who passed away on 11 July 2017 helped investigators crack the Rajiv Gandhi assassination case and played a seminal role in getting back the stolen 1,500-year-old Pathur Nataraja idol from the U.K.
12. India to host 8th Edition of Theatre Olympics 'The Biggest Theatre Celebration of the World' from February 17 – April 08, 2018.

14. The President of India inaugurated the Bicentenary celebration of the heroic Paika Rebellion of Odisha, a valiant uprising of Paikas against the British rule.

16. The mosque was in news when Israel temporarily restricted men under the age of 50 from entering the mosque.

23. The day commemorates India's victory in the Kargil war of 1999.

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