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Sixteen-year-old Illina Singh, author of 'The Gutsy Girls of Science' tells us why we need more Indian female scientists



Know more about the life and journey of actress Priyanka Chopra as a young reviewer gives us a glimpse of how **Bollywood works**



Leicester City end Burnley's mini-revival with 2-0 win



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JEE-Main first phase from April 16-17, second phase scheduled from May 24-29



will be conducted in April while the second phase is scheduled in May, officials of the National Testing Agency (NTA) said on Tuesday. The first phase of the engineering entrance exam will be conducted from April 16 to 21 and the second phase, from May 24 to 29, they said.

- **The Joint Entrance Examination-Main (JEE-**Main) comprises two papers:Paper one is conducted for admission to undergraduate engineering programmes - BE and B.Tech at NITs, IIITs and other centrally-funded technical institutions, and institutions and universities funded and recognised by participating state governments
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- It is also an eligibility test for JEE (Advanced), which is conducted for admission to IITs
- Paper two is conducted for admission to B.Arch and **B.Planning courses**

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Russia batters Ukraine; both sides say ready for more talks

From Ground Zero



- Russian airborne troops land in Ukraine's second city Kharkiv, claims control. Kharkiv, a largely Russianspeaking city near the Russian border, has a population of around 1.4 million. It has been a target for Russian forces since President Vladimir Putin launched an invasion of **Ukraine last Thursday**
- **Hundreds of thousands of** Ukrainians have fled the fighting. West of Kyiv, in the city of **Zhytomyr, four people, including** a child, were killed on Tuesday by a Russian cruise missile, a Ukrainian official said
- The United States closes its airspace to Russian planes as the Russian military attempted to encircle and subdue Ukrainian cities with intensifying bombardments on Wednesday, almost a week into an invasion that has sparked massive international sanctions
- Russia holds drills with nuclear subs. land-based missiles. Russian nuclear submarines sailed off for drills in the Barents Sea and mobile missile launchers roamed snow forests in Siberia.

OPERATION GANGA CONTINUES. Over next 3 days, 26 flights will bring back Indian citizens from Ukraine. Besides Romania's Bucharest and Hungary's Budapest, airports in Poland and Slovak Republic will also be used, the government has said. Meanwhile, a Russian diplomat has assured that Moscow is working g on creating safe passage for Indians



US will not engage in conflict with Russian forces in Ukraine: Biden

hile extending support to Kyiv in the ongoing Ukraine-Russia conflict, US President Joe Biden has reiterated that his country will not deploy troops in Ukraine against the Russian forces. Biden's remarks came during the first State of Union address delivered by him to a joint session of Congress at the Capitol on Tuesday. Condemning Russia's "premeditated attack" in Ukraine, Biden said that Russian President Vladimir Putin sought to shake the very foundation of the free world. He further said that the NATO alliance was created to secure peace and stability in Europe after World War II and the US stands with Ukraine in the ongoing conflict. However, Biden added that the US will not have boots on the ground in the ongoing war.



Putin signs decree on measures to ensure financial stability

ussian President Vladimir Putin signed a decree introducing temporary economic measures to ensure the country's financial stability, the Kremlin announced. These measures will be taken in response to anti-Russian sanctions by the US, other countries and international organisations, according to the decree. Among the measures, Russia will ban the outflow of foreign currencies in an amount exceeding the equivalent of \$10,000 starting Wednesday. Meanwhile, Russian foreign minister Sergei Lavrov said on Wednesday that if a third World War were to take place, it would involve nuclear weapons and be destructive

Lithuania, and Estonia -JOE BIDEN, US President

Virat Kohli's 100th Test match will be played in

front of spectators: BCCI

he first Test between India and Sri Lanka, which will be Virat Kohli's landmark 100th match, beginning in Mohali on Friday, will be played in front of spectators, reversing an earlier decision to hold the game behind closed doors. BCCI Secretary Jay Shah said in a statement on Tuesday that cricket fans will be able to witness the historic moment of Kohli playing his 100th Test match. Punjab Cricket Association confirmed that the Test match will be held at 50 per cent stadium capacity.

■ Earlier, it was decided that Kohli's landmark Test would be held behind closed doors. It led to widespread criticism, with many accusing the **BCCI** of not doing enough to celebrate the reigning superstar of Indian cricket

£9,256

rice of a tiny bean-sized fragment of the Winchcombe meteorite that crashed to Earth on a driveway in the Cotswolds, England last year. Weighing just 1.7gm, the fragment has by far exceeded its pre-sale estimate of somewhere between £3,707 to £5,932 (\$5,000 to £8,000). The sale, conducted by auctioneers Christie's in London on Wednesday, makes the precious piece of space rock 120 times the value of its weight in gold.

