



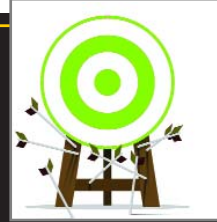
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STUDENT EDITION

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**WHEN LATA HAD 20
PHONE CALLS WITH
HER BIOGRAPHER**

In 2009, her biography 'Lata Mangeshkar ...In Her Own Voice', penned by British author and television documentary producer Nasreen Munni Kabir was released. Published by Niyogi Books, the book contains details of Lata Mangeshkar's career and life, and also features extensive conversations of the author and the singer from May 2008 to March 2009. The conversations between the two took 20 sessions through phone calls

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LATA MANGESHKAR (1929-2022)

■ Lata didi cremated with full state honours
■ Two-day national mourning

■ Flags on all the Government buildings across India will fly at half mast from February 6 to February 7

■ PM attends state funeral in Mumbai

■ Indian cricket team wears black armbands in the 1,000th ODI as a mark of respect

Farewell, India's nightingale

The end of an era", "an artiste born but once in centuries" and a "void that cannot be fulfilled", is how prominent personalities, led by President Ram Nath Kovind and PM Narendra Modi, mourned the passing away of singing icon Lata Mangeshkar on Sunday. Regarded as one of Indian cinema's greatest playback singers, Mangeshkar started her career at the age of 13 in 1942 and has sung over 25,000 songs in various Indian lan-

The singer, known as the Melody Queen of India, was awarded with the Bharat Ratna, India's highest civilian honour, as well as the Padma Bhushan, the Padma Vibhushan and the Dada Saheb Phalke Award

guages. In her over seven-decade career, she has sung a host of memorable tracks, including 'Ajeeb dastan hai ye', 'Pyar kiya to darna kya' and 'Neela asman so gaya'. Born in Maharashtra on Sept 28, 1929, Mangeshkar first sang at religious gatherings with her father, who was also a trained singer. After she moved to Mumbai, she became a star with immensely popular appeal, enchanting audiences with her smooth but sharp voice and immortalising Hindi music for decades to come.

LITTLE-KNOWN FACTS ON THE MELODY QUEEN



- 1 The Guinness Book of Records in 1974 had listed Lata Mangeshkar as the most recorded artiste
- 2 Mangeshkar was an ardent cricket fan, who witnessed 1983 World Cup victory and even threw a free concert for the team to raise money for them. She apparently has a permanent gallery reserved for her at the Lord's Stadium from where she enjoyed watching her favourite game
- 3 She was also nominated as a member of Rajya Sabha in 1999. Lata didi did not take a single penny or a salary or a house in Delhi for her services
- 4 She designed for an Indian diamond export company called Adora. The collection was called Swaranjali and five pieces from this collection were auctioned at Christies and raked in ₹105,000. She donated the money for the 2005 Kashmir earthquake relief

WORLD PAYS TRIBUTE

“The voice of a million centuries.... her voice resounds now in the Heavens! Prayers for calm and peace
Amitabh Bachchan, Actor

“We join India in paying tribute to legendary singer, who passed away today. History will mark her contribution to India's music in golden words. #LataMangeshkar #LataDidi"
US Embassy in India

“Somebody like Lataji is not just a singer, not just an icon. (She is) I think a part of the soul, a part of the consciousness of India, Hindustani music, Hindi poetry, Urdu poetry, Bengali, and so many other languages she sang in. And this void is going to remain forever for all of us
AR Rahman, music director

“Lata Mangeshkar gave life to the phrase 'music is a universal language'. RIP #LataMangeshkar
Mahinda Rajapaksa, PM, Sri Lanka

■ Known as the Nightingale of India, and simply the legend, Mangeshkar started training in singing at the age of five. Her last recorded song was released in March 2019. It was called 'Saugandh Mujhe Is Mitti Ki'

■ She was the first Indian to have performed in the Royal Albert Hall, London, in 1974

■ Such was the pull of her voice that Bade Ghulam Ali sahab, a musician that Mangeshkar greatly admired, is believed to have said that Kambakht kabhi besuree hee nahee hoti (She can never be out of tune)

