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Second Test, Day 5
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Time: 4:15pm

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Time: 7:30pm

Venue: MA Aziz Stadium, Chittagong
Ctg Abahani v MSC, Time: 4:15pm

Wimbledon starts today

APP, London



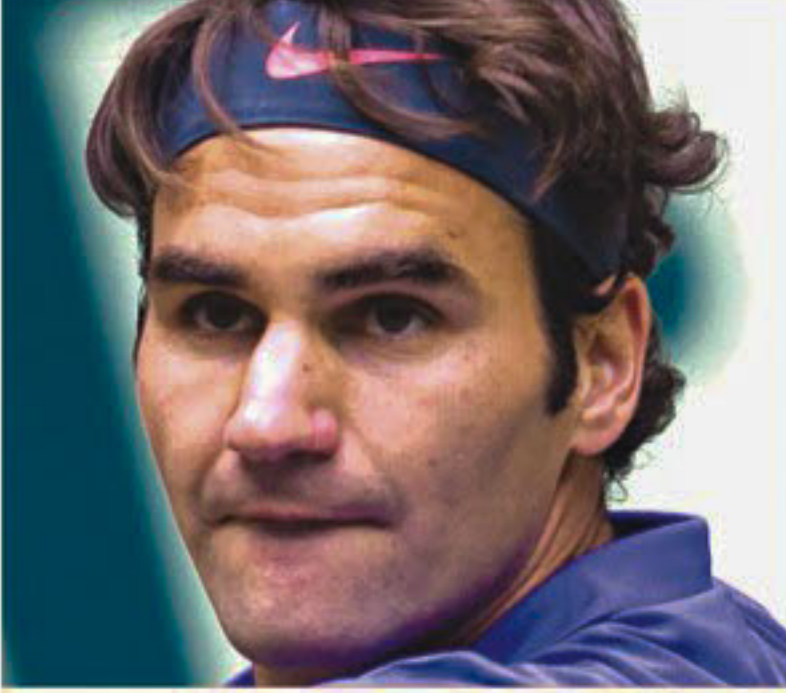
The oldest and most prestigious tennis tournament in the world, Wimbledon, will begin today at the All England Lawn Tennis and Croquet Club in London today. The only major that is still played on grass attracts the biggest stars of the game and this year will be no different.

Although there will be many undertones behind each player's participation, their ultimate ambition will be to lift their respective trophies.

Lleyton Hewitt, a former world number one and a winner of Wimbledon in 2002, will make his final appearance at the tournament, while Spaniard David Ferrer has been forced out with an injury.

They will be vying for a £18,80,000 purse -- an increase of 7 per cent from the 2014's prize money -- alongside the prestige of being Wimbledon winners.

LAST 10 CHAMPIONS	
Year	Winner
2014	Novak Djokovic
2013	Andy Murray
2012	Roger Federer
2011	Novak Djokovic
2010	Rafael Nadal
2009	Roger Federer
2008	Rafael Nadal
2007	Roger Federer
2006	Roger Federer



FEDERER PUMPED

Roger Federer says he is in the perfect condition to win Wimbledon for a record eighth time as the Swiss great bids to avenge last year's "heart-breaking" final defeat.

Federer's last appearance at the All England Club 12 months ago ended in the despair of a five-set loss against Novak Djokovic that left him shedding tears during the post-match presentations.


The distraught seven-time champion was so overcome by emotion that Prince William and his wife Kate stopped to console Federer.

"If I look at last year, I see more the positives than actually the heart-breaking loss in the final," Federer said.

"I didn't expect myself to right away make the final. To be honest, I was still somewhat on the way back (from injury). But things went faster than I thought they would.

"It goes to show that last year, I wasn't playing great and I made the finals.

"Whereas now I feel my game is better. I can really aim for Wimbledon this year."



