

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

### Today's Event – 15<sup>th</sup> July 2021

- 1799- Rosetta Stone found in Egypt by Pierre Francois Bouchard
- 1823- Fire destroys Basilica of St. Paul in Italy
- 1834- Spanish Inquisition disbanded after 356 years
- 1910- Emil Kraepelin names Alzheimer's disease after his colleague's name Alois Alzheimer
- 2006- Twitter was launched worldwide

### National Events-

- Covid restrictions in West Bengal extended up to 30<sup>th</sup> of July 2021
- 3 LeT insurgents eradicated in Pulwama
- 147 women received permanent commission in the Indian Army
- Congress accuses the Central Government for shortage of vaccines
- Security agencies cautions Indian Railways of an impending terrorist attack on Shramik Trains which runs between Punjab and Uttar Pradesh

### International Events-

- UN reports tells that nearly 2.7 lakhs Afghans have been displaced due to military activities
- Afghanistan and Taliban to meet for peace talks in Qatar
- US have begun evacuation of Afghans who helped the American military
- 9 Chinese along with 13 others were killed in a bus attack in Pakistan
- Lack of political instability in Nepal despite reelection of former Prime Minister Sher Bahadur Deuba

### Job alerts-

- DGAFMS jobs for Group C. Last date 9<sup>th</sup> August 2021
- NHB jobs for Horticulture Officer and other posts. Last date 24<sup>th</sup> August 2021
- FAD jobs for Tradesman Mate, MTS, Fireman and others. Last date 31<sup>st</sup> July 2021
- Motilal Nehru College jobs for non-teaching posts. Last date 31<sup>st</sup> July 2021
- Canbank Factors Limited job for Junior officer. Last date 31<sup>st</sup> July 2021

### Sports-

- IOC head Thomas Bach promises to reduce virus risk in the upcoming 2020 Tokyo Olympics
- Olympic athletes are required to put on their own medals to avoid infection
- Italian goalie Gianluigi Donnarumma joins the Paris Saint-Germain
- England whitewashes Pakistan in the 3<sup>rd</sup> ODI Match

- BCCI Chief Jay Shah sends cautionary letter after one of Team India's players found to be covid positive

#### Technology-

- Second cloud region added in Delhi by Google Cloud
- ASUS releases Chromebook models Flip C214, C223, C423 and AC523

#### Economy –

- Society of Indian Automobile Manufactures (SIAM) states that high oil prices will affect the motor industry
- Indian IT Industry expenditure to rise up to 92 billion dollars by 2021
- Wholesale price inflations lowers down to 12.075
- Sensex rises up to 100 points; Nifty peaks at 15,850
- RBL bank, Yes Bank and Bajaj Finserv are most affected after RBI restricted Mastercard to allow any new customer

#### Local –

- Death toll rises up to 30 in Jharkhand due to black fungus
- Ramesh Baith take oath as Jharkhand Governor
- Aam Aadmi Party announces to give 300 units of free power to Goa
- Call centres in Delhi were raided for cheating innocent American people
- 77 new active covid cases recorded in New Delhi

#### GK –

**World's highest Hockey ground is located in:**

- [A] Chail
- [B] Shilaroo
- [C] Parwanoo
- [D] Delhi

**Since which of the following year Winter Olympics are held ?**

- [A] 1896
- [B] 1900
- [C] 1888
- [D] 1924

**Which among the following team was first winner of "World Cup Hockey" ?**

- [A] Spain
- [B] France

- [C] UK
- [D] Pakistan

**Which among the following is not given as “Life Time Achievement” Award in India?**

- [A] Dada Saheb Phalke Award
- [B] Dhyanchand Award
- [C] Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Awards
- [D] Dronacharya Award

**Who among the following have contributed to the Olympic theme music?**

- [A] Mark Watters
- [B] John Williams
- [C] Henry Mancini
- [D] All of the above

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