■ Many, including some of the biggest musicians and actors, equated her voice with that of 'Goddess Saraswati'. And fate willed it that she died a day after Saraswati Puja

■ The perfume Lata Eau de Parfum was named after Lata Mangeshkar in 1999

India's digital currency to debut by early 2023

India's very own official digital currency is likely to debut by early 2023, which will mirror any of the currently available private company-operated electronic wallets, but with a change that it will be a sovereign-backed facility, a top government source said. A top government source, who wished not to be identified said, the digital currency issued by the RBI would be numbered in units, just like every fiat currency (a government-issued currency that is not backed by a commodity such as gold) has an unique number.



IN OTHER NEWS

GOOGLE CHROME GETS NEW LOGO AFTER 8 YEARS

Google is changing its Chrome browser logo for the first time in eight years. Elvin Hu, a designer for Google Chrome, offers a first look at the logo's redesign in a thread on Twitter. The icon has been simplified/flattened by removing the shadows. The colours are brighter and the proportions are different, making the big blue ball in the middle noticeably bigger. Google also is tweaking it further with different variations designed to look more at home on Windows, MacOS and iOS. The new Google Chrome logo will be live for users across all devices with the release of Chrome 100 soon.

1,000

That's the number of One Day Internationals, India completed on Sunday, when Team India took on West Indies at the Narendra Modi stadium in

FACTOID

Ahmedabad. Interestingly, India is the first and only team to achieve this feat. Australia has played the second-most ODIs in the world with 958 matches while Pakistan has played 936 ODIs. England is in the seventh spot on the list of most ODIs played after having played 761 matches in the 50-over format.



■ In the 999 ODIs played earlier, India accounts for 518 wins and 431 losses. The Men in Blue had played their

500th match in 2002 and two decades later, the side has now reached the milestone of playing 1000 ODIs. ■ In India's 100th ODI, Kapil Dev was the captain while Sourav Ganguly had led the side in the Men in Blue's 500th ODI.

MANNER OF SPEAKING



BREAK THE ICE

Be a cool conversationalist with the help of the following tips

Being able to start a meaningful conversation is an important skill that you can use to build and strengthen relationships. When you meet someone for the first time, you can make specific word choices to create a positive first impression.

1 Show your interest in the person you're talking to. People just love to talk about themselves, so to break the ice, let them talk. Listen carefully, and try to look interested in what the other person says.

2 Let the other person explain things you don't know. If the person you're talking to mentions something new to you, ask him or her to explain that thing in detail to you so that your conversation lasts longer.

3 Share your experience. If the other person mentions something familiar to you or you've also gone through the same situation, don't hesitate to share your experience. This way you two will become closer.

4 Be clued in: You may not like reading much, but talking about something in news or trending is a useful way to revive a

conversation that has come to an uncomfortable silence.

5 Give a compliment: Complimenting someone whom you have met for the first time can lead to an ongoing and pleasant conversation. You can pick anything about the person you like and say something nice about them.

6 Ask an opinion: To start conversation with someone you do not know, you can ask someone's opinion on a



particular topic. When you give importance to the opinions of others, you can showcase your willingness to talk to that person.

7 Learn from the best. Watch famous conversationalists on the TV, or follow their channels on the Internet. You'll learn how to ask questions, which questions to ask, how to use pauses, and which jokes are appropriate.

8 Make an observation. The environment in which you live or work can provide ample opportunities to start a conversation. For example, you can comment on the building, artwork or temperature.

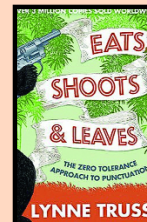
USE THE F.O.R.D. TECHNIQUE

Remember these letters. They'll come in very handy when you're making small talk.

- **F-amily:** Who all are there in your family? Have you been living here for a long time? What do you like most about this city?
- **O-cupation:** What do you do for a living? What are you currently working on? What is the most difficult part of your profession?
- **R-ecreation:** What do you do in your free time? How did you get so fit? How long have you been playing tennis?
- **D-reams:** What is your biggest dream? What have you always wanted to do?