NOVAK'S RETURN

Novak Djokovic has stayed resolutely out of the spotlight since his Roland Garros upset by Stan Wawrinka ended his latest bid to complete the career Grand Slam.

But he insists his heartbreaking French Open final defeat has been consigned to history as he begins his Wimbledon title defence on Monday.


The Serb says he is fired up to defend his Wimbledon crown just as he was in 2011 when he captured his maiden title in London.

"I needed some time off, more mentally rather than physically," said eight-time major winner Djokovic.

"I know it could have been useful to play a couple of official matches on grass, but it's not the first time I'm coming straight into Wimbledon."

Djokovic's loss to Wawrinka was just his third defeat in 44 matches this year.

"I needed some time off, more mentally rather than physically," said eight-time major winner Djokovic who faces world number 33 German Philipp Kohlschreiber.



SERENA EYES HISTORY


Serena Williams arrives at Wimbledon for the latest stage of her bid for an historic calendar Grand Slam with the praise of her peers ringing in her ears.

Williams has swept to victory at the Australian and French Opens over the last six months and a sixth Wimbledon crown would leave the world number one within touching distance of becoming the first woman since Steffi Graf in 1988 to win all four majors in the same year.

The 33-year-old American's march to a memorable milestone has reached the All England Club, where she opens against Russian qualifier Margarita Gasparyan.

And her exploits have captured the attention of fellow players in both the female and male locker rooms.

Asked to assess Serena's place in history and her chances of achieving the calendar Slam, Roger Federer, Rafael Nadal and Maria Sharapova all offered glowing reviews of the 20-time Grand Slam champion.



MURRAY'S MADAMES

Former Wimbledon champion Andy Murray admits the influence of two of the most important women in his life has played a major role in his renaissance this year.

Just eight months ago, Murray's morale was at an all-time low after a troubled campaign ended with a humiliating 6-0, 6-1 defeat against Roger Federer in the ATP World Tour Finals.

But rather than let those troubles affect him, Murray was able to draw strength from French coach Amelie Mauresmo and his wife Kim.

"In the 12 months that I've been with Amelie, I've come through some difficult moments," Murray told reporters at Wimbledon.

"I'm glad that I've been able to repay her faith in me with some good tennis this year.

"Also, me and Kim have been together like 10 years now. She's always been a huge support to me, especially when I've gone through tough, tough times as well. She's always been there for me."



MARIA ON THE MEND

Maria Sharapova claims she is back to full fitness just in time for Wimbledon after suffering a health scare in the build-up to the Grand Slam.

Sharapova flew home for tests on the 'flu that proved impossible to shake off during the French Open and ruined her defence of the Roland Garros crown.

The 28-year-old Russian crashed out in the fourth round in Paris as she battled an illness that left her struggling to catch her breath between coughing fits.

"I was hoping I could play a warm-up tournament leading up to Wimbledon. But due to the circumstances I had to go back home and do some tests, run through all that," the five-time Grand Slam champion told reporters at the All England Club.


"I'm much better now, thankfully. It was great to be able to be on the court and not have to cough or blow my nose a hundred times and all those things.

On media day, Sharapova looked much better and she said, "I love to look good for you guys. I got my hair curled and everything."

No Neymar, no party

Dunga blames mystery flu for defeat

APP, Concepcion



Brazil coach Dunga blamed a mystery virus for his team's shock Copa America exit to Paraguay on Saturday as the most successful footballing nation on the planet struggled to digest another tournament setback.

Dunga said as many as 15 members of his squad had been affected by the virus, which he said had disrupted preparations for the quarter-final against the Paraguayans.

"I'm not making excuses, but around 15 players had viruses which limited our training," Dunga said.

"Some had headaches, back pain, body aches. Some players felt it more than others and had to reduce training, some players vomited. Today was a game where we needed speed and we didn't have it," he added.

Dunga's explanation caused confusion amongst members of his squad, with midfielder Filipe Luis telling reporters he was unaware of any mass illness amongst his team-mates.

