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CAPITAL CHOKES



The National Green Tribunal (NGT) on Monday imposed a total ban on the sale and use of firecrackers in NCR and also ordered a similar ban in all cities/towns where air quality falls below 'poor'. The ban on firecrackers in NCR will start from midnight of Nov 9 to midnight of November 30.

The order further stated that the cities/towns where air quality is 'moderate' or below, only green crackers be sold and the timings for use and bursting of crackers be restricted to two hours during festivals, like Diwali, Chhath, New Year/Christmas Eve etc, as may be specified by the concerned State. If nothing is specified by the state, the timings will be 8-10 pm on Diwali and Gurupurb, 6am-8 am on Chhath and 11.55pm-12.30am during Christmas and New Year's eve, the order read



The tribunal also directed all the states/UTs to initiate drives to contain air pollution from all sources in view of potential aggravation of Covid-19



■ Recently, alluding to 122 non-attainment cities in 23 states and Union Territories, which have been consistently showing poorer air quality, the green tribunal had said that it may have to consider direction to prohibit the use of firecrackers during the period air quality is beyond a threshold to protect the health of the vulnerable groups.
■ Non-attainment cities include Delhi, Varanasi, Bhopal, Kolkata, Noida, Muzaffarpur, Mumbai, Jammu, Ludhiana, Patiala, Ghaziabad, Varanasi, Kolkata, Patna, Gaya, Chandigarh etc

The air condition of the capital seems to be headed towards a worrying trend, after an AQI of 484 was registered in Anand Vihar on Monday, the worst reading this season. The average air quality index (AQI) is registered at 459. At PM 2.5, thick smog was witnessed in the surrounding areas.

NGT imposes ban on FIRECRACKERS

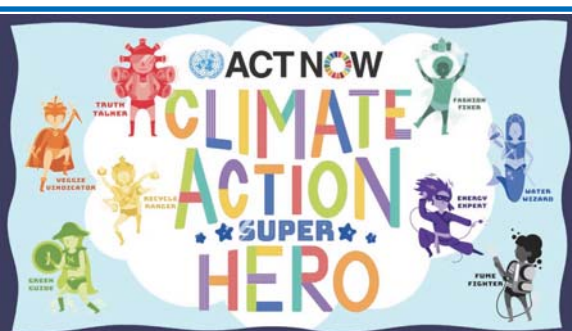
Spotlight

T NATARAJAN



Even though SunRisers Hyderabad couldn't make it to the finals of the Indian Premier League (IPL) 2020, they were plenty of reasons for the team to be proud of – one of which was the performance of left-arm pacer T Natarajan. The left-arm pacer bowled the most number of yorkers in the season and was regarded as the 'yorker king' for his heroics.

■ The 29-year-old finished with 16 wickets from 16 matches and finds himself at the 10th spot in the list of leading wicket-takers in the tournament before the final
■ One of his yorkers, which caught the eye of many was against Royal Challengers Bangalore in the Eliminator, when he got the priced scalp of AB de Villiers. In the 18th over of RCB innings, Natarajan stunned de Villiers with a perfect yorker and hit the timbre



BE AN AGENT OF CHANGE

Building on the growing momentum for climate action, the United Nations has broadened its engagement of global audiences. It has started a new campaign to empower children to learn about sustainability and act to protect the planet. The 'Climate Action Superheroes' campaign targets kids under the age of 12 as the agents of change.

FOR A CAUSE

- Eight quirky superheroes – the Energy Expert, Fashion Fixer, Fume Fighter Green Guide, Recycle Ranger, Truth Talker, Veggie Vindicator and Water Wizard – engage children and parents in fun missions on topics, such as reducing single-use plastic, saving energy and water, fixing and reusing clothes, eating more vegetables, and sharing scientific facts
- Parents and children can discover the superheroes and their missions through a colourful, animated world built on the UN website
- Campaign materials include downloadable activity sheets, certificates of completion, animated social media cards and stickers

The Climate Action Superheroes are a component of the UN's ongoing ActNow campaign that mobilises individual action on sustainability. ActNow has so far seen close to one million climate actions logged through the campaign's chat bot and mobile app, with a growing number of people making climate action an integral part of their daily life

ONLY 50% STUDENTS WILL BE ALLOWED IN COLLEGES, NO HOSTEL FOR ALL: UGC



EDUCATION

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has issued guidelines for the opening of universities and colleges. It has said that universities must ensure that not more than 50 per cent of the total students are present at any time.

