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QUIZ



SpaceX launches the world's most powerful rocket carrying car into space

US space flight company SpaceX has launched the world's most powerful operational rocket 'Falcon Heavy' into the space. The Falcon Heavy blasted off from the Kennedy Space Centre at Cape Canaveral, Florida, United States. Falcon Heavy carried a red Tesla Roadster car belonging to SpaceX and Tesla founder Elon Musk into space. The car was outfitted with a mannequin dressed in a spacesuit, a high-data storage unit containing Isaac Asimov's science fiction book series, the Foundation Trilogy, and a plaque bearing the names of 6000 SpaceX employees.

Sushma Swaraj visits Saudi Arabia

External Affairs Minister Sushma Swaraj attended the opening ceremony of the 32nd Al Janadriyah festival in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. India has been invited as the Guest of Honour country for the festival. Mrs Swaraj in her first engagement addressed Indian community members at a reception in Riyadh and spoke about the relations between the two countries. During her three day visit, she will meet with the Saudi leadership to discuss bilateral, regional and global issues of mutual interest.

Jhulan Goswami 1st woman in the world to take 200 ODI wickets

Indian women's cricket team pacer Jhulan Goswami has become the first woman in the world to take 200 wickets in ODI cricket. Goswami achieved the feat playing in her 166th ODI against South Africa. Goswami had become the leading wicket-taker in women's ODIs in May last year, overtaking former Australian pacer Cathryn Fitzpatrick's record of 180 wickets.

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India successfully test-fires nuclear capable Agni-1 missile

An indigenously developed short-range nuclear capable ballistic Agni-1 was successfully test-fired from a mobile launcher at Pad 4 of the Integrated Test Range at Odisha's Dr Abdul Kalam Island. It was 18th version of Agni-1, which could achieve all parameters within the stipulated time period. The defence Research and Development Organization (RDO) has successfully tested country's longest indigenously developed nuclear missile Agni-V on 18 January 2018.

THE World Rankings 2018: More Indian Universities in Asia's Top 200

Only two Indian institutes have featured in the top 50 Asian institutes in recently released TIMES Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings for educational institutes in Asia. The two institutes that have made their way to top 50 are Indian Institute of Science (29th rank) and Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay (44).

Kathakali Maestro Madavoor Vasudevan Nair passes away

Kathakali maestro Madavoor Vasudevan Nair collapsed on stage and died while performing at Agasthyacodu Mahadeva Temple, Kerala. He was 89. A recipient of several awards, including Padma Bhushan, he was the follower of the Kaplingattu School, the particular style of south Kerala.

Nepal's ex-King visits India

Nepal's last monarch Gyanendra Shah has arrived in Odisha to attend the International Gau Sambardhana Mahotsav as Chief Guest. He will lay the foundation stone for a Gaumata Mandir. The event was dubbed as the 'Wow Cow Mission' which aims to raise the status of India's 'desi' cow to boost the economy, agriculture and nutrition.

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Committee constituted by Karnataka govt recommends separate state flag

Nine member committee constituted by Karnataka government has recommended separate state flag. It submitted report on designing separate flag for the state and providing a legal standing for it. It has discounted any constitutional or legal hurdles for it.

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QUIZ

(1) United States based SpaceX successfully launched the world's most powerful rocket into the outer space. Name the rocket.

- (A) Falcon XXX
- (B) Falcon Jumbo
- (C) Falcon 9X
- (D) Falcon Heavy

Answer: D

(2) Name the Indian women cricketer to achieve the feat of becoming the first player of the world to take 200 wickets in ODI series.

- (A) Harmanpreet Kaur
- (B) Jhulan Goswami
- (C) Veda Krishnamurthy
- (D) Smriti Mandhana

Answer: B

(3) Renowned artist Madavoor Vasudevan Nair passed away recently. He was a maestro of _____.

- (A) Kathak
- (B) Kathakali
- (C) Kuchipudi
- (D) Bharatanatyam

Answer: B

(4) Which state is planning to have a flag of its own?

- (A) New Delhi
- (B) Rajasthan
- (C) Maharashtra
- (D) Karnataka

Answer: D

(5) India has successfully test-fires nuclear capable of -----.

- (A) Agni V
- (B) Prithvi
- (C) Agni I
- (D) Dhanush

Answer: C

(6) How many Indian institutes have featured in the top 50 Asian institutes in recently released TIMES Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings for educational institutes in Asia?

- (A) Two
- (B) One
- (C) Three
- (D) Five

Answer: A

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UPSC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 782

Qualification: Any Degree

Post Name: Civil Service (Prelims) Exam 2018

Last Date: 06-03-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/UPSC-CSE>

UPSC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 110

Qualification: Any Degree

Post Name: Indian Forest Service Exam 2018

Last Date: 06-03-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/UPSC-IFS>

IDBI Bank Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 760

Qualification: Any Degree

Post Name: Executive

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RRB Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 26502

Qualification: Matriculation/ SSLC, ITI (Relevant Trade)

Post Name: Asst Loco Pilot & Technician

Last Date: 05-03-2018

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SBI Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 8301

Qualification: Any Degree

Post Name: Clerk

Last Date: 10-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/SBI-Clerk-JA>

East Central Railway Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 1898

Qualification: 10th Class, ITI (Relevant Trades)

Post Name: Apprentices

Last Date: 28-02-2018

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SBI Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 407

Qualification: Any Degree, PG

Post Name: Specialist Cadre Officer

Last Date: 15-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/SBI-SCO>

DMRC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 1896

Qualification: ITI, Diploma, Any Degree

Post Name: Jr Engineer, Asst Manager

Last Date: 26-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/DMRC-Maintainer>

TSTRANSCO Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 330

Qualification: Degree (Engg.)

Post Name: Assistant Engineer

Last Date: 16-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/TSTRANSCO-AE>

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AIIMS Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 1126

Qualification: GNM, B.Sc (Nursing)

Post Name: Staff Nurse

Last Date: 12-03-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/AIIMS-Staff-Nurse>

NMDC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 169

Qualification: Diploma, ITI, B.Sc

Post Name: Asst, HEM, Operator & Other

Last Date: 19-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/NMDC-Asst>

TSSPDCL Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 153

Qualification: Degree (Civil/ Electrical Engg.)

Post Name: Assistant Engineer

Last Date: 19-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/TSSPDCL-AE>

TSSPDCL Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 114

Qualification: B.Com/ M.Com/ CA/ ICWA

Post Name: Junior Accounts Officer

Last Date: 19-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/TSSPDCL-JAO>

TSPSC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 238

Qualification: Intermediate, D.Pharmacy

Post Name: Pharmacist Gr – II

Last Date: 28-02-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/TSPSC-Pharmacist>

TSPSC Recruitment 2018

Vacancies: 219

Qualification: Any Degree with B.Ed

Post Name: Hostel Welfare Officer

Last Date: 06-03-2018

Online Apply Link

<https://tinyurl.com/TSPSC-HWO>