

Important Weekly Current Affairs PDF Download 22nd to 31st October 2018)

Dear Readers, Here we have given the list of Important Weekly Current Affairs 4th week of October 2018. Candidates those who are preparing for Upcoming IBPS PO, Clerk 2018 and other competitive exams can make use of it.

- 1) PM announces national award in Netaji's name for Disaster relief workers
- 2) US to pull out of Intermediate Range Nuclear Forces (INF) treaty signed with Russia

USEFUL INFO		
US Capital	Washington DC	
Currency	Dollar	
President	Donald Trump	

3) Himachal Pradesh government is considering a proposal to rename state capital Shimla to - Shyamala

USEFUL INFO		
Himachal Pradesh Capital	Shimla	
СМ	Jai Ram Thakur	
Governor	Acharya Dev Vrat	

- 4) SBI launches its first "Wealth Hub" in Mangaluru
- 5) Green Climate Fund approves \$1 billion to assist poor countries to tackle Climate Change
- 6) Suresh Nambath appointed as the next Editor of 'The Hindu'
- 7) IL&FS appoints advisers to help board *Arpwood Capital and JM Financial Consultants as financial and transaction advisers to the group while Alvarez & Marsal has been appointed restructuring advisers.*
- 8) Panel recommends UNCITRAL model for Cross-border insolvency
- 9) US-based Dalit writer who wins 2018 Shakti Bhatt Prize is Sujatha Gidla
- 10) Annual Ustad Chand Khan Lifetime Achievement Award is won by Pandit Vishwa Mohan Bhatt



- 11) Nasscom, Dubai Internet City sign MoU to attract Indian enterprises
- 12) PM Modi inaugurates 36th Indian Carpets Expo in Varanasi
- 13) 7th meeting of education ministers of member states of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) was held in - Astana, Kazakhstan
- 14) The state government which made the man-animal conflict a 'State Declared Disaster' is Uttar Pradesh.
- 15) PNB Metlife launches Al-powered customer service app called- Khushi
- 16) 'PayPay' mobile wallet in Japan in JV with SoftBank, Yahoo Japan is launched by Paytm
- 17) The first-ever joint maritime exercise will be conducted between ASEAN and China in the South China Sea
- 18) European Space Agency and JAXA have successfully launched an unmanned Bepi Colombo spacecraft to -Mercury
- 19) World Polio Day is observed on October 24
- 20) United Nations day will be observed on October 24

USEFUL INFO		
Theme	Traditions of Peace and Non-	
	violence	

- 21) GCF approves \$43 million to boost climate resilience for India's coastal communities
- 22) 80% of Ganga to be clean before March 2019
- 23) World's oldest intact shipwreck found in Black Sea
- 24) NASSCOM partnered with Hiroshima for Japan-India IT corridor in Hiroshima
- 25) US to pull out of Intermediate Range Nuclear Forces (INF) treaty signed with Russia

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US Capital	Washington DC	
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Donald Trump	President
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26) 4-day International Dance Festival is going to held in - Gwalior

USEFUL INFO		
Madhya Pradesh Capital	Bhopal	
СМ	Shivraj Singh Chouhan	
Governor	Anandiben patel	

- 27) Seven hundred and twenty eight crores capital infusion to Syndicate Bank from Central government
- 28) TCS among top 10 firms to get foreign labour certification for H-1B visas
- 29) TVS Motor gets a New CEO K.N. Radhakrishnan
- 30) 19th Lal Bahadur Shastri National Award for Excellence in Public Administration is won by Fali S. Nariman
- 31) Maharshi Valmiki Jayanti Award for Deve Gowda
- 32) UN Investment Promotion Award is won by Invest India
- 33) 27th IAEA Fusion Energy Conference Starts In Gandhinagar, Gujarat
- 34) Fourth Edition Of NITI Lecture Series Held In New Delhi

USEFUL INFO		
NITI Aayog Full form	National Institution for Transforming	
	India	
NITI Aayog Chairman	PM Of India	
Vice- Chairman	Rajiv Kumar	

- 35) India-China high-level meeting on bilateral security cooperation held in New Delhi
- 36) Sagar conference inaugurated in Goa
- 37) The book "Nehru and Bose: Parallel Lives" has been authored by Rudrangshu Mukherjee.
- 38) President inaugurated three-day Vishwa Shanti Ahimsa Sammelan in Maharashtra
- 39) Tea Board of India is to launch an app named Chai Sahay

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- 40) Orientation workshop on Health and Nutrition Initiatives under Aspirational District Programme and launch of Mobile app called *e-Mitra*
- 41) World's 2nd most underinsured country is India
- 42) UAE, US to conduct military exercise near Dubai is called Iron Magic 19
- 43) Russia and Pakistan holding military exercise in Pakistan is called Druzhba-III
- 44) Vijay Hazare Trophy is won by *Mumbai*
- 45) International Artist's Day is celebrated annually on October 25
- 46) ICRI has declared year 2018 as International Year of the Reef
- 47) Sale Of BS-IV Vehicles should stop across Country from April 1, 2020
- 48) Sachin Tendulkar gave away prizes to the winners of South Asia Regional WASH innovation in Thimphu
- 49) New President of Cameroon is Paul Biya

USEFUL INFO		
Cameroon Capital	Yaoundé	
Currency	Franc	
President	Paul Biya	

50) State government that has to introduce livestock veterinary scheme is – *Haryana*

USEFUL INFO		
Haryana Capital	Chandigarh	
СМ	Manohar lal Kathar	
Governor	Satyadev Narayan Arya	

