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Dear Readers,

The inculcation of passion for government job examinations amongst the students is one of the major objectives set by Adda247. **Competition Power** has been a step towards it and it has served as a great platform to provide the students with the best of the study material for all sorts of government jobs and encourage them to make enhancements in their preparations for government jobs through the best ways possible.

The new edition of **Competition Power Magazine** is now your hands. The issue brings the highlights of the Current Affairs of January 2018 and February 2018 in detail under the name, "**Newsmakers of the Month**". This is followed by the one-liners of January 2018 under the title, "**Current Affairs Zinger**".

Bearing in mind the exorbitantly changing pattern of the competitive examinations, this magazine assembles the exhaustive study material for the upcoming government job examinations that provide the information of great interest to our varied readership.

In this issue, we also carry the **SSC CGL TIER-I Previous Year Mock, SBI CLERK Prelims Practice Set, SBI Clerk Mains Practice Set, RRB Group 'D' Practice Set & SBI / IBPS PO Prelims Practice set** so as our readers can make a headway in their career with the government jobs they are interested in, by thoroughly practicing the papers that simulate the real examinations. Next, we have some important topics of Reasoning, English, GA and Reasoning so that you have them all grasped for the upcoming competitive examinations.

As the editor of Competition Power, I anticipate that this issue would be of immense value and will be definitely useful to our readers who aspire to be a government job employee in a short run. I would also like to thank the contributors for their efforts and our readers continue to have faith in us.

Your support and presence are indicative of the fact that we have made steps in the right direction. I will be looking forward to your valuable feedback and suggestions.

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Team Competition Power !!

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Motivational : 15 Common Mistakes To Avoid During Your Preparation Phase

Dear Students, now that the new season of 2018 banking examinations has begun already, you all must have started to prepare for the same. **Various banking recruitment notifications have opened the doors to major public sector banks by now** and there are many more opportunities to come in the near future. From the public sector bank like IDBI to the public sector giant the State Bank of India, from the post of Executives/Clerk to the post of Probationary Officers, **the banking sector has given the aspirants a handful of opportunities to make a headway in their career with.** Now, most of you would be wondering if what could be the best way to grab these opportunities without letting them slip through your fingers.

Students, **apart from focusing on what should be the best approach towards acing these competitive examinations, one should also focus on how she/he has to avoid erring during her/his preparation phase.** Many of you knowingly or most of the times unknowingly make mistakes that cost you an opportunity to bag a government job even after breaking your back for the same. In this article, we will be discussing how you can avoid making those silly mistakes that most of the banking aspirants make all throughout their preparations, and end up facing only disappointment. **So, to make you play your cards right, we are providing you all with the list of a number of mistakes that you should be wary of while you buckle down for the upcoming banking exams.**

1. Avoiding everyday news believing you will do it all together in the end.

Read the news on a daily basis so that you do not end up lying under a pile of news of past 3-4 months a few days before the examination. This not only stresses you out but also makes you forget most of the important news.

2. Not giving speed tests on a regular basis.

Giving speed tests on a regular basis helps you attempt the tests in a minimum time with maximum accuracy. You also come across various strengths and weaknesses of yours that you may later make use of while attempting the real examination.

3. Ignoring working on the topics that you think you are good at.

You should always try to make the best use of your strengths while attempting an examination and that can only be possible when you practice them hard. Ignoring them will only make you forget the basics and lessen the chances of you attempting them as efficiently as you could, had you practiced them well.

4. Not knowing what to start with.

Many a times, students are confused regarding what topic they should start off their preparations with. You should always start with the topics you are already good at because that gives you confidence and motivates you to move further with a positive attitude.

5. Listening and trying to follow hundreds of strategies.

Students very often ask different successful candidates about their strategies and try to follow the same that only makes it more chaotic for them to figure out what strategy to follow exactly. So, try to make your own strategy as per your convenience and following that one strategy throughout your preparation will definitely help you come off with flying colors.

6. Lacking consistency in your preparations.

Many of you are quite a bit enthusiastic when you begin your preparations and that enthusiasm fades away with time. There are times when you are highly active and travail all day and night, and then, there are times when you do not study at all for days. This will make you forget whatever you studied during the times when you were the most active and you will have to start all over again when you decide to do it again. So, try to keep your preparations consistent throughout so as to maintain that positive flow of studies.