The Winchcombe meteorite fell from a fireball that

lit up the sky over the UK and northern **Europe on** February 28, 2021

The following morning, a pile of dark stones and powder from the object were found on the driveway of a family home in

Winchcombe, Gloucestershire, although further fragments

million miles from its 'primordial home' n the main asteroid belt between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter,

answer questions about how life began on Earth

Butterflies at risk from our mild winters



utterflies are facing extinction due to climate change, a study warns. Mild winters and cooler summers are leaving them more vulnerable to disease and predators, experts fear. According to experts, their numbers dropped in 40 of Britain's 57 species last year, making it their fourth worst year on record. It included a 59% drop for the White Admiral, a 48% fall for the Gatekeeper and a 42% decline

SEA-LEVEL RISE DAMAGE IN MUMBAI COULD BE \$162 BN/YR BY 2050: IPCC



he IPCC's latest report has warned that damage from sea-level rise in Mumbai alone could be up to \$162 billion a year by 2050. Around 35 million people in India could face annual coastal flooding. It added that heat and humidity will globally create conditions beyond human tolerance if emissions are not rapidly eliminated, and India will experience those conditions.

FACTOID

were found nearby

Scientists say the meteorite travelled more than 110

and that it may

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THEME FOR INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DRY 2022:

#BREAKTHEBIAS "She wasn't looking for a knight. She was

looking for a sword." -Atticus

Come celebrate International Women's Day with us and our list of Wonder Women from India and the world

What to expect

Inspiring profiles Stories of courage, of women who thought

differently, those who broke the glass ceiling, and those who challenged stereotypes

The Next Gen Along with established names, we bring you the

change of guard, girls who are well on their way to

■ Nearly 12k plus students and teachers took our poll to tell us their most inspiring women from all walks of life. We share the findings

Love is success

How is it when one loves what they do. It changes the way they approach it. Featuring real-life stories of those who converted their passion into success

PLUS: Trivia | Voices | Icons and MORE

ONLINE The celebrations continue online as we profile women and girls who are all set to #breakthebias

MARK YOUR DATE MARCH 8, 2022 **CHANGEMAKER**

When she couldn't find stories of Indian women scientists, 16-year-old author ILLINA SINGH decided to pen 'The **Gutsy Girls Of Science'** in which UNESCO came aboard as a collaborator. In this column, she offers a few reasons why we need more stories of Indian female scientists

t started with an innocuous question when I was researching my subject choice for senior school. I couldn't name any woman scientist apart from Marie Curie. In fact, I didn't seem to know any scientists who looked like me – female and Indian. Did India not have any women scientists?

Then, I came across news stories and a tweet by Union minister Smriti Irani that had pictures of 11 women scientists who had been recognised by the Indian government. As I read about them, I was really moved and inspired. I started painting their portraits and wrote little poems about them. Why had no one told me about them earlier?



How many Indian girls in STEM!

As I read more, I realised that against a global average of 33 per cent for women in science and research related jobs, India had only 14 per cent. It's a complicated issue. Think of a leaky pipeline which drips out female STEM talent at every stage – from higher education, enrolment in PhDs and then at the workplace. The leak I could identify with most was the one that happens in schools.



The missing link

I saw this firsthand when I was one of the few girls in my Math Society sessions and coding classes; interestingly the situation flipped in my art class, which hardly had enough boys. My grandmother shared that she had really wanted to study engineering, but it was not considered appropriate for girls at that their minds about the absent-mindpoint in time. We've come a long way now

- my mother is an engineer - but there still appears to be a tacit understanding that math and STEM subjects are too tough and perhaps better suited to boys. Science education needs to be made more fun and engaging and there must be more female role models introduced early, especially during the critical age of 13-17 years when girls decide their subject choices

When I ran a survey among fellow students and interviewed my school counsellor, everyone agreed that having more role models to emulate would help keep more girls in science. Globally, there is something known as the Sculley effect - young

girls who watched the female protagonist in a program named the 'X files' went on to study science in college. We can't be what we can't see. I

remember being very excited by the famous women of ISRO who helped put Mangalyan in space. They looked so comfortable in their skin with their gajras and saris and shattered all caricatures people have in

THE WRITING PART

I had started painting the portraits in April 2020, shortly after turning fifteen. I wrote as if I was trying to speak to a younger version of myself – it was a conversation, not a lecture. And my research went beyond the scientists themselves - I wanted the readers to develop curiosity about the science behind the scientists. That's why each chapter ends with an activity you can do to enjoy and understand the topic a little more. I hope these stories reach many young girls and boys across India and we move the needle on the number of women who follow STEM careers.