- As per the UGC guidelines, only a limited number of hostels can be opened, strictly following safety and health regulations. Not more than one student will be allowed to stay in a hostel room, it added
- Online and distance education will continue to be the preferred method as before and will be further promoted
- Online classes will continue for all other programmes, except science, technology and research

NEWS IN BRIEF

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DOUBLE- MASKED!

Actor Tom Holland recently gave fans a first look of 'Spider-Man 3'. On Friday, the 24-year-old actor took to Instagram to share a behind-the-scenes photo of himself dressed as the character. The actor was also seen wearing a white face mask. "Wear a mask, I'm wearing two..." Tom captioned the photograph, reminding fans to wear their masks amid the coronavirus pandemic. Several of his fans and even actor Timothee Chalamet commented on the photo with laughter emojis.



- To the delight of many Marvel Cinematic Universe fans, it was announced last year that Spider-Man would not be leaving the MCU anytime soon
- After a public fallout in August 2019, Sony Pictures Entertainment and The Walt Disney Studios found a way to work together, with the studios revealing that they would be teaming up once more to produce the third Spider-Man film, starring Tom

The movie is slated to be released in December 2021, five months after its initial date, according to The Hollywood Reporter

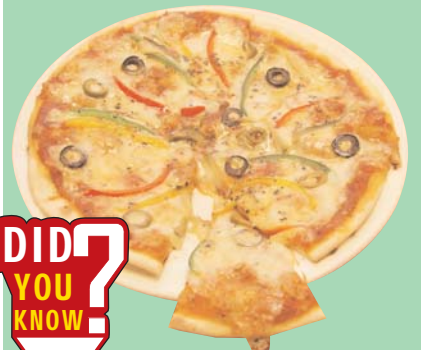
World's smallest boat created with 3D printer

The world's smallest boat measuring 30 micrometres has been created by researchers. The boat, which is small enough to float down a human hair, was made using an electron microscope and 3D printer by the researchers from Leiden University.



The boat is one of the many structures they created to conduct research on microswimmers, which are small particles that can float through fluids and be observed and tracked through a microscope.

Pizza became a food of the masses because OF WORLD WAR II



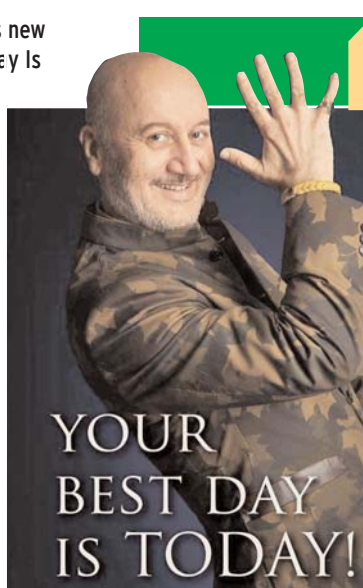
DID YOU KNOW?

Before World War II, pizza was mostly enjoyed by Italian immigrants in their home communities. During the occupation of Italy, Allied troops began eating local foods to supplement sometimes dwindling rations. The local bakers could hardly keep up with the US soldiers' demand for pizza, and when they came home after the war, they brought their love for pizza back with them

CELEB TALK

Anupam Kher's new book celebrates STRENGTH OF POSITIVE THINKING

Actor Anupam Kher's new book, 'Your Best Day Is Today!', which is set to be released on December 5, is "a journey of self-discovery, willpower, small triumphs and the strength of positive thinking", according to the author. Drawing inference from personal experiences, it is a compilation of learnings and observations that are aimed towards motivating the readers to adapt to the changes in their surroundings and adopt a positive approach towards their life," the publisher, Hay House India, added.