7. Collecting and piling up a heap of useless study material.

There are students who have a habit of collecting different study material from different sources and they end up getting confused and stressing themselves out with what to study and what not. Try collecting only the study material that is useful and up-to-date as per the new pattern of examination.

8. Wasting too much of time surfing through social media.

Students often tend to surf through social media all day long wasting a lot of their precious time that they could have contributed to their studies. So, be wary of spending too much of time on social media and put the time that you spend while using them to some positive use (like following Adda247 pages on different social media platforms).

9. In a quandary, if to go for Banking Exams or SSC.

Fix a target if you have to prepare for banking exams or SSC because they both have a different pattern as well as syllabus for their examinations. When SSC exams are near, you run to prepare for SSC and when it's over, you switch back to your preparations for banking exams, and that way, you only lose the track of your to-the-point preparations.

10. Directly applying tricks without having the basics of the topic grasped.

Try not to follow the tricks to solve various questions until you have a good knowledge of their basics. You might be able to solve that question at that very time but may lose to attempt it in the real examination if it's asked in a more twisted manner than usual.

11. Thinking of preparing for the mains exam only after the result of prelims exams.

If you do not prepare for mains examination from the very beginning, you will not be able to finish all of your preparations within the limited period of time that you get after qualifying for the mains examination.

12. Not having quality sleep:

A quality improves memory recall and the ability to concentrate. If you wouldn't sleep properly, you likely won't remember much of what you studied anyway. So, to make the best use of your knowledge, you should try to get at least 8 hours of sleep every day.

13. Not revising the topics on a regular basis.

Revise all the topics that you need to be tremendous at. Sort the important topics into a checklist and settle on how each and every point is to be revised before appearing for the real examination, so that, during the examination, you are not like, "Gee! I was so good at this topic. I could have done better had I revised it well."

14. Not Analysing your speed tests.

Mere giving the speed tests is not enough, but you need to analyze your performance and work on the points where you lag. If you're not equipped with the necessary exam-taking skills, you won't certainly get the grades you're hoping for.

15. Waiting for the official notification to start off your preparations.

If you do not start off your preparations right away, you will be running short of time to work on your weaknesses after the release of the notification, because that will be the point when most of the time is to be given to practice and the rest is to be dedicated to revision.

Sucess Story: "Mehnet tab tak karo jab tak vo khuda ko na dikhne lage." : Anshul Singh (IBPS RRB PO & Clerk)

Name: Anshul Singh

Category: General

Post qualified for:RRB OFFICER SCALE- 1(Prathama bank), and RRB OFFICE ASSISTANT (Purvanchal bank)

Hometown- (Uttrakhand), brought up in Bareilly.

"Yu hi nahi hote sundar gulfam shabnam me, Aag me khud ko tapana padta hai, Manzil ki lalak to sabme hoti hai, Par uske kaabil khud ko banana padta hai"

First of all, I am thankful to my Almighty, my husband, my family, my friends and my Bankersadda. My god is the one who gives me strength in all circumstances and usne mujhe kabhi haar manne nhi diya. My family believes in me and supported me throughout the journey. My father and my husband are the two men who always boost my confidence and are the strongest part of this toughest journey.

This is a story which is incomplete without the stories of my failures. **This a story of a girl who completed her b-tech in 2012 as a topper and thought that she would easily crack any government examination but the truth of the real world was very bitter.** There was huge competition in the outer world which was ready to hit my four years hard work. I worked for one year, then started preparing for engineering services but after some time I left it and started preparing for banking examination in 2015. It was the toughest task of conversion of a tech student into a non-tech aspirant. It was very challenging for me as I was not interested in aptitude.

I gave many exams and also gave many interviews but did not get final selection. Everytime a new hurdle would come my way. It was the phase of deep frustration and due to this, I could not concentrate on my studies too. Preparation bhi switch hoti rehti kbhi mai tech exam deti...fir bank k deti and then **a direction came in my life when I joined Bankersadda as a content developer in 2016.** It was one of the best parts of my life. This organization taught me many things. I got a chance to know the exact pattern of banking examination and I worked in a highly positive and motivational environment.