I look back with a smile at the incredible journey over the last two years. Here's how things unfolded. I wrote a letter to the PM once my paintings were ready and amazingly, he wrote back recognising my effort and encouraging me to write my book. Smriti Irani, whose tweet sparked the idea, tweeted her support of both my art and my writing - that really gave me confidence. Next, I wrote to UNESCO who provided the most in-depth research on women in STEM. Our meeting went very well – they loved my art and sincerity, and agreed to come on board as a partner in the project. The entire team at UNESCO guided me over the last two years to make the dream a reality.

I do believe that I was incredibly lucky; however, chance favours the prepared mind. My initiative

Ilina's Art Throb – seeks to use art for change. One of my previous projects, for example, was selected by WHO for their mental health awareness film in which I starred in the lead role. I combined my love for writing and coding to create a tool, www.ilinasartthrob.com, to point out whether a story is gender biased or not so that parents can select what their children should be exposed to. My current project is on reimagining female mythological figures as Indian teens. Art and science are just two ways to experience our world and make it better, ILLINA SINGH

HEALTH CORNER

Things to consider before getting





ting children vaccinated is important as they can be inected with Covid-19 that can have both short term and long term complications. Kids are also easy carriers of the virus and they may bring it to the elderly or immune Bangalore

s widely believed that get- compromised members of the family. If you have decided to vaccinate your child, here is how to plan and go about it, says Dr Madhu Jagalasar, Consultant - Paediatrics & Neonatology, Milann Fertility & Birthing Hospital, JP Nagar,

PRIOR TO VACCINATION

- Fix an appointment with your pediatrician/primary care doctor for your child's vaccination. Few centres have walk-in facilities.
- Help your child in understanding the need for shots to make it a positive and calm experience.
- Child's ID proof has to be carried along with other vaccine records.
- Keep the previous medical records with you that might help the health care provider to anticipate post vaccination issues such as allergic reactions/ anaphylaxis/ reaction to previous dose, etc.

DURING VACCINATION

The Covid-19 vaccine is a simple needle prick. The child needs to wait for 15-30 mins post shot, as some may have allergic reactions, though it is really rare. Make sure entry is done in the card and is also tagged with ID proof

of the child.

POST VACCINATION

Few symptoms that one can expect after vaccination are as follows: Pain at the injection site (sore arm)

• Fever • Fatigue • Headache Muscle painChills Joint painVomiting These symptoms usually go away in a day or so on their own. But one can seek your pediatrician/primary doctor for symptom management, especially for those with existing health issues like asthma, diabetes and so on.

VACCINE **AND DOSE**

mRNA vaccines do not contain any live parts of the vaccine but the protein content of the virus. It is given in 2 doses at 21-28 days apart.

■ Booster dose (in kids where it is indicated like in immunocompromised) is recommended at least 2 months after the first dose or 28 days after the second dose. Dose is half the adult dose in those less than 11 years and same as adult dose in those above 12 years.

WHAT IF THE CHILD IS

ALREADY INFECTED WITH COVID?

If the child is having an active Covid-19 infection, he/she should wait to get vaccinated until completely recovered. This also applies to children who get infected with Covid between their first and second dose. But if the child has had infection before, then the waiting period is three months to be vaccinated. And the number of doses is the same. There is no need to repeat the doses if the child has received it within the stipulated waiting period.

Seven things every daughter wants her father to say PARENTING



down, it is even more difficult for women to find a place for them-

selves. Fathers play an important role in shaping their daugh-

ters' lives and the women they grow up to be. They teach them resilience, independence and strength but it may not always be conveyed in the best manner. Knowing how to say the right things in the right way is one of the most important things that help strengthen relationships and build better bonds. So, here are seven things that every daughter needs to hear from her father.

Embrace and claim

Everything that the society constructs vis-à-vis gender, affects both the genders in one way or another. It is not uncommon to see girls being pulled down or shamed for simply claiming their strengths. Raising a daughter who understands that no matter what the society says, it is important for them to fully embrace and claim themselves. Not limiting oneself and saying out loud what one loves about themselves is not bragging or anything



negative in the least.

