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'THEIR PLAN WAS TO PUSH ME OUT'

Umesh Yadav opens up on Team India snub, challenges in Vidarbha and his comeback hopes



New Delhi, Oct 15:
It has been over three years since Umesh Yadav last wore the India jersey. Yet, the 38-year-old pacer continues to play domestic cricket, keeping his hopes of a comeback alive.

In a candid conversation, Umesh spoke about his exclusion from the national team, the challenges he faced in Vidarbha and how he still dreams of making a return to Team India.

> "Their plan was to push me out. I kept performing, but opportunities didn't come my way. Still, I haven't given up. As long as I have the fitness and the hunger, I will keep playing."
>
> – **Umesh Yadav**
> Indian Cricketer

Umesh revealed that it was never about his form, but certain decisions and a mindset that led to his exit. The experienced pacer, known for his pace and fighting spirit, remains determined to make a strong comeback through domestic performances.

"I've faced many challenges in Vidarbha, but it has only made me stronger. I believe my best is yet to come," he added.

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Shikhar Dhawan to take legal action

Alleges World T20 Continent Cup organisers used his name without permission



New Delhi, Oct 15:
Former India cricketer Shikhar Dhawan has alleged that the organisers of the World T20 Continent Cup used his name without his permission. He said his team will take legal action to resolve the issue.

In a post on X, Dhawan clarified that his name was used without his knowledge or consent. "Media and fans are requested not to respond to any such unauthorised announcements," he said.

Dhawan's Career in Numbers

ODIs:	167 matches	
	6,793 runs	
	Average: 44.1	
	Centuries: 17	
	Fifties: 39	
Tests:	34 matches	
	2,315 runs	
	Average: 40.6	
	Centuries: 7	
	Fifties: 5	
T20Is:	68 matches	
	1,759 runs	
	Average: 27.9	
	Fifties: 11	

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Hyderabad gears up for 4th T20

India aim to seal series, West Indies look to level 2-2



Hyderabad, Oct 15:
The high-scoring India vs West Indies T20 series is set for another exciting clash as the fourth T20 will be played at the Rajiv Gandhi International Stadium in Uppal on Wednesday. Team India will aim to seal the series in Hyderabad, while the West Indies are eager to level it 2-2. With both teams in red-hot batting form, fans can expect another thrilling contest between power-hitters.

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When Vijay twists his moustache, I actually get scared: Rashmika

Rashmika shares interesting moments about real-life husband Vijay Deverakonda at 'Ranabali' pre-release event



Hyderabad, Oct 15:
Actress Rashmika Mandanna said that Vijay Deverakonda's character and look in Ranabali are very powerful. During the shoot, when Vijay twisted his moustache and performed a serious scene in the Ranabu she said.

She shared many interesting moments about her real-life husband Vijay Deverakonda at the pre-release event.

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'He has no show-off at all'

Vidya Balan praises Rajinikanth's simplicity



Chennai, Oct 15:
Superstar Rajinikanth's much-awaited film 'Jailer 2' is all set to release on October 15. Bollywood actress Vidya Balan, who plays a key role in the film, shared interesting insights about Rajinikanth in a recent interview.

Despite his tremendous stardom, Rajinikanth is a very simple person with no show-off, she said, adding that it was a great experience working with him.

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