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# Cyclonic storm Fengal begins landfall: IMD



**PTI** CHENNAI

yclonic storm Fengal commenced ✓ making landfall close to Puducherry and it may approximately take four hours for it to cross the coast completely, India Meteorological Department (IMD) official said here on Saturday. Citing data and observations, IMD-Regional Meteorological Centre, Additional Director General, S Balachandran told PTI that the process of the cyclone's landfall commenced at about

5.30 pm on November 30. On the area of landfall, he said it was close 'Puducherry area' and that it may take approximately four hours for the completion of the landfall process and added that more related information would be made Puducherry

experienced heavy rains on Saturday, prompting the union territory administration to send SMS alerts to around 12 lakh residents cautioning them to remain vigilant as cyclonic storm Fengal is expected to make landfall near here later in

Chief Minister N Rangasamy visited the rain-affected areas today to review the steps by the Disaster Management department, especially in accommodating those evacuated from lowlying areas into relief centres. The CM instructed officials to closely monitor the situation and ensure the safety of the residents.

Collector District Kulothungan briefed the chief minister about the distribution of food packets to

those staying in the shelter homes. Kulothungan told PTI that all necessary steps have

have evacuated people from low lying areas and shelter homes are ready accommodate them. Arrangements were also made to supply food packets," he said, adding that the National Disaster Relief Force from Arakonam had arrived to engage in relief and

rehabilitation work.

been taken to ensure that people remained safe. "We

According to the official, cyclone Fengal was expected to cross the coast later in the day. Control rooms have been opened in the collectorate and also in the line departments. Toll free numbers 112, 1077 and also WhatsApp number 94889 81070 have been put in place to help people facing crisis to contact for help

Cyclone Fengal is likely to cross between Karaikal and Mahabalipuram coasts close Puducherry, official sources said. The government has advised people to stay indoors. The entire stretch of beach

road and also several tourist spots were closed to ensure that there was no movement of people near the sea shore.Schools and colleges remained closed. Daily wage earners, roadside vegetable vendors, and labourers were among those most affected by the heavy downpours caused by Cyclone Fengal, which is intensifying over the Bay of Bengal.

In response, under the Disaster Management Act 2005, all theatres were instructed to suspend evening and night shows to safeguard public safety and maintain law and order. Several shop owners in various areas shortened their business hours due to the heavy rains that began in the afternoon. Meanwhile, Chennai airport

Friday

announced

suspension of operations till am on December 1 following heavy inundation of runways and the taxiway, due to the cyclone 'Fengal' triggered rains and the 'adverse weather condition,' with over 50 flights being cancelled and scores of passengers left in the lurch. Official sources here said the two runways and the taxiway were inundated and as many as 55 flights were cancelled and 19 others diverted, adding, the services include domestic international operations.



# MahaYuti swearing-in on Dec 5, but who is CM?

T N RAGHUNATHA MUMBAI

mid indications that the swearing-Ain ceremony of the Bharatiya Janata party-led MahaYuti government may take place on December 5, the ruling BJP and its allies, Eknath Shinde-led Shiv Sena and Ajit Pawarheaded Nationalist Congress Party (NCP), were on Saturday engaged in backroom negotiations over the power-sharing formula distribution of portfolios.

"We expect that the swearing- in ceremony of the new government will take place on December 5," BJP leader and former Speaker in the state Assembly Rahul Narwerkar said. However, informed sources in Raj

Bhavan said that they had not received communication from Maharashtra government or the leaders of BJP-led MahaYuti as to when the swearing-in was being scheduled. Meanwhile, available indications within

the Shiv Sena (ES) suggested that the care-take chief minister Eknath Shinde may return to the state capital late on Sunday night or on Monday. The earlier speculation was that the swearing-in ceremony would be held at Wankhede stadium. Now, the ruling alliance leaders are indicating that the swearingin may be held at Azad Maidan.

Though there was no confirmation from the ruling BJP as to when it would hold its legislature party meeting to elect its leader who would take over as the chief minister of the state, a few BJP leaders indicated that the IP Nadda-led party may schedule the BJP Legislature Party (BJPLP) meeting on Monday.

The front-runner for the Chief Minister's post is Devendra Fadnavis. However, what has surprised many is that if Fadnavis is the chief ministerial choice, why has there been such a delay in convening the BJPLP meeting.

In the Maharashtra Assembly polls, results of which were declared on Saturday last (November 23), the BJP won 132 seats, while Shiv Sena and NCP (AP) bagged 57, and 41 seats, respectively. Strangely enough, it is not known yet as to what transpired at a joint meeting Union Home Minister Amit Shah had convened at his New Delhi residence to formalise details about the government formation, including the choice of the chief minister. Health and Family Welfare Minister and BJP President Jagat Prakash Nadda was also present at this

**Would have campaigned if invited:** 

# **Outsiders barred** from Sambhal till **December 10**



**BISWAJEET BANERJEE** SAMBHAL

Amid rising communal tensions triggered by a survey of the Shahi Jama Masjid, the Sambhal district administration has imposed prohibitory measures, barring the entry of outsiders, including political leaders, activists, and social organisations, until December 10.

The move comes in the wake of violent clashes on November 24 that left four people dead and several injured, including police personnel. District Magistrate Rajendra Pensiya, in a statement on Saturday, declared, "No outsider, social organisation, or public representative will be allowed to enter the district without prior permission from the competent authority." Officials say the decision is aimed at preventing further

escalation of the volatile situation. The restrictions coincided with a planned visit by a 15-member delegation of the Samajwadi Party (SP), led by Leader of Opposition in the Uttar Pradesh Assembly, Mata Prasad Pandey. The delegation was set to visit Sambhal to gather details about the violence but was forced to call off the trip after senior officials, including Home Secretary Sanjay Prasad and the District Magistrate, requested them to stay away.

Pandey, addressing reporters in Lucknow, accused the government of attempting to suppress the truth. "The administration's ban is nothing but an effort to hide its own failures. Our visit would have exposed the lapses in handling the situation," he alleged.

# Winter in Kashmir: Security forces intensify anti-terrorist operations

 $F_{\text{snowfall}}^{\text{ollowing a fresh spell of }}$ reaches of Kashmir valley including the areas along the line of control in North Kashmir, security forces are anti-terrorist operations anticipating the movement of terrorists towards the plain areas. During heavy snowfall several high-altitude mountain passes and traditional infiltration routes in the region get blocked. The terrorists hiding inside the thickly forested areas of North and South Kashmir also relocate to safer hideouts to escape the adverse weather conditions.

Anticipating the movement of terrorists in the coming days the security forces have further enhanced their vigil and also strengthened their intelligence network to neutralize them before they can execute their nefarious designs to target security forces in the region.

At the same time, the security forces are facing the challenging task of extracting human intelligence due to a slight shift in the terrorist Sharing strategy. assessment of the prevailing security scenario in the valley, Inspector General of BSF, Kashmir Frontier Ashok Yadav Saturday said terrorists have cut down on communications amongst themselves which is posing a



huge challenge to the security forces in tracking them

Speaking to reporters on the sidelines of BSF's Raising Day celebrations at Humhama, Srinagar Ashok Yadav said, "Terrorists always try to strengthen their security protocol. They minimise communication which creates gaps in intelligence gathering. "But, the agencies analyze whatever inputs they get to identify their hideouts and supporters to neutralise

whether Asked minimum communication among terrorists was posing a challenge to track them, the IG BSF said, "It is a huge challenge," but, he added, the security agencies will implement new strategies to counter that.
"The security and "The security and intelligence agencies are brainstorming to find ways

counter these challenges," he added.

Yadav said there continuous attempts of infiltration along the Line of Control (LoC) before the onset of the winter, but the security forces make their operational plans ahead to dominate the "vulnerable gaps". This year too, Indian forces are dominating and they endeavor to thwart any such attempts before the heavy snowfall, he said. Asked if there was information about the

presence of terrorists at the launchpads across the LoC, the IG BSF said according to the intelligence inputs, there are people at the launchpads waiting to try to infiltrate "to the peaceful atmosphere here".

But the way we are alert on the LoC and conduct area domination, we are very confident that we will thwart such attempts," he asserted.

# Two associates of ISKCON leader arrested, claims organisation

**PTI** ■ DHAKA

wo associates of arrested 1 former member Bangladesh Chinmoy Krishna Das have been arrested from the northeastern port city of Chattogram, a spokesperson run by the Hindu leader said on Saturday. However, police have not confirmed the arrest. "Das' associates Adinath Prabhu and Ranganath Das were arrested as they were carrying some food for their jailed leader in the port city," Professor Kushal Barun Chakrabarty, spokesperson of the Kundalidham Monastery said. The two were arrested on Thursday.

Hindu priest Das, a former member of the International Society for Krishna Consciousness (ISKCON), Bangladesh, was arrested from Dhaka's Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport on Monday. He was denied bail and sent to jail by the Chattogram's Sixth Chattogram's Metropolitan Magistrate court in a sedition case on Tuesday. Das heads the Kundalidham Ashram (Monastery) at Chattogram and is also a spokesperson for the Bangladesh Sammilita Sanatani Jagran Jote. His arrest and subsequent jail in a sedition case on Tuesday triggered clashes between his supporters and the security personnel that led to the killing of a lawyer.

Following this week's anti-



Hindu incidents, including Das' arrest and attacks on Hindu temples community members, India on Friday said the interim government in Bangladesh must live up to its responsibility of protecting all minorities as it expressed serious concern over the "surge" of extremist rhetoric and increasing incidents of violence against Hindus as well as attacks on temples. External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar told Parliament that India has taken serious note of incidents of violence against minorities Bangladesh and that it is the primary responsibility of Dhaka to protect the life and liberty of all the citizens,

including minorities. On the other on Friday Bangladesh expressed deep concern over the violent protest at the Deputy High Commission in Kolkata and urged New Delhi to ensure the safety of all its diplomatic missions in India.



Ianata Party (BJP) for its defeat in the Vijaypur Assembly byelection. Speaking to the media Scindia suggested that his presence in the campaign trail may have influenced the results, stating, "I would have campaigned if I had been invited.

Scindia's statement has raised eyebrows, given his name was prominently listed among the BJP's star campaigners for the by-election. Despite this, the Union Minister chose to remain absent from the campaign. Political observers suggest this deliberate distancing might indicate deeper tensions within the BJP ranks, particularly concerning Vijaypur' candidate, Ramniwas Rawat. Vijaypur's Rawat, a former Congress MLA from Vijaypur, switched allegiance to the BJP in 2024, just before the Lok Sabha elections. His move to the BJP came after he reportedly declined to follow Scindia's defection from Congress in 2020. Subsequently, Rawat was rewarded with the Forest Minister's portfolio in the state cabinet, reportedly at his own request.

However, his candidature in Vijaypur appears to have backfired, as local voters expressed dissatisfaction with his political maneuvering.



Union Minister Jyotiraditya Scindia, LoP in the Rajya Sabha Mallikarjun Kharge and LoP in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi during 'Samvidhan Divas' function at

Congress spokesperson Dharmendra Sharma, told The Pioneer, "The voters were already annoved with Rawat for joining the BJP. Even if Scindia had campaigned, it wouldn't have made much of a difference.

Meanwhile, BJP insiders have dismissed Scindia's claims, accusing him of evading responsibility. Party sources allege that Scindia's campaign schedule was prepared well in advance but he failed to turn up. "His claim that he wasn't invited is baseless. The party had arranged for his participation, but he chose to stay away," said a senior BJP leader.

Scindia's remarks are being viewed by many as an attempt to deflect criticism and save

face. However, the statement has exposed underlying fault lines within the BJP, with questions being raised about the coordination between party leadership and Scindia's

faction. The Vijaypur by-poll loss has not only dented the BJP's confidence but also highlighted the challenges of managing leaders who defect from rival parties. For Scindia, this episode could signal a weakening influence within his new political home, especially as accusations of disloyalty swirl around him. For the Congress, the defeat may bolster its narrative that BJP's leadership is failing to win over disgruntled voters, particularly in constituencies with high-profile defectors.