"I didn't know anything about that," the Chelsea player said. "Some of the other guys might have had a problem, but I didn't."

Goalkeeper Jefferson however backed his manager. "Everyone woke up with a fever, headache and body aches," he said, before playing down the extent to which it had affected the result.

For the second Copa America in succession, Brazil exited at the quarter-final stage to the Paraguayans on penalties.

Dunga's side looked to be in control during the first half when Robinho fired them into a 15th-minute lead.

But Derlis Gonzalez leveled from the penalty spot for Paraguay in the second half, and then struck the winning spot-kick in the shoot-out to clinch a famous win and set up a semi-final with Argentina.

Dunga had looked to have been nursing the Seleccion back to health as the team recovered from the traumatic

their opening game, and were then derailed 1-0 by Colombia in their second match.

Brazil fared slightly better in a 2-1 win over Venezuela, before Saturday's loss to Paraguay.

"We knew from the beginning it would not be easy," Dunga said. "We had many victories but we still were not happy. We will try to come back and react.

"There's always pressure on Brazil



Paraguay striker Derlis Gonzalez (C) celebrates his equalizer against Brazil during their Copa America quarterfinal in Chile on Saturday. PHOTO: AFP

humiliation of last year's World Cup semi-final drubbing by Germany, overseeing 10 consecutive wins in friendlies leading up to the Copa America.

But those results merely camouflaged the same problems that existed at the World Cup, a dearth of creative flair and an over-reliance on Neymar.

Brazil needed a late, Neymar-inspired goal to squeeze past Peru in

when you win or when you lose. We will try to get better and better. Many great players have failed on penalties.

"If it was easy a lot of people could do my job, but it's not ... It's useless to cry about it."

Dunga meanwhile acknowledged the deeper problems facing Brazil as they attempt to reclaim their place at the summit of the global game.

Hero's joy turns into despair

IANS, Concepcion

Paraguay's penalty hero Derlis Gonzalez saw his celebrations curtailed by tragedy after his uncle died of heart attack following Paraguay's win over Brazil.

The 21-year-old forward scored from the spot to level his side's Copa America quarter-final clash with Brazil at 1-1 here on Saturday and then netted the winner in the shoot-out to seal a place in the last four for Paraguay.

But after the game, the forward was informed by staff that his uncle suffered a heart attack while watching the game in his homeland and passed away after doctors failed to revive him from his comatose state.

"Why today, uncle? Why? You left me after a heart attack because I gave you so much joy and so much happiness. I can't believe it," Derlis wrote on Twitter. He posted the heartfelt message alongside a photo of his uncle.

Gonzalez plays club football for FC Basel in Switzerland and is considered the latest in Paraguay's long line of striking talents, with his performances attracting interest.

Pacific Clasico tonight

AFP, Santiago



The latest installment of one of South America's fiercest rivalries plays out at the Copa America on Monday when hosts Chile face Peru with a place in the final at stake.

Matches between the two neighbors are known as the "Clasico del Pacifico" and are played against a backdrop of historical enmity that dates back more than a century.

On the football field the rivalry began in 1935, but the animosity pre-dates that first encounter by several decades.

Most famously, differences of opinion remain to this day over which country is responsible for the invention of the bicycle kick.

Chileans say they invented it in a 1914 match, christening the overhead volley as "La Chilena".

Peruvians see it differently, arguing that in fact it was first tried in the port city of Callao in the late 1800s, being given the name, "La Chalaca".

Chile will start as clear favorites for Monday's semi-final as they aim to take another step towards ending their 99-year wait for Copa America glory.

However the hosts are nervously awaiting the outcome of a disciplinary case opened against key defender Gonzalo Jara on Saturday over his off-the-ball assault on Uruguay striker Edinson Cavani in the quarter-finals.

Any suspension of Jara, who has formed an effective partnership with Inter Milan's Gary Medel, will give Chile coach Jorge Sampaoli a major headache.

