Mumbai Indians get Suryakumar boost

n a big boost for struggling Mumbai Indians, world ■number one T20 batter Suryakumar Yadav trained with the team here on Friday after a long injury layoff and unleashed his trademark shots without any visible discomfort, raising hopes that he could compete in the team's next IPL match against Delhi Capitals. Five-time champions Mumbai Indians are languishing at the bottom of the 10-team table,

having lost all three matches so far and if Suryakumar plays, the Hardik Pandya-led team will hope that his presence helps them with anticipated turnaround. The 33-old aggressive batter has been out of action since

January. He underwent a surgery to treat sports hernia and was also nursing an ankle injury which he had sustained during India's tour of South Africa late last year. Suryakumar was the first to

arrive for the training session at the Wankhede Stadium, more than an hour before his teammates came for the



of the two nets and batted for more than an hour, not looking to exert himself but getting his body in rhythm and getting his strokes going a few days after he was given the clearance to join the Mumbai Indians' squad by the National Cricket Academy (NCA) staff.

The right-handed batter unleashed strokes in all parts of the ground while batting against throwdown specialists and MI spinner Kumar Kartikeya. He hit the ball exactly the way he wanted, middling most of his strokes and also practiced his trademark flick shot over the fine-leg region.

The team is coming off a short break after taking a trip to Jamnagar following its third straight loss in the ongoing tournament, the last one being a six-wickets defeat Rajasthan Royals on April 1. Meanwhile, in the adjacent nets, Delhi Capitals and Australia batter David Warner had a long hit among the others. Mumbai's Ranji Trophy bowler Mohit Awasthi was also seen bowling to the Delhi Capitals' batters



Virat under lot of pressure this IPL

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Virat Kohli is "under a lot of pressure" in the ongoing IPL owing to the collective failure of Royal Challengers Bengaluru batters, feels former Australia captain Steve Smith who wants the Indian superstar's RCB teammates to come good in the supporting act. Kohli has waged a lone battle for RCB this IPL season with 203 runs in four matches at 67.66 with two fifties. The second-best batter, Dinesh Karthik, is way behind with 90

runs in as many games.

Despite Kohli's consistency,
RCB have faltered with three losses in four matches throwing them as far back as the seventh spot in the points table. The likes of Glenn Maxwell, skipper Faf du Plessis and Cameron Green have been underwhelming so far with

"He needs the other key batters to stand up with him, and if they do that, they can turn things around for their season. But, at the moment, they're not so a lot of pressure is on Virat," Smith, a member of the Star Sports Incredible Star Cast, told PTI in an exclusive interaction at the channel's studio

"I doubt he'd be putting extra pressure on himself. (But) some of the other top-order and middle-order (batters) need to help Virat," he said. Smith warned that Kohli is not going to score runs in every match and RCB batters must get their act together.

He started the campaign really well in the IPL and he needs some support. He's not going to score runs on every occasion

"But, I doubt he'd be thinking that way. I don't think he'd go out and put extra pressure on himself. He'd just go out and play and see what happens in that game." Smith rubbished the criticism

which Kohli has faced time and again in his career over his batting strike-rate saying that no player in the world can read situations as well as the Indian batter. Kohli has been hitting at over 140 in this year's IPL.

Virat is an incredible player. What he does really well, and probably better than most people in the world, is (that) he sums up the conditions and the situation of the game and plays accordingly," he said.

"If he needs to strike big, he does. If he needs to bring it back a little bit and build some partnerships...You don't need 180 on every ground; 150-160 might be enough on some grounds," he added.

"Virat sums up the conditions really well and the situation. I'm not fussed about the strike rate," Smith continued.

Smith also touched upon another controversy-mired sub-plot in the IPL — Hardik Pandya's captaincy of Mumbai Indians and the fan backlash he is facing. He understands why Pandya has been subjected to jeering in all three matches so far, but also wants fans to stop holding on to the past.

'Yes and no. Obviously, there was that (booing) going on in the first two games. It sort of becomes a bit of a thing, if that makes sense. But, it was unfortunate, I think. I'd love to see them supporting Hardik. Obviously, there's a lot of huge Rohit fans out there," he said. "A lot of people are a bit

tain of the side. But, everyone needs to let go of that and support Hardik. He's a wonderful player. He had a lot of success at Gujarat (Titans). He's back (as) captain of the side at Mumbai now.

"The senior players need to help him out," Smith said. Being a subject of severe international scrutiny as Australia captain back in 2018 following the ball-tampering incident in Cape Town which led to him being banned for one year, Smith shared some insights on what it takes to come out.