# Municipal Corporation of Delhi schools ready to screen happy toons

RAJESH KUMAR ■ NEW DELHI

inema can be a powerful tool of for education and can serve as valuable supplement to traditional teaching methods. In an effort to ignite creative faculties of young children, the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD)'s education department has come up with an innovative idea to screen inspirational films for its school children and set positive goals in their life and move forward. This comes after the civic body started an initiative in which an oath, on moral issues, will be administered every day. For younger students of classes

one to three, motivational cartoon films will also be screened to suit their interests and comprehension levels. For class four and five, motivational and inspirational movies will be screened. The screening of movies will be followed by a brief discussion with students.

The movies identified include 'Chandu Champion', Srikant Balla's inspirational journey, 'Guthali Laddu', 'I am Kalam' and '12th Fail'. Besides this, other films can also be chosen according to the interest of the students which is

inspirational and motivational," MCD officials said. In an order issued to all schools in charge, the MCD's education department has asked to show motivational films to students class-wise using smart TVs or other audio-visual aids installed in their schools. The civic body has asked all teachers to help students understand the motivational message and moral values of the film so that students can imbibe that message and use it in their life

'Hosting movie screenings in schools can help to engage students who may be struggling to stay focused or motivated in traditional classroom settings. Movies have the ability to captivate students' attention and can



provide a welcome break from the monotony of lectures and readings," said officials.

Earlier, to boost a sense of responsibility, commitment, and unity, the MCD started a new initiative in which every day an oath will be administered on moral issues. In this sequence, the 'Khelo India' oath is being administered on Monday, in which the children pledge to make sports a part of their lives and join sports events to create a healthy India, and boost the morale of players.

Tuesday, they will be administered an oath to dedicate themselves to maintain integrity,

unity and security of the nation under national Wednesday, they will take an oath to boycott single use plastic. On Thursday they will take an oath regarding cleanliness, and donate two hours of shramdaan every week. On Friday they take an oath to believe in the principle of One Earth, One Family and One Future. There are over 1,500 MCD schools

in the state which cater to 8.76 lakh children. Of these, 342 schools run in double shifts. Of the total 1185 sites on which MCD runs its schools, 126 do not function out of pucca buildings, and around 200 need repairs.

# **CM** returns with Rs 78K crore investment proposals

**STAFF REPORTER** BHOPAL

ndia's global stature is steadily rising, and under the leadership of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, the nation is building a unique and powerful identity. His "what he says, he delivers" approach has been an inspiration worldwide.

Madhya Pradesh reaped the benefits of Prime Minister Modi's exceptional global reputation during the recent sixday visit to the UK and Germany, securing investment proposals worth approximately ?78,000 crore from industrialists and investors. These investments are poised to drive the state's overall development and create substantial employment opportunities for its techno-savvy youth.

in the Chief Minister's residence after returning from the foreign tour, Yadav emphasized that the visit aimed not only to attract investments but also to explore key industries, research centers, educational institutions, and cultural hubs to bolster the state's holistic growth.

The goal was to inspire the youth of Madhya Pradesh, foster employment opportunities, and position the state as a global hub for investment, technological collaboration, and cultural exchange. Dr. Yadav further stated that the visit was strategically designed to present Madhya Pradesh as a future-ready state and to promote partnerships across various sectors. A concerted effort was also made to highlight and attract participation in the

upcoming Global Investors Summit, scheduled to be held in Bhopal in February 2025. The tour showcased Madhya Pradesh's readiness to embrace global collaborations and set new benchmarks in develop-

ment.

Yadav said that the focus sectors for investment during his visit to the UK and Germany were minerals, semiconductors, health, automobile, electronic vehicle (EV), renewable energy, education, and food processing. During the visit to UK and Germany, in-depth discussions were held with investors to promote investment to accelerate industrial, technological, and environmental development in the state. Technological research, green energy, and industrial development in Germany were particularly discussed. Here the focus was on strategies to promote industries with environmental sustainability.

Yadav said that foreign investors were highly impressed by the industrialfriendly policy of the Future Ready State Madhya Pradesh when after a discussion with the officials and the company head, the decision to allot the land to the company was immediately taken and the allotment letter was handed over. In the technical sector, a proposal was made in the Sagar Regional Industry Conclave by a German and Indian company to jointly set up a unit in Acharpura, Bhopal. The German investor of this company was provided land allotment letter in Germany. The company will invest more than Rs 100 crore in Bhopal.

ment in the health and pharmaceutical sectors yielded encouraging results. An investment proposal of Rs 3000 crore has been received in this sector. The company will set up its plant in the Smart Industrial Park of Indore. The company gave its full consent after observing the policy of Madhya Pradesh. After discussing with the managers of the company working in the health sector, an immediate decision was taken to allot the land. The health sector has attracted investors to produce modern medical equipment and medicines.

During the foreign visit, the focus was on setting up various industrial units for better utilization of the abundant reserves of mineral resources in the state.



Chief Minister Mohan yadav was welcomed by Bhopal <Mayor Malti Rai and others at the Raja Bhoj airport on Saturday, or

All 37 police stations of Bhopal city to have cyber help desk

## Class 6 girl molested by her tuition teacher's husband

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

Speaking with the media on

wadhpuri police have A arrested a 55-year-old man for molesting a class 6 student who used to take tution from wife of accused.

The accused identified as Nitin Deshmukh used to do obscene acts with the girl in the absence of his wife.

The crime was committed by the husband of a tution teacher. According to the girl, the accused often used to do obscene acts with her in the absence of his wife.

The case is from Awadhpuri area. On Friday, when the girl refused to go to coaching, her mother inquired. After this, the girl revealed the act of the accused. The girl's family took her to the police station and registered a case. The police have arrested the accused. TI Ratan Singh Parihar said

**According to** the girl, the accused often used to do obscene acts with her in the absence of his

that the 11-year-old victim studies in a private school. She goes to a woman near her house for tuition. For the last two months, the accused Nitin Deshmukh (55) used to do obscene acts with the girl whenever his wife was here and

On Thursday, while teaching tuition, the teacher had gone to the neighborhood. Taking advantage of the loneliness, the accused did obscene acts with the girl. He started touching the private parts of the girl.

The victim said that uncle does dirty things. When it was time for coaching on Friday, the victim refused to go. When the mother asked the reason, the girl started crying. She told her mother - Nitin uncle touches her in a bad way in the absence of the teacher. She gave full information to her mother about the act done by the

accused on Thursday.
The mother told the father. After this, the couple reached the police station with the girl. Where after counseling, a case was registered against the accused

When the police reached the house of accused Nitin Deshmukh, he started to influence . He told that he was the editor of a newspaper. He took the names of many officers. When he was asked for proof of being a journalist, he showed a card. This card of a newspaper had expired two years ago.

#### Gender sensitization programme at AIIMS

Bhopal: The Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) organized a 'Gender Sensitization Programme' on Saturday, November 30, 2024. This program was aimed at raising awareness among newly appointed employees regarding sexual harassment at the workplace, the provisions of the Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) Act, and the importance of fostering an inclusive and respectful work

environment. Prof. Singh emphasized the importance of a gender-sensitive workplace, stating that a safe and inclusive environment is essential for the development of both individuals and institutions. Gender equality and respect are fundamental values for us, and this sensitization program is an important step towards ensuring a dignified and collaborative workplace for our employees.

## **STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

yber Help Desk will be Íaunched in a total of 37 **⊿** police stations of Bhopal

Urban Police from Sunday. A 6-day training session concluded in view of implementation of Cyber ??Help Desk and Cyber ??Crime Control.

Apart from this special tech-

nical training given to about 400 officers and employees from Inspector to Constable level of all the police stations of Bhopal Urban Police to increase efficiency, technical knowledge and excellent research.

As per the intention of the Honorable Chief Minister and Director General of Police, to curb the incidents of cyber crimes increasing day by day in modern times and to deal with the cyber challenges coming in the future, Cyber ??Help Desk is being launched in all the oncerned police stapolice stations of Bhopal city tions. from 01 December 2024.

Since cyber crime is increasing day by day. At present, the general public has to go to the cyber branch and apply for complaints of cyber fraud. There was only one cyber police station in the city and it is quite far from most of the police stations, due to which it took a lot of time and trouble for the victims to go to the cyber police station for complaint.

Also, due to the tremendous increase in cyber crimes in the last few years, complaints are getting pending in the cyber branch. Keeping all these points in mind and keeping in view the convenience of the general public, from December 01, the applicant / victim will be able to complain about fraud / cheating up to Rs 5 lakh

Due to early complaint, the cyber police will take immediate action and hold the victim's money and the possibility of refund will increase signifi-

It is worth mentioning that to increase the efficiency, technical knowledge and excellent research of police officers / employees, about 400 officers / employees from inspector to constable level of 37 police stations of Urban Police Bhopal were given detailed training related to NCCRP, JMIS and CEIR portal and prevention of cyber crime, technical analysis, public awareness, investigation etc. in a 6-day training ses-

In the training, it was told how to upload the complaint of cyber crime on the portal, get information from Facebook, Instagram, x etc. and account details from the bank, extract CDR, collect evidence and information etc.

During the training, Deputy Commissioner of Police Crime Akhil Patel shared personal experience and told that to get to the root of the crime in cyber crime, one has to work through a chain system, for which it is very important to have technical knowledge and resources. It has become very important for all officers / employees to be technically adept and skilled to deal with cyber crimes and future challenges.

In the training, Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police Shailendra Singh Chauhan gave pithy guidance regarding technical difficulties in cyber crime investigation, coordination with other states and digital evidence, documents etc. to be collected during investigation.

nief Minister Mohan Yadab reviewed the fertilizer distribution at Samatva Bhawan on Saturday

# Aalmi Tablighi Ijtema: Faith, service, devotion mark day 2

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

akhs of devotees thronged the venue to listen to sermons from top scholars on the second day of the 77th Aalmi Tablighi Ijtema at village Eintkhedi, on the outskirts of the state capital, on Saturday.

Some traffic disruptions were reported from the Berasia road, especially around the Karond inter-section, as the arrival of Jamaats continued at the Old City railway station.

Volunteers worked to facilitate the free flow of vehicles which remained covered by construction sheets due to the ongoing metro rail

Proceedings on the second day started with daybreak sermons by Maulana Jamshed Sahab, while Maulana Saeed Kandhalvi, Maulana Manzoor, and



addressed the congregation

The speakers exhorted congregants to lead a life of piety and service in adherence to the guiding principles of their faith.

They said that it was crucial for people to avoid all that is prohibited in Islam, including the receiving and giving of interest.

Maulana Saad Kandhalvi Scholars also motivated the devout to pursue the methduring the afternoon, ods of the Tablighi Jamaat evening, and post-dusk ses- and reach out to fellow of the religion, bringing them back to the path ordained in the scriptures. Meanwhile, thousands of volunteers continued to provide valuable roundthe-clock services to people attending the four-day event, which concludes with

a large prayer congregation

lowers, who then focus on cleaning and clearing the venue of all signs of the congregation, one of the largest in the world.

Thousands of volunteers

The culmination of the

Ijtema event marks the beginning of the final vol-untary effort by Jamaat fol-

work for nearly a month after the conclusion of the Ijtema to ensure that installations at the venue are carefully dismantled, cleaned, and stored for the next year.

They also ensure that no residues from the event are for residents, animals, birds, and trees that inhabit the area. Volunteers say that even if the effort is cumbersome, they are satisfied that their humble deeds count for the Khidmat or service, which Tablighi Jamaat elders describe as a cornerstone of faith.

## Bridging modern and traditional medicine at AIIMS Bhopal

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

A IIMS Bhopal participated in the inaugural ICMR-NITM-KAHER Joint Workshop on Clinical Research in Integrative Medicine, held from November 18 to 20, 2024, at the National Institute of Traditional Medicine (NITM) in Belgavi, Karnataka. The event brought together

prominent medical institutions and healthcare professionals to explore the integration of modern medical practices with traditional AYUSH systems, highlighting the potential of such collaborations in addressing global health challenges.

Prof Ajai Singh, Executive Director of AIIMS Bhopal, emphasized the significance of combining modern medicine with AYUSH in today's healthcare ecosystem.

"As the world turns to India for scientifically validated complementary healthcare systems, AIIMS Bhopal is at the forefront of advancing this integration," he remarked." He stressed that the fusion of traditional and modern medicine offers promising solutions for tackling diverse healthcare issues world-

## nab drug peddler **STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL **Prof Ajai Singh,** The illegal drug smuggler arrested by the Awadhpuri police claimed

that he used to sell Pani Puri emphasized the significance of combining modern medicine with AYUSH

AIIMS Bhopal was represented by Dr Rashmi Verma, Assistant Professor in Trauma & Emergency Medicine, and Dr Danish Javed, Senior Medical Officer (Ayush).