"Jab raste mushkil hote h...to manzil ko pane ki zid aur bad jati h" ... I had to do daily up and down for 2 hours from Gurgaon to Delhi in morning and evening. Delhi Metro is one of my best friend in my preparation journey. **I completed all my GA preparation in the metro.** Auto k time me quant k sare tables, shortcuts, formula revise karti thi. **Office lunch time is dedicated to quant mix question.** I never let go a single day without reading The Hindu. As a married woman, **As a married woman I had so many family responsibilities but my husband and in-laws have supported me a lot and I stole only an hour or little more at home to study which I dedicated to Adda247 online test series.** Many people told me that government job was not in my destiny but I believe in, "destiny hum apna khud bnate h" and the main funda of success is continuous efforts. "Mehnet tab tak karo jab tak vo khuda ko na dikhne lage."

When I saw my result on 1st Feb, it was really a dream come true after the series of failures but it is just a platform which I wanted. Abhi to bahut irade baki hai mere, bahut sapne sajana baki h. I just want to tell you guys that never stop. **It does not matter if you are working, if you are married, if you have no proper guidance, you can achieve anything in this world if you want.** Koi bhi circumstance aapke determination se bdi nahi ho sakti. Bahut hurdles aayengi, aapko rokne vale bhi aayenge but u have to win.

"Bolne vale bolenge, sunane vale sunayeng. Apne result k screenshot se hi maar do unko jinhone tere path me kante bichaye h."

The exams which I missed by little margins:

MAHATRANSCO & MAHAGENCO – appeared for interview but did not get final selection due to Marathi language certificate

SBI CLERK 2016- missed final selection by 7 marks

IBPS RRB PO V 2016- appeared for interview but did not clear due to 1 marks in final merit list

IBPS RRB CLERK V 2016- appeared for mains but did not get final selection by 5 marks.

BOB PGDBF 2017- appeared for interview but did not get final selection

RBI ASSISTANT 2017- appeared for mains

IBPS RRB PO VI 2017- got selected in Prathama bank (54.38 out of 100 in final merit list)

IBPS RRB CLERK VI 2017- got selected in Purvanchal bank

IBPS PO VII 2017- appeared for interview and waiting for final result

IBPS CLERK VII 2017- appeared for mains and waiting for final result
SSC CGL TIER 1 2017- cleared

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I want to conclude my story by my these lines-

**“Kanto pe chalkar muskurana h zindagi,
Toofan me behkar sahil ko pana h zindagi,
Auro k liye ye jina aur mar jana ho,**

1) **Par hmare liye kuch kar dikhana h zindagi”**

News Makers of the Month: January 2018

The 2018 BAFTA Awards announced: Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri won maximum prizes

Crime drama **Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri** won maximum prizes at the **British Academy of Film and Television Arts (BAFTA) Awards 2018**, which held at the Royal Albert Hall, London, UK.

Complete List of winners for BAFTA 2018

Category	Winners
Best Film	Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri
Outstanding British Film	Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri
Best Director	Guillermo Del Toro, The Shape of Water
Best Actress	Frances McDormand, Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri
Best Actor	Gary Oldman, Darkest Hour
Best Supporting Actress	Allison Janney, I, Tonya
Best Supporting Actor	Sam Rockwell, Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri
Best Cinematography	Roger Deakins, Blade Runner 2049
Original Screenplay	Martin McDonagh, Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri
Adapted Screenplay	James Ivory, Call Me by Your Name
British Short Film	Cowboy Dave British Short Animation: Poles Apart
Special Visual Effects	Blade Runner 2049 Best Animated Film: Coco
Best Film Not In The English Language	The Handmaiden Best Documentary: I Am Not Your Negro
Best Production Design	Paul Austerberry, Jeff Melvin, Shane Vieau, The Shape of Water
Best Editing	Jonathan Amos, Paul Machliss Baby Driver
Best Sound	Dunkirk
Best Original Music	The Shape of Water
Best Costume Design	Phantom Thread
Best Makeup & Hair	Darkest Hour
The Ee Rising Star Award (Voted For By Public)	Daniel Kaluuya

India Open 2018: The complete list of winners

India Open is a badminton event held annually at the **Siri Fort Sports Complex, New Delhi**. In **women's singles** Defending champion **P V Sindhu** was defeated by **American Beiwen Zhang** to finish runner-up at the India Open Super 500 tournament.