I support women

Believing in your daughter is not enough. It is equally important for her to know that you elieve in women and support them wholeheartedly. Your opinion about gender equality, equal rights and women's strength will greatly nfluence your daughter and instill in her the same beliefs. Make sure you start conversations about equal pay for women and how it is an anachronistic practise that does not deserve a place in the present day scenario.

You always look beautiful

Giving compliments when your daughter dresses up is important. However, making her realise that she is beautiful and every little thing that she does for herself enhances how she looks is important. Being dressed in pyjamas, working all night on a thesis should also be appreciated. Telling her that she is beautiful, irrespective of her outfit or make-up, is one of the most important things that will add to her self-confidence and help her look beyond stereotypical standards of beauty set up by the society.

Anger is natural and you are allowed to express it

While anger is mostly associated with negativity, it is demonised when women express it. By the time a girl turns ten, she is taught that expressing anger would not make her look good and isn't very 'feminine'. However, it is important for fathers to do away with these stereotypes and normalise the expression of intense emotions like anger, which is only human and irrespective of one's gender.

Help me out

Telling your daughter to claim her power and be a girl boss can sound like empty advice that isn't backed by any action. Telling your daughter to be a leader and making her do so are two different things. Asking for help, advice and opinions on important matters will strengthen their sense of self and also add to self-worth. However, ensure that asking for advice is followed by following the advice properly so that she knows that her words actually hold value.

You are more than just your looks

Even though a lot of us end up telling each other that looks don't matter, it is far from the reality. In the real world, especially among teens and young adults, looks play an important role in determining the way an individual is treated. Telling your daughter that she is more than her looks will reaffirm her faith in the often heard phrase and will also encourage a positive self-image.



HEARD OF ANCIENT GRAIN 'KAMUT'?

Old grains are making a comeback and how. Here, know all about the grain Kamut that is really ancient and is great for health

EGYPTIAN CONNECTION

Originating in Egypt, Kamut (kaa-moot) is an ancient grain that has been popular since 1990 and is rumoured to be found in the Egyptian tombs, which was brought to America in the 1900s. It's a trademarked name for Khorasan wheat that was introduced to food expert Bob Quinn in the year 1964 at a country fair. Bob studied the grain and returned to his family's farm in Montana, where he grew it along with his father Mack Quinn in the year 1989, which ultimately grew in popularity. Kamut is also called 'King Tut wheat' as it is believed that it was found at the ruler's tomb in Egypt.

KAMUT'S NUTRITIVE VALUE

➤ Size-wise, Kamut is larger than wheat but nutrition-wise it's very rich - it's high in manganese, iron, protein and vitamin B along with dietary fibre, and is easy to digest.

➤ The popularity of this grain is so much that it is being used to make dishes like pasta and pizza crust.

➤ One cup of cooked Kamut has 227 calories, 47 grams of carbohydrates, 1 gram of fat, 10 grams of protein and 7 grams of

GOOD

FOOD

MULTIPLE HEALTH BENEFITS

WEIGHT MAINTENANCE: Kamut's high protein and fibre content can promote weight loss by helping with satiety. According to one study, 30 grams

> can lead to weight loss and further benefits such as blood sugar control. BETTER DIGESTION: Kamut's fibre content

of fibre intake each day

alone is enough to reap benefits for your diges-tion and help lower cholesterol.

PROBIOTIC **BENEFITS:** Promotion of probiotic strain

growth may be another benefit of consuming Kamut found in a 2012 study. Probiotics keep your digestive tract in good shape.

HORMONE HEALTH: Our hormones can be affected by genetics, health, environment, and many other factors. Selenium is a vital nutrient for hormonal health. If you are deficient in selenium, your thyroid

hormone production may drop. **BOOSTS IMMUNITY:** A zinc deficiency

could make you more prone to infections caused by immune dysfunction. Studies have shown zinc to be helpful in reducing symptoms of the common cold and fighting against viral infections.

FOR BONE HEALTH: Manganese plays a role in the body's bone formation processes. Furthermore, Kamut is rich in phosphorus, which is also important for bone health.

HOW TO COOK

Soak kamut overnight first and then cook in an instant pot or stovetop method. You can also cook it like boiled rice by boiling in enough water for 40-45 minutes. This grain is best used in salads, soup/stew or can



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It's not just a place where you get to learn Einstein's Theory of Relativity. It's also a place where you can think beyond the classroom. Hence we say, SCHOOL IS COOL!