51) New MD and CEO of Paytm Payments Bank is - Satish Kumar Gupta

USEFUL INFO		
Fino Payments Bank Headquarters	Mumbai ,Maharashtra	
MD and CEO	Satish Kumar Gupta	

52) New interim CBI director is - Nageshwar Rao

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- 53) 2018 Seoul Peace Prize is won by PM Narendra Modi
- 54) UN Award for excellence in promoting investments in sustainable development is won by Invest India
- 55) Nishtha Dudeja won the Miss Deaf Asia 2018 is belongs to Haryana
- 56) World Agriculture Prize is awarded by M.S. Swaminathan
- 57) India, Iran, Afghanistan hold first trilateral on Chabahar port project
- 58) STAPCOR 2018: International Conference on Status and Protection of Coral Reefs held at *Bangaram Island, Lakshadweep*
- 59) Global Agriculture Leadership Summit 2018 opens in New Delhi
- 60) India's richest book prize is won by Benyamin
- 61) PM Modi Launches 'Main Nahi Hum' Portal In New Delhi
- 62) Fastest Cricketer to Reach 10,000 Runs in History of ODI Cricket is Kohli
- 63) North East Olympics begins in Imphal
- 64) MotoGP world champion won by Spain's Marc Marquez
- 65) Ayush Ministry to develop parameters to certify Yoga professionals.
- 66) Indian telecom industry will rollout one million WiFi hotspots by December 2019
- 67) India's first made-in-India engineless train is set to hit the tracks for trials called 'Train 18'
- 68) The country which successfully Tests World's Largest Cargo Drone China

USEFUL INFO		
China Capital	Beijing	
Currency	Renminbi, Yuan	
President	Xi Jinping	

69) Sri Lanka tops list of countries for travel destination in - 2019

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Sri Lanka Capital	Colombo, Sri Jayawardenepura
	Kotte
Currency	Rupee
PM	Ranil Wickremesinghe

70) Ethiopia's first female president is - Sahle-Work Zewde

USEFUL INFO	
Ethiopia Capital	Addis Ababa
Currency	Birr
President	Abiy Ahmed

- 71) IDFC Bank to be renamed as IDFC First Bank
- 72) FICCI India Sports Awards 2018 is won by Athletics Federation of India
- 73) The 2018 WETEX (Water, Energy, Technology, and Environment Exhibition) has started at the Dubai.
- 74) India Mobile Congress 2018 held in New Delhi
- 75) PM Modi Inaugurated Krishi Kumbha in *Lucknow*
- 76) Union HRD Minister launches the web portal SPARC in New Delhi
- 77) NATO's biggest military maneuvers begins in *Norway*
- 78) New Prime Minister of Sri Lanka is Mahinda Rajapaksha.
- 79) World's largest airport 'under one roof' to open in *Istanbul*
- 80) Pakistan to send first manned space mission in 2022
- 81) The Punjab government has banned the sale of Glyphosate
- 82) Centre to build sports stadium for differently-abled in Meghalaya
- 83) Kerala Infrastructure Investment Fund Board to issue Masala bonds worth Rs 5,000 crore for *Development works*
- 84) Gogha- Dahej Ro-Pax Ferry service will be inaugurated in Gujarat



- 85) India's First Rooftop Solar Powered Cinema and South Mumbai's Largest Multiplex METRO INOX.
- 86) RBI to inject Rs 40000 cr liquidity into system in November
- 87) Reliance Naval and Engineering (RNEL) launched a 3,000-tonne training ship for the *Indian Coast Guard* (ICG)
- 88) Senior diplomat Saurabh Kumar has been appointed India's ambassador to Myanmar
- 89) 2nd International Conference On Primary Health Care Held in Kazakhstan
- 90) Union Minister Suresh Prabhu inaugurated the 10th Edition of BIOFACH INDIA
- 91) Maneka Gandhi inaugurates 5th edition of Women of India National Organic Fest 2018 in New Delhi.
- 92) Wheelchair shuttler Sanjeev Kumar wins two gold medals at Denmark Open
- 93) Angela Merkel to Step Down As German Chancellor In 2021
- 94) Gujarat First Mega Food Park Inaugurated In Surat
- 95) India's First Robotic Dinosaurs Gallery Inaugurated In Kapurthala
- 96) Clara Sosa Won Miss Grand International 2018 in *Myanmar*.
- 97) India, Japan sign MoC to promote Ayurveda, Yoga
- 98) 5th National Summit On Public Health Care Begins In Assam
- 99) India & Pakistan Declared Joint Winners of Asian Champions Trophy in Oman
- 100) Rashtriya Ekta Diwas or National Unity day is celebrated every year on 31st October
- 101) CSIR developed Less Polluting Firecrackers named SWAS, SAFAL and STAR
- 102) World's first sovereign Blue Bond Seychelles

USEFUL INFO		
Seychelles Capital	Victoria	
Currency	Rupee	



President	Danny Faure
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103) Gandhian Thought and Swachhata Seminar Organized in - Wardha

USEFUL INFO		
Maharashtra Capital	Mumbai	
СМ	Devendra Fadnavis	
Governor	Chinamani Vidyasagar Rao	

104) Supreme Court prohibited the plying of 15-year-old petrol and 10-year-old diesel vehicles in the - Delhi

USEFUL INFO	
Delhi Capital	New Delhi
СМ	Arvind Kejriwal
Governor	Anil Bijal

105) FPIs pull out INR 35,600 crore from Indian capitals market in - October

106) The Union Cabinet of India constitute a Joint Working Group (JWG) on Fintech with - Singapore

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