The institution presented a significant project on the integrative approach for the treatment of Hepatitis B, contributing to the workshop's broader discussion on innovative medical research.

The workshop featured 16 projects from various institutions, showcasing the growing interest and investment in integrative medicine. AIIMS Bhopal's active participation underscores its dedica-

tion to pioneering research and

promoting the combination of

modern and traditional medi-

cine to enhance patient care and

improve healthcare outcomes.

**Executive Director of AIIMS** Bhopal,

(Phulki) cart, three times the Municipal Corporation confiscated his cart claiming it encroachment. Fed up with this, he started smuggling Cannabis. Awadhpuri Police has seized 1.200 kg of ganja worth Rs 22000 from the possession of the accused. The police have taken action

against the accused under the NDPS Act. ACP Deepak Nayak said that the Awadhpuri police station had received input that a person named Sushil Joshi was roaming

around in the BDA colony coming under the police station area to sell ganja. When the police formed a team and surrounded and caught him, during interrogation the accused told that he is a resident of Jhansi in

A few years ago he came to Bhopal to do the business of Pani Puri (Phulki). He used to run a Pani Puri cart in the Awadhpuri area of the city. But the municipal corporation employees used to take away his cart repeatedly in the name of encroachment.

## Awadhpuri police | BMC Commissioner calls for green nets, immediate removal of C&D waste

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

unicipal Commissioner Harendra Narayan, on Saturday, directed civic body officials to ensure that green nets are installed at all under-construction sites and that Construction and Demolition (C&D) waste is disposed of immediately. Narayan was reviewing sanitation work across various parts of the city, which he has been monitoring tirelessly to implement immediate enhancements, raising it to the standards prescribed by the Swachh

Survekshan 2024. The Bhopal Municipal Corporation (BMC) chief called for greater attention to the quality of civil work, repairs, and painting of side and central verges. He urged officials to provide

greater monitoring of all points in the city profile and directed campaigns to improve cleanliness in the city's parks. Narayan instructed that all zone and ward nodal offi-

cers, assistant health officers,

health supervisors, and

supervisors maintain con-

tinuous communication and ensure proper planning for improvements.

On Saturday morning, Harendra Narayan inspected cleanliness in various areas of the city, including Link Road No. 01 and 02, Roshanpura, Polytechnic, Kamla Park, VIP Road, Lalghati, Airport Road, Ashram Bapu Chauraha, Gandhi Nagar, Mubarakpur

Tiraha, and others. He issued instructions via direct communication and video conferencing to officials to ensure improved cleanliness in the city. He directed that green nets be installed in under-construction buildings, and C&D waste be removed quickly with dumpers and

ĪCBs. Narayan gave instructions to check staff attendance, ensure the use of bhakku (manual labour), and improve the segregation of waste. He also directed the cleaning of side verges on both sides from Lalghati to Halalpur and from the airport to the Bypass Tiraha Mubarakpur, and to organise teams for better cleanliness of service roads.



A cycle rally and walkathon for diabetes awareness was organised in Bhopal from National health Mission office to Shahpura

SASCI is a revolutionary scheme to boost tourism

**Bhopal:** Chief Minister Mohan Yadav thanked Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on behalf of the people of the state for the scheme to develop 40 special tourist spots of the country

He said that Prime Minister Narendra Modi has approved the Special Assistance States Capital Investment (SASCI) scheme for 40 identified tourist places of the country for an amount of Rs 3

according to international tourist

thousand 295.76 crore. Yadav said that beautification of tourist places makes them a centre of attraction for domestic and foreign tourists. He said that to meet international criteria for tourist destinations, it is essential to have proper maintenance arrangements, as well as comprehensive facilities such as guides, cafeterias, hotels, and guest houses for visitors.

Yadav has also expressed his gratitude to Union Tourism Minister

Gajendra Singh Shekhawat for developing Madhya Pradesh's religious and holy city Orchha A Medieval Splendor and International Centre for MICE in Bhopal as world class iconic centres out of 40 tourist places in 23 states of the country by the Central Government. Yadav said that with the development of tourist places, the tourism industry and the small and big industries and local markets are also benefited by the number of tourists.

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# AIDS patients should not be subjected to social stigma: Shukla

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

the eve of World AIDS Day, scores of people on Saturday participated in a Candle March that started at the District Jaiprakash Hospital and culminated in a gathering at the residence of Deputy Chief Minister Rajendra Shukla.

Organised by the district health department, the rally provided information on the causes of HIV infection and its prevention.

Awareness activities were also held to eliminate social discrimination and misconceptions about people living with AIDS. This year, the theme for the day is "Adopt the Path of Rights - My Health, My

Speaking to participants, Shukla said that AIDS is a seri-

Mayor Malti Rai distributes

PPE kits to sanitation staff



ous disease and the best way to prevent it is by being aware of

The Public Health and Medical Education Department of Madhya Pradesh is providing free HIV testing facilities at government health institutions. The full cost of treatment

is also borne by the government.

Shukla stated that understanding the four main causes of this disease and avoiding them can help control its spread. Along with raising awareness about AIDS, it is also important to eliminate

National Media

Bhopal: The Election

Commission of India, New

Delhi, will confer the National

Media Award-2024 for the

best voter education and voter

The awards will be presented

in four categories to media

institutions for their out-

standing efforts in motivating

voters and spreading awareness about voting. The pur-

pose of these awards is to

encourage and recognize

excellent campaigns aimed at

increasing voter participation

awareness.

Commission has invited pro-

posals from institutions by

arate categories for Print

Media, Electronic (Television)

Media, Electronic (Radio)

Media, and Online (Internet

10th December 2024.

and Social) Media.

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awareness campaigns.

social discrimination and misconceptions about people living with the disease. Under the National AIDS

Control Programme, the 95-95-95 target has been set. By 2030, 95% of people at risk of HIV should be aware of their HIV status, 95% of people living with HIV should receive ART treatment, and 95% of those on ART treatment should have their viral load suppressed.

Chief Medical and Health Officer (CMHO) Dr. Prabhakar Tiwari explained that HIV infection can be prevented by using condoms during sexual intercourse, using blood only from licensed blood banks, using a new syringe every time, and mandatory HIV testing during pregnancy. Addressing misconceptions, he stressed that HIV is not spread through sharing meals, handshakes, or hugs, using common items like dishes, clothes, bedding, toilets, telephones, swimming pools, coughing, sneezing, mosquito bites, or bites from household

Free and confidential HIV testing and counselling services are available at nine Integrated Counseling and Testing Centers (ICTC) facilities in the city. These tests can be conducted at All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Gandhi Medical College, Sultania Maternity Hospital, Jaiprakash District Hospital, Civil Hospital Bairagarh, Civil Hospital Dr. Kailashnath Katju, TB Hospital, Civil Bairasia, and Community



Now removed posters seeking the ouster of the Waqf Board mysteriously appeared at Minto Hall on Saturday.

Procure only FAQ grains: PS Food and Civil Supplies **Bhopal:** Officials of Food, Civil Supplies Corporation, and Warehousing and Logistics Corporation should work in coordination with each other. Buy only FAQ (Fair Average Quality) grains. Do not purchase substandard quality food

paddy and coarse grains at sup-port price and distribution of ration to eligible families in the Kharif marketing year 2024-25. Principal Secretary Shami said that this year paddy milling will

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¬he second phase of

Bhopal Metro, which

spans an 8.77 km route

from Subhash Nagar to

Karond, is facing significant

delays due to ongoing challenges with the relocation of

saw mills and encroachments

along the route. The project,

which is crucial for expand-

ing the city's metro network,

has been stalled by 108 saw

mills and encroachments

The main hurdle in pro-

gressing this phase of the

metro project is the shifting

of the saw mills, which have

been in place along the route

from Barkhedi Gate to Bharat

decades. Despite over 50 dis-

cussions and eight proposed

relocation sites, the machines

A significant breakthrough

have not been moved.

from the Iranian camp.

Principal Secretary Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection, Rashmi Arun Shami said this in a workshop organized at the Academy of Administration to review the preparation for procurement of be done along with procurement. Therefore, ensure that the paddy is milled and stored in rice warehouses as per the

instructions issued. She said about the procurement process. that special attention should be paid to ensure that the stored grains do not get spoiled. Ensure timely distribution of food grains to eligible beneficiaries by instructions. strengthening the public distri-In the workshop, detailed

bution system. Commissioner Food and Management Director Ware Housing and Logistics Corporation Sivi Chakraborty said that paddy should be pro-cured as per the guidelines issued by the Central and State Governments. Paddy procurement will be monitored online. Therefore, wherever non-FAQ paddy is purchased, information about it will be immediately available here. Chakraborty said that there should be complete monitoring of the storage and distribution of procured grains. MD Civil Supplies Corporation PN Yadav gave information

Bhopal Metro phase 2 faces delays due to encroachments

came when 18 acres of land

in Chhota Ratibad was allot-

ted for their relocation, but

the process is still pending.

The Rs 16 crore plan for

infrastructure development,

including road, electricity,

and water facilities at the new

site, is yet to fully begin, as

the detailed project report

(DPR) has only recently been

Tendering and construction work may take an addition-

al 2-3 months. District Collector Kaushalendra

Vikram Singh had set a tar-

get two and a half months

ago for removing the saw

mills within a month, but

this deadline has passed

istration demolished 18 per-

manent shops blocking the

route, which clears one

obstacle for the metro's con-

without progress.

submitted for approval.

He said that farmers should not face problems. All necessary facilities shuld be made available in procurement centers as per

information on pending rent payment of warehouses, pending payment of millers, upgradation of non-FAQ stock, execution of remaining stock of previous years in warehouses, mapping from procurement center to millers and from millers to supply centre, payment of grains procured from farmers, distribution of ration to eligible families, verification of temporary eligibility slips issued to workers registered on e-Shram portal, e-KYC of eligible beneficiaries, inspection of fair price shops through mobile app and others and other issues

removal of saw mills

remains the primary imped-

Another challenge is the

encroachment from the

Iranian Dera along the

City SDM Deepak Pandey

assured that steps are being

taken to clear the encroach-

ment. Plans are already in

place for this work to pro-

The second phase of the

metro project, which will connect Subhash Nagar

Depot to Karond, is esti-

mated to cost Rs 1,540 crore.

Soil testing, design work, and

other preliminary tasks have been completed, but the

project cannot proceed until

and the encroachments are

cleared. Once these issues

are resolved, civil works will

begin, helping to move the

route.

iment to moving forward.

**NORTH CENTRAL RAILWAY** NOTICE OF DISMISSAL FROM RAILWAY SERVICE

Employee Shri Vaibhav Gupta S/o Amarnath Gupta Trackmaintainer-4 Unit No. 15, under Senior Section Officer/Railway Path/North/Lalitpur resident 554 GA/87A Damodar Nagar, Alam Bagh Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh) Pin-226005, due to being absent for long period without any information, action has been taken regarding dismissal from railway service. Before dismissing the employee from the job, he was called to the office of the Assistant Divisional Ennigineer 'Maintenance' Lalitpur through a registered letter dated 04.10.2024 and 22.10.2024, but the employee did not appear. The employee did not appear on the summon of the investigation officer by registered letter on 19.08.2024, 14.09.2024 and 24.09.2024 for the investigation and information has also been sent to his permanent address by registered post.

