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26 October 2023 - Daily Current affairs Quiz.

1) Which state was largest producer in lignite production during 2022-23?

- a) Rajasthan
- b) Gujarat
- c) Tamil Nadu
- d) Jammu and Kashmir

2) Which country that offers free visa to Indian tourists?

- a) Thailand
- b) Indonesia
- c) Sri Lanka
- d) Malaysia

3) Anubhav website was launched by Central Government for whom?

- a) Women
- b) Children
- c) Retired officers
- d) Persons with disabilities

4) Which Indian city is the second most polluted cities in world?

- a) Delhi
- b) Nagpur
- c) Mumbai
- d) Pune



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5) Which country named the cyclone 'Hamoon'?

- a) Bangladesh
- b) Iran
- c) Iraq
- d) Yemen

6) Which state launched the Mahila Sarathi scheme?

- a) Odisha
- b) Uttar Pradesh
- c) Rajasthan
- d) Maharashtra

7) Where will be 7th Future Investment conclave conducted?

- a) Dubai
- b) Riyadh
- c) Abu Dhabi
- d) Sharjah

8) Freedom Fighters Marudu Brothers Memorial Day

- a) October 18
- b) October 20
- c) October 22
- d) October 24

9) Which Indian woman player won Abu Dhabi Masters badminton tournament?

- a) Unati hooda
- b) PV Sindhu
- c) Saina Nehwal
- d) Tulsi Das



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10) Mole Day observed on

- a) October 21
- b) October 22
- c) October 23
- d) October 24

ANSWERS

1) ANS c) Tamil Nadu

According to the Ministry of coal, Tamil Nadu was the largest producer of lignite and produced 22.480 million tonnes in 2022-23. Tamil Nadu accounted for 49.97% of the production, followed by Gujarat at 26.27% and Rajasthan at 22.67 as per data released by ministry of coal. Lignite deposits in India are primarily located in Tamil Nadu, Gujarat, Rajasthan and Jammu and Kashmir and available less in Odisha, Kerala and West Bengal.

2) ANS c) Sri Lanka

Sri Lanka aims to revitalize its struggling tourism industry by waiving visa fees for Indian and tourists from six other countries, including China, Russia, and Japan, until March 2024. Sri Lanka has faced multiple setbacks in its tourism industry, including the 2019 Easter Sunday terror attacks, the Covid-19 pandemic in 2020 and 2021, and an economic crisis in 2022. The decision to offer free tourist visas is part of a larger strategy to promote Sri Lanka's tourism industry, which plays a crucial role in the country's economy, alongside exports and worker remittances.

3) ANS c) Retired officers

Department of Pension and Pensioners' Welfare launched Anubhav Portal in March 2015. The portal provides an online system for the retiring and retired employees to submit and showcase their commendable work done, to share their



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experiences of working in the Government and to give suggestions for improvement in governance. 96 Ministries and Departments and Organizations have registered on Anubhav Portal of this Department and more than 10000 write-ups have been published so far. Also Anubhav award ceremony will be held at Vigyan Bhavan in New Delhi. The Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances Pensions has been conferring awards on the awardees for the year 2023. The Anubhav Awardees will be felicitated with a Medal, a Certificate and a cash prize of Rs.10,000/-.

4) ANS c) Mumbai

Mumbai is the second most polluted cities in world as per IQ Air, Swiss air quality technology company. As per report of IQ Air Beijing in china ranked first place and capital of India New Delhi ranked sixth place.

5) ANS b) Iran

Cyclone Hamoon is named by Iran Country. 'Hamoon' is a Persian term signifying temporary desert lakes and marshlands that naturally form in region near the Helmand basin. Odisha is unlikely to experience any significant adverse effects apart from light to moderate rainfall in the coastal areas.

6) ANS d) b) Uttar Pradesh

Government of Uttar Pradesh launched Mission Mahila Sarathi. Aim of this mission is to empower women by providing them with employment opportunities in the public transport sector and ensuring safe and comfortable travel for female passengers. It is a part of Mission Shakti Abhiyan. Aim of mission shakti abhiyan is to provide safety, dignity and empowerment to women and girls in Uttar Pradesh through various schemes and programs.

7) ANS b) Riyadh

Minister of Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, and Textiles participated in 7th Edition of Future Investment Initiative (FII) in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. Future Investment Institute is a global nonprofit foundation,



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launched by Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. It aims to gather Government and business leaders from around the world to discuss new pathways for investment with the goal to create a global "Impact On Humanity". Its four areas of focus are Artificial Intelligence (AI) & Robotics, Education, Healthcare, and Sustainability.

8)ANS d)October 24

Periya Marudhu and Chinna Marudhu brothers are called Marudhu Pandiyar. They fought against the British in South India in the early 19th century. They belong to the royal family of Ramnad and are known for their courage and bravery. They fought with queen Velu Nachiyar fought against the Britishers to protect their land and people from them. Later they were arrested by the British and on October 24, 1801, the Marudhu brothers were hanged at Thirupathur Fort in Tamil Nadu. Their 221st anniversary is observed all over Tamil Nadu.

9)ANS a) Unati hooda

16-year-old Unnati Hooda wins Abu Dhabi Masters 2023. She beat fellow indian Samiya Imad Farooqui by 21-16, 22-20. she made history by becoming the youngest Indian to win a international badminton tournament.

10) ANS c) October 23

Celebrated by chemists annually from 6.02 am to 6.02 pm on October 23. Mole Day commemorates Avogadro's number (6.022×10^{23}) which is the number of atoms in exactly 12 grams of carbon-12 (one mole).



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