United up Ramos bid

THE TIMES



Manchester United have made a second offer of about £35.4 million for Sergio Ramos as they step up their efforts to sign the unsettled Real Madrid centre half.

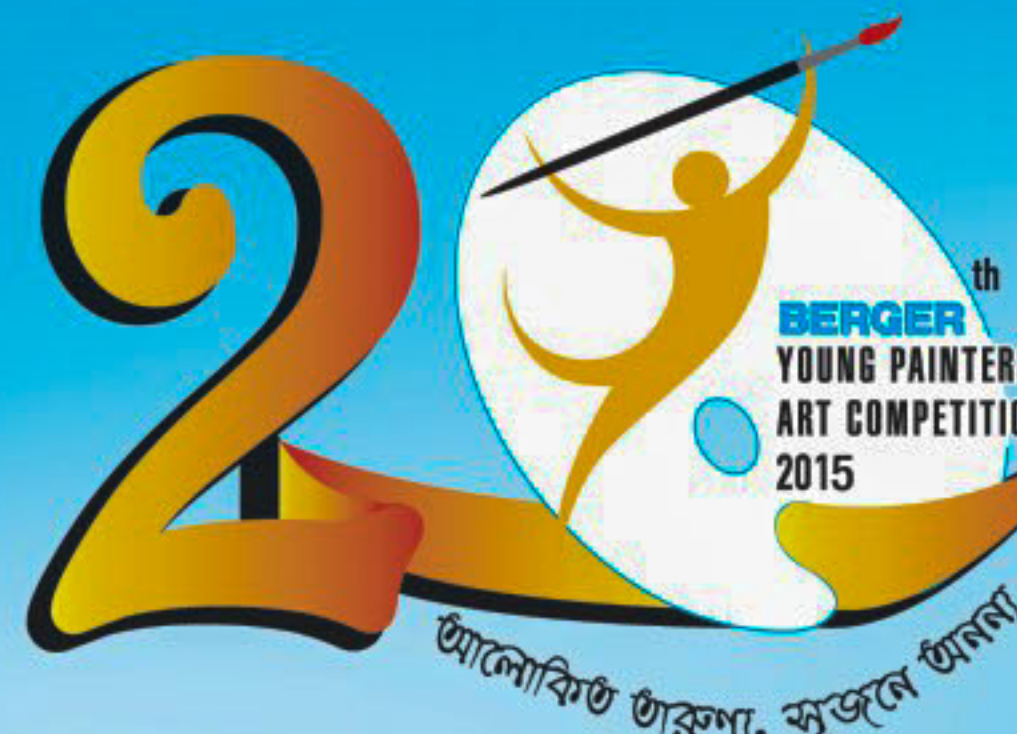
United are also prepared to play hardball with Real over David De Gea, intimating that they will consider selling only if they receive an offer in excess of the £32.6 million world-record fee for a goalkeeper that Juventus paid Parma to sign Gianluigi Buffon in 2001.

An opening bid of £32 million for Ramos was rejected outright by Real on Tuesday, but United have moved quickly to lodge a

second offer, even though it still falls well short of the Spanish club's £46 million valuation.

Meanwhile, Bastian Schweinsteiger, the Germany midfielder, is considering an offer to join United while Morgan Schneiderlin, the France midfielder, is likely to leave Southampton for Old Trafford in a £24 million deal if Schweinsteiger opts to stay at Bayern Munich.

Ramos was reported to have received a telephone call from Florentino Pérez, the Real president, with whom he has been at loggerheads, on Thursday. The Spain defender is said to have spoken frankly to Pérez and reiterated his wish — spelt out during talks with the club's chief executive that the club listen to offers for him.



সফল্যের দুই দশক

২০তম বাজার তরুণশিল্পী চিত্রকর্ম প্রতিযোগিতা ২০১৫

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