

Quiz Date: 20<sup>th</sup> February 2020

**Q1. Who among the following has won the Presidential elections of Afghanistan and will become the President of Afghanistan for the 2nd time?**

- (a) Ashraf Ghani
- (b) Abdullah Abdullah
- (c) Abdul Rashid Dostum
- (d) Rula Ghani
- (e) Hamid Karzai

**Q2. Name the former Manchester United goalkeeper who was awarded with Order of the British Empire (OBE) in the 2019 New Year Honours, passed away recently.**

- (a) Roger Byrne
- (b) Jackie Blanchflow
- (c) Harry Gregg
- (d) Bill Foulkes
- (e) Dennis Viollet

**Q3. Name the app which has been integrated with the app of ride hailing company "Uber" and launched recently by the Delhi Police to ensure safety and security of people travelling in cabs.**

- (a) Garvit App
- (b) Himmat Plus App
- (c) Nirbhaya App
- (d) Nidar App
- (e) Protsahit App

**Q4. Name the person who has been appointed by Australia as the next high commissioner to India.**

- (a) Harry Sandhu
- (b) Mike Baird
- (c) Nathan Rees
- (d) Barry O'Farrell

(e) Kristina Keneally

**Q5. Name the Indian airport which has been certified by the CII-ITC Centre of Excellence for Sustainable Development as India's first single-use plastic-free airport.**

- (a) Kozhikode International Airport, Kerala
- (b) Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi
- (c) Chattrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai
- (d) Begumpet Airport, Hyderabad
- (e) Chennai International Airport, Chennai

**Q6. At which place the Ministry of Textiles recently organized "Kala Kumbh" exhibition to promote Geographical Indication (GI) craft and heritage of India?**

- (a) Chennai
- (b) Mumbai
- (c) Jaipur
- (d) Bhopal
- (e) New Delhi

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**Q7. \_\_\_\_\_ and Nepal have agreed to sign a Free Trade Agreement to enhance trade between the two countries.**

- (a) Afghanistan
- (b) India
- (c) Bangladesh
- (d) Pakistan
- (e) China

**Q8. External Affairs Minister Dr S Jaishankar will inaugurate Indian Pavilion at 70th Berlin International Film Festival. The film festival will be held in?**

- (a) Germany
- (b) France
- (c) Turkey
- (d) Italy
- (e) Spain

**Q9. According to the World Population Review report, which country has emerged as the 5th-largest world economy in 2019, overtaking the United Kingdom and France?**

- (a) China
- (b) Russia
- (c) Japan
- (d) India
- (e) South Korea

**Q10. Name the country which will host the FIFA U-17 Women's Football World Cup 2020.**

- (a) Pakistan
- (b) UAE
- (c) Bangladesh
- (d) Sri Lanka
- (e) India

**Q11. The resolution plan of JSW Steel to take over the bankrupt Bhushan Power and Steel has been approved by?**

- (a) National Company Law Appellate Tribunal
- (b) Supreme Court of India
- (c) Reserve Bank of India
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India

(e) Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority

**Q12. The Asian Football Confederation's "Grassroots Charter Bronze Level" membership has been allotted to which of the following football federation to enable the national body to promote its basic-level events as AFC recognised?**

- (a) China Football Federation
- (b) Bangladesh Football Federation
- (c) Pakistan Football Federation
- (d) All India Football Federation
- (e) Sri Lanka Football Federation

**Q13. Name the legendary women golfer who won 82 titles of Ladies Professional Golf Association (LPGA) Tour titles during a professional career lasting from 1954 to 1969.**

- (a) Kathy Whitworth
- (b) Mickey Wright
- (c) Louise Suggs
- (d) Patty Berg
- (e) Carol Mann



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**Q14. On which day the Soil Health Card Day is celebrated every year?**

- (a) 19th February
- (b) 17th February
- (c) 21st February
- (d) 22nd February
- (e) 16th February

**Q15. What is the official slogan of the FIFA Under-17 Women's Football World Cup 2020?**

- (a) Kick Off The Inequality
- (b) Kick Off The Football
- (c) Kick Off The Game