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Promoting a scientific bent of mind

ly lead to a sustainable future.

PBDAV Model School celebrat-

ed the day on its premises. Activ-

ities were presented by children

programmes

related to the theme of this

year, 'Integrated Approach

in Science and Technol-

ogy for a Sustainable

started off with prayer

and lighting of the lamp

by teacher in-charge Sas-

tri, Science HOD Ranganaya-

yarekha, Lakshmi Srinivasan,

Bearing this thought in mind,

"The essence of Science is independent thinking, hardwork," and trying to find a solution sciand other teachers too joined the pendent thinking, hardwork, entifically which would ultimate prayer.

ational Science Day is celebrated on February 28 every year in memoand his discovery of Raman Effect. This day is observed to promote the importance of science inspiration to all those young achievers who are constantly in-

PBDAV Model School

ry of Dr C V Raman in day-to-day life. Sir Raman is an

volved in observing, identifying a problem in their surroundings

Hyderabad





Primary children presented models and activities on the importance of vitamins, Covid rules, traffic rules, photosynthesis, and conversation titled 'I am not a Nomad' which illustrated the ways of living for sustainability. Senior children performed ex-

periments, dance, song and mime related to the theme of the year. Nileena presented the vote of thanks.

The programmes helped ki, senior teachers Srividya, Bhag- instill scientific attitude among

A peek into year-long learning

harokha, the window of reflection, is an annual event where pre-primary students of Ganges Valley School celebrate and showcase the yearlong learning in the form of activities, models and games.

Activities such as reading, roleplays, presentations

Ganges Valley School Hyderabad

on animals, and many more stole the show during the celebrations this year. The little ones astounded the teachers and the parents with their excellent oratory skills explaining the concepts they

The competent and confident students presented their learning with conviction. As a doctor and a hairdresser, they got into the skin of their roles and had fun playing 'Who took the cookie from the cookie jar', dice game, musical game for sight words and a card games on before and after numbers. Their dexterous

fingers made patterns using colours. Reading CVC words from the flower petal and identifying vowels and consonants in the game, 'Who took the cookie from the cookie jar' the students reflected the depth of their understanding of the concepts. Jharokha this year too proved to be a grand event despite being held online.

Wild dreams



All that running didn't get me anywhere Running to the end of the horizon Just to watch the sunlight slip away from my fingertips; The Earth's golden orb gradually fading into oblivion; As the sky bled until it became lifeless. Wishing that time would stop for just a moment so that I could ride with the sun as fate decided it's course Despite it all, I was still stuck there And fear gripped my eyes, As the shadows crept beside me and chased me into the dead of night

Where the black birds used to sing their song But it was silence that broke itself this time And I was left in solitude waiting to wake up from this nightmare For things to go back how they used to be in those dusty polaroids The way the sun kissed my face and my head would be in the

Where time had nowhere to go and so it stayed "Forever never lasts", I learnt that the hard way So I opened my eyes one last time My cheeks damp and cold somehow And I gazed at the empty darkness above The planets were perfectly aligned

with a billion bright lights that accompanied them And things started making sense again Time slowed yet once more

And I could hear my heart beating, my breaths fast and unsteady; The melody of the black birds resonating around me; Smell the fragrance of the roses that got caught in the current of the wind;

See the scars of the trees that they unveiled

And it was peaceful It was time to end the chase

It was time to stop.

And the sky changed its colour to cinnamon and a warm feeling tingled in my bones

The sun had returned because it was not ready to bid goodbye yet It had lived

It had survived the realms of the unknown

And as destiny would have it, things went back to how they were in those polaroids

Beautiful and sweet.

MAANYA ARORA, class IX, Army Public School, Bolarum

My heart can sense something

Like the house is kept clean, With the broom it is seen; To prevent insects from entering, My heart can sense something

The mind is like a house, It has to be kept clean With positive thoughts, like a beautiful scene; My heart can sense something

If one keeps positive thoughts in mind, And keep it clean and fresh The insects, like bad thoughts And negative thoughts won't enter; My heart can sense something

The mind is the house, Positive thoughts are the broom, Insects are the negative thoughts So be clean inside and out, And your heart will sense something

BHAVYA MANGRAUTHIA, class VIII-A, Delhi School Of Excellence, Attapur



Young mountaineer reaches heights of success



he above proverb was proved right by none other than Telukunta Virat Chandra of class III studying in Gitanjali Devshala. This young mountaineer champ never stopped his journey and summitted Mt. Kilimanjaro, the highest peak of the African continent, which is at a height of 5895 mts. To achieve this, he had to undergo rigorous training sessions, altitude training, climb at tempera-

tures ranging between -20 degrees

to + 40 degrees with utmost zeal

Gitanjali Devshala

'A JOURNEY OF 1000 MILES STARTS WITH A SINGLE STEP..."

and determination.