PORE OVER

Must reads for language lovers



1. Eats, Shoots & Leaves: The Zero Tolerance Approach to Punctuation

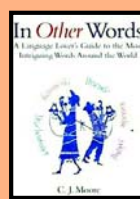
By Lynne Truss

In *Eats, Shoots & Leaves*, former editor Lynne Truss, gravely concerned about our current grammatical state, boldly defends proper punctuation. She proclaims, in her delightfully urbane, witty, and very English way, that it is time to look at our commas and semi colons and see them as the wonderful and necessary things they are.

2. In Other Words: A Language Lover's Guide to the Most Intriguing Words Around the World

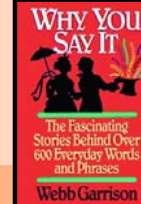
By CJ Moore

A unique collection of "untranslatable" and culturally-bound words from around the world. After all, what other word is there for the barefaced gutsy presumption encapsulated by the Yiddish word *chutzpah*?



3. Why You Say It by Webb Garrison

As one can probably ascertain from the title, the book explores the unusual (if not outright unexpected) origins of various English idioms. Over 600 figurative phrases — some widespread, some rare — come alive through Webb Garrison's fascinating research.



4. Don't sleep, There Are Snakes

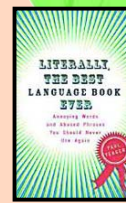
by Daniel L Everett

Travel deep inside the Amazon rainforest and learn all about some indigenous peoples and how they communicate. Piraha exists as a nearly autonomous, unique linguistic entity separate from all others, therefore providing a largely undisturbed look at how language and thought interact. And, of course, influence one another.



5. Literally, The Best Language Book Ever by Paul Yeager

For the more conservative linguistics buff out there, this one distills humour from extremely common grammar and spelling mistakes. At the same time, it educates readers looking for advice on polishing their writing.



WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

IRONY VS SARCASM



Verbal irony is a figure of speech that communicates the opposite of what is said, while sarcasm is a form of irony that is directed at a person, with the intent to criticise. Irony is a literary device in which contradictory statements or situations

reveal a reality that is different from what appears to be true.

To understand this better, imagine a situation where a person who speaks a lot, is silent when he is asked a question. This is an example of irony.

Sarcasm, on the other hand, is a conversational device characterised by saying the opposite of what one means. Sarcasm comes from the Greek "sarkázein," meaning to "tear flesh" and indeed, sarcasm is deployed in a mocking, sneering, and often witty tone. This means it can be self-deprecating, with the speaker mocking themselves; or aimed at someone else, in a teasing manner.



Queries relating to language skills

Do you find grammar confusing? Do you get stuck with words when writing a letter, an essay or a blog? Do you have a fear of public speaking? Or do you simply want to improve your communication skills? Times NIE is here to help you to master the intricacies of the English language. Just shoot us your queries on toinie175@gmail.com



NEW LEXICON

CLASSROOM CHATTER

Five terms that are trending in educational terminology at the moment

Flipped Classroom: A flipped classroom is a model of learning where students gain first exposure to new material outside of class, usually via reading or lecture videos, and then use class time to do the harder work of assimilating that knowledge, perhaps through problem-solving, discussion, or debates. This is the reverse of the more common practice of introducing new content at school, then assigning homework and projects to completed by the students independently at home.

Growth Mindset: There are two main mindsets we can navigate life with: growth and fixed. Having a growth mindset is essential for success. Students with a growth mindset believe that they can improve through hard work, thrive on challenge, and see failure as an opportunity to do better. For teachers,

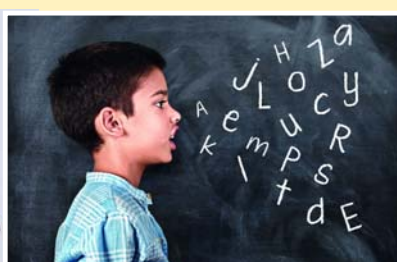


there are many ways you can build a growth mindset.