Date of removal of employee from railway service - 16.11.2024 Name: Shri Vaibhav Gupta, S/o: Amarnath Gupta Post: Trackmaintainer-4 Unit No. 15,

under Senior Section Officer/Railway Path/North/Lalitpur Resident: 554 GA/87A Damodar Nagar, Alam Bagh Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh) Pin-226005

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DATE OF AUCTION: 10-12-2024 AUCTION VENUE: Through e-Auction AUCTION ADDRESS: https://gold.matexnet.org/

CONTACT NUMBER: 95001 73386 / 99629 79770 To register as bidder for the e-Auction with terms and conditions, and full details

of e-Auction please visit the above site. **BRANCHES AND LOAN ACCOUNT NUMBERS** 

BEGAMGANJ: 63240000197375, 75240001052544, 1057195, 1075691, BETUL: 63230000506125, 63240000332443, 75230002256273, 2265775, 75240001060579, BHOPAL: 63230000408950, 489115, 63240000329669, 333901, 75230000444573, 75240001066948, CHHINDWARA: 75240001064432 DINDORI: 75230002272712, GARHAKOTA: 75240001055659, GWALIOR: 6324000195159, 196047, 75230000394676, 1921769, HARDA: 75230002264217, INDORE: 63230000489775, JABALPUR: 75240001049221, MAIHAR: 63230000486211, 75230000423053, MANDLA: 75240001052564, NAGOD: 75240001051516, 1054471, 1055559, NARMADAPURAM(HOSHANG-ABAD): 75230000317803, 75240000444064, 1072806, 1082387, NASRULLAG-ANJ: 75230002272992, 2273420, 75240001083725, REWA: 7523000226296 2262981, SAGAR: 75230000094851, 309639, 1850472, 75240001061837 SAUSAR: 75240001052394, 1069053, SEONI: 63240000330446, 75240001058154, 1076399, SIHORA: 63230000413980, 75230000169741, 75240001061387, SOHAGPUR: 75230002256493, 2256843, 2259027, 75240001079524, UJJAIN: 63240000330476, UMARIA: 75230000075087

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Date: 01-12-2024

**Authorized Signatory** 

## Sarang helps residents of two housing colonies from power disconnection

dance.

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n a push to keep the city's sanitation efforts

free of injuries and haz-

ards Mayor Malti Rai dis-tributed 100 Personal

Protection Equipment (PPE)

kits to sewage workers and

12 handcarts to sanitation

staff at a ceremony on

The distribution marks the

beginning of a broader ini-

tiative under which the Bhopal Municipal

Corporation (BMC) will pro-

vide 338 PPE kits and 260

handcarts to enhance safety

and efficiency in maintaining

Speaking at the event held at

Shyamla Hills Waterworks

Complex, Mayor Rai under-

scored the importance of

equipping workers with nec-

Saturday.

inister Vishwas Sarang has intervened to pre-✓ **L**vent electricity dis-

connections in Dwarkadham and Gokul Dham residential colonies on New Jail Road, ensuring that over 700 families will no longer face power outages. The intervention comes after

the electricity connections of both colonies were disconnected due to unpaid bills amounting to Rs 1.32 crore. In a resolution reached in the presence of Minister Sarang, it was decided that the builder's land in the colony, a 21,000 square-foot commercial plot, would be sold to pay off the outstanding electricity bill. Additionally, an electricity sub-

station will be constructed in

the colony to address future

power supply issues. This was

not the first time the colonies had faced power disconnections. Over the past two months, both Dwarkadham and Gokul Dham have experienced their connections being cut off twice due to pending

'These safety kits and hand-

carts will empower our san-

itation workers to perform

their duties more effectively,

ensuring a cleaner and healthier Bhopal," she said.

The initiative, attended by

key functionaries including

Additional Commissioner

Devendra Singh Chauhan

and Mayor-in-Council

member Ravindra Yati, aims

to address safety concerns and improve working con-

Distribution of remaining

resources will be completed

at the zonal level within two

days, officials confirmed.

ongoing commitment to

enhancing public health and

sanitation infrastructure

while safeguarding the wel-

fare of frontline workers.

On November 14, the disconnection led to a 25-hour power outage, prompting residents to take their complaints to the CM House. Minister Sarang was subsequently involved in resolving the matter.

Residents, who had expressed their concerns to Minister Sarang, also raised the issue of the builder's failure to pay the collected electricity bills. Despite more than 95% of the residents regularly paying their share of the bill, the builder had not remitted the payments to the electricity company, resulting in the mounting arrears. A

with Collector Kaushlendra Vikram Singh and officials from the electricity company also in atten-

It was agreed that the builder's

mortgaged land would be sold, and the Rs 1.32 crore bill would be cleared using the proceeds. Additionally, residents who had outstanding bills would be allowed to pay their dues in five installments, with the first payment due by December 15. The decision was welcomed by the residents, many of whom had previously faced hardships due to the repeated power cuts. The colony is home to around 700 families, including 100 ex-servicemen and 100 doctor families, along with many other

professionals. The disruption of power had caused significant inconvemeeting was held to address the nience, especially considering

the high percentage of regular bill payers within the colony. The residents had previously attempted to take legal action against the builder. On November 14, they reached Gandhinagar police station to file a complaint and register an FIR for fraud against the builder.

When no action was taken. they approached the CM House, but were unable to meet CM Dr. Mohan Yadav. Their complaints were submitted to a CM House officer, and Minister Sarang stepped in the following day to call a meeting and resolve the issue.With the issue now addressed, the residents are hopeful that their long-standing concerns will finally be resolved, ensuring uninterrupted power supply and proper compensation for the outstanding bills.

# School kids braving intense cold

struction. However, the metro expansion forward.

**STAFF REPORTER** ■ BHOPAL

chool kids are braving intense cold conditions to reach school in the early morning hours as state capital has witnessed mercury to the lowest in a day ago.

The timings have been adjusted to provide relief the students still cold conditions are harsh to bear.

In the state many cities are experiencing cold like December-January. This time month of November in Bhopal is the coldest in 36 years.

The mercury has reached 8.2 degree celsius. At the same time, the mercury is below 7 degree celsius in Mandla and Shahdol. The effect of severe cold is likely to remain on the last day of November as well. There will be a period of severe cold in December. The difference between day

which increases expenses.

"Agricultural scientists from

and night temperatures has narrowed in the past one week. The jet stream is flowing at a speed of 234 kilometers per hour over West-North India. This average is 8 to 10Km in the cities of Madhya Pradesh.

Due to this, there is severe cold in Bhopal, Indore, Ujjain, Gwalior-Jabalpur as well as small cities. On Friday, people shivered due to cold winds. To avoid this, they kept wearing warm clothes throughout the

Meteorologist said, right now the height of the jet stream wind is 12.6 km. When it flows down, the effect of cold will intensify. Apart from this, a cyclonic circulation system is active in the eastern part and a deep depression is active over the south-western Bay of Bengal. Its effect is also being seen in the state.

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2. Parvati Bai W/o Prabhulal Dangi (Proprietor) Village Kuaakheda, Nataram Khilchipur, Rajgarh (M.P.

3. Girirai Dangi S/o Gorilal Dangi (Guarantor) Ward 14 Imali Stand, Khilchipur, Raigarh (M.P.)

Sir/Madam

Sr.

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Date-28-Nov-2024, Time 11:00 A.M. Onwards

Place: 1) Mr. Kamal Kishor Dangi, SURVEY NO. 292/2/1 SITUATED AT WARD NO. 14, SARDAR PATEL MARG, N.H. ROAD, NAGAR KHILCHIPUR, TEHSIL-KHILCHIPUR, DIST-RAJGARH, M.P.,

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Nagar Khilchipur, Tehsil-Khilchipur

Name of Type / **Address of Property** a) KAMAL Residential Resi. Cum Comm. Plot Land Part of Diverted KISHOR cum Survey No. 292/2/1 Situated at Ward Plot Area No. 14, Sardar Patel Marg, N.H. Road, DANGI

> Dist-Rajgarh, M.P. Yours faithfully For HDFC Bank Ltd Authorized Officer, Mob. 80354-59268

# Farmers demand fair solution amid stubble burning ban

KISAN SINGH RANA BHOPAL

district administration ban, and fears of fines, **\**on stubble burning in rural areas due to rising Air Quality Index (AQI) levels has not gone down well with farmers, who are now urging the government to find a middle path without compromising the interests of stakeholders. Devendra Singh, District Secretary of the Bhopal Farmers' Union and a farmer from Sagoni Kalan village, stated, "We have no alternatives. Pollution is caused by industrial and urban areas due to vehicles and factories. The administration is acting with bias. If

farmers are fined for stubble burning, we will launch a largescale protest."

He further stated that it takes at least three months for stubble (crop residue) to decompose naturally, during which farmers cannot leave their fields empty. The administration suggests the use of rotavators and happy seeders, which chop the stubble into fine pieces, but these hinder proper seed germination, causing losses for farmers.

Mahendra Singh Dangi of Berasia, who has been farming for generations, said, "Burning stubble turns it into ash, which mixes well with the soil and does not harm the next crop.

When rotavators are used, the fine stubble becomes susceptible to fungus, which damages the crop.

Lokesh, a resident of Bhainsoda village, said, "Pollution in cities increases due to vehicles, yet farmers are penalised for it. If the administration wants to lower AOI, they should implement measures like Delhi's odd-even formula or address emissions from vehicles and factories.

Pollution and AQI will reduce across the board."Deepak Rajput from Sonkakatch village added, "After burning stubble, the field needs to be tilled only twice, or at most three times, which is cheaper than using a

farmers are already struggling. What are we supposed to do?"Bhupendra Rajput from Rujgaon laments, "Not every farmer can afford a rotavator. We already struggle with a lack of fertiliser, and the cost of equipment like rotavators is another burden. There's no

In these times of rising costs,

Meanwhile, Suman Prasad, Deputy Agriculture Director for Bhopal district, reiterated, "Using rotavators and seeders reduces farmers' costs and saves time. After stubble burning, fields

need to be tilled at least four

times to prepare for sowing,

are initially resistant to new technology, but over time, they will adapt. With both administrative officlear solution in sight." cials and farmers sticking to their stances, and AQI levels threatening to surge, it may be

time for the government to step in with village-level counselling sessions and training to address the issue that could snowball into a major controversy in years to come.

the Jabalpur-based BISA Research Institute say that farmers are being encouraged to use rotavators and happy CHANGE OF NAME seeders after adequate research. They emphasised, "Farmers

KUMAR.

#### I, DHARMENDRA KUMAR S/o RAM LAKHAN R/o Vill.

Aber, PO- Aber, Kotar, Dist.-Satna, Madhya Pradesh-485226 declare that name of mine has been wrongly written as ANKIT PAL in my Aadhaar Card No. 4243 8341 1348. The actual name of mine is DHARMENDRA

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# **ECI** invites Congress to discuss Maharashtra poll result concerns

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE **NEW DELHI** 

The Election Commission **1** of India (ECI) on Saturday asserted that all poll procedures it followed in Maharashtra were transparent and assured that it would review all legitimate concerns flagged by the Congress, which alleged serious inconsistencies. In its interim response to the party, the poll authority invited a Congress delegation on December 3 to discuss concerns expressed by

The commission reiterated that the process was transparent with the involvement of candidates or their agents at every stage. It also assured of a review of the Congress' legitimate concerns and a written response after hearing the party's delegation in person.

The Congress on Friday raised with the ECI "serious and grave inconsistencies," which it said were being revealed in the data relating to the polling and counting processes for the recently-concluded Maharashtra Assembly polls and sought an in-person hearing to present relevant evidence.

The poll-body asserted that a transparent electoral roll upda-tion process was undertaken with the involvement of all political parties. Responding to the issue regarding the voter turnout data, the ECI asserted



Maharashtra Cong chief Nana Patole wrote to the ECI seeking details and evidence of voter turnout.

that there was no discrepancy in it and the data was available with all candidates polling station-wise and is verifiable. The gap in the 5 pm polling data and the final voter turnout was due to procedural priorities, as presiding officers perform multiple statutory duties near the close of polling before updating the voter turnout data.

As an additional disclosure measure, an ECI press note at around 11:45 pm was intro-duced during the 2024 Lok Sabha election and followed subsequently during all Assembly polls thereafter, the poll body told the Congress.

The ECI said that total votes polled at each polling booth was given by the presiding officer, pefore leaving the polling station, to the authorised agents of candidates (Form 17 C Part1) at the end of polling on 20th November, the day of polling in Maharashtra and Jharkhand. This cannot be changed. This number aggregates to final voter turnout which all political parties and candidates can verify. For the conduct of elections, ECI takes employees on election duty from various

departments of state govern-

ment. The presiding officer

near the completion of polling

at the polling station performs multiple statutory responsibilities like filling up of various statutory forms, record keeping of activities, sealing of the machines, etc. before winding up the polling at the polling sta-

"The Commission will convey its detailed reply to the issues raised in your letter at the earliest possible, but after suitably hearing from you further inperson, for which you have conveyed a request. Accordingly INC delegation is welcome to the Commission at 5 PM on 3'd December 2024," the poll body

# Karan Singh urges Yunus to prevent

Veteran Congress leader Karan Singh on Saturday

# Mehbooba urges LG to rethink Vaishno Devi ropeway project

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

Asserting that religious places should not be converted into tourism hotspots, PDP supremo Mehbooba Mufti on Saturday requested Jammu and Kashmir Lt Governor (LG) Manoj Sinha to reconsider constructing a ropeway on the trek leading to the Vaishno Devi shrine in Reasi district.