The battle ahead of us is long, but together we will persevere. Our resilience will bring us back on the path of glory. Something tells me that all of us wrote the future during this unprecedented time. A future where the world would be healed...a future where the coming generations will look up to us as the pioneers of the healed world
ANUPAM KHER

VIDYA BALAN'S SHORT FILM ELIGIBLE FOR OSCAR NOMINATION

'Natkhah', starring and co-produced by Vidya Balan, has won the top prize at the third edition of Best Of India Short Film Festival 2020, making it eligible for an Oscar nomination.

ENTERTAINMENT



- Vidya, who turned producer with the film, plays a homemaker in a patriarchal setup
- The film has also won a prize money of \$2,500 ₹ (1,85,497 approx) and an opportunity for a television broadcast deal on ShortsTV

FACTOID 5 HOURS

That's the number of hours that parents are spending playing video games in a week to connect with their children, according to a new study. A poll of 2,000 moms and dads found that 565 have upped the amount of time they have spent playing games online. Computer games are often seen as having a negative influence on children, but 60% parents now admit that their kids would have struggled through lockdown without them.

DO WE REALLY UNDERSTAND AI?

If you base all your knowledge about robots and Artificial intelligence (AI) on movies and books, you're bound to be either terrified or disappointed whenever a new robot comes out. We have compiled responses of AI researchers talking about the biggest myths in their field. Their answers (lightly edited) are below

NO ONE IS BUILDING CONSCIOUS AI

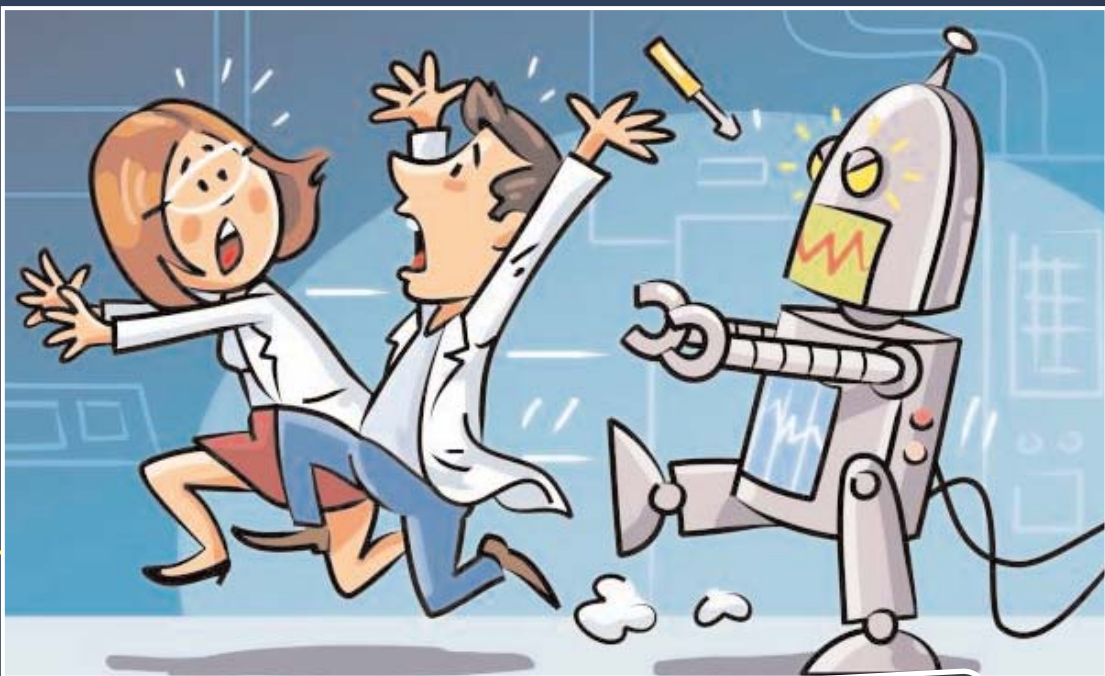
To my knowledge, nobody, no one who is publishing papers in the main field of AI, is even working on consciousness. I think there are some neuroscientists who are trying to understand it, but I'm not aware that they've made any progress. As far as AI people, nobody is trying to build a conscious machine, because no one has a clue how to do it, at all.

