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Who became the first Formula One (F1) driver to win 100 races on September 26, 2021 after finishing first in the 2021 Russian Grand Prix?	<b>Lewis Hamilton</b>
On which day World Maritime Day 2021 is observed?	<b>30 September</b>
On which day World Rabies Day 2021 was observed?	<b>28 September</b>
Name the 34-year old England all-rounder who has announced his retirement from Test cricket on September 27, 2021?	<b>Moeen Ali</b>
On which day World Tourism Day was observed?	<b>27 September</b>
Which country has become a full-time member of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)?	<b>Iran</b>
Which country has banned cryptocurrency?	<b>China</b>
Which country topped the Global Innovation Index 2021?	<b>Switzerland</b>

According to WHO, which COVID-19 variant is the world's most dominant variant currently?	<b>Delta</b>
On which day World Rhino Day is observed?	<b>22 September</b>
On which day International Peace Day 2021 is observed?	<b>21 September</b>
Which country has become the first country in the world to begin the mass vaccination of children as young as 2 years old against COVID-19?	<b>Cuba</b>
Who has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of Morocco?	<b>Aziz Akhannouch</b>
Who has been appointed as the eighth Secretary-General of United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) on 13 September 2021? She is the first woman to hold this position in the history of the organization.	<b>Rebeca Grynspan (Costa Rica)</b>
On which day World Ozone Day 2021 is observed?	<b>16 September</b>
What is the name of the new defence pact announced by the US, UK and Australia for the Indo-Pacific to take on the threats of the 21st century and allow for greater sharing of defence capabilities?	<b>AUKUS</b>
On which day International Day of Democracy is observed?	<b>15 September</b>
In which country the world's largest direct air carbon capture and storage plant has started?	<b>Iceland</b>

Who won the US Open men's singles by defeating Novak Djokovic in the final?	<b>Daniil Medvedev</b>
Who won the US Open women's singles by defeating Leylah Fernandez in the final?	<b>Emma Raducanu</b>
Which country has been suspended by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) until the end of 2022 after it failed to send a team to the Tokyo Games?	<b>North Korea</b>
Who has been named as the new captain of Afghanistan men's cricket team for the upcoming T20 World Cup after Rashid Khan stepped down from captaincy?	<b>Mohammad Nabi</b>
On which day International Literacy Day is observed?	<b>8 September</b>
In a bid to boost economy, which country has announced a new visa (green visa) allowing foreigners to work in the country without being sponsored by an employer, loosening residency requirements?	<b>United Arab Emirates</b>
Which country host the 13th BRICS Summit on 9 September 2021?	<b>India</b>
Which three countries have been admitted as new members of New Development Bank?	<b>United Arab Emirates, Uruguay and Bangladesh</b>
In which year, the New Development Bank (NDB) was established by BRICS countries – Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa?	<b>2015</b>

Which country topped the medal tally in the Summer Paralympics 2020 held in Tokyo?

**China (Total - 207, Gold - 96)**