Scaffolding: An instruction method where a teacher models or offers supports and then steps back to allow

students to try it on their own. For example, in teaching a child to ride a bike, the training wheels serve as one scaffold. The adult running alongside the bike serves as another. This

process in education is also sometimes called "I do. We do. You do." In other words, the teacher shows how something is done, then the class practices together and finally,



METACOGNITION

Thinking about thinking, or reflecting upon one's learning experience. This method of self-awareness helps students learn how to reflect upon their learning process. Metacognition can be done through writing, reflection exercises, vlogging, or even through meditation.

students work individually.

SEL: Social-Emotional Learning is the process through which children and adults acquire and apply the knowledge, attitude, and skills necessary to understand and manage emotions. It's also about setting and achieving positive goals, feeling and showing empathy for others and establishing positive relationships.

WORD GETS AROUND

LEARN A LANGUAGE ON YOUR NEXT TRIP



Finding yourself travelling in a foreign country before feeling completely comfortable in their language can feel daunting. Getting by while travelling without communicating is nearly impossi-

ble. From reading street signs to asking for directions, ordering in a restaurant or making purchases from local stores, you will have to communicate at some point during your trip in order to have a comfortable stay.

Follow our tips on how to travel and learn a language at the same time:

1 Immerse yourself fully: Linguists recommend complete immersion in a foreign language because there is truly no better re-

SPANISH PHRASES FOR BEGINNERS:

1. *Buenos días* = Good morning
2. *Buenas tardes* = Good afternoon
3. *Buenas noches* = Good evening
4. *Estoy bien, gracias* = I'm well thank you
5. *Mucho gusto* = Nice to meet you
6. *Yo no comprendo* = I do not understand
7. *Te extraño* = I miss you



fully to how native speakers sound when using the word. Then, you can try to imitate it.

3 Be curious: Read articles and books in the language on subjects you're interested in (e.g. a famous museum or a favourite sport.). This will help you make conversation. Other fun ways to improve your language skills include reading blogs, listening to podcasts and watching videos with subtitles in the original language.

4 Get out and meet people: Go to social events (like parties or student meetings) and make new friends in the language. Or try and set up a language exchange with a native speaker for a couple of hours a week — it's the perfect way to practice.

5 Overcome the fear of mistakes: Learning a new language while you are travelling can be tough and you will no doubt hit a few plateaus, so be sure to motivate yourself by reflecting often on how much much you've learnt and the interactions you've had where you have been able to get closer to people.

placement for the experience. You may not know your full potential when it comes to learning and speaking a foreign language until you are forced to do it.

2 Imitate accent and tones: The advantage of being around native speakers of the language you are learning is that you will be able to mimic their attitudes and tones. To learn a language while travelling, keep an app or language dictionary handy to look up new words and phrases. Once you learn a new word, be sure to listen care-

THE EDUCATIONIST

Building resilience in students

As we are all set to embrace the pandemic and have called students back to school after a protective break of three weeks. I have seen the excitement in students as they rush back to school to be back with friends and teachers. The closure of schools has certainly led to learning loss in the basics of many students. The emotional support which they got from teachers and friends was missing. Sitting in front of the screen every day was taxing though we had art, music, physical exercises and all the competitions yet that

SUNIR NAGI,
Principal,
Pallavi Model
School, Alwal



human touch was missing. The need of the hour is to Build Resilience in students. It is not

innate and all stakeholders will have to hold hands to nurture it. We do keep telling children that change is the only constant, so let's embrace it and learn to be resilient. Teachers are looking for novel ways to bridge the learning gaps, CBSE has been conducting webinars for teachers to train them further in using innovative techniques and technology to address this issue. Let's learn to live with the pandemic, be masked, maintain social distance and practice hand hygiene and we are good to go...let us strive to give the best to the future generations of the world.

A JOY FILLED CELEBRATION OF ANNUAL SPORTS FEST

Army Public School Bolarum hosted Desportivo-2021-22, an annual inter-school sports fest through online mode. As many as 1400 students from 45 schools across the country participated in this event.

The inaugural ceremony was graced and inaugurated by Commandant, 1 EME Centre and Chairman, APSB along with SO to Commandant, and Smitha Govind, Principal, APSB, for the lamp lighting ceremony upon which the chairman declared the sports fest open.

