General Awareness

The week from 04 September 2023 to 10 September 2023

The 2023 G20 Summit was held at the Bharat Mandapam International Exhibition-Convention Centre, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi on 9–10 September 2023. It was the eighteenth meeting of G20 (Group of Twenty). but the first G20 summit held in India.

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President Smt Droupadi Murmu inaugurated a 12-foot statue of Mahatma Gandhi and a 'Gandhi Vatika' near Rajghat, Delhi, on 4 September.

Corning, the 172-year-old US corporation, announced that it would establish a cutting-edge Gorilla Glass manufacturing facility in Telangana. The proposed manufacturing unit will specialize in producing cover glass for leading players in the smartphone market.

India beat Pakistan in a penalty shootout in the final of the inaugural Men's Hockey 5s Asia Cup 2023 in Salalah, Oman. The win ensured India's qualification for the FIH Men's Hockey 5s World Cup Oman 2024.

The African Union (AU) received an official invitation to join the Group of 20 largest economies (G20) as a permanent member. This initiative by India has helped create a more inclusive and equitable global economic landscape. The African Union comprises 55 member states from across Africa. By winning the Italian Grand Prix Formula 1 race, Max Verstappen set a new record for the most consecutive wins in Formula 1 history with 10. He broke the record set in 2013 by fellow Red Bull driver Sebastian Vettel.

India introduced the world's first portable disaster hospital, a facility comprising of 72 cubes that can be airlifted. This is a component of PM Modi's ambitious "Project BHISHM" (Bharat Health Initiative for Sahyog Hita and Maitri), unveiled in February 2022.

India beat Pakistan by a whopping 238 runs in the Asia Cup. India scored 356/2 with fifties by Rohit Sharma and Shubman Gill, followed by unbeaten centuries by Virat Kohli and KL Rahul. In reply Pakistan folded for 128, with spinner Kuldeep Yadav claiming 5 for 25.



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