Source: Commentary from Stuart Russell, a Computer Scientist at the University of California, Berkeley

COMPUTERS DON'T MAKE DECISIONS ON THEIR OWN

Computers have no wishes and desires. The Jeopardy-playing IBM supercomputer Watson has never woken up and said, "Ah, I'm bored of playing Jeopardy! I want to play another game today." And it will never wake up and think, "I want to play another game."

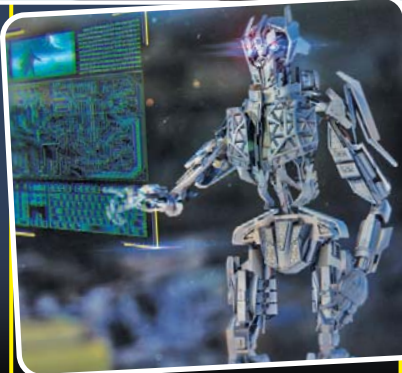
Source: Commentary from Toby Walsh, a professor in AI at the National Information And Communications Technology Australia



JUST BECAUSE A SYSTEM CAN LEARN, DOESN'T MEAN IT WILL LEARN TO BE DANGEROUS

I bring folks into the lab and I show them some of the systems we're building – some of them are robotic learning systems so they get better at a task by practicing it. In their minds they jump immediately from "Wow you've got a system that can effectively roll across the floor" to "Skynet." It's a misconception.

Source: Commentary from Michael Littman, a Computer Scientist at Brown University



WE'VE MISCONSTRUED HOW SMART MACHINES WILL ACT

The truth is that you can have intelligent machines that have no self conscience, no ego, and have no self preservation instinct because we build these machines. Evolution gave us an ego and a self preservation instinct because otherwise we wouldn't have survived. We were evolved by natural selection, but AIs are built by humans. We can build machines that understand a lot of aspects of the world while not having more ego than a toaster.

Source: Commentary from Yoshua Bengio, a Computer Scientist at University of Montreal

WE ALREADY HAVE SOME COMPUTERS THAT ARE SMARTER THAN THEIR CREATORS

Chess is actually a good example – the programs are generally written by people who are fairly bad chess players. As a programmer, you can write a program that can do a task much better than you can, and the machine might even learn how to do the task better over time.

Source: Commentary from Bart Selman, a Computer Scientist at Cornell University



WE NEED MORE GIRLS IN STEM

More girls should feel inspired to choose science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM) disciplines



Emmanuelle Charpentier (in pic) and Jennifer A. Doudna became the first two female scientists to jointly win the Nobel Prize in Chemistry, with no male collaborator.

CRITICAL FOR GROWTH

1. STEM academic streams have been stereotyped as a male domain. Culture, rather than innate ability or preference, keeps women out. India has the largest cohort of those aged less than 30, half of them women. If these women shun STEM, not just India, but the world at large, would be deprived of a huge army of researchers and engineers.
2. In 2018, former IMF chief Christine Lagarde cited Fund estimates that raising women's participation in the workforce to the level of men can boost the Indian economy by a whopping 27%. However, women's participation rate in the labour force has steadily fallen to 20.5% in 2019 from 30.3% in 1990. The trend needs to be reversed. India must have a larger pool of women in well-paid jobs, leadership roles and R&D functions.

FLAT-EARTHERS

What they believe and why?

Members of the Flat Earth Society claim to believe the Earth is flat even though evidence proves the opposite

That antediluvian (of or belonging to the time before the biblical Flood) ideas still persist in the age of reason is known. While Pythagoras and Ptolemy and the shadow of the earth during lunar eclipses may not be enough to convince hardline flat-earthers, rejecting the authenticity of photographic evidence from space too demonstrates a high degree of self-delusion.

What remains unanswered by this group is what the other lot—the majority—have to gain by repeatedly demonstrating the Earth is round. And flat-earthers certainly sound like they are going over the edge when their answer to what lies at the end of the world is, "At this point in time, the Flat Earth Society only concerns itself with the known Earth, not what may or may not lie beyond." Unfortunately, it does not seem likely that they will come round to believing the truth, no matter what scientific evidence is offered.