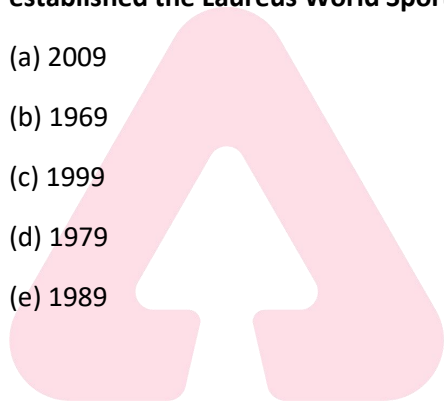
- (d) Kick Off The World Cup
- (e) Kick Off The Dream

**Q16. Name the country which will host 2021 Junior Men's Hockey World Cup.**

- (a) Russia
- (b) India
- (c) Australia
- (d) China
- (e) Japan

**Q17. In which year the Laureus Sport for Good Foundation founding patrons Daimler and Richemont established the Laureus World Sports Awards?**

- (a) 2009
- (b) 1969
- (c) 1999
- (d) 1979
- (e) 1989



**Q18. The Government of India has renamed 'The Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses' (IDSA) as?**

- (a) Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses
- (b) Arun Jaitley Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses
- (c) Lal Krishna Advani Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses
- (d) Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses
- (e) Murli Manohar Joshi Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses

**Q19. Where was the 5th edition of Difficult Dialogues held?**

- (a) Patna, Bihar
- (b) Surat, Gujarat
- (c) Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

- (d) Indore, Madhya Pradesh
- (e) Panaji, Goa

**Q20. Name the state where the brainstorming session “Chintan Shivir” was held to focus on the future prospects of the coal sector.**

- (a) Kerala
- (b) Gujarat
- (c) Tamil Nadu
- (d) Rajasthan
- (e) Haryana

**Q21. Name the player who has won the Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award in the Laureus Awards 2020.**

- (a) Vince Carter
- (b) Steve Nash
- (c) Jessica Olsson
- (d) Luka Doncic
- (e) Dirk Nowitzki



**Q22. Men’s Rugby Team of which country has won the Laureus World Team of the Year award in the Laureus Awards 2020?**

- (a) Turkey
- (b) China
- (c) South Africa
- (d) India
- (e) Russia

**Q23. ‘Carried on the shoulders of a nation’ \_\_\_\_\_ has won the Laureus Best Sporting Moment award in the Laureus Awards 2020.**

- (a) Lewis Hamilton

- (b) Lionel Messi
- (c) Dirk Nowitzki
- (d) Sachin Tendulkar
- (e) Oksana Masters

**Q24. Name the player who won the Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year 2020 award.**

- (a) Simone Biles
- (b) Gabby Douglas
- (c) Laurie Hernandez
- (d) Katelyn Ohashi
- (e) Larry Nassar

**Q25. During the "Chintan Shivar", Union Minister of Coal and Mines Shri Pralhad Joshi stated that India will put an end on importing thermal coal by which financial year?**

- (a) 2024-25
- (b) 2023-24
- (c) 2022-23
- (d) 2021-22
- (e) 2025-26

### Solutions

**S1. Ans.(a)**

**Sol.** Ashraf Ghani has won the Presidential elections of Afghanistan and will become the President of Afghanistan for the 2nd time.

**S2. Ans.(c)**

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**Sol.** The CII-ITC Centre of Excellence for Sustainable Development has certified “Indira Gandhi International Airport” of Delhi as India’s first single-use plastic-free airport.

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**Sol.** "Kick Off The Dream" is the official slogan of the FIFA Under-17 Women's Football World Cup 2020.

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**Sol.** The International Hockey Federation (FIH) has announced that India will host 2021 Junior Men's Hockey World Cup.

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**Sol.** The Government of India has renamed 'The Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses' (IDSA) as 'Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses'.

**S19. Ans.(e)**

**Sol.** The 5th edition of Difficult Dialogues started in Panaji, Goa.

**S20. Ans.(b)**

**Sol.** Gujarat hosts brainstorming session “Chintan Shivir” to focus on the future prospects of the coal sector.



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**Sol.** Dirk Nowitzki has won the Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award in the Laureus Awards 2020.

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