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#### I. Football

Chelsea Wins FIFA Club World Cup: Chelsea Football Club has made history by winning the first-ever FIFA Club World Cup, defeating Paris Saint-Germain (PSG) 3-0 in a stunning final at MetLife Stadium in New Jersey. Cole Palmer scored a brace, and João Pedro added a third goal, all in the first half. This marks Chelsea's second Club World Cup title in four years.

India U-20 Women's Team Draw: The Indian U-20 women's football team played a 1-1 draw against Uzbekistan in an international friendly match at Do'stlik Stadium, Tashkent.

#### II. Cricket

# Anderson-Tendulkar Trophy (India vs England Test Series):

India lost the third Test match of the Anderson-Tendulkar Trophy against England on the final day at Lord's in London, giving England a series lead.

On Day 4, India was 58 for 4 at Stumps, needing 135 runs to win on Day 5.

**Australia vs West Indies Test Series:** In a stunning display, Australia crushed West Indies in the third Test at Kingston, completing a 3-0 series sweep.

Australia's Mitchell Starc, playing his 100th Test, claimed six wickets for just nine runs, surpassing 400 Test wickets. He also had the fastest five-wicket haul in Test history (within 15 balls).

Scott Boland achieved the 10th Test hat-trick by an Australian, dismissing three West Indies batsmen consecutively.

West Indies were bowled out for a paltry 27 runs, marking their second-lowest Test score in history (lowest is New Zealand's 26). The match concluded inside three days.

#### III. Badminton

Saina Nehwal's Separation: Olympic bronze medalist and former world No. 1 badminton player Saina Nehwal has confirmed her separation from her husband and fellow shuttler Parupalli Kashyap. The news was shared by Nehwal on her official Instagram account, stating they "have decided to part ways" and are "choosing peace, growth, and healing." They were married for seven years.

#### IV. Tennis

Jannik Sinner Wins Wimbledon 2025: World No. 1 Jannik Sinner claimed his maiden Wimbledon 2025 title at the All England Club in London. He faced Carlos Alcaraz in the Men's Singles final.

#### V. Wrestling

India's U-20 Freestyle Wrestling Team Success: India's U-20 freestyle wrestling team finished second at the 2025 U-20 Wrestling Championship in Bishkek. They secured 2 gold, 1 silver, and 5 bronze medals, accumulating a total of 157 points.

#### VI. Rugby

Bihar Wins Junior National Rugby 7s 2025 Titles: Bihar clinched the U18 Boys' title at the 10th Junior National Rugby 7s Championship 2025, defeating defending champions Odisha 17-15 in the final in Dehradun. This completed

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double for Bihar, as they also won the U18 Girls' title earlier in the week.

#### VII. Chess

A Ra Harikrishnan Becomes India's 87th Grandmaster: A Ra Harikrishnan earned his third GM-norm at the La Plagne International Chess Festival in France to become India's 87th Grandmaster.

#### VIII. WWE

Lyra Valkyria Qualifies for Intercontinental Championship Match: Lyra Valkyria defeated Bayley in a 2-out-of-3 falls match on Monday Night Raw, qualifying her for the Intercontinental Championship match SummerSlam 2025 against current champion Becky Lynch.

#### MCQS

- 1. Which football club won the first-ever FIFA Club World Cup in 2025, defeating Paris Saint-Germain (PSG) 3-0 in the final?
- a) Real Madrid
- b) Chelsea Football Club
- c) FC Barcelona
- d) Manchester United

Answer: b) Chelsea Football Club The news states, "Chelsea Football Club has made history by winning the first-ever FIFA Club World Cup, defeating Paris Saint-Germain (PSG) 3-0".

- 2. The Indian U-20 women's football team recently played an international friendly match against Uzbekistan. What was the result of this match?
- a) India won 2-1
- b) Uzbekistan won 1-0

- c) It was a 1-1 draw
- d) India lost 0-3

**Answer:** c) It was a 1-1 draw

The news mentions, "The Indian U-20 women's football team played a 1-1 draw against Uzbekistan in an international friendly match".

- 3. In the Anderson-Tendulkar Trophy, what was the result of the third Test match between India and England at Lord's, as of July 15, 2025?
- a) India won the match
- b) England won the match
- c) The match was drawn
- d) The match is still ongoing

**Answer:** b) England won the match Explanation: The text indicates, "India lost the third Test match of the Anderson-Tendulkar Trophy against England on the final day at Lord's".

- 4. In his 100th Test match against West Indies, Australia's Mitchell Starc surpassed what significant bowling milestone?
- a) 100 Test wickets
- b) 200 Test wickets
- c) 300 Test wickets
- d) 400 Test wickets

**Answer:** d) 400 Test wickets

The news states, "Australia's Mitchell Starc, playing his 100th Test, claimed six wickets for just nine runs, surpassing 400 Test wickets."

- 5. In the third Test against Australia, West Indies were bowled out for a paltry 27 runs. This marked their second-lowest Test score in history; which country holds the record for the lowest-ever Test score (26)?
- a) South Africa
- b) England
- c) New Zealand

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d) India

Answer: c) New Zealand

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- 6. Olympic bronze medalist and former world No. 1 badminton player Saina Nehwal has confirmed her separation from whom?
- a) P.V. Sindhu
- b) Kidambi Srikanth
- c) Parupalli Kashyap
- d) Carolina Marin

**Answer:** c) Parupalli Kashyap

The news explicitly states, "Saina Nehwal has confirmed her separation from her husband and fellow shuttler Parupalli Kashyap."

#### IV. Tennis

- 7. Who claimed his maiden Wimbledon 2025 title at the All England Club in London?
- a) Novak Djokovic
- b) Carlos Alcaraz
- c) Roger Federer
- d) Jannik Sinner

**Answer:** d) Jannik Sinner

The text confirms, "World No. 1 Jannik Sinner claimed his maiden Wimbledon 2025 title".

- 8. India's U-20 freestyle wrestling team finished at the 2025 U-20 Wrestling Championship in Bishkek. How many gold medals did they secure?
- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 5

Answer: b) 2

The news states, "They secured 2 gold, 1 silver, and 5 bronze medals".

- 9. Which state clinched the U18 Boys' title at the 10th Junior National Rugby 7s Championship 2025, completing a double for the state?
- a) Odisha
- b) Uttarakhand
- c) Bihar
- d) Maharashtra

**Answer:** c) Bihar

The news states, "Bihar clinched the U18 Boys' title at the 10th Junior National Rugby 7s Championship 2025... This completed a double for Bihar".

- 10. Who recently became India's 87th Grandmaster by earning his third GM-norm at the La Plagne International Chess Festival in France?
- a) R. Praggnanandhaa
- b) D. Gukesh
- c) A Ra Harikrishnan
- d) Vidit Guirathi

**Answer:** c) A Ra Harikrishnan

The text mentions, "A Ra Harikrishnan earned his third GM-norm... to become India's 87th Grandmaster."

- 11. Lvra Valkyria qualified the for Intercontinental Championship match SummerSlam 2025. Who is the current champion she will face?
- a) Bayley
- b) Sasha Banks
- c) Rhea Ripley
- d) Becky Lynch

**Answer:** d) Becky Lynch

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