Pic : Getty Images

FLAT-EARTH THEORY

The leading flat-earth theory holds that Earth is a disc with the Arctic Circle in the center and Antarctica, a 150-foot-tall wall of ice, around the rim. NASA employees, they say, guard this ice wall to prevent people from climbing over and falling off the disc.

CELEBRATE SENSIBLY

Covid compliance must be enforced strictly during festival season



Pic: AFP

Understandably, many have pandemic fatigue and see the festival season as an opportunity to break out of the doom and gloom. But if large scale festivals lead to large scale Covid cases and deaths, they are simply not worth it. Besides, there is light at the end of the tunnel with several Covid vaccines already in the final stages of clinical trial. It's very likely some will be available early next year.

Therefore, it makes sense to have low-key, smaller festivals this year so that we can redouble celebrations once most people are vaccinated. Let's be smart, follow guidelines and have safe festivals this time around. The ultimate assessment of governments' overall pandemic record too will lie in whether they can stave off a festival surge now.

Selective application of 'spirit of cricket' is unfair

In an IPL match between Delhi Capitals and Royal Challengers Bangalore, the debate over the friction between the 'spirit of cricket' and the laws of the game was foregrounded

R Ashwin of Delhi Capitals did not run out the non striker Aaron Finch even though the latter had strayed outside the crease as the bowler was in the process of delivering the ball. Ashwin would have been justified in running out Finch. However, he refrained and let off the batsman with a warning. In a similar situation last year, Ashwin ran out a batsman and invited the wrath of cricket romantics who felt he violated the 'spirit of the game'.

Pic : TOI



THE LAWS OF THE GAME ARE CLEAR

Bowlers can run out batsmen in such situations. There is a reason for it. If batsmen are allowed to get away by breaking this rule, they reduce the distance they have to cover between wickets while taking a run. This literally allows them to steal a single. The visual image of Finch almost a yard or two outside the crease was an example of the incentives batsmen have to steal a single if cricket romantics misguidedly believe the laws of the game should be applied selectively.

Tidy up, donate & trash

The pandemic life introduced a phase when people were stocking up everything from grocery to sanitisers. Eventually people realised that it is unstocking and having a well organised space that exudes calm and well-being. With Diwali round the corner, it's time to declutter your home for positive energy to flow in.

DECLUTTERING IS AKIN TO MEDITATION

More possessions often lead to more stress. "It's easy to get attached to things, either because you've had them for a long time, they have a special meaning in your life, or because they represent the hard work and sweat you put into making the money you used to buy them," says psychiatrist Dr Harish Shetty. Decluttering not only promotes cleanliness, but also soothes the mind. "Getting rid of clutter is akin to meditation. By donating the excess stuff you are used to stocking up at home, you learn to let go," adds Shetty.

DECLUTTER AND FOCUS BETTER

Cluttered thoughts keep you away from greater or more significant things in life. Physical and mental decluttering enables you to make more room for more important things to come in your life like – a new job, a creative pursuit, etc."

DECLUTTER



KEEP AN ITEM IF YOU LOVE IT

Psychologists believe disorganised or cluttered spaces seem to increase levels of stress and anxiety. "Clutter often represents a lot more than what it is. Cluttering of room or cluttering of thoughts stops you from having an extraordinary life. It is like an illness, if you don't figure out the cause of it, you probably will just keep falling back into it," says life coach Nitasha Anand. So, keep an item only if you love it, not like it, if you feel less than great about certain things, it's time to bid them goodbye.



A PLEASURE ACTIVITY

► When clutter keeps accumulating, and overwhelms you, it's best to think of decluttering as a leisure activity and enjoy it. It can be done slowly and mindfully to practice the art of living in the moment.

LEAD A CLUTTER-FREE LIFE

- A clear room helps one clear one's mind of the chaos and improves focus
- Decluttering makes one more productive. When you live in a clean, organised space, you don't waste a lot of time looking for the things you need. You can accomplish a lot more with the extra time and energy you have
- A clutter free-space inspires you, raises your spirits and creates fresh energy



Missed Call Do, Kahaani Suno

AUDIO STORIES ON PHONE...