Virat's achievement has been recorded in Asia Book of Records and India Book of Records.

Furthermore, January 24, 2022 was a proud moment for Gitanjali Devshala and for the entire Gitanjali fraternity as, ahead of Republic Day, Prime Minister Narendra Modi virtually interacted with the Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar

(PMRBP) awardees from different states and Virat Chandra was one among them. A medal, cash prize of Rs. 1 Lakh each and a certificate were presented to all the awardees.

Virat went on to prove that no height is unsurmountable and the sky is the limit when you set your heart towards something which you are so passionate about. This achievement is most appreciated and applauded with wishes to reach greater heights of success in times to come.

How would you like to be remembered?

bout a hundred years ago, a man looked at the morning newspaper and to his utter horror, saw his name in the obituary column. The newspaper had reported the death of the wrong person by

His first response was shock. Am I here or there! When he regained his composure, his second thought was to find out what people said about him. The obituary read, "Dynamic King Dies" and also that he was the "merchant of death".

This man was the inventor of dynamite and when he read the words "merchant of death" he asked himself a question," Is this how I am going to be remembered?" He contemplated and decided that this was not the way he wanted to be remembered and from that day on, he started working towards peace. His name



is Alfred Nobel and is remembered today by the great Nobel Prizes that are given for achievements in various

Just as Alfred Noble got in touch with his feelings and redefined his values, we are called to challenge ourselves to do the same.

Life is full of challenges and surprises. Believe in yourself and always look at the positive side of life. Love selflessly, forgive willingly, share generously, serve wholeheartedly be responsible and accountable.

A S PRATIMA, Biology educator, Gautami Vidya Kshetra

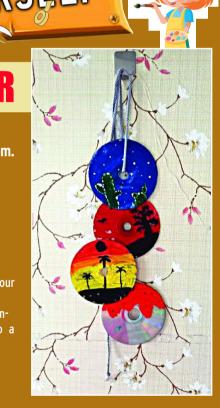
DO IT YOURSELF **CD WALL DECOR** Do you have any old CDs? You can turn them into a pretty wall hanging decor item. MATERIALS REQUIRED • 3-4 old CDs (more can be taken) Poster colours Brushes, Thread

PROCEDURE Paint the CDs directly with a brush and poster colour as per your wish, like a scenery, portraits or any design. Let them dry. Attach them in a zig zag manner with fewikwik or double tape and then tie it to a

Fewikwik or doubletape

K SRI SAI PARNIKA, class V-B, Santinos Global School, Hyderabad

hook using thread. Your wall hanging is ready!



MOVIE REVIEW: DORA AND THE LOST CITY OF GOLD ora and the Lost City of Gold is an

adventure movie about how Dora and her friends use all their powers of deduction to save themselves and Dora's parents. The adventurous Dora is a jungle explorer. Along with her cousin Diego, she explores different parts of the jungle she lives in. But all that changes when Diego moves away and her parents get lost in the quest to find 'The Lost City of Gold,' also known as Parapata.

OUR REVIEW:

MITHRA: This is an overall enjoyable movie, but I think Boots the monkey should have been given more screen time. The adventure storyline is spellbinding and the movie is very humourous. suggest you watch this movie!

KEERTHANA: This movie is fantastic. But I wish it were an animated movie. The character of Dora is outstanding. This is an amusing movie. I'm sure you will like every minute of it!

