

# Current Affairs Weekly Quiz - August 16, 2024

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**(1) Who was named as the flagbearer for India alongside Manu Bhaker for the Paris Olympics closing ceremony??**

- A. P. R. Sreejesh
- B. Manu Bhakar
- C. Neeraj Chopra
- D. Lakshya Sen

**Answer (a) P. R. Sreejesh**

**(2) Which singer recently launched a new radio programme titled 'Ae Zindagi Gale Laga Le'??**

- A. Suresh Wadkar
- B. Sonu Nigam
- C. Kumar Sanu
- D. Shankar Mahadevan

**Answer (a) Suresh Wadkar**

**(3) Who took oath as the head of Bangladesh's interim government??**

- A. Abdul Hamid
- B. Muhammad Yunus
- C. Sheikh Haseena
- D. Mohammed Shahabuddin

**Answer (b) Muhammad Yunus**

**(4) Which company bagged a Rs 15,000 crore project to develop a satellite township in Srinagar??**

- A. NBCC (India) Limited
- B. Housing and Urban Development Corporation
- C. L&T
- D. Central Public Works Department

**Answer (a) NBCC (India) Limited**

**(5) Which Indian politician received the Grand-Collar of the Order of Timor-Leste, the country's highest civilian award??**

- A. Droupadi Murmu
- B. Amit Shah
- C. Nitin Gadkari
- D. Narendra Modi

**Answer (a) Droupadi Murmu**

**(6) Who won silver in the men's javelin throw at the Paris Olympics, becoming the first Indian to win two Olympic medals in athletics??**

- A. Annu Rani
- B. Neeraj Chopra
- C. Arshad Nadeem
- D. Kishore Jena

**Answer (b) Neeraj Chopra**

**(7) Which institute inaugurated a Power Electronics and Hydro-Electric Machines Laboratory to foster research in hydro-electric systems??**

- A. IIT Guwahati
- B. IIT Madras
- C. IIT Roorkee
- D. IIT Delhi

**Answer (c) IIT Roorkee**

**(8) What payment system will be introduced in the Maldives as part of a new agreement with India??**

- A. BHIM
- B. Credit Card Payment
- C. National Electronic Funds Transfer
- D. Unified Payments Interface



**Answer (d) Unified Payments Interface**

**(9) Which wrestler won bronze at the Paris Olympics, becoming India's youngest Olympic medallist??**

- A. Antim Panghal
- B. Vinesh Phogat
- C. Anshu Malik
- D. Aman Sehrawat

**Answer (d) Aman Sehrawat**

**(10) Who launched 109 high-yielding, climate-resilient varieties of crops in Delhi's Pusa complex??**

- A. Narendra Modi
- B. Amit Shah
- C. Droupadi Murmu
- D. Nirmala Sitharaman

**Answer (a) Narendra Modi**

**(11) Who was appointed as acting Vice Chancellor of Indira Gandhi National Open University??**

- A. Uma Kanjilal
- B. Professor Nageshwar Rao

- C. Alok Kumar Rai
- D. Santishree Dhulipudi Pandit

**Answer (a) Uma Kanjilal**

**(12) Where did Prime Minister Narendra Modi launch the construction of Shinkun La Tunnel??**

- A. Sikkim
- B. Arunachal Pradesh
- C. Ladakh
- D. Assam

**Answer (c) Ladakh**

**(13) Where will India establish its first integrated agri-export facility??**

- A. Mumbai Port
- B. Jawaharlal Nehru Port
- C. Port of Kandla
- D. Chennai Port

**Answer (b) Jawaharlal Nehru Port**

**(14) What became the first cultural property from the Northeast to get included in the UNESCO World Heritage List??**

- A. Holkar Gharana
- B. Charaideo Moidams
- C. Kareng Ghar
- D. Rang Ghar



**Answer (b) Charaideo Moidams**

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