The former chief minister also demanded immediate withdrawal of an FIR against antiropeway protesters over the recent violence in Katra town, the base camp for pilgrims visiting the revered shrine atop Trikuta hills.

The livelihood of shopkeepers, labourers and others are linked to the pilgrimage and they are bound to face a lot of problems (after construction of the ropeway). The government should think that it is a religious place and be treated like one instead of converting it into a tourism spot," Mehbooba told reporters after meeting the protesters in

The People's Democratic Party (PDP) supremo said there were several places with tourism potential in Jammu and Kashmir.

"This is a place of reverence where a devotee comes with a



pure heart to seek blessings of the Mata. Construction of the ropeway will not only bypass three important locations enroute to the shrine but also snatch the livelihood of thousands of locals," Mehbooba

Jammu and Kashmir is already grappling with the country's ighest unemployment rate as government jobs are nowhere and private investment is not coming, she claimed.

"Privatisation requires electricity. Though Jammu and Kashmir produces electricity, it is given free of cost to some states and we have nothing for ourselves. People who earn their livelihood by means of labour work with the blessings of the Mata will lose the opportunity after the ropeway's construction," she said. Mehbooba said the Baridar community, which managed

the shrine's affairs before formation of the Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board, were not happy with their ouster and were continuously protesting.

The lieutenant governor (shrine board chairperson) should reconsider the decision and take the livelihood of the locals into account before starting work on the ropeway, which can be shifted somewhere else," she said. The PDP leader also demand-

ed the withdrawal of an FIR registered against the antiropeway protesters last week following a clash between them and law enforcing agencies.

The lieutenant governor has been there for the last five years and he should tell how many jobs were created and given to youngsters... When you snatch livelihood opportunities from people, protests are bound to happen. We are living in a democracy and it is the right of the people to protest," he said. Meanwhile, the Congress Jammu and Kashmir president Tariq Hameed Karra visited Katra and met Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Sangharsh Samiti president and party leader Bhupinder Singh Jamwal.

## Cochin shipyard to refit INS Vikramaditya

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

Ministry of Defence on Saturday signed a contract with Cochin Shipyard Limited for Short Refit and Dry Docking (SRDD) of aircraft carrier INS Vikramaditva at an overall cost of Rs. 1207.5 Crore, a statement here said. INS Vikramaditya was commissioned in the Indian Navy in November 2013. After completion of the Refit, INS Vikramaditya will join the active fleet of the Indian Navy with upgraded combat capability. This project is an important step towards development of Cochin Shipyard Limited as Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO) Hub for supporting the industrial ecosystem of India. The project envisages the involvement of neary 50 MSMEs and would lead to employment generation for more than 3500 personnel. The Project will provide a major boost to Government of India's vision of Atmanirbhar Bharat and Make in India initiative. The aircraft carrier was rebuilt in Russia according to Indian Navy specifications before it joined service.

# CPI (ML) in Jharkhand not to seek ministerial berth in Soren cabinet

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

The CPI (ML)-Liberation ■ general secretary Dipankar Bhattacharya on Saturday said that they would not seek ministerial berth in the newly elected Hemant Soren government in Jharkhand. He said they would extend

full support to the Soren government in its every right step and fulfil the guarantees given to the people during the election campaign.
"CPI (ML) L will not put any

pressure for ministerial berth in the cabinet. We just have two legislators. So, we do not think we are ready for such responsibility. When we will have eight to ten legislators, we will take the responsibility," acharya told media per

CPI (ML) L contested four seats as part of the INDIA bloc in the recently concluded Jharkhand assembly elections and managed to win two seats. Bhattacharya said, "We will extend our full support to the



government for its every right step and fulfil the guarantees. Government is one front, while the struggle is another front. CPI (MĽ) L will continue to meeting on Thursday, told the fight against wrong ideology, reporters that expansion of his We will be working to unite the

On the offer for ministerial berth, Bhattacharya said that there was no such offer in his

oath as the 14th Chief Minister mony here on Thursday.

> stormed to power in Jharkhand for the second time in a row, securing 56 seats in the 81member assembly, while the

assumed office after taking

of Jharkhand in a grand cere-The CM, after the first cabinet

The JMM-led alliance last week

Chief Minister Hemant Soren BJP-led NDA managed 24

# carnage

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condemned the recent attacks on Hindu temples and community leaders in Bangladesh and urged the country's interim government headed by Nobel laureate Muhammad Yunus to take immediate steps to prevent the "carnage" as well as reassure the Hindu community of their security. "I urge the Nobel laureate Prof Muhammad Yunus, who heads the new (interim) government of Bangladesh, to take immediate steps to prevent this carnage and to reassure the large and widespread Hindu community that their lives, property and

# BJP like landslides; does not follow rules, democratic norms: Priyanka Gandhi joint public meeting, with her

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE **KOZHIKODE** 

ongress MP Priyanka Gandhi Vadra, on a twoday visit to Kerala after her maiden electoral win from the Wayanad hill constituency, on Saturday said the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) did not play by any rules or follow democratic norms in its political

Comparing the BJP's behaviour with the landslides that hit Wayanad in July, Priyanka contended that just like the natural disaster, the saffron party's conduct knows no rules, offers no explanations and follows no democratic norms that are normally adhered to in political fights.

"The political challenges we face (from the BJP) today are like landslides. There are no rules. There are no explana-"The behaviour of the ruling

party (at the Centre), the BJP, knows no democratic norms, adhere to in a political fight,"

SC deprecates HC orders fixing time schedule

for conclusion of trial while rejecting bail pleas

brother and Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, at Mukkam She further said that institu-

tions were being destroyed, leading to the wavering of the people's basic faith in the electoral process and "the institutions that held our country together". Later, at a reception given to her in Karulai in Nilambur

assembly constituency in Malappuram district, Priyanka reiterated -- "we are fighting against the BJP that has no rules, no respect for democracy and the Constitution". "They have a negative and destructive agenda," she added.

She claimed that the Parliament had not functioned for a week as the BIP was afraid to discuss certain issues on which the Congress-led opposition wanted to hold discussions in the Lok Sabha.

"We have a big battle before us in the Parliament and across guard our Constitution," she



She also said that there was a need for a "fair, balanced and strong judiciary that is not pressurised". Priyanka also assured the peo-

ple of Wayanad LS constituency that she was in Parliament for them and it is their voice that she will raise there.

"It is your voice that I will raise. It is your problems that I will try to resolve and it is your beliefs, values and aspirations every day from now till the

She further said that she will work for a better future for the people of Wayanad and added that it will be her "mission" to resolve the various issues, like human-animal conflict, night travel ban, strengthening health and education services and improving tourism, faced by

Priyanka said she was "doubly grateful" to the people of Wayanad for showing her the same love and affection that they showed to her brother and for choosing her to represent them in Parliament. Thank you very much. I will

not disappoint you. I will work very hard for you. You will be happy when you see your MP,"

Earlier at the public meeting, she said she would leave no stone unturned to ensure a stronger and better future for the people of Wayanad.

In the morning, after arriving at Karipur airport here, Priyanka said, "I am happy to be back here and I am ready to

Wayanad have a better future.'

## 150 twowheelers caught in fire in Varanasi station

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Over 150 two-wheelers were destroyed in a fire that broke out at a parking stand in Varanasi's Cantt railway station, officials said on Saturday. There were no reports of any casualties.

The incident took place on Friday night when the fire erupted near the platform one parking stand, according to railway officials. Upon receiving information

about the incident, teams from the Railway Protection Force (RPF) and Government Railway Police (GRP) along with the fire department rushed to the spot to douse the flames, they said.

The blaze was brought under control but over 150 vehicles were reduced to ashes, they added.

Additional Divisional Railway Manager Lalji Chaudhary expressed regret over the inci-

He said that the parking stand was set up for railway employees and because of the fire there has been a lot of damage. There has been no loss of life

of any kind in the fire, Chaudhary said, adding that a committee has been formed to investigate the matter.

## Two Mahseer fish found in south Odisha

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE **NEW DELHI** 

 $R^{\text{esearchers}} \text{ at the Central} \\ \text{University of Odisha have} \\ \text{discovered two Mahseer fish}$ species from the Indravati river system in the state's southern region, officials said.

These fish species belong to the cyprinidae family, which are large-bodied and big-scaled carps, and are also included under 20 mega fishes of the world, they said.

They are often referred to as the king of the Indian aquatic system'. In Odisha, Mahseer fish species have earlier been reported from the Mahanadi and Brahmani rivers and the tified the two species as 'tor tor' Similipal region. However, the

rare species were for the first time spotted in any river in the southern part, the Koraputbased institute said in a statement on Saturday.

"It is a sacred fish and worshipped in many Hindu temples in India," it said.

Researchers led by Sharat Kumar Palita, dean of School of Biodiversity and Conservation of Natural Resources (SBCNR). discovered the fish species, said the statement.

Under close scrutiny in the university laboratory, the fishes were identified as Mahseer fishes and later confirmed by the Zoological Survey of India (ZSI), Kolkata. The ZSI idenand 'tor putitora', it said.

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 $D^{\text{eprecating the orders passed}}_{\text{by the high courts (HCs)}}$ fixing a time-bound schedule for conclusion of trial while rejecting bail applications, the Supreme Court (SC) has said such directions were difficult to implement and give a false hope to the litigants.

The apex court said such directions adversely affect the functioning of the trial courts as in many trial courts, there may be pending older cases of the same category.

"Before we part with this order, every day we notice that in several orders passed by different high courts while rejecting the bail applications, in a routine manner, the high courts are fixing a time-bound schedule for the conclusion of the trials," said a bench of Justices Abhay S Oka and Augustine George

The top court passed the order while granting bail to a man, who has been incarcerated for two and a half years in a case of alleged counterfeit currency

While granting him the relief, the bench noted that trial was not likely to conclude in a reasonable time and the appellant deserves to be enlarged on bail following the well-settled rule that "bail is rule and jail is an exception".

It said every court has criminal cases pending which require expeditious disposal for several reasons such as requirement of the penal statutes, long incarceration, age of the accused etc. "Only because someone files a case in our constitutional courts, he cannot get out of turn hearing. Perhaps after rejecting the prayer for bail, the courts want to give some satisfaction to the accused by fixing a time-bound

Such orders are difficult to implement. Such orders give a false hope to the litigants," the bench said in its November 25 verdict.

It said if in a given case, in law and on facts, an accused is entitled to bail on the ground of long incarceration without the trial making any progress, the court must grant bail.

The bench said the option of expediting the trial was not the solution.

Referring to a constitution bench verdict, the apex court said it was held that in the ordinary course, the constitutional courts should refrain from fixing a time-bound schedule for disposal of cases pending before any other courts. A direction which can be issued in exceptional circumstances is being routinely issued by high courts without noticing the law laid down by the constitution

## Admiral Dinesh Tripathi reviews Passing Out Parade PIONEER NEWS SERVICE

**NEW DELHI** 

Navy Chief Admiral Dinesh K Tripathi on Saturday emphasised upon the timeless pillars of military leadership – courage, resilience, and integrity - and stressed that the true strength of military leaders lay in "their ability to anticipate, act decisively, and inspire their teams to achieve success in every operation and mission and overcome any challenge." He said this at the Passing Out Parade(POP)at the Indian Naval Academy (INA), Ezhimala, Kerala. A total of 239 comprising trainees, Midshipmen of the 107th Indian Naval Academy Course, cadets of the 38th and 39th Naval Orientation Course (Extended), the 39th Naval

Orientation Course (Regular),

and the 40th Naval Orientation

Course (Coast Guard and

The reduction was "only

Foreign), graduated with flying colours, marking the successful culmination of their ab-initio training. The Passing Out Trainees included eight foreign cadets from four countries

and 29 women trainees. As the trainees prepare to step out of the Indian Naval Academy as Commissioned Officers, Admiral Tripathi reminded them that "The weight of the national security rests on your shoulders. Wear it with pride, carry it with honour, and never falter in its service. The successful trainees marched in a spectacular manner with gleaming ceremonial swords and rifles, saluting as they passed the Academy's Quarterdeck in Slow March to the evocative tune of Auld Lang Syne. This poignant farewell, a tradition in armed forces worldwide, marked their Antim Pag or final step at the Indian Naval

#### disturbance, brain fog may be long COVID Headaches, sleep

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SARS-CoV-2, the virus behind the Covid-19 pandemic, can persist in the skull and its surroundings i.e. meninges for years after infection, leading to a long-lasting effect on the brain, according to a major German study.

