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General Awareness

The week from February 13, 2023 to February 19, 2023

Brihanmumbai Electric Supply and Transport Undertaking (BEST) inaugurated India's first electric AC double-decker bus. The 73-seater bus will ply between Kurla bus depot and Bandra-Kurla Complex (BKC) in Mumbai. Cricketer Smriti Mandhana became the first buy of the first-ever Women's Premier League auction. The 26-year-old batter, who had a base price of ₹50 lakh, was bought by Royal Challengers Bangalore for ₹3.4 crore.

Mohammad Shahabuddin Chuppu, a former judge, was elected unopposed as the 22nd President of Bangladesh. The 74-year-old will replace Mohammad Abdul Hamid, the country's longest-serving President, as he cannot hold a third term according to Bangladesh's constitution.

Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (INTACH) announced that a two-foot-high statue of Lord Krishna was unearthed in Maharashtra's Chandrapur district. The idol found in Khed village belongs to the Chalukya dynasty, dating back to 12th century AD.

YouTube will appoint Neal Mohan as its new CEO, after long-time CEO Susan Wojcicki stepped down. A graduate of Stanford University, Mohan formerly served as YouTube's Chief Product Officer, responsible for the platforms' products and user experience.

Actor Ayushmann Khurrana was named the National Ambassador of Child Rights for UNICEF India. His duties include working with UNICEF to ensure the rights of every child to survive, thrive and be protected.

Former Tripura and Jharkhand Governor Ramesh Bais took oath as the 22nd Governor of Maharashtra, replacing Bhagat Singh Koshyari, who had resigned from the post. The oath was administered by the Acting Chief Justice of Bombay High Court S V Gangapurwala.

India beat Australia by 6 wickets in the 2nd Test at New Delhi, thus retaining the Border-Gavaskar Trophy. Ravindra Jadeja won his second consecutive Man of the Match award for scoring 26 valuable runs and capturing 3-68 and 7-42 (his best innings figures in Tests).



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