The Chairman stressed upon the value of sports in shaping the life of students and how they aid in bringing everyone together. He said that one could create a healthy family, healthy society, and a healthy nation only by organising such events from time to time and also to help instill discipline, team spirit and enable students to become worthy citizens. School sports captains Kiran Balyan and Divyansh Rai joined with representatives from all the participating schools for the oath-taking ceremony. Thereafter participants joined in through various links as per their category and exhibited prodigious sports.



Fun and interesting events such as flamingo balance, frog jump, identify the object, hula hoop, skipping and yoga were held for junior wing students. Students from the senior wing participated in circuit relay, combination jumping jack, rhythmic aerobics, sports quiz, and yoga. This mega event added another feather to the

cap and reiterated the fact that nothing can stop the indomitable spirit of APSB from achieving milestones. Smitha Govind congratulated the winners and all the students who participated in this event and recognised the efforts of the organisers who worked hard to make this event a mammoth success.

FOR THE LOVE OF THE NATION



"Patriotism is a thing of the heart. A man is a patriot if his heart beats true to his country." - Charles E. Jefferson

Amulya Nidumolu and Mahitha Kakarala,
Student Editors, Ganges Valley School

Republic Day marks and celebrates the day on which the Constitution of India came into effect, on January 26, 1950. The students of Ganges Valley School observed our country's 73rd Republic Day with great zeal and élan.

The online program to celebrate this historic day was fully loaded with an interesting and colourful spread of presentations by our talented students.

The program began with the unfurling of the flag, live from the school ground, followed by the national anthem and school prayer. Students presented patriotic speeches and poems, mesmerising dances, and melodious songs in English, Hindi, and Telugu, which the spectators enjoyed thoroughly. The tri-coloured artworks and crafts made by Gangians were a feast for the eyes. Pre-primary students

presented a fancy dress segment, wherein they dressed and spoke as famous freedom fighters of our country.

Furthermore, Ganges Valley was proud to announce the release of its school newsletter UDAAN, issue 2, volume 2 on this joyous occasion. The final round of the Inter-house Quiz Competition for the secondary students also took place on the same stage, with the students belonging to Aakash house emerging as the first place winners. The program concluded with the Principal, Suparna Mehrotra's address to the audience.

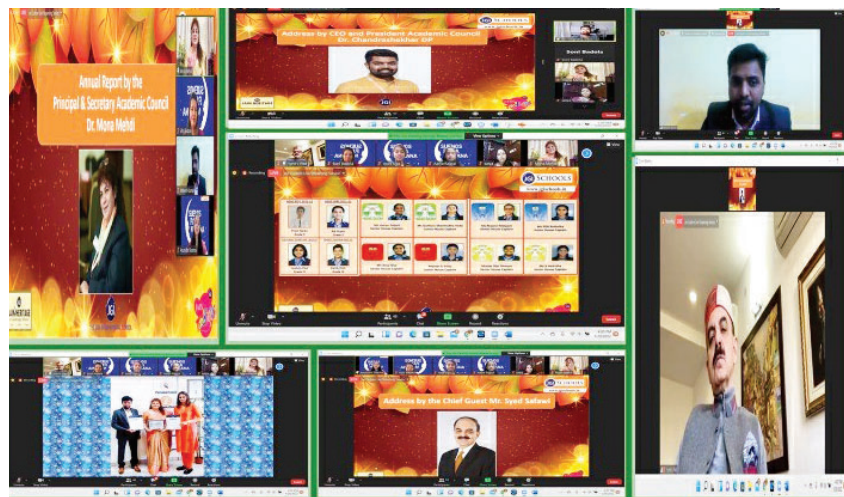
DDMS P. Obul Reddy Public School Hyderabad

DDMS P Obul Reddy Public School celebrated the 73rd Republic Day marked with the spirit of patriotism and allegiance. The Chairman, S V Rao, DDMS P Obul Reddy Educational Academy, presided over the event by hoisting the national flag in the presence of Principal Latha Shankar, Vice Principal Nagaveena, Headmistresses Srivani and Vijaya Durga, the administration staff, and the sub-staff members of the school.