With schools remaining closed for more than seven months due to Covid-19 pandemic, Bengaluru-based not-for-profit Children Book publishing house 'Pratham Books' has relaunched its famous "Missed Call Do, Kahaani Suno!" programme. The programme is aimed to help children to listen to many delightful stories in Kannada, English, Marathi and Hindi languages.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Pratham Book's Priya Desai said that listeners can give a missed call – which is for free – and receive a call-back, where they can select the language of their choice

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"They can even call again and listen to new stories every time! There are hundreds of audio stories that children can enjoy listening to, as schools remain closed due to the Covid-19 pandemic," Desai added.

STORIES GALORE

"Two stories of four to six minutes each will be played to entertain you. That's what 'Missed Call Do, Kahaani Suno' is all about," she explained.

The programme saw a tremendous response when the Covid-19 lockdown began, showing that it did indeed help to keep children engaged while they were stuck at home.

"There was tremendous traction for the campaign, where over



WISHING FOR A STORY?

Dial 080-33094244 to listen to a story from Pratham Books. Over 20 different tales – in English and Hindi!

1.6 lakh children listened to 3.6 lakh stories across India during the months of April, May and June 2020," CEO Himanshu Giri said. The initiative is an effective way to help children relax and deal with the stress of being constrained by the pandemic. It unlocks new experiences for them too.

WHY AUDIO STORIES?

Desai further added that the audio stories offer deal with

through these stories that help them engage with the world around them with curiosity, imagination and empathy. These stories will help foster listening skills, build vocabulary, and develop an enthusiasm for reading," she claimed.

HOW DO I ACCESS

The missed call can be given to 08068264448 to listen to the beautiful stories.

OTHER AUDIO BOOK APPS FOR YOU

1. Voot Kids has a range of popular audiobooks from Karadi Tales, Jataka Tales and Sony Music where Bollywood celebrities and cricketers read books to you.
2. Audible brings a series of classic children's stories along with fairy tales. You will find popular kid's stories like 'The Three Bears', 'The Frog Prince', 'The Wolf and the Fox' and more to savour your imagination.



LEARN TO SAFEGUARD OURSELVES FROM THE ACT OF COUNTERFEITING

Times NIE in association with Underwriters Laboratories (UL) is organising a webinar for the teacher fraternity of Delhi-NCR schools on the topic: **Understanding the world of anti-counterfeiting Be Safe Buy Real** to equip ourselves to be a safe customer while enabling your students to be vigilant and cautious when they buy and use products especially online.

Times NIE cordially invites you to register online on the given link

https://timesgroup.zoom.us/join/register/WN_blo2L0bQT90ZLs90SdbBkw

and attend the webinar on Wednesday, November 11, 2020, from 4.00 PM to 5.30 PM.

Post the webinar, we invite teachers to share with us ideas on how you would introduce this topic to your students.

Top 6 ideas would be featured in our Online TOI Student edition.



DIY crayon candles for Diwali

Turn old crayons into new colourful candles for Diwali. The activity will add a lot of fun to celebrations and you will be reusing leftover crayons to create something beautiful and different.

ADD REGULAR WAX

Crayon wax is different from candle wax, so you need to add some regular wax into the mix as well. If you don't, the candles won't burn very brightly or for a long enough time.

SETTING UP

Measure enough wax to fill your candle holder, plus some extra and set it aside. Try to get the kind of wax that comes in flake or pellet form. It will melt a lot quicker. You can also use old used candles lying at home, especially those cute little birthday candles we get with cakes.

PEEL AND BREAK CRAYONS

If the wrapper does not come away easily, you can cut it off using a craft blade, or you can soak them in water for a few minutes. Break the crayon into smaller pieces and set them aside. You will need six crayons per 1 cup (225 grams) of wax. Carefully place a tabbed wick in the middle of the glass candle holder and secure it with a drop of hot wax. You can also use a drop of super



SET UP A DOUBLE BOILER

Fill a saucepan with 1 to 2 inches of water. Place a heat-safe measuring cup into the pot. Place the crayons and wax into the glass measuring cup. Melt the crayon and wax over medium heat, stirring often. This will help the wax and crayon melt more evenly. You can use a spoon to stir.

