National Sports Awards and Name

- 1. Name the Para Athletic who won the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award in the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020?
 - A. Ms. Rani
 - B. Shri Purushotham Rai
 - C. Shri Mariyappan T.
 - D. Ms. Dutee Chand

Ans. C

Explanation: Shri Mariyappan T. won the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award in the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020.

- 2. Which of the following Indian cricketer won Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award in the recently announced National Sports Award 2020?
 - A. Rohit Sharma
 - B. Sachin Tendulkar
 - C. Virat Kohli
 - D. None of the above

Ans. A

Explanation: Rohit Sharma receives Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award, India's highest sporting honour in the recently announced National Sports Award 2020.

- 3. Name the head of the selection committee for the National Sports Awards 2020?
 - A. Former India cricketer Virender Sehwag
 - B. Retired Supreme Court Justice, Mukundakam Sharma
 - C. Boxer Venkatesan Devarajan
 - D. Former table tennis player Monalisa Baruah Mehta Ans. B

Explanation: The National Sports Awards 2020 Selection Committee members, headed by Retired Supreme Court Justice Mukundakam.

- 4. Which famous sportsperson's birthday is celebrated as National Sports Day every year in India?
 - A. Major Dhyan Chand Singh
 - B. PT Usha
 - C. Sachin Tendulkar
 - D. None of the above
 - Ans. A

Explanation: Major Dhyan Chand Singh is worldwide known as 'Wizard of Hockey'. To give tribute to such a legendary player, the Government of India has decided to celebrate his birthday as the National Sports Day since 2012.

- 5. Name the coach of the archery who has won the Life-time category Dronacharya Award in the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020?
 - A. Shri Purushotham Rai
 - B. Shri Krishan Kumar Hooda
 - C. Shri Dharmendra Tiwary
 - D. Shri Vijay Bhalchandra Munishwar

Ans. C

Explanation: This year's National Sports Awards 2020, Shri Dharmendra Tiwary coach from Archery discipline won the Dronacharya Award for Life-Time Category.

- 6. In the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020, who won the Arjuna Award in Badminton discipline?
 - A. A. Shri Satwik Sairaj Rankireddy
 - B. Shri Chirag Chandrasekhar Shetty
 - C. Both A and B
 - D. Neither A nor B

Ans. C

Explanation: In the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020, A. Shri Satwik Sairaj Rankireddy and Shri Chirag Chandrasekhar Shetty both receive the Arjuna Award in Badminton discipline.

- 7. Name the wrestler who has won the Arjuna Award in the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020?
 - A. Shri Sandeep
 - B. Shri Manish Narwal
 - C. Both A and B
 - D. Neither A nor B

Ans. D

Explanation: Ms. Divya Kakran and Shri Rahul Aware both won National Sports Awards 2020, Arjuna Award in Wrestling discipline. And Shri Sandeep from Para Athletic discipline and Shri Manish Narwal from Para Shooting discipline won this year's Arjuna Award.

- 8. Ms. N. Usha recently won the Dhyan Chand Award, National Sports Awards 2020. From which of the following sports she is associated?
 - A. Athletics
 - **B. Boxing**
 - C. Football
 - D. Badminton

Ans. B

Explanation: Ms. N. Usha won the Dhyan Chand Award in boxing discipline in the recently announced National Sports Awards 2020.

- 9. Kale Sarika Sudhakar recently won Arjuna Award, National Sports Awards 2020. She is related to which of the following sports?
 - A. Rowing
 - B. Tennis
 - C. Kho Kho
 - D. Para Athletics

Ans. C

Explanation: Shri Kale Sarika Sudhakar recently won Arjuna Award, National Sports Awards 2020 in Kho Kho discipline.

- 10. In Regular Category, Dronacharya Award, National Sports Awards 2020 will be given to the coach Kuldeep Kumar Handoo for which discipline?
 - A. Hockey
 - **B. Shooting**
 - C. Wushu
 - D. Mallakhamb

Ans. C

Explanation: In Regular Category, Dronacharya Award, National Sports Awards 2020 will be given to the coach Kuldeep Kumar Handoo for the Wushu discipline.

- 11. Consider the following statements regarding Praapti Portal:
- 1. It is a web portal launched in 2018 by the Ministry of Power
- 2. The portal was launched for rural citizens to apply for electricity connections.

Which of the given statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- Ans: a
- 12. Recently, India's first disk-footed bat was discovered in which of the states?
- (a) Manipur
- (b) Assam
- (c) Meghalaya
- (d) Sikkim
- Ans: c

13. Gyanvapi Mosque, recently seen in the news is located at:

(a) Varanasi

- (b) Lucknow(c) Indore(d) AurangabadAns: a
- 14. Which of the following is not considered as an intellectual property?
- (a) Patents
- (b) Trademarks
- (c) Goodwill
- (d) Trade Agreement

Ans: d

- 15. Which one of the following countries participated in the Prarambh Startup International Summit held recently?
- 1. Bangladesh
- 2. India
- 3. Bhutan
- 4. Sri Lanks
- 5. Iran
- Select the correct code:
- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- (b) 2, 4 and 5 only
- (c) 3 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 4 only
- Ans: d
- 16. Bihar becomes the first Indian state to have two green energy towns. Which are these two cities?
- (a) Gaya and Patna
- (b) Rajgir and Bodh Gaya
- (c) Buxar and Muzzaffarpur

(d) Darbhanga and Motihari Ans: b

- 17. Recently seen in news, SUPACE Portal is related to:
- (a) AI driven research portal launched by Supreme Court of India
- (b) Village and Digital Connect drive to transform the tribal ecosystem
- (c) Payment ratification and analysis in power procurement Portal
- (d) A newsletter launched by Ministry for Science and Technology Ans: a
- 18. Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) recently launched the ROPAX Jetty Project in which Indian state?
- (a) Telangana
- (b) Odisha
- (c) Maharashtra
- (d) Tamil Nadu

Ans: b

Explanation:

- The Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) has given the approval for the sanction of Rs. 50.30 crores for the development of an all-weather ROPAX Jetty Project on river Dhamra in the Indian state of Odisha under the Sagarmala initiative on 16 April 2021.
- 1- The ROPAX (Roll-on/Roll-off Passenger) Jetty and allied infrastructure will connect Kaninali in Bhadrak district & Talachua in Kendrapara district, Odisha.
- 2- The project will include construction of the ROPAX Jetty at Kaninali and Talachua, utility infrastructures such as parking area development, navigational aids and dredging.

19. What was India's recent ranking in the International Intellectual Property Index 2021?

- (a) 12th
- (b) 35th
- (c) 40th
- (d) 53rd
- Ans: c

20. Which would be the world's first country to have World's First Ship Tunnel in 2022?

- (a) Germany
- (b) USA
- (c) Turkey
- (d) Norway

Ans: d

Explanation:

- 1. Norway would be building the world's first ship tunnel. The construction would begin in 2022.
- 2. It is a 1.06 mile long and 118 feet wide tunnel
- 3. It would pass through the mountainous Stadhavet Peninsula in Northwestern Norway.
- 4. The ship tunnels cost would be around 2.8 billion Norweigian Kroner or 330 million dollars.
- 5. The depth of the water in the tunnel would be across 12 metres.
- 6. This tunnel can house bi ships unlike any other tunnel in the world. No other underpass has been built to serve large ships.

The tunnel entry would be controlled by traffic light system