A virtual special assembly was conducted for all the classes at 8:30 am that morning where students participated with patriotic fervour. The celebration concluded with the singing of the national anthem.



The future starts when you start dreaming



"There is no greater power in heaven or on earth, than the commitment to a dream". By - Dr APJ Abdul Kalam

JHCS Kondapur celebrated its 13th Annual Day on the theme "Suenos Para Manana". Dreams for Tomorrow, on a virtual platform. Headmaster G Mahesh welcomed the audience and thanked everyone to be part of the most important function of the school which reflected the spirit of togetherness.

He emphasised on developing qualities like teamwork, adaptability, leadership, confidence, determination, respect, and moral values in the students. He articulated about the pitch philosophy and spoke about the theme of the annual function, "Dreams encompass goals". They give life a purpose, direction, meaning, shape life, and give us a sense of control and hope. In JHCS, Kondapur students are motivated to think about their future, set goals, and establish a systematic plan that can be executed during schooling. The annual report was presented by the Principal, Dr Mona Mehdi highlighting the school's achievements and milestones in academic and co-curricular activities.

The chief guest Syed Safawi who is the co-founder of the Padup Ventures and an advisor of Aadar congratulated the students for choosing such a beautiful title - "Dreams for tomorrow". He emphasized the point that educators should shape the future of the students. The students should have the ability to seek knowledge. The students should

Anunidhi Sharma, NIE Coordinator, Jain Heritage A Cambridge School Kondapur, Hyderabad

open up their minds and dream for tomorrow. They should become employers and not employees. They should make the career change 5 to 6 times in their life. For secondary students, he spoke about three key objectives - to be technology focussed and digitally biased, make India the happiest capital in the world and don't make a living, make a life.

He ended his speech with a quote by Winston Churchill, "You make a living by what you get. You make a life by what you give."

The CEO Dr Chandrashekhar DP addressed the gathering and said that technology has created equilibrium for all. It has created the world of tomorrow, dreams for all. Three mantras to remember are to have a routine and follow it, be physically and mentally fit, and read to gain knowledge. The address by the CEO was followed by a spectacular display of pre-recorded performances in the form of a cultural program by the students of JHCS Kondapur. The vote of thanks was delivered by the Head Boy Prem Naren.

Express YOURSELF

MY COUNTRY MY PRIDE

We Indians are very proud to celebrate Republic Day. Protected by soldiers on the border who never sway. Hear me, I just have a few things to say, Reading this you may decide your own way. Over the years that have past, 26th Jan is just another holiday, I thought, With the very recent wisdom, I have got, I salute the leaders who had fought, I hear the media 'flash news' and end up in tears. "Will there be more news on bomb blasts", I fear, Horrible living in the midst of terrorism and war, Is this what the great Mahatma dreamt for? Why blame the Politicians and Government who do not repent, Hey! As an individual, I won't relent. For the election freebies and compliments, they recommend, I shall say "NO" and will not bend, Let's not watch the cricketer's zeroes, And stay away from the corruption bureaus. Our great jawans have nothing but only sorrows, Let us bow our heads for those real-life heroes, Pay your tax, be very brave, take the wise decision today. Don't you wish your grand children to happily play? We Indians are very proud to celebrate Republic day. Protected by soldiers on the border who never sway. We the youth, let's speak the truth. Sathya Meva Jayathe!

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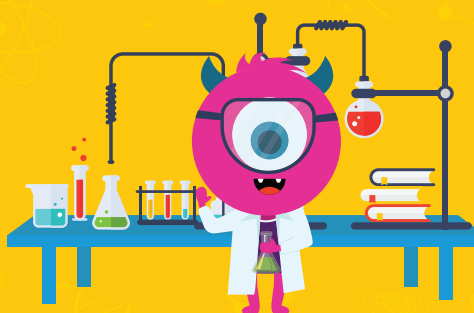


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INDIA SMASH ENGLAND

India lift U19 World Cup title for a record fifth time

Yash Dhull-led side defeated the Three Lions in the summit clash by four wickets. Earlier, India had won the U19 World Cup in 2000, 2008, 2012, and 2018. Chasing 190, India got off to the worst start possible as Joshua Boyden dismissed Angkrish Raghuvanshi (0) on the third ball of the innings. Harnoor Singh and Shaik Rasheed then got together at the crease and the duo put on 49 runs for the second wicket. As soon as India started to gain an upper hand, England stormed right back into the contest in the 18th over as Thomas Aspinwall dismissed Harnoor (21), reducing India to 49/2.

lose wickets in a cluster. In the end, India registered a four-wicket win to lift the U19 World Cup for the fifth time.