PUT THE COLOUR WAX INTO THE MOULD

Pour coloured wax into the candle mould. Let the first layer dry for a few minutes and then pour layers of coloured wax into each jar, making sure to let them dry between each layer.

CAN DC WIN THEIR MAIDEN IPL TITLE?

Shreyas Iyer's Delhi Capitals are on the cusp of making history. Iyer has a huge opportunity to do what previous captains like Virender Sehwag, Gautam Gambhir, Kevin Pietersen and others failed to do – lead Delhi to their maiden IPL title

IYER AND DELHI CAPTAINCY

Iyer took over the Delhi captaincy midway through the 2018 season, when Gautam Gambhir suddenly decided to step down. In 2019, Delhi reached the playoffs after six years, finishing third. There's no doubt that with Ricky Ponting as head coach and Iyer as captain, Delhi have done well. Iyer is learning more about captaincy on the job. He is in fact the youngest IPL captain currently at age 25.

DELHI'S EXPLOSIVE BOWLING ATTACK

One of the main reasons behind Delhi's stellar performance this season has been the lethal fast bowling duo of Kagiso Rabada and Anrich Nortje who have rattled the opposition batters with their sheer pace. Together, the Proteas duo share 45 wickets between them. While Rabada sits at the top of the chart of leading wicket-takers with 29 scalps from 16 matches, Nortje is seventh on the list with 20 wickets to his name in 15 matches. "They have got two fine spinners in R Ashwin and Axar Patel. They have the best pacers of the tournament in Rabada and Nortje. DC's strength is their bowling," said former English cricketer Monty Panesar.

WILL DC OPENER STOINIS SUCCEED AGAIN IN FINAL?

DC HAVE MANY IMPACT PLAYERS

Former Delhi Capitals batsman Unmukt Chand feels the team needs to be in the right frame of mind and use their trump cards wisely if they are to win the title. "DC have many impact players. They have Shikhar and other guys too. Shikhar makes a difference on a given day. He is an experienced player. You need to be in the right frame of mind. Because T20 is all about clicking on that particular day. All I want to say, everyone needs to click at this point in time. They need some consistent performances. Definitely, they can win the title," says Unmukt.

DC all-rounder Marcus Stoinis has admitted he was careful early on during his cameo opening the innings against SRH on Sunday as there was swing. However, in the final against Mumbai Indians whose bowling attack comprises bowlers with good pace and ability to swing, especially with Trent Boult the top wicket-taker in the powerplay phase, he may have his work cut out if DC decide to open the innings with him.

Shreyas Iyer

Marcus Stoinis

Shame we couldn't make IPL final but boys can be proud: Williamson

It's a "shame" that Sunrisers Hyderabad could not make the IPL final, feels top batsman Kane Williamson but asserted that the side can take pride in its remarkable fightback to make the play-offs after the early struggle in the tournament. Williamson's counter-attacking 67 went in vain as Delhi Capitals made it to their maiden IPL final with a 17-run win over Hyderabad in the second Qualifier on Sunday.

We did not get off to a good start but we managed to build a few partnerships through the middle period. We still had a bit of opportunity. It's a real shame not to make the finals but I think, particularly in the last three weeks, the guys can be proud of how they played.

Kane Williamson, SRH player

Kane Williamson

Photo: ANI

Hardik Pandya always backs himself in every situation

Kieron Pollard

Hardik Pandya

Photo: PTI

MEDVEDEV GETS PAST ZVEREV TO WIN PARIS MASTERS TITLE

It's great, I'm really happy. As I always say, I don't celebrate after the match but I'm really happy to win matches.