Researchers from Helmholtz Munich and Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat (LMU) found that SARS-CoV-2 spike protein remains in the brain's protective layers -- the meninges, and the skull's bone marrow for up to four years after infection.

These spike proteins are responsible for triggering chronic inflammation in affected individuals and increase the risk of neurodegenerative diseases, the team The study 'Persistence of spike

protein at the skull-meningesbrain axis may contribute to the neurological sequelae of COVID-19; by Prof. Ali Ertürk, Director at the Institute for Intelligent Biotechnologies at Helmholtz Munich among others said that the long-term neurological effects include "accelerated brain ageing, potentially

leading to a loss of five to 10

years of healthy brain function in affected individuals.

The study, published in the journal Cell Host & Microbe, said that the patients may also have neurological symptoms of long Covid such as headaches, sleep disturbances, and "brain fog," or cognitive impairment.

About five to 10 per cent of people infected with Covid are likely to experience long Covid -- approximately 400 million individuals may carry a significant amount of the spike Notably, vaccines against the

deadly virus significantly

reduce the accumulation of the

spike protein in the brain, said the researchers. "Vaccination reduced but did not eliminate spike protein accumulation after infection in

mice. Our findings suggest persistent spike protein at the brain borders may contribute to lasting neurological sequelae of COVID-19," said the

around 50 per cent in mice, leaving residual spike protein that continues to pose a toxic risk to the brain".

researchers.

For the study, the team developed a novel AI-powered imaging technique to under-stand how the SARS-CoV-2 spike protein affects the brain. The method, which offers a three-dimensional visualisation of viral proteins, was deployed to find previously undetectable distributions of

from Covid-19 patients and The findings revealed signifi-

spike protein in tissue samples

of spike protein in the skull's bone marrow and meninges, even years after infection. The spike protein binds to so-called ACE2 receptors, par-

cantly elevated concentrations

ticularly abundant in these regions. The study also suggested a mechanism for the virus's

entry into the central nervous system. "In both mouse and COVID-19 human tissues, we found spike protein in the skull meninges connections (SMCs), which the virus or virus components could use to travel from the skull marrow to the meninges and the brain parenchyma," said the authors.

# Yogi highlights environmental challenges, advocates sustainable development

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hief Minister Yogi Adityanath voiced grave concerns on Saturday about escalating environmental and ecological challenges, emphasizing the government's commitment to reducing carbon emissions promoting sustainability.

Speaking at the Green Índia Summit, the Chief Minister warned of the alarming pollution levels in Delhi, describing it as a "gas chamber." He expressed particular concern for the elderly and those with conditions, noting the judiciary's active role in addressing the crisis. Highlighting the impacts of climate change, CM Yogi

pointed to shifting monsoon patterns. "Earlier, the monsoon lasted from June 15 to August 15. Now, it extends from August 15. Now, It extends from August 15 to October 15," he said, explaining how these changes disrupt traditional sowing and harvesting cycles, creating significant challenges for farmers challenges for farmers. Uneven rainfall, with some areas experiencing floods and others drought, further exacerbates the problem. attributed

environmental issues to unplanned development and harmful human including water pollution. The CM noted that contaminated water is causing an increase in diseases like high blood pressure, diabetes, gastrointestinal disorders



Yogi Adityanath criticized unscientific industrial practices, such as dumping waste into rivers, for creating ecological disasters. He also drew attention to the overuse of pesticides and chemicals in agriculture, citing the infamous "Cancer Train," named for its high number of cancer patients chemicalintensive farming practices. The Chief Minister shared progress on the state government's initiatives to environmental degradation. Since 2017, Uttar Pradesh has installed over 16 lakh LED streetlights, reducing carbon emissions by 9.4 lakh tons and saving Rs 968 crore in energy costs. He encouraged citizens to adopt solar energy through the PM Suryaghar Yojana,

allowing individuals to generate and sell surplus power, promoting renewable energy use. Reforestation has been another area of focus. Since 2017, the state has planted 204 crore trees, increasing forest cover to 10%. The

government aims to expand

this to 15% in the next three

years, alongside developing

a 23,000-hectare land bank for renewable projects. Addressing pollution from stubble burning traditional methods, CM Yogi praised the Ujjwala Yojana, which has provided free LPG connections to 10 crore families since 2016. He explained that traditional

cooking fuels are as harmful

cigarettes daily. The Chief Minister also

spotlighted Eastern Uttar revolution. Between 1977 and 2017, encephalitis caused the deaths of 50,000 children in 38 districts due to contaminated water and open defecation. Improved sanitation and clean water initiatives have eradicated the disease in the region within just two years. Yogi Adityanath called for

collective efforts governments, institutions, and citizens to protect the environment. He urged experts to focus on research innovation environmental conservation and lauded the Green India Summit as a significant step toward fostering awareness

# as inhaling smoke from 100

Aday after the Manipur government urged Mizoram CM Lalduhoma to demonstrate statesmanship" by being a "good neighbour" rather than fueling hatred through "unwarranted comments", Chief Minister N Biren Singh on Saturday said Manipur is not like Mizoram, "which was once just a district in Assam". Speaking at a function for construction of infrastructure to relocate the Assam Rifles from the premises of the historic Langthabal Old Palace, Singh said, "Manipur is not like Mizoram. We have a written history of 2,000 years. Manipur merged with the Union of India as a single entity in 1949. Our boundaries were not newly created but we joined with the with boundaries.

The Manipur CM's reaction came in the backdrop of a recent interview given by Lalduhoma to a national daily in which he said Singh was a liability for the state, its people and the BJP, and even President's Rule is preferable

Manipur is not like Mizoram: CM N Biren Singh Movement Regime, and how

administration. "Assam Rifles is here to serve the nation. They are not our enemies. We all are Indian citizens. The gap can be bridged through interactions between commanders, CSOs, intellectuals. common enemy is located in foreign territories, not within. The paramilitary force can with insurgents or unlawful activities as they see fit, but not everyone is an insurgent," the CM said.
"People ask, 'What is the Chief

Minister doing?' Can the CM go and engage in firing? The CM makes policy plans—how to identify illegal immigrants, how to cancel the Free for agreeing to relocate their camp from Langthabal Old

Palace.
He said, "The Langthabal Palace is a historic place. The Assam Rifles has been stationed in the state for more than 100 years for security reasons. They cannot shift immediately. Major General Ravroop and the DG understand this well. They took the demands of the people for the relocation of the force from the old palace very seriously, as it is a historical site and very close to the university campus.

Later, talking to reporters, Singh said, "I would like to thank Union Home Minister Amit Shah, IGAR, and Assam Rifles authorities. agreed to vacate the Langthabal Old Palace, which is the second palace of the state, and relocate to another area. The people had been demanding the relocation of the Assam Rifles from the old palace, but it did not materialise due to a communication gap between the Assam Rifles and the state government. I am very

grateful to the Assam Rifles

for agreeing to shift. This is an

and Assam Rifles authorities achievement government.' Asked about statements made

> by the Mizoram CM in relation to Manipur, Singh responded, "I think the state government, through the DIPR, has already clarified this matter. As a mature CM of any state, one should not incite hate or interfere in the internal affairs of another state. It is very unfortunate.' In the statement, the Manipur government had also said, Mizoram CM reveals his democratic credentials by espousing imposition of President's Rule in Manipur while opposing boundary fencing of the Indo-Myanmar international border. He also

> Zo people. He also talks about possibility of armed militias in Manipur pointing their guns at Delhi and need for disarming, and sincere negotiations with hill leaders.

> calls for reunification of the

Regarding the missing person Singh said, condemn such incidents. We instructed authorities to locate the person, and state forces are actively searching for his

# Vaishnaw inspects track slab manufacturing factory near Surat

PIONEER NEWS SERVICE **AHEMDABAD** 

 $R^{\text{ailways Minister Ashwini}}_{\text{Vaishnaw on Saturday}} \\ \text{inspected a track slab}$ manufacturing factory for the Mumbai-Ahmedabad bullet train project near Surat in Gujarat.

Vaishnaw said all the equipment at the factory in Kim was initially brought from Japan before their manufacturing was started in India, which will be beneficial for upcoming construction projects.

"This factory at Kim is the largest in India and one of the largest track slab factories in the world. The workers have a very high skill level here. Those engaged in validation, test and check also have a very high skill level, and they have maintained very good standards," Vaishnaw told mediapersons after the visit. He said the experience in manufacturing equipment in India after initially bringing them from Japan will benefit future construction projects. The track slab manufacturing factory, set up near Surat to support India's first bullet train project, is designed to

produce high-capacity ballast-less track slabs using advanced technology. This unit will play a crucial role in ensuring the stability

and performance of the bullet train's according to the National High-Speed Limited Corporation the project (NHSRCL), execution agency.

This facility will produce track slabs for 237 km of high-speed rail track for MAHSR corridor in Gujarat & DNH (352 km), it said. The Railways Minister also visited a facility of Plasser India, a manufacturer of

track maintenance machines,

at Karjan near Vadodara. He said the educational course on the design, manufacturing and testing of machines will be taught at Gatishakti University in Vadodara to help create new opportunities for youth.
"The Austrian company has the world's biggest plant in

India which also exports. I inspected the products to be exported to Australia, Argentina, and two to three other countries. The skill level of our engineers and technicians is also increasing significantly," the Railways Minister said.

Vaishnaw participated in the 2nd convocation of Gati Shakti Vishwavidyalaya, formerly National Rail and Transportation Institute, in Vadodara.

India's first bullet train link is being constructed between Mumbai and Ahmedabad using Japan's Shinkansen technology to create a highfrequency transportation system.

The project has been funded by the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) with a soft loan of Rs 88,000

# Mayawati calls on Centre, Opp to ensure Winter Session focuses on pressing problems

**D**president Mayawati on Saturday called on the Centre and the Opposition to ensure that the Winter Session of Parliament focuses on the country's pressing problems rather than partisan clashes. The former Uttar Pradesh chief minister's appeal stemmed from controversies such as allegations against the Adani Group and the Sambhal mosque survey dispute, among others, which led to disruption proceedings in both houses of Parliament this week.

"Both the government and opposition should ensure that the ongoing Winter Session of Parliament focuses on the country's pressing problems rather than partisan clashes," Mayawati said, according to a BSP statement issued here.

"Parliament must function in the broader interest of people. Both the ruling party and the opposition must demonstrate seriousness to address the challenges facing the nation," she added.

The BSP supremo Saturday addressed a meeting



of senior party leaders from Pradesh Uttarakhand in Lucknow and stressed on them the need for Dalits and Ambedkarite communities to unite in their struggle for political empowerment.

She stressed that the fight for the "master key to power" must intensify to free the society from the grip of "casteist and communal" forces, according to an official statement.

Mayawati reviewed the party's organizational progress and directed the officials to address shortcomings at the district and divisional levels.

She hit out at the BJP, accusing it of diverting public attention from pressing issues like unemployment, poverty and inflation by using divisive tactics similar to the governments.

to implement the NRC. We

will never rest until we have

clearly safeguarded the entire

land of Manipur and its indigenous people," Singh

The CM asserted that the

conflict since May 3 last year

is not due to corruption by

the government but because

of measures taken to protect

the original inhabitants of the

land and address the distorted

histories of the state.

'Naturally, those who once

thrived on the drug trade will

be upset with the government

Singh also thanked Union

Home Minister Amit Shah

and against me," he added.

asserted.

The BJP's promises during the elections are forgotten once in power, leaving fundamental issues she said, unresolved," according to the statement. Mavawati also slammed Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath-led government for prioritizing religious agendas over constitutional responsibilities.

emphasized that economic struggles, unemployment and lack of education continue to affect millions in Uttar Pradesh and neighbouring Uttarakhand.

'The government's failure to fulfill its responsibilities has pushed the public into deeper poverty and backwardness," she said.