"While all this negativity is out there, he has got to find ways to cope with it and mechanisms to deal with it," Smith

"Everyone is different (in) the way they do that. For me, personally, I just block everything out. I don't listen to anything; I don't listen to any comments, or boos, or anything like that. "It's difficult to say, but you kind of just have to let it be. Block it out as much as you can, and just get on with the job at hand. I think the best way for him to turn people around is if Mumbai start winning, that's the key thing," Smith said. Smith, however, rejected sug-

gestions that the off-field drama has been a factor in MI's three successive losses. One thing about the Mumbai

Indians is (that) they're notoriously bad starters in the tournament. They've done it on numerous occasions," he said. "I don't think they'd be too worried just yet. But, they will have to turn things around really quickly. It doesn't look good, 0-3 at the bottom of the table. They have to turn things around really quickly," he annoyed that he's not the cap- added.

Kuldeep advised rest as precautionary measure for groin niggle

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▼ndian spinner Kuldeep Yadav Lis nursing a groin niggle and has been advised rest as a precautionary measure by the Delhi Capitals team management in the ongoing Indian Premier

The 29-year-old left-arm spinner picked up the niggle after DC's second game of the season against Rajasthan Royals in Jaipur, which the team lost. The player was forced to miss out on the next couple of con-

tests where veteran pacer Ishant Sharma returned to the playing "It will take some time for him

to be match fit," an IPL source told PTI when asked about Kuldeep's status. Since he is a centrally-contract-

ed player and a T20 World Cup hopeful, National Cricket Academy's sports science and medical team will have a big say in Kuldeep's injury and rehab management. It is mandatory for franchises to report niggles and injury concerns of an India player to the NCA.

Although he has been travelling with the side for all the clashes, his participation in DC's upcoming tie against Mumbai Indians on Sunday remains doubtful. Kuldeep has picked up three wickets in two matches at an economy of 7.62.

He has been on a wicket-taking spree, coming off a great performance in the five-Test series against England that concluded last month, where he claimed 19 wickets in four meetings at an

RCB, RR look to tackle similar worries to make headway

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Ctruggling Royal Challengers Sengaluru and high-flying Rajasthan Royals bizarrely have similar worries to address when they face each other in the Indian Premier League here on

The eighth place where RCB are currently on the 10-team table is a fair indication of their troubles, but Rajasthan's allwin record so far and the resultant second place do not necessarily mirror their turmoil. An underwhelming top-order is

the intertwining factor between The RCB top-order comprising skipper Faf du Plessis, Glenn Maxwell, Cameron Green and

Rajat Patidar is a storehouse of talent and explosiveness. But none of them have fired either in isolation or in unison, except star batter Virat Kohli, the current Orange Cap holder with 203 runs, who has made two

Patidar showed a glimpse of his clean shot-making abilities while registering 29 in their 28run defeat against Lucknow Super Giants, but he needs to do a lot more to prop up the RCB middle-order.

The Bengaluru outfit will hope for a reversal at the Sawai Man Singh Stadium, a venue that carries similar traits as RCB's home — Chinnaswamy Stadium — in terms of a smooth pitch and a



blistering outfield adding value to the batters' shots.

But the aforementioned RCB quartet has company in the Royals' ranks. Yashasvi Jaiswal entered this

iteration of IPL on the back of some excellent recent efforts, but the left-handed opener has made just 39 runs from three matches, and Jos Buttler offers a similar story.

The England T20 captain is yet to be in his intimidating self, and has managed 35 runs from three outings and his strike-rate across these matches is a mere

The Royals' batting has largely revolved around captain Sanju Samson (109 runs, one fifty) and the highly-improved Riyan Parag (181 runs, 2 fifties) and at some point, the duo will require solid support from oth-

However, Rajasthan have an

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NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF CHAPTER III OF SECURITISATION & RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002, READ WITH RULE 3(1) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002 AMENDED AS ON DATE We, the PNB Housing Finance Limited (hereinafter referred to as "PNBHFL") had issued Demand notice UIs 13(2) of Chapter III of the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. The said Demand Notice was issued through our Authorized Officer to all below mentioned Borrowers/Co-Borrower/Guarantors since your account has been classified as Non-Performing(NPA) Assets as per the Reserve Bank of India/ National Housing Bank guidelines due to non-payment of instalments/ interest. The contents of the same are the defaults committed by you in the payment of instalments of principals, interest, etc. Further, with reasons, we believe that you are evading the service of Demand Notice hence we are doing this Publication of Demand Notice which is also required U/s 13(2) of the said Act. You are hereby called upon to pay PNBHFL within a period of 60 Days of the date of publication of this demand notice the aforesaid amount along with up-to-date interest and charges, failing which PNBHFL will take necessary action/measures under all or any of the provisions of Section 13(4) of the said Act, against all or any one or more of the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the borrowers and guarantors. Your kind attention is invited to provisions of sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 where under you can tender/pay the entire amount of outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the PNB HFL only till the date of publication of the notice for sale of the secured assets by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty. FURTHER, you are prohibited U/s 13

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NHDRG00001247576 C.G. Pin Code- 491001. The online auction will be conducted on website (URL Link- https://BestAuctionDeal.com) of our auction agency Globe Tech. The Mortgagors/ notice are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till May 14, 2024 before 05:00 PM else these secured assets will be sold as per above schedule.

