



Hand in Glove

an informal sports quiz by Venky & Vivek

The Answers

1. Ball boys and Ball girls at Wimbledon
2. Yellow Cards
3. Greg Norman and Chris Evert
4. Shuttlecock
5. Bowling – the terms are Alley, Turkey, Gutter, Strike, Pin, Buzzard
6. Juan Miguel Fangio
7. Opening defences / gambits in chess
8. Orry the Oryx was the mascot of the 2006 Doha Asian Games
9. Bob Woolmer
10. Marcelo Rios
11. The Crucible – it is the venue for the annual World Professional Snooker Championships
12. Idi Amin; the neighbor referred to is the then Tanzanian president Julius Nyerere
13. Asafa Powell! He matched 9.77 on three separate occasions
14. MS Gill, the current Minister for Sports in India
15. Bobby Riggs. The event of course is “Battle of the Sexes”
16. A1 Grand Prix – the chassis are from Lola, tyres from Cooper and Engines from Zytek
17. Guus Hiddink, current coach of the Russian national football team
18. Chicane, from the French *chicanerie* meaning “trickery”
19. Till then, there was no scorer in the commentary box; this match started the practice
20. Milkha Singh, who came in fourth in the 400m at the 1960 Rome Olympics
21. The first cricket helmet
22. “The Wall”
23. Paris Dakar rally
24. Alan Mills, the Wimbledon referee from 1982-2005
25. The game in *Lagaan*
26. Boxed Set
27. Sumo Wrestling
28. All these occasions are commemorated by a National Sports Day in the respective countries – Thailand, India, Japan and China (where the proposal has been recently tabled). The Indian family is the legendary hockey playing Chands. Dhyan Chand's birthday is celebrated as National Sports Day in India
29. Corner of a Foreign Field, the title of the famous book by Ramachandra Guha
30. The Sherrin is the official Aussie Rules Football
31. Piyush Pandey
32. Best bowling figures in a Test innings. Lohmann took 9-28 which was overtaken by Jim Laker's 10-53
33. India. These are the teams Bob Houghton has coached.
34. These are the names of the stadiums at the highest altitudes, in that order
35. Slip
36. Sex test to verify if a competitor is male or female
37. A – Bartitsu, B – Baritsu, X – Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, Y – Sherlock Holmes, Z - Jujitsu
38. The 6:5 rule – Each team should have 6 local born players in the team
39. Chess
40. Rawalpindi, Burewala and Multan – party to three of Pakistani cricket's vivid nicknames