Daniil Medvedev

Russia's Daniil Medvedev has clinched the Paris Masters title following a hard-fought three-set victory over Germany's Alexander Zverev in the summit clash. Medvedev defeated Zverev 5-7, 6-4, 6-1 that also ended the German's 12-match winning streak. The Russian, who was contesting his first final of 2020, secured the third Masters 1000 crown of his career.

Daniil Medvedev

Photo: GETTY IMAGES

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

CRICKET QUIZ | Glenn McGrath

Q1: In the year 1993, Glenn McGrath made his Test debut against which country?

- a) New Zealand ☐ b) India ☐
c) South Africa ☐ d) England ☐

Q2: Against which country did Glenn McGrath make his ODI debut in the year 1993?

- a) New Zealand ☐ b) India ☐
c) South Africa ☐ d) England ☐

Q3: How many Test matches did Glenn McGrath play till his retirement in 2007?

- a) 120 ☐ b) 122 ☐ c) 124 ☐ d) 126 ☐

Q4: Before retiring in the year 2007, how many ODI matches had Glenn McGrath played in total?

- a) 220 ☐ b) 232 ☐ c) 244 ☐ d) 250 ☐

Q5: How many wickets has Glenn McGrath taken in his Test career?

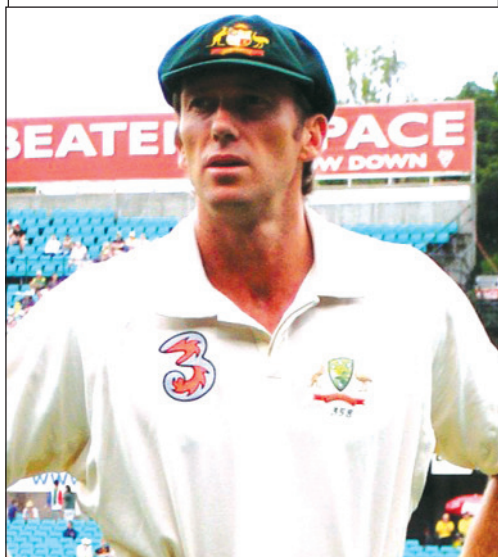
- a) 520 ☐ b) 532 ☐ c) 563 ☐ d) 580 ☐

Q6: How many ODI wickets has Glenn McGrath taken?

- a) 321 ☐ b) 332 ☐ c) 363 ☐ d) 381 ☐

Q7: Glenn McGrath played his last Test at Sydney. Against which country was the match?

- a) New Zealand ☐ b) India ☐
c) Sri Lanka ☐ d) England ☐



Q8: Against which country did Glenn McGrath play his last ODI?

- a) New Zealand ☐ b) India ☐
c) Sri Lanka ☐ d) England ☐

Q9: In the 2005 Super Test, Glenn McGrath went on to become the leading wicket-taker among the then fast bowlers. Whose 519 wickets record did he beat?

- a) Brett Lee ☐ b) Shane Warne ☐
c) Courtney Walsh ☐ d) None of the above ☐

Q10: In the 2007 World Cup, Glenn McGrath claimed a record _____ wickets.

- a) 20 ☐ b) 22 ☐ c) 24 ☐ d) 26 ☐

Q11: Between his debut at the tournament in 1996, and his final appearance in 2007, how many ICC Cricket World Cup wickets

did McGrath claim?

- a) 71 wickets ☐ b) 72 wickets ☐ c) 73 wickets ☐ d) 70 wickets ☐

Q12: McGrath set a new bowling record in the 2003 World Cup, when Australia bowled their opponents out for just 45 in 14 overs. Against which country were they playing?

- a) Zimbabwe ☐ b) Namibia ☐
c) Afghanistan ☐ d) Bangladesh ☐

Q13: McGrath is one of few players to have lifted the World Cup on three separate occasions: _____, 2003 and 2007.

- a) 1999 ☐ b) 2000 ☐ c) 1998 ☐ d) 2002 ☐

ANSWERS: 1- a) New Zealand 2- c) South Africa 3- c) 124 4- d) 250 5- c) 563 6- d) 381 7- d) England 8- c) Sri Lanka 9- c) Courtney Walsh 10- d) 26 11- a) 71 wickets 12- b) Namibia 13- a) 1999