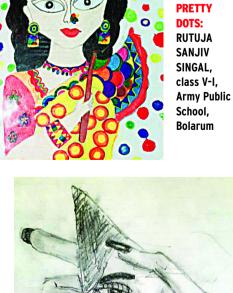
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CUTTING EDGE: MANYA, class V, Jain Heritage A Cambridge School, Kondapur





CESTER DENT BURNLEY SURVIVAL



Subs Maddison and Vardy ensure 2-0 win, to move to 12th in PL placing

ubstitutes James Maddison and Jamie Vardy came off the bench to score for Leicester City as they ended Burnley's minirevival with a 2-0 win at Turf Moor in the Premier League on Tuesday. Brendan Rodgers' side stole the points with two goals in the last eight minutes as Vardy set up James Maddison and then netted himself. Two wins and a draw in their last three games meant Sean Dyche's Burnley would have got out of the bottom three

THE WINNING PAIR

with victory over the Foxes but Brendan Rodgers's side were

nal third that they needed to finish off Burnley.

deserved winners. The double substitution in the 72nd minute gave Leicester the extra level of quality in the fi-

The pair combined for the opener when Maddison fired Leicester ahead in the 82nd minute, collecting a lay off from Vardy and beating Burnley keeper Nick Pope with a superb curling shot. Vardy, making his return to action after two months out with injury, made sure of the three points with a straightforward header after being picked out by a perfect cross from Harvey Barnes

Vardy was delighted to have found the target and bagged three points on his return. "It has been a long time coming. It is tough getting a big injury. To come back and to be involved in both goals and get the win, it is very good," said the forward. "I came on, tried to make that impact which I managed to do and we took the three points. It feels massive. I think performances have been getting better and better,

Leicester's first win in 2022 moves them up to 12th place on 30 points.

VERY FEW OPENINGS

With Burnley defender Ben Mee forced off with an injury before the interval, the hosts were vulnerable and Pope had to come to their rescue again. Pope keept them on level terms for long. The England international kept out early efforts from Ricardo Pereira and Patson Daka and then produced a superb full-stretch save to keep out a Barnes effort just before Leicester took the lead.

Burnley had plenty of pressure but too few openings with their best chance to take the lead falling to Maxwel Cornet, who poked wide when faced with the advancing Kasper Schmeichel. Wout Weghorst missed a great chance to equalise after Maddison's opener but fired over the bar at the back post from a corner.

Burnley remain in the relegation zone, one point below Everton, after their three-game unbeaten run came to an end in painful fashion. A win or draw would have taken Burnley out of the bottom three for the first time since November. But instead they will have to get over a gut punch of a defeat that keeps their top-flight status in severe peril.

"We weren't as good as we have been, particularly in the first half. Without being terrible, we just let soft things against us, didn't play with enough tempo," Burnley boss Sean Dy-

MIDDLESBROUGH SHOCK SPURS



Middlesbrough produced another FA Cup shock to extend Tottenham's long wait for silverware with a 1-0 win after extra time at the Riverside on Tuesday, while Manchester City eased into the last eight with a 2-0 victory at Peterborough. A goal at the start of the second half of extra time earned Middlesbrough a 1-0 win over Tottenham in the fifth round of the competition on Tuesday. The team coached by Chris Wilder, who worked wonders with Sheffield United in its recent stint in the Premier League, needed to win a penalty shootout at Old Trafford to get past United in the fourth round. This time, victory was wrapped up earlier when 19-year-old substitute Josh Coburn just stayed onside to run onto a through-ball and smash a rising finish into the top corner. It ensured there will be lower-league representation in the draw for the quarterfinals, though it was the only surprising result Tuesday.

MAN CITY EASE INTO FA CUP QUARTERS

- Manchester City, the Premier League champion, dispatched another second-tier team in Peterborough in a routine 2-0 victory even if the goals came in the second half through Riyad Mahrez and Jack Grealish.
- Grealish and Phil Foden sat next to each other on the team bus on the way to the game against Peterbrough and scrolled through videos of Lionel Messi to fill the time. Turns out they got some inspiration.
- Grealish's 67th-minute goal, which made it 2-0 and ended any realistic hopes of a shock by Peterborough, was one Messi would have been proud of. Foden collected the ball just inside Peterborough's half and floated a defense-splitting ball forward to Grealish, who caressed it with his right foot

and produced a deft finish with his left. Mahrez gave City a 60th-minute lead against the last-place team in the Championship.

ROHIT SET FOR NEW ERA

India's Test captain on Friday when the two-match series against Sri Lanka begins, as predecessor Virat Kohli makes a landmark 100th appearance

Rohit is now in charge across all formats, succeeding Kohli who drove India up the world rankings but failed to lift any international silverware. Rohit, 34, reasserted his white-ball leadership credentials with a 3-0 Twenty20 sweep of Sri Lanka on Sunday that gave India a record-equalling 12th straight win.

Batsman Shreyas Iyer lauded the new captain for his hands-on approach with players ahead of the match in Mohali. "He is amazing. He thinks from a player's point of view," Iyer said. "He has got that mindset, where he connects to every individual and knows what he needs from support staff and coaches. I really respect him a lot."