Speaking on the legacy of Dr BR Ambedkar, Mayawati reiterated the commitment to his vision of a welfare-oriented egalitarian society.

She announced plans for programmes on December 6 to honour Dr Ambedkar's



Amity Convocation for the Class of 2024, wherein more than 18,000 Graduands were awarded degrees, diplomas, certificates, medals and trophies from different different domains including Management, Engineering and Technology, Law, Mass Communication, Psychology, Allied Sciences, Fine Arts, and Fashion Technology,

amongst others. On this occasion, Honorary Doctorate was conferred upon Dr. Ajit Kumar Mohanty, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission and Secretary to Govt. of India, Dr. Sangita Reddy, Joint Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd., and Honorary Professorship was conferred upon Dr. Sanjay Sachdeva, Vice Chairman ENT, Max Healthcare.

During Convocation-2024, 15 Corporate Awards, 19 "Best All Rounder Trophies", 23 PhDs and 892 academic awards and medals were awarded to the students. Addressing the students, Dr.



Kumar Mohanty, Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission and Secretary to Govt. of India\*, averred, "I'm honored privileged to receive the Honorary Doctorate form Amity University and I congratulate all the Amity students who have graduated today. The Department of Atomic Energy has dedicated itself to harnessing the energy from the atoms for the service to our nation and it works for national security, energy security, food security, health security, water security, research science, innovation. Delivering her Acceptance

Speech, Dr. Sangita Reddy, Joint Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd.,\* said, "Today marks a glorious day for all the students and their parents and with the help of education received at Amity, students should be able to transform the world and build humanity which is the power and culture of India. Today, India is witnessing huge advancement in every field, India will become a chip manufacturing hub of the world and doctors are working on making the world disease free, therefore, there are a lot of opportunities for the students to apply their

benefit of the society." President, Amity Education Group\*, stated, "Amity not

only focusses on providing the best education to the students but also lays great emphasis on human values and sanskaars, since it is human values which make us great human beings. India will become a superpower and a developed nation by the year 2047 and we must aim to make India the best country in the world.

Sharing the mantra BHAAG, he added, BHAAG, B stands Behavioral Science, H stands for Human values, A stands for Attitude, A stands for Ambition and G stands for God. If students follow this mantra, they are bound to endeavors."

Accepting the Honorary Professorship, Dr. Sanjay Sachdeva, Vice Chairman Max Healthcare, ENT, asserted, "I'm honoured to receive the Honorary Professorship from a globally renowned and prestigious institution

knowledge and skills for the Students must be grateful to their teachers, parents, and Expressing his extreme institution who have been pleasure on this occasion, Dr. instrumental in shaping their combined with modern knowledge and values, is the best formula to attain success in any field."

Congratulating the students, Dr. Ătul Chauhan, Chancellor Amity University said, "Today marks a momentous occasion in the lives of our students. It is a day to celebrate their achievements, perseverance, and dedication to academic excellence. Amity has 7,00,000 Alumni across the world and all of them imbibe values imbibed in them at Amity. The knowledge, skills and values which the students have imbibed at Amity are the foundation upon which they will build their future. Every parent wants the best for their child and at Amity, we take care of every student as our child. Through education, students must focus on giving back to society and make their country proud. Also present on the occasion Dr. (Prof.) Balvinder Shukla, Vice-Chancellor, Amity University Uttar Pradesh.

# Jodhpur Jhal wetlands being transformed into bird sanctuary:

PTI ■ MATHURA (UP)

**T**odhpur Jhal, a wetland spread over 64 hectares in the Koh village of Mathura's Farah block, is being transformed into a bird sanctuary, officials said.

Located just eight kilometres from the Sur Sarovar Bird Sanctuary in Agra and 35 kilometres from the Keoladeo National Park in Bharatpur, the wetland is expected to become a significant attraction for bird watchers

and tourists, they said. Shailjakant Mishra, chairman of the Uttar Pradesh Braj Teerth Vikas Parishad, visited the site on Friday to review its development. Mishra inspected the ongoing

constructions and offered suggestions for improvements based on feedback from environment and bird experts. He also emphasised the need to expedite the work to make the site a key ecotourism destination. According to Vikas Parishad

CEO Shyam Bahadur Singh and environment advisor Mukesh Sharma, the wetland had become a favoured spot for both domestic and migratory birds. Efforts are being made to develop Jodhpur Jhal as a bird

sanctuary to attract tourists visiting Mathura and Agra, they said. Singh said, "The sanctuary is

being preserved through the protection of water channels,



such as Sikandra and Terminal Rajwah, and measures are underway to create ecosystem suitable

migratory birds." 'Natural habitats are being developed and dense forests will be planted to support bird breeding and ensure their safety. Construction work is expected to be completed by February, after which a green corridor will be established," he added.

The sanctuary will feature seven water bodies, 13 islands, and a 2,200-metre nature trail with 13 huts for visitors to rest. Ecotourism facilities such as watchtowers, a biodiversity study centre, seminar halls, parking spaces, canteens, and toilets are also being

developed, the officials said. Local youngsters are being trained as nature guides to provide visitors with a richer experience. The project is being executed with a budget

of Rs 8.66 crore, they added. Dr Krishna Pratap Singh, a bird expert from the Biodiversity Research and Development Society, Agra, said studies conducted between 2019 and 2021 identified 181 bird species at the wetland, including 132 resident, 33 migratory, and 12

resident-migratory species. "These include prominent migratory birds such as the greater flamingo, northern shoveler, bar-headed goose, pied avocet, and red-crested pochard, as well as resident

species such as the sarus crane, black-breasted weaver, Indian roller, and green bee-eater," he

The wetland is home to several

endangered and threatened bird species, as classified by the International Union for Conservation of Nature. The sanctuary aims to provide a safe habitat for these birds and promote their conservation and breeding, he added. "Once completed, Jodhpur

Jhal is expected to enhance ecotourism in the region, attracting nature enthusiasts, researchers photographers contributing conservation of bird species and their habitats," the bird expert said.

# **Syrian insurgents inside Aleppo**

→housands of Syrian insurgents fanned out inside L Aleppo in vehicles with improvised armour and pickups, deploying to landmarks such as the old citadel on Saturday, a day after they entered Syria's largest city facing little resistance from government troops, according to residents and fighters.

Witnesses said two airstrikes on the city's edge late Friday targeted insurgent reinforcements and hit near residential areas. A war monitor said 20 fighters were killed

Syria's armed forces said in a statement Saturday that to absorb the large attack on Aleppo and save lives, it has redeployed and is preparing for a counterattack. The statement acknowledged that insurgents entered large parts of the city but said they have not established bases or checkpoints.

Insurgents were filmed outside

centre, and outside the Aleppo citadel. They tore down posters of Syrian President Bashar Assad, stepping on some and burning others.

The surprise takeover is a huge embarrassment for Assad, who managed to regain total control of the city in 2016, after expelling insurgents and thousands of civilians from its eastern neighbourhoods following a gruelling military campaign in which his forces were backed by Russia, Iran and its allied groups. Aleppo has not been attacked by

opposition forces since then. The 2016 battle for Aleppo was a turning point in the war between Syrian government forces and rebel fighters after 2011 protests against Assad's rule turned into an all-out war.

The push into Aleppo followed weeks of simmering low-level violence, including government attacks on opposition-held areas. Turkive, which has backed

Syrian opposition groups, failed in its diplomatic efforts to prevent the Syrian government attacks, which were seen as a violation of a 2019 agreement sponsored by Russia, Turkiye and Iran to freeze the line of the conflict.

The offensive came as Iranlinked groups, primarily Lebanon's Hezbollah, which has backed Syrian government forces since 2015, have been preoccupied with their own battles at home A ceasefire in Hezbollah's two-

month war with Israel took effect Wednesday, the day the Syrian opposition factions announced their offensive. Israel has also escalated its attacks against Hezbollah and Iranlinked targets in Syria during the last 70 days.

Insurgents raise flag over **Aleppo Citadel:** A witness in Aleppo said government troops remained in the city's airport and at a military academy but most

out of the city from the south. Syrian Kurdish forces remained in two neighbourhoods.

The redeployment "is a temporary measure and (the military central command and armed forces) will work to guarantee the security and peace of all our people in Aleppo," the military statement said Abdulkafi Alhamdo, an teacher

who fled Aleppo in 2016 and returned Friday night after hearing the insurgents were inside described "mixed feelings of pain, sadness and old memo-

"As I entered Aleppo, I kept telling myself this is impossible! How did this happen?" He said he strolled through the city at night, visiting the citadel, where the insurgents raised their flags, a major square and the university of Aleppo, as well as the last spot he was in before he was forced to leave for the country-

# War could end if Ukraine-controlled territory comes under NATO, says Zelenskyy

An offer of NATO member-ship to territory under Kyiv's control would end "the hot stage of the war" in Ukraine, but any proposal to join the military alliance should be extended to all parts of the country that fall under internationally recognised borders, President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said in a broadcast interview.

Zelenskyy's remarks on Friday signaled a possible way forward to the difficult path Ukraine faces to future NATO membership. At their summit in Washington in July, the 32 members declared Ukraine on an "irreversible" path to member-

However, one obstacle to moving forward has been the view that Ukraine's borders would need to be clearly demarcated before it

mistaking where the alliance's pact of mutual defense would come into effect.

You can't give an invitation to just one part of a country," the Ukrainian president said in an excerpt of the interview with Sky News, dubbed by the UK broad caster. "Why? Because thus you would recognise that Ukraine is only that territory of Ukraine and the other one is Russia." Under the Ukrainian constitution, Ukraine cannot recognise territory occupied by Russia as Russian. "So legally, by law, we have no right to recognize the occupied territory as territory of Russia," he said.

Since the start of the war in 2022, Russia has been expending huge amounts of weaponry and human life to make small-butsteady territorial gains to the

Protesters clash with police in Georgia, over

already controls in east and southern Ukraine.

'If we want to stop the hot stage of the war, we should take under the NATO umbrella the territory of Ukraine that we have under our control. That's what we need to do. fast. And then Ukraine can get back the other part of its territory diplomatically," he said. An invitation for Ukraine to join

NATO is one key point of Zelenskyy's "victory plan", which he presented to Western allies and the Ukrainian people in October. The plan is seen as a way for Ukraine to strengthen its hand in any negotiations with Moscow.

Earlier this week, NATO's new Secretary General Mark Rutte said that the alliance "needs to go further" to support Ukraine in its fight against a Russian invasion.

Military aid to Kyiv and steps toward ending the war are expected to be high on the agenda when NATO members' foreign ministers meet in Brussels for a two-day gathering starting on December 3.

However, any decision for Ukraine to join the military alliance would require a lengthier process and the agreement of all member states.

There is also uncertainty as to the foreign policy stance of Presidentelect Donald Trump. While Trump vowed on the campaign trail to end Russia's invasion of Ukraine in a single day, he has not publicly discussed how this could happen. Trump also announced Wednesday that Keith Kellogg, an 80-year-old, highly decorated retired three-star general, would serve as his special envoy for Ukraine and Russia.

# 3 parties battle for top place as counting starts in Ireland

Vote counting got underway on Saturday in Ireland's national election after an exit poll suggested the contest is a close-fought race among the country's three largest political

Ballot boxes were opened at 9 a.m. (0900GMT) at count centres across the country, kicking off long hours, or even days, of tallying the results. If the exit poll is borne out, that could be

negotiations to form a coalition government

The exit poll suggested voters' support is split widely among the three big parties — Fine Gael, Fianna Fail and Sinn Fein — as well as several smaller parties and an assortment of independents ranging from the left to the far right.

The poll said centre-right party Fine Gael was the first choice of 21 per cent of voters, and another centre-right party,

followed by days or weeks of Fianna Fail, at 19.5 per cent. Left-of-centre opposition Sinn Fein was at 21.1 per cent in the

> Pollster Ipsos B and A asked 5,018 voters across the country how they had cast their ballots The survey has a margin of error of plus or minus 1.4 per-

centage points. The figures only give an indication and don't reveal which parties will form the next government. Ireland uses a complex system of proportional

representation in which each of the country's 43 constituencies elects several lawmakers and voters rank candidates in order of preference. As a result, it can take some time for full results to be known.