WORST POSSIBLE START

Earlier, Raj Bawa scalped five wickets while Ravi Kumar took four as India bowled out England for 189 inside 45 overs. England crumbled in the first half of the innings before James Rew's gutsy 95-run knock helped the Three Lions reach a score of more than the 180-run mark. Opting to bat first, England got off to the worst possible start as left-arm pacer Ravi Kumar picked two wickets (Jacob Bethell and Tom Prest) in the first four overs. George Thomas and James Rew tried to get the partnership going but Raj Bawa dismissed the opener as India took control over the game.

TRIGGERING A COLLAPSE

England kept losing wickets at regular intervals and was soon found reeling at 61-6 in the 17th over. Meanwhile, James Rew kept fighting hard and scored a fifty to rescue his side from the precarious position. Rew and James Sales put up a fifty-run stand to revive England's innings. However, Rew fell five runs short of a century as Ravi Kumar removed him in the 44th over. Rew's wicket triggered a collapse and England lost the final two wickets to set a 190-run target for India in the final. ■

YASH DHULL HAS GOOD HEAD ON HIS SHOULDERS: INDIA COACH KANITKAR

- After seeing India win the 2022 U19 World Cup, India coach Hrishikesh Kanitkar hailed Yash Dhull's leadership, saying the youngster has a good head on his shoulders.
- "It's too exciting for my good, but happy with the result. I think we learned a lot from this. We were looking to bat as well. There was a little bit of moisture," said Kanitkar after the final. "Dhull led them very well. He has a very good head on his shoulders. I think it's a fabulous competition, getting this stage to perform at this young age, for all teams. It's a great opportunity to showcase talent and for the academies around the world," he added.
- Few of the squad members including Shaik Rasheed and Yash Dhull had tested positive for COVID-19 midway through the tournament, but whoever stepped in did their role perfectly and India did not lose a single game in the 2022 U19 World Cup. The Yash Dhull-led side defeated the Three Lions in the summit clash by four wickets. Earlier, India had won the U19 World Cup in 2000, 2008, 2012, and 2018. Raj Bawa scalped five wickets while Ravi Kumar took four as England was bowled out for 189. Nishant Sindhu and Shaik Rasheed then played knocks of 50 each as India won the final by four wickets.

FOUR-WICKET WIN

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India's Raj Bawa celebrates the dismissal of England's Joshua Boyden during the ICC U19 Men's Cricket World Cup 2022 Final match



Indian cricket team players celebrate after beating England in the U19 Cricket World Cup finals. India won for the fifth time



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CAMEROON WINS 3RD-PLACE MATCH ON PENALTIES

Epic bounce back from 3-0 down to draw level at 3-3 before winning third-place

Cameroon produced an epic fightback from 3-0 down to draw level at 3-3 before winning the third-place match against Burkina Faso 5-3 in a penalty shootout at the African Cup of Nations. It won't erase the host team's disappointment at missing out on the final, but it meant Cameroon at least ended its tournament with a win on Saturday. That outcome seemed far-fetched when Burkina Faso went 3-0 up in the 49th minute with a header by Djibril Ouattara. Tournament leading scorer Vincent Aboubakar came on as a second-half substitute to turn things around for Cameroon. Stéphane Bahoken pulled the first goal back for Cameroon and Aboubakar scored in the 85th and 87th minutes, helped by two errors by Burkina Faso goalkeeper Farid Ouédraogo, to send the game to penalties.

Miss in shootout

Blati Touré had the only miss in the shootout,

when Cameroon goalkeeper André Onana saved down low with his left hand to make up for his blunder and own-goal in normal time.