Category	Winner	Runner-Up
Men's Singles	Shi Yuqi (China)	Chou Tien Chen (Taiwan)
Women's Singles	Beiwen Zhang (America)	P V Sindhu (India)
Men's Doubles	Marcus Fernaldi Gideon & Kevin Sanjaya Sukamuljo (Indonesia)	Kim Astrup & Anders Skaarup Rasmussen (Denmark)
Women's Doubles	Greysia Polii & Apriyani Rahayu (Indonesia)	Jongkolphan Kititharakul & Rawinda Prajongjai (Thailand)
Mixed Doubles	Mathias Christiansen & Christinna Pedersen (Denmark)	Praveen Jordan & Melati Daeva Oktavianti (Indonesia)

India Lifts U-19 World Cup 2018

India has defeated Australia to lift the Under 19 World cup for the fourth time. The Men in Blue defeated the three-time champions Australia at Bay Oval, New Zealand. Manjot Kalra was the Hero of the match with his brilliant century. Shubman Gill was declared Player of the Tournament. Anukul Roy finished the 2018 edition with joint-highest 14 wickets.

Note: India was the earlier winner in 2000, 2008 and 2012.

All about the PM Modi 3-Nations visit: Palestine, United Arab Emirates (UAE) and Oman

PM Modi left for his three-nation visit to Palestine, the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and Oman. This is the first ever visit by an Indian Prime Minister to Palestine, and Prime Minister Modi's second visit to UAE and first to Oman.

PM Modi visit to Palestine

India and Palestine signed six Memorandums of Understanding (MoU)s worth USD 40 million. This was welcomed by Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas.

During the term of this Government, the President of India made the first ever visit to Palestine in 2015. Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas made an official visit to India in May 2017 and now for the first time Prime Minister of India has made a visit to Palestine in 2018.

PM Modi was conferred the 'Grand Collar of the State of Palestine' by President of Palestine Mahmoud Abbas. Grand Collar is Highest order given to foreign dignitaries - Kings, Heads of State/Government and persons of similar rank.

Note: Palestine Capital- East Jerusalem, Currency- Israeli new shekel (one of its 3).

PM Modi visit to Oman

India and Oman have signed eight MoUs in different areas during PM Narendra Modi's maiden visit to the Gulf nation. The fields in which the agreements were inked include defence, health and tourism.

An MoU on legal and judicial co-operation in civil and commercial matters was also signed. The agreements were inked after Mr Modi held delegation-level talks with the Sultan of Oman, Qaboos bin Said al Said in Muscat.

Note: Oman Capital- Muscat, Currency- Omani rial.

PM Modi visit to UAE

PM Modi and Crown Prince Sheikh Mohammad bin Zayed al Nahyan held bilateral talks at the Presidential Palace in Abu Dhabi, the UAE.

It was his second visit to the United Arab Emirates.

He also laid the foundation stone of the first Hindu temple in Abu Dhabi.

The two sides inked 5 agreements related to energy & railway sectors, manpower and financial services which are as follows:

- a) MoU between a consortium led by ONGC and Abu Dhabi national oil company for acquisition of 10% stake in offshore concession was inked.
- b) MoU aiming to institutionalize employment of Indian workers in UAE to safeguard their interests was also signed.
- c) MoU aiming at technical cooperation in rail sector between Ministry of railways and Federal transport authority and maritime of UAE signed.
- d) In the area of financial services, MoU between BSE and Abu Dhabi Securities exchange was also inked.
- e) MoU between Government of Jammu and Kashmir and DP World was also signed to establish multi-modal logistics park and hub in Jammu comprising warehouses and specialized storage solutions.

Note: The United Arab Emirates Capital- Abu Dhabi, Currency- United Arab Emirates dirham.