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OTHERS GAME

Shot put legend Valerie to grace World 10K



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egendary New Zealand Lishot putter Valerie Adams was on Friday named the 'International Ambassador' for the 16th TCS World 10K Bengaluru to

be held on April 28. Adams had won shot put gold in the 2008 and 2012 Olympics, besides bagging a silver (2016) and bronze

(2021) before retiring. "The increasing enthusiasm for running in India is both

motivating and inspiring,"

stated Adams, a four-time consecutive world champion, in a press release.

"I am excited to witness the boundless energy and passion that participants will bring to the race."

retiring competitive athletics, the 39year-old has passionately taken on the role of a spokesperson for women in

Currently, she holds the office of Chair of the World Athletes Commission, where she continues to champion the rights and welfare of athletes Adams is also closely involved

in the Paralympic sphere, collaborating with her sister, Lisa and other athletes, providing support and guidance.

of the most accomplished athletes in the world, Valerie embodies determination, perseverance, and excellence," said Vivek Singh, Jt MD, Procam International.

remarkable achievements in the field and her commitment to the advancement of sports, particularly for women and para-athletes serve as an inspiration to athletes worldwide. We look forward together celebrating athleticism community spirit at the TCS World 10K Bengaluru.

Adams also boasts of being a four-time world indoor champion and a three-time Commonwealth winner.

She is only the third woman to win world championships at youth, junior and senior levels. In 2014, she was honoured with the IAAF World Athlete of the Year

The out of touch Bengaluru bat-ters might just find it tough to

edge over their opponents in the

Pacers Trent Boult and Nandre

Burger and veteran leg-spinner

Yuzvendra Chahal have worked

up a nice early rhythm and have

shared 16 wickets between

bowling department.

tackle the trio at its home turf. The lone missing piece in Rajasthan's bowling, rather surprising at that, is the patchy form of Ravichandran Ashwin, who has taken one wicket from three matches while giving away 8.3 runs per over.

But the seasoned off-spinner can turn that around quickly, and he has a fine record against RCB as well.

However, going by their last four matches, RCB seem to be lacking the variety or strength in their bowling to exploit the chinks in Rajasthan batting.

Left-arm pacer Yash Dayal and off-spinner Glenn Maxwell lead their wicket-takers' chart with four wickets apiece but even that really is an inflated picture as the duo hasn't been able to make any real impact on the proceedings.

The modest form of experienced pacers has really hurt them as Mohammed Siraj has leaked over 10 runs an over while Alzarri Joseph and his replacement Reece Topley have given away more than nine runs an over for meagre returns.

Advertisement giving notice about registration under Part I of Chapter XXI [Pursuant to section 374(b) of the companies Act, 2013 and rule 4(1) of the companies (Authorised to Register) Rules, 2014]

1. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 366 of the Companies Act, 2013, an application has been made to the Registrar of Companies at Bilaspur that M/s Vivekanand Kushtha Sewa Sangthana Society having Registered office at H.No.18/2122, Kusum Mahal, Shankar Nagar, Raipur, Chhattisgarh 492001, may be registered under Part I of Chapter XXI of the Companies Act 2013 as M/s Vivekanand Kushtha Sewa Sangthan Foundationa company limited by guarantee

The principal objects of the company are as follows:

To create awareness on leprosy among public and to endeavor the society free from leprosy.

especially for child education. iii To run campaigns for medical treatment of old age citizens.

To run and organize literacy awareness campaign among public

To create self-employment for peoples suffered from leprosy, also to endeavor for rehabilitation of them and their family member. To work for preservation, conservation and protection of environmen water and wildlife.

vi To provide help and essentials to poor and needy peoples at the time of natural calamities.

vii To organize workshops, training programs for social consciences. viii To work for upliftment of women's and women empowerment. 3. A copy of the draft memorandum and articles of association of the

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Bilaspur Ist Floor, Ashok Pingley Bhawan, Municipal Corporation, Nehru Chowk, Bilaspur- 495001, Chhattisgarh or file their objection on the MCA 21 Portal (www.mca.gov.in) by filing Investor Complaint form, within 21 days from the date of publication of this notice, with a copy to the company at its registered office or cause to be delivered or send by registered post, his/her objection supported by an affidavit stating the nature of his/her interest and

grounds of opposition to the Regional in writing to the Registrar at 1st Floor, Ashok Pingley Bhawan, Municipal Corporation, Nehru Chowk, Bilaspur, Chattishgarh, 495001 within twenty-one days from the date of publication of this notice, with a copy to the company at its registered office. Name of applicant

Dated this 23 day of March 2024

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