

## 11 July 2021 Current Affairs | Daily Current Affairs | Today GK & Current Affairs updated on Jan 2025

### Today's Event – 11<sup>th</sup> July 2021

- 1798- The US Marine Corp reinstated after remaining disbanded after the American Revolutionary War
- 1801- French astronomer Jean Louis Pean discovers his first comet
- 1950- Pakistan becomes a member of the IMF and the International Bank
- 1977- Late civil activist Martin Luther King Jr awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom
- 2006- Mumbai train bombings killing over 2000 people

### National Events-

- Mutations similar to Delta variant found in some water samples
- Tight security implemented in Rath Yatra in Puri
- 155 new active corona cases recorded in Goa
- Above 2000 cases of corona and 48 deaths recorded in Karnataka
- Andhra Pradesh witnesses a drop in corona cases below 30,000

### International Events-

- Delta variant of corona rises by 32% per week in UK
- Haiti's interim government requests the US and UN for troop deployment to protect infrastructure and hold elections
- Afghan Taliban views China as a friend
- The Hong Kong Alliance in Support of Patriotic Democratic Movements of China downsizes its members amidst crackdown
- US President Joe Biden cautions Russia of ransomware coming out from the country

### Job alerts-

- UPSC jobs for Principals. Last date 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021
- UPSC Recruitment for Assistant Director, Nautical Surveyor and other post. Last date 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021
- AIIMS Kalyani jobs for Faculty. Last date 18<sup>th</sup> July 2021
- Ministry of Defence jobs for Rajputana Rifles and Group C posts. Last date
- KIOCL jobs for Executive trainees. Last date 25<sup>th</sup> July 2021

### Sports-

- England defeats Pakistan by 52 runs in the 2<sup>nd</sup> ODI of a three-match series
- India-Sri Lanka series to start from July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- Euro Cup final between Italy and England

- Argentina wins Copa America against rivals Brazil
- Marija Cicak becomes the first female empire in the Wimbledon's men final match 2021

#### **Technology-**

- Richard Branson makes first flight to space on Virgin Galactic's Unity 22

#### **Economy –**

- Covid 2<sup>nd</sup> wave to slow down the results of the first quarter of year 2022
- Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman offers to share CoWIN platform with other nations without charge
- Kolkata metro under maintenance
- India's fuel demand again makes a comeback combined with high fuel prices
- Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman suggests to combine technology with service delivery to increase economic recovery

#### **Local –**

- Jharkand High Courts asks Jharkand government whether to allow Rath Yatra or not
- Covid-19 vaccination suspended in 10 districts of Orissa
- Class 12 results of CHSE to be out in July 31<sup>st</sup> 2021 in Orissa
- 28-year-old tribal women Rajani Melaka commits suicide by jumping from the third floor of the District Hospital in Orissa. Reason of suicide remain unknown.
- Former state minister Anil Joshi expelled by the BJP for 6 years

#### **GK –**

**Who among the following was the First Indian Cricketer to bag 500 wickets in Test matches?**

- [A] Kapil Dev
- [B] Srinath
- [C] Anil Kumble
- [D] Harbhajan Singh

**Rovers Cup is related to which of the following sports?**

- [A] Football
- [B] Cricket
- [C] Hockey
- [D] Tennis

**What is the other name of Salt Lake Stadium?**

- [A] Yuba Bharti Stadium
- [B] Bharat Bharti Stadium

- [C] Eden Gardens
- [D] Kolkata Stadium

**Which of the following is awarded to individuals for promoting education, culture, development and peace through sport?**

- [A] Olympic Cup
- [B] Olympic Laurel
- [C] Olympic Town
- [D] Olympic Order

**When did the World Chess Championship begin officially?**

- [A] 1946
- [B] 1925
- [C] 1899
- [D] 1886

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