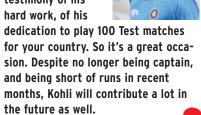
Spotlight on Kohli

The spotlight though will be on "King Kohli" who shocked fans when he quit as Test skipper following his 99th Test at the end of

ohit Sharma begins a new era as India's 2-1 series loss in South Africa in Jan-his undoing as leader and Rohit was an obviheights including a stay at the top of the Test rankings for over three years.

But Kohli's inability to win a global trophy for a cricket-obsessed India seemed to be

A win over Sri Lanka would be a perfect gift for Kohli. It's a testimony of his hard work, of his



India's new vice-captain **JASPRIT BUMRAH**

uary. The star batsman led India to great ous successor, having led Mumbai Indians to a record five IPL titles.

Challenge ahead for SL

Sri Lanka sit at the top of the ICC Test championship points table with a 2-0 series sweep of West Indies after depending on their spinners in Galle, but the slow bowlers will not find it easy against India's solid batting

India also possess a potent spin attack and Sri Lanka's batsmen such as captain Dimuth Karunaratne and Dhananjaya de Silva will be challenged by Ravichandran Ashwin and Ravindra Jadeja operating on their home turf. "Dimuth Karunaratne is one of the best Test openers and he is going to be crucial up the order," Sri Lanka's cricketer-turned-commentator Russel Arnold was quoted as saying. "In the bowling department, they have Dushmantha Chameera, Lahiru Kumara, Lasith Embuldeniya and Suranga Lakmal. To win a Test match, you have to keep going for a longer period. I think this batch can do that,' the former player added. AFP

FIRED-UP **SVITOLINA** BEATS RUSSIAN **ANASTASIA**

ressed in Ukraine's blue and gold colours, a fired-up Elina Svitolina thrashed Russian Anastasia Potapova 6-26-1, in Mexico and said it was her mission to unite the tennis world behind her country. Svitolina had initially re-

fused to play her opening match against Potapova at the Monterrey Open but went ahead after tennis authorities decided to ban Russian and Belarusian players from competing under the name and flag of their countries. "I think it's my mission to unite our tennis community to stand with Ukraine, to help Ukraine because what we're going through is a horrible thing for all Ukrainians," former world number three Svitolina said. "That's why I'm here. That's why I'm playing for my country and doing my best using my platform and using my resources to try to invite people to support Ukraine."



Elina Svitolina

In Lyon, fellow Ukrainian Dayana Yastremska collapsed in a heap on court after her victory over Romanian Ana Bogdan at the WTA 250 tournament. The 21-year-old and her younger sister had spent two nights in an underground car park last week before their parents sent by boat to Romania. "I'm happy that I won for my country, but at the same time I'm very sad," said Yastremska, who wrapped herself in an Ukrainian flag. REUTERS

QUIZ TIME!

Q1. Usain Bolt is considered as the greatest sprinter of all times. Which country does he represent?

- a. USA
- b. Kenya
- c. Jamaica d. Nigeria
- 2. When was the new name of Badminton World Federation adopted?
- a. 1986
- b. 1990
- c. 2006 d. 1999

- 3. Who among the following have contributed to the Olympic theme music?
- a. Mark Watters
- b. John Williams
- c. Henry Mancini d. All of the above

Q4. The World Military Cup organized by the **International Military Sports** Council (CISM) involves which of the following sports?

- a. Cricket b. Football
- c. Volleyball
- d. Basket Ball
- 5. In which year did Viswanathan Anand

became a chess Grand Master?

a. 2001 b. 1998 c. 1988 d. 2014



Q6. Which team won the Under-19 Cricket World Cup 2020 title?

- a. Bangladesh
- b. India
- c. Australia d. Pakistan

7. Which country is the birthplace of Badminton?

- a. China
- b. Denmark
- c. New Zealand
- d. India

• Which country's national O. football team is nicknamed "The Three Lions"?

- a. Argentina
- b. Italy c. Germany
- d. England

Who has scalped the most wickets in a single Cricket **World Cup tournament?**

- a. Mitchell Starc
- b. Glenn McGrath
- c. Mohammed Shami
- d. Zaheer Khan

ISWERS: 1. a. USA 2. c. 2006 3. d. All of the above 4. b. Football

5. c. 1988 6. a. Bangladesh 7. d. India 8. d. England 9. a. Mitchell Starc