

### Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puruskar

Sr.	Category	Discipline
1.	Identification and Nurturing of Budding and Young Talent	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited
2.	Encouragement to Sports through Corporate Social Responsibility	JSW Sports
3.	Sports for Development	Isha Outreach

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (MAKA) Trophy 2017-18

Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar

### Important Awards - September 2018

Sr.	Award	Recipients	Award given by
1.	Meryl Streep Award for Excellence	Ms. Aishwarya Rai Bachchan	Women in Film and Television (WIFT) India Awards.
2.	Wyler Award for Excellence in Direction	Ms. Zoya Akhtar	Women in Film and Television (WIFT) India Awards.
3.	WIFT Emerald Award	Ms. Janhvi Kapoor	Women in Film and Television (WIFT) India Awards.
4.	UN Interagency Task Force (UNIATF) Award	Shri Manoj Jhalani, Additional Secretary & Mission Director (NHM), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare	UNIATF
5.	Meera Puraskar	Shri Sawai Singh Shekhawat	Rajasthan Sahitya Academy

### IOWave 18 - Tsunami Mock Drill

- Date: 04 and 05 September 2018
- Organised by: Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO
- No. of participants: 24
- The purpose of the exercise is to increase tsunami preparedness and evaluate response capabilities in each state. The exercise would involve the evacuation of more than 1,25,000 people from the coastal communities of Odisha, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, Maharashtra, West Bengal, Gujarat and Goa.

Source : [www.leadthecompetition.in](http://www.leadthecompetition.in)

### CURRENT AFFAIRS QUESTIONS

- For which of the following missions has the Union Cabinet recently approved raising of funds as Extra Budgetary Resources?
  - Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana
  - Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin)
  - Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana
  - MGNREGA
- What is the theme of letter writing competition named Dhai Akhar organised by the Department of Posts?
  - Letter to My Motherland
  - Swachh Bharat
  - Beti Bachao Beti Padhao
  - Jai Jawan Jai Kisan
- Who is the director of the film Halkaa which has been made under the aegis of the Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban)?
  - Konkona Sen Sharma
  - Anurag Kashyap
  - Mahesh Manjrekar
  - Nila Madabh Panda

4. Which of the following has been recently included in the UNESCO's World Network of Biosphere Reserves?  
a. Khangchendzonga   b. Agasthyamalai   c. Dehang-Dibang   d. Manas
5. Who of the following has been chosen for the Rajiv Gandhi Sadbhavna Award 2018?  
a. Rajmohan Gandhi   b. Tushar Gandhi   c. Gopal Krishna Gandhi   d. Arun Gandhi
6. Which country has been in news for having used Novichok, a deadly nerve agent against its former intelligence officer?  
a. Russia   b. Iran   c. North Korea   d. Venezuela
7. Lombok island which was hit by a devastating earthquake on Aug 5 killing more than 300 people is in which country?  
a. Philippines   b. Indonesia   c. Japan   d. Australia
8. In which city has Ikea, the Swedish furniture manufacturer opened its first store in India?  
a. Bengaluru   b. Pune   c. Gurugram   d. Hyderabad
9. President of which of the following countries survived a drone attack on his life recently?  
a. Brazil   b. Venezuela   c. Columbia   d. Cuba
10. Which of the following states has launched a smartphone distribution scheme called Mobile Tihar?  
a. Rajasthan   b. Madhya Pradesh   c. Chhattisgarh   d. Uttarakhand
11. Which State has become the first in the country to implement the National Policy on Biofuels?  
a. Rajasthan   b. Tamil Nadu   c. Kerala   d. Maharashtra
12. Of which country has Mr. Emmerson Mnangagwa been elected the President?  
a. Uganda   b. Liberia   c. Zimbabwe   d. Ethiopia
13. To how many beneficiaries have cooking gas connections been distributed under the Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana till date?  
a. One crore   b. Two crores   c. Three crores   d. Five crores
14. Which country recently launched its first hypersonic aircraft name Xingkong-2 (Starry Sky-2)?  
a. China   b. Japan   c. South Korea   d. North Korea
15. With which country does India conduct the joint military exercise Maitree?  
a. Singapore   b. Sri Lanka   c. Thailand   d. Indonesia
16. What is the cashback (on GST amount) offered for Digital Transactions done via BHIM, Rupay or USSD mode as announced by the GST Council?  
a. 20% upto Rs. 100   b. 10% upto Rs. 200   c. 20% upto Rs. 200   d. 10% upto Rs. 100
17. Which State has launched One District, One Product scheme to enhance skills of local people and provide employment?  
a. Rajasthan   b. Gujarat   c. Maharashtra   d. Uttar Pradesh
18. Justice Gita Mittal was recently sworn in as the first female Chief Justice of High Court of -  
a. Jammu & Kashmir   b. Delhi   c. Uttarakhand   d. Chandigarh
19. Balramji Dass Tandon who passed away on 14 August 2018 was the serving Governor of which State?  
a. Jharkhand   b. Chhattisgarh   c. Odisha   d. Telangana
20. Who of the following has won the Rogers Cup Tennis tournament 2018?  
a. Roger Federer   b. Rafael Nadal   c. Novak Djokovic   d. Stefano Tsitsipas

**Answers**

1. b   2. a   3. d   4. a   5. c   6. a   7. b   8. d   9. b   10. c  
11. a   12. c   13. d   14. a   15. c   16. a   17. d   18. a   19. b   20. b