CURRENT AFFAIRS : 21st January till 19th February 2018

INDIA IN NEWS

India's 2nd Mission To Moon Chandrayaan-2 To Be Launched In April 2018

As per the Union Minister of State of the Atomic Energy and Space, Dr Jitendra Singh, Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) is planning to launch Chandrayaan-2 Mission around April 2018. Chandrayaan-2 is the country's second mission to the moon. Chandrayaan-2 is a challenging mission as for the first time we will carry an orbiter, a lander and a rover to the moon. Chairman of Isro K Sivan stated that the total cost of the Chandrayaan 2 mission will be about Rs 8 billion.

Iranian President Hassan Rouhani Visits India

PM Modi will hold bilateral talks with visiting Iranian President Hassan Rouhani in New Delhi, during which discussions on the issues of regional, international and mutual interest will be held. This is the first visit by Iranian President to India in 10 years.

Canadian PM To Arrive On A 7-Day Visit To India

Prime Minister of Canada, Justin Trudeau will arrive in India on a seven-day State visit. As per the Ministry of External Affairs, his visit is aimed at further strengthening bilateral relations between the two countries in key areas of mutual interest including trade and investment, energy, science and innovation, higher education, infrastructure development, skill development and space.

Government Extends Anti-Narcotics Scheme For 3 More Years

Government has extended the anti-narcotics scheme for 3 more years to combat illicit trafficking in drugs and psychotropic substance. The purpose of the scheme is to assist states and Union Territories, which are contributing in controlling the inter-state and cross-border drug trafficking.

Radio Umang: India's 1st Online Radio Station Launched

India's 1st Online Radio Station 'Radio Umang' launched in India. Listeners can tune in to this online radio station through web streaming or download the app.

National Productivity Day- 12 February

National Productivity Council observed the National Productivity Day (NPD) on 12 February 2018. The theme for NPD 2018 is 'Industry 4.0 Leapfrog Opportunity for India'.

Nitin Gadkari Releases India's 1st Ever Highway Capacity Manual

Minister of Road Transport & Highways Mr Nitin Gadkari released India's first ever Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) in New Delhi. The manual is also known as Indo-HCM and it has been developed by CSIR –Central Road Research Institute.

Commerce Minister Kicks Off Consultations On The New Industrial Policy

Commerce and Industries Minister Mr Suresh Prabhu set off a series of nation-wide consultations with the industry on the proposed new Industrial Policy. The first consultation was held at Guwahati in February 2018.

CRISIL, SIDBI Launch India's First MSE Sentiment Index

Union Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs Mr Arun Jaitley launched CriSidEx, India's first sentiment index for micro and small enterprises (MSEs) developed jointly by CRISIL & SIDBI. CriSidEx is a composite index based on a diffusion index of 8 parameters and measures MSE business sentiment on a scale of 0 (extremely negative) to 200 (extremely positive).

EAM Sushma Swaraj Goodwill Visit To Nepal- Complete Coverage

External Affairs Minister (EAM) Sushma Swaraj returned home after successful completion of the goodwill visit to Nepal. This was the first high-level visit from India after completion of historic three-tier elections in Nepal. During her stay at Kathmandu, Mrs Swaraj met top leaders of various political parties and discussed ways to enhance bilateral cooperation and take forward age-old special relationship between India and Nepal.

India's Crude Steel Production Rises 6.2% To 101.4 MT In 2017

India has overtaken the US to become the world's third-largest steel producer and the country is now looking to bag the second spot from Japan. Country's crude steel production grew by 6.2% to 101.4 million tonnes, MT, in 2017 compared to 95.5 MT in 2016,

according to the report by World Steel Association. Japan is the second largest global steel producer & China remained the top producer.

Nation Celebrates 69th Republic Day

The Country celebrates its 69th Republic Day on 26th January in Rajpath, New Delhi to be resplendently displaying the country's pride and glory. Heads of ten ASEAN countries are chief guests at Republic Day.

This year, the guests of honour are-

1. Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah-Sultan of Brunei,
2. Hun Sen- Prime Minister of Cambodia,
3. Rodrigo Roa Duterte- President of The Philippines,
4. Joko Widodo- President of Indonesia,
5. Najib Razak- Prime Minister of Malaysia,
6. Nguyen Xuan Phuc- Prime Minister of Vietnam,
7. Halima Jacob- President of Singapore,
8. Htin Kyaw- President of Myanmar, Aung San Suu Kyi- state counsellor of Myanmar,
9. Prayuth Chan Ocha- Prime Minister of Thailand and
10. Thongloun Sisoulith- Prime Minister of Laos.