Touré's miss allowed Ambroise Oyongo to step up and win the shootout for Cameroon and at least soften the pain of losing in a shootout to Egypt in the semifinals, when three of Cameroon's first four penalty-takers missed.

Action-packed game

Burkina Faso led from the 24th minute of an action-packed game at Ahmadou Ahidjo Stadium through Steeve Yago, who arrived at the back post to meet a deep cross.

Onana's bad error just before halftime gifted Burkina Faso its second goal.

Unhappy home fans were demanding Cameroon make substitutions at that point. Conceicao responded by bringing on front-line strikers Aboubakar and Karl Toko Ekambi early in the second half after starting with them on the bench.

Real hope

Aboubakar gave Cameroon real hope when he headed in from a corner with five minutes of normal time to go. Ouédraogo came venturing out to collect a long ball and collided in the air with a defender, dropping the ball at Aboubakar's feet and allowing the Cameroon captain to score his eighth goal. Ouédraogo went off injured leaving Aboubakar, Burkina Faso's third-choice keeper, to face the shootout. He could do little to stop the momentum, which was all with Cameroon. AP

FINAL SHOWDOWN

Egypt and Senegal will play in Sunday's African Cup final, when Mohamed Salah and Liverpool teammate Sadio Mané will find themselves on opposing teams as they both chase their first major title with their country.



Vincent Aboubakar

DEL POTRO CLOSE TO RETIREMENT DUE TO INJURIES

Argentine tennis player Juan Martin Del Potro is considering an imminent retirement from the sport, saying recurring injuries mean two tournaments in Argentina and Brazil this month will "possibly" be his last. "This is one of the hardest messages I've ever had to face up to and communicate," the 33-year-old told reporters in Buenos Aires on Saturday. "Everyone knows and hopes that I return to tennis. Possibly it won't be like that and that it will be more of a farewell than a return." The former world number three last played a tournament match in June 2019 at Queens in London. He injured his knee and has been struggling to regain full fitness ever since. "The knee has been a nightmare. I've been trying alternatives and ways to resolve it for years and today I just can't manage it," he said. "I never imagined retiring from tennis."



Juan Martin Del Potro

Del Potro has won 22 ATP titles since turning professional in 2005, including the 2009 U.S. Open, his only major win. He has a wild card entry into the Argentina and Rio de Janeiro Opens, both of which take place this month. Del Potro will face countryman Federico Delbonis in his first match in Buenos Aires on Tuesday. The Rio de Janeiro Open begins on Feb. 12. REUTERS

QUIZ TIME!

Q1: How many gold medals did India win in 2010 Commonwealth Games?

a) 38 b) 32 c) 36 d) 30

Q2: With which sport Mahesh Bhupathi is associated with?

a) Chess
b) Cricket
c) Tennis
d) Table Tennis

Q3: Which country won the 2009 Davis Cup?

a) France
b) Spain
c) US
d) Czech Republic

Q4: In which country was the 2007 held?

a) Australia
b) West Indies
c) New Zealand
d) South Africa

Q5: Ranji Trophy is awarded for which sport?

a) Hockey
b) Cricket
c) Tennis
d) Football

Q6: Against which club did Cristiano Ronaldo play his last Real Madrid match?

a) Villarreal
b) Liverpool
c) Juventus
d) Manchester City



Cristiano Ronaldo

Q7: Yankee Stadium in New York is associated with which sport?

a) Baseball
b) Tennis
c) Boxing
d) Hockey

Q8: In which country were the 2008 Olympic games held?

a) London
b) Calgary
c) Albertville
d) Beijing

Q9: Wankhede Stadium is located in which city of India?

a) New Delhi
b) Chennai
c) Mumbai
d) Kolkata

Q10: Which country's national football team is nicknamed as "Blue Tigers"?

a) South Korea
b) India
c) Pakistan
d) Bangladesh

ANSWERS: 1. a 38 2. c Tennis
3. b Spain 4. b West Indies 5. b Cricket
6. b Liverpool 7. a Baseball 8. d Beijing
9. c Mumbai 10. b Bangladesh