PM Modi Holds Bilateral Talks With 3 ASEAN Leaders

On the eve of the ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit to celebrate 25 years of India-ASEAN partnership, Prime Minister Narendra Modi had separate bilateral meetings with leaders of three ASEAN nations - Myanmar, Vietnam and Philippines in New Delhi.

8th National Voters' Day- 25th January

Election Commission of India celebrated the 8th National Voters' Day across the country on 25th January for enhanced participation of citizens in the electoral process. The National level function was held in New Delhi.

India Becomes 43rd Member Of Australia Group

India has joined the Australia Group export control regime and has become the 43rd Member of that Group. It is an informal forum which seeks to ensure that exports do not contribute to the development of chemical or biological weapons.

STATES IN NEWS

PM Flags Off Palace Queen Humsafar Express In Karnataka

PM Modi flagged off the Palace Queen Humsafar Express between Mysuru and Udaipur in Mysuru Railway Station. Both the Mysuru Palace and Udaipur palace are iconic tourist attractions and this special train will create a new tourist circuit connecting North India and the South.

Assam Worst In MMR, Spent Just 13.58% Of NHM Fund In 2017-18

Assam is at the bottom of the list with regard to maternal mortality rate (MMR) with a figure of 300 against the national average of 167, while the fund spending under National Health Mission (NHM) is just 13.58% for 2017-18. MMR is the annual number of female deaths per 1,00,000 live births from any cause related to or aggravated by pregnancy or its management.

PM Modi Launched Three Key Projects In Arunachal Pradesh

Prime Minister Narendra Modi has launched several projects in Arunachal Pradesh. He inaugurated the Dorjee Khandu state convention centre at a function in Itanagar. The Centre has an auditorium, conference halls and an exhibition hall.

West Bengal Becomes First State To Opt Out Of 'Modicare'

Claiming that the Bengal government had already enrolled 50 lakh people under its own Swasthya Sathi programme, Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee has announced the decision to opt out of Centre's 'Modicare' scheme. This makes West Bengal the first state to withdraw from the ambitious programme.

Arunachal Pradesh CM Lays Foundation Stone For Rhododendron Park

Arunachal Pradesh Chief Minister Prema Khandu laid the foundation stone for Rhododendron Park in Tawang. He also carried out plantation drive of different varieties of Rhodos. Tawang is home to 50+ different varieties of Rhodos.

First-Ever Pelican Festival Held At Atapaka Bird Sanctuary In Andhra Pradesh

Andhra Pradesh government has decided to hold the first-of-its-kind, one-day Pelican Festival at the Atapaka Bird Sanctuary on Kolleru. Kolleru is one of the largest freshwater lakes in the country. Atapaka village is located on the borders of the Krishna and the West Godavari districts.

UP Government In Association With UNICEF Launches DASTAK Campaign

Uttar Pradesh State government in association with UNICEF has launched massive door to door campaign DASTAK to eradicate deadly Acute Encephalitis Syndrome (AES) and Japanese Encephalitis (JE) disease in the state. The war cry of DASTAK is 'Darwaja Khatkhatoo, AES aur JE ko bhagao'. In DASTAK campaign, whole state machinery with the help of UNICEF will now literally go door to door in 38 JES and AE affected districts which mostly fall in the Tarai region.

Maharashtra Government Approves New Wildlife Sanctuary At Ghodazari

Maharashtra govt. approved Ghodazari in Chandrapur district as a new wildlife sanctuary in the state. The sanctuary, in the North East of Tadoba, will include 159 sq km of Brahmapuri forest.

India's 1st Garbage Festival Organised In Chhattisgarh

The Raipur Municipal Corporation in Chhattisgarh organised the three-day 'Kachra Mahotsav 2018'. It is India's first Garbage Festival. The festival aimed to increase awareness, use the waste generated in the city creatively, and to showcase multiple techniques for reusing things that are labelled as garbage.

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