The result will show whether Ireland bucks the global trend of incumbents being ousted by disgruntled voters after years of pandemic, international instability and a cost-of-living pres-

The cost of living - especially Ireland's acute housing crisis was a dominant topic in the three-week campaign, alongside immigration, which has become an emotive and challenging issue in a country of 5.4 million people long defined by emigration.

## **AP** ■ TBILISI (GIORGIA)

More than 100 demonstrators were arrested overnight in Georgia as protesters clashed with police following the government's decision to suspend negotiations to join the European Union, the country's Interior Ministry said Saturday.

It was the second straight night of protests after Prime Minister Irakli Kobakhidze of the country's ruling Georgian Dream party announced the decision

previous Demonstrators faced off against police late Friday in a number of major Georgian cities, including the capital, Tbilisi, and the Black Sea port

The Associated Press saw protesters in Tbilisi being chased and beaten by police as demonstrators rallied in front of the country's parliament building. Riot police used water cannons to push protesters away from the building and later moved to force them farther back along Rustaveli Avenue, the city's main boulevard.

Police also used heavy force against members of the media and used loudspeakers to shout profanities and insults at the crowds.

Georgian Dream's disputed victory in the country's October 26 parliamentary election, which was widely seen as a referendum on Georgia's aspirations to join the European Union, has sparked massive

demonstrations and led to an opposition boycott of the parliament.

The opposition has said that the vote was rigged with the help of Russia, Georgia's former imperial master, with Moscow hoping to keep Tbilisi in its

Georgian President Salome Zourabichvili joined protesters on Thursday after accusing the government of declaring war on its own people. In an address to the nation Friday, she urged police not to use force against protesters.

"This is evident in every way no one is willing to accept a Russified Georgia, a Georgia deprived of its constitution, or a Georgia in the hands of an illegitimate government and parliament," Zourabichvili said. That is why so many of you are out here today: I see you. I see vou on Rustaveli Avenue and in cities across Georgia: Batumi, Kutaisi, Zugdidi, Akhmeta, Lagodekhi, Telavi. It is unprecedented for citizens of Georgia to rise up simultaneously and spontaneously in this way.

#### STORES E-PROCUREMENT

Tender Notice No.: S/27/2024-25; Dated: 28-11-2024. E-Tenders are invited by the undersigned for the

## SN. 1; Tender No. 20/24/5002A/OT/226/2024-25;

Closing/ Opening Date: 12-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: Main Transformer 7775KVA for WAP-5 & WAP-7 Three Phase Electric Locomotive CLW Specn No. CLW/ES/3/0660 Rev. D or latest & STR No. CLW/C-D & D/STR/001 Rev 0 or latest, Tank Spec. No. CLW/ES/3/0507. Alt. Nil or Latest Conservator Tank Spec. No. CLW/ES/3/0508 Alt-Nil or Latest & STR No. RDSO/2013/EL/STR/0079 Rev 0 or latest. [ Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: TPI, Stage Insp: Yes, Stages: 1]. i) Qty- 1 No. for SSE/D/New Guwahati, NFR (Assam). P.L. No. - 29731067

#### SN. 2; Tender No. 61/24/5480/OT/227/2024-25; Closing/ Opening Date: 16-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: (1) Manufacture and supply of Pre stressed Mono block Concrete sleepers (Pretension type) for wider base Slack Gauge sleepers to suit 60kg (UIC)/52 kg ruing Rail as per RDSO Drg No. RT- 8979 & IRS Specification No.- T-39 (Sixth revision-March 2021), along with latest alteration if any, as duly loaded in to road vehicle/wagon. [ Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. Qty: 586 Nos for SSE/P.Way/HILL/Lumding, NFR (Assam). P.L No.-60190206002. (2) Manufacture and supply of Pre stressed Mono block Concrete sleepers (Pretension type) for wider base Slack Gauge sleepers to suit 60kg (UIC) 52 kg running Rail as per RDSO Drg No. RT-8982 & IRS Specification No.- T-39 (Sixth revision-March 2021), along with latest alteration if any, as duly loaded in to road vehicle/wagon. [ Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. Qty: 1608 Nos for SSE/P.Way/HILL/Lumding, NFR (Assam). P.L. No.-6019020600. (3) Manufacture and supply of Pre stressed Mono block Concrete sleepers (Pretension type) for wider base Slack Gauge sleepers to suit 60kg (UIC)/52 kg ruing Rail as per RDSO Drg No. RT-8981 & IRS Specification No.- T-39 (Sixty revision-March 2021), along with latest alteration if any, as duly loaded in to road vehicle/ wagon.[ Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA Stages: 0]. Qty: 563 Nos for SSE/P.Way/HILL/Lumding, NFR (Assam). P.L. No.-60190206022. (4) Manufacture and supply of Pre stressed Mono block Concrete sleepers (Pretension type) for wider base Slack sleepers to suit 60kg (UIC)/52 kg running Rail as per RDSO Drg No. RT-8980 & IRS Specification No.-T-39 (Sixth revision-March 2021), along with latest alteration if any, as duly loaded in to road vehicle/wagon. [Warranty Period: 30 ne date of delivery] [Inspection Agency: CONSG. Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. Qty: 563 Nos fo SSE/P.Way/HILL/Lumding, NFR (Assam) P.L. No.-601902060022.

## SN. 3; Tender No. 10/24/3667B/OT/228/2024-25;

Closing/ Opening Date: 16-12-2024 Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: Spring Assembly Rubber - Secondary Vertical to EMD Part No - 40075328

[Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery], [Inspection Agency: TPI, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. Qty: 200 Nos for Siliguri Jn. Diesel Depot, NFR (West Bengal), P.L. No.-17020293. SN. 4; Tender No. 50/24/0633/OT/229/2024-25;

#### Closing/ Opening Date: 17-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: Plug-in Type, M to C, DC Neutral Line, Non AC immunized Relay Style QN1, 24 V DC, 12 F-4B Configuration, Specification: BRS: 930, IRS S-34, IRS S-23. [ Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of deliveryl, [Inspection Agency: TPI, Stage Insp: No. Stages: 0], (i) Qty: 1000 Nos for New Jalpaiguri GSD, NFR (West Bengal). (ii) Qty: 1200 Nos for Katihar GSD, NFR (Bihar). (iii) Qty - 250 Nos for Pandu GSD, NFR (Assam). P.L. No- 56450163.

#### SN. 5; Tender No. 60/24/5061/OT/230/2024-25; Closing/ Opening Date: 19-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: (1) Supply, installation & commissioning of EOT Crane 25/10 Ton (at Malda Town), along with DSL and its installation, spares (slings, chains, tackles etc.) as specified in Schedule-1 spares as per Schedule IV, maintenance tools as per Schedule V and preventive maintenance during two years of warranty period. [ Warranty Period: 24 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: TPI Stage Insp: NO, Stages: 0]. Qty - 1 Nos for SSE/D/MECH/Malda Town, NFR (West Bengal), P.L. No. 651000362201. (2) Comprehensive AMC for 5 years after the warranty period (for EOT Crane 25/10 Ton at Malda Town) as per Clause 17 of Section V. (Cost will not be included for evaluation purpose). [AMC Period: 5 years, Rate of Discounting: 10% Start After Year: 2]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. P.L. No. 65100042. (3) Any additional items/accessories suggested by the bidder (for EOT Crane 25/10 Ton at Malda Town) ]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0]. Qty- 1 Nos for SSE/D/MECH/Malda Town, NFR (West Bengal) P.L. No.-65100043. (4) Supply, installation & commissioning of EOT Crane 30/5 Ton (at Siliguri), along with DSL and its installation, spares (slings, chains, tackles etc.) as specified in Schedule-1 spares as per Schedule IV, maintenance tools as per Schedule V and preventive maintenance during two years of warranty period. [ Warranty Period: 24 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: TPI Stage Insp: No, Stages: 0].Qty: 1 Nos for SSE/DEMU/IC/Siliguri Jn., NFR (West Bengal).

#### SN. 6; Tender No. 50/24/0632/OT/231/2024-25; Closing/ Opening Date: 19-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: Relay plug in type QTA2, metal to carbon, 9 Ohm, AC immune, DC neutra Track Relay, 2F/1B contacts, complete with plug board, retaining clip and tin plated connectors confirming to spec. no. BRS:939A with latest amendments/version. & BRS: 966 (Appendix F2) with latest amendments. version., IRS:S34 & IRS:S23 (as applicable). [Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: TPI, Stage Insp: No, Stages: 0]. (i) Qty: 945 Nos for New Jalpaiguri GSD, NFR (West Bengal). (ii) Qty 623 Nos for Katihar GSD, NFR (Bihar). P.L.No. 56450229.

#### SN. 7; Tender No. 61/24/5481/OT/232/2024-25; Closing/ Opening Date: 20-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: BG PSC T/OUT SLEEPER (1 IN 12) DRG NO.T-4218. [ Warranty Period 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: CONSG, Stage Insp: NA, Stages: 0].Qty: 15 Set for SSE/P-Way/Aluabari Road, NFR (West Bengal). P.L. No.: 600501100101.

#### SN. 8; Tender No. 30/24/5103/OT/223/2024-25; Closing/ Opening Date: 24-12-2024

Brief Description, P.L. No. & Qty: Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Electro-Pneumatic Pressurized Flusing System in LHB Coaches at Dibrugarh Coaching Depot as per MCF Specification No. MMDTS 19027b Rev.01 (RSP PB Item No 1267/22-23). [Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]. [Inspection Agency: TPI, Stage Insp: No, Stages: 0]. Qty: 440 Set for SSE/C&W/Dibrugarh, NFR (Assam). P.L. No.33615238 NOTE:- For full details of Tender notice and tender documents, tenderer may log on to the website (www.ireps.gov.in) prospective bidder who intend to participate in above tenders are required to log in themselves with the above website and submit their offer electronically, if they are already registered with IREPS. In case

they are not registered with IREPS, they are advised to obtain class-III Digital Signature Certificate from the

certifying agencies under Govt. of India IT Act 2000 and participate in the above tenders



#### PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
Public at large is hereby informed that my clients Sh. Surender Kumar Singhal bank New Shalimar Bagh, Delhi 110088 have severed their all relations from his Son and Daughter-in-law namely Mohit Singhal and Smt. Nipur Singhal. and their Son namely Master Shivansh Singhal and hereby disown/debar them from their moveable and immovable properties and not liable for their any deed or misdeed whatsoever. Any person dealing with them will be dealing with them at their own cost, risk and consequences.

6976/TLI4, situated at Wake Ahadi Laxmi Garden, Tehsil & District Gurgaram in the Nagar Nigam Gurgam, Vide Registered Transfer Deed as Doc. no. 3175 dated 08.06.2023 SR-GURGOAN the previous Original Document of this Property have been Lost i.e. Regd Sale Deed Doc. no.3956, Dated-21.06.1995 SR-GURGOAN executed by Mr. Virender Singh in favour of Mrs. Usha Narang and Regd Sale Deed Doc. no. 20417, Dated-14.01.2010 SR-GURGOAN executed Nrs. Usha Narangin favour of Mrs. Ruchi Bharija and in this Regard, NCR has been registered as UR no. 2354514/2024 dated 30.11.2024 and this above-mentioned property is going to be mortgage with Fed Bank Financial Services Limited any person/bank/financial institution having any claim/right, Ilea my opjection whatsoever in regard to above ocumentary evidence under address through registere rithin 7 days from the date of publication of this notice fi which any claim, lien or objection shall be deemed to have been waived. **Adv. Vishal Mehan**, E-713, Karkardooma Court, Delhi-110092; Mobile No. 9811215181

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

respectable client Smt. Vandana Grover W/o Lt. Sh. Raj Kumar Grover, R/o 7/14, Tilak Nagar, District West, New Delhi-110018, has approached the Office of Sub-Registrar-II B at Janakpuri, New Delhi for the Registration of the Will dated 13.04.2024 executed by h husband Late Sh. Raj Kumar Grover S/o Sh. Agya Ram Grover after death, if anyon having any objection regarding the Registration of the Will dated 13.04.2024 executed by Lt. Sh. Rai Kumar Grover in fav sectured by Et. 511. Ray number Grover in lavo of my above named respectable client. he, she may can objection in the Office of Sub Registrar-II B, Janakpuri within 15 days from the date of issuing public notice

Sudhir Tewatia & Associates (Advocate Office: Ch No 322 Dwarka Cour Sec-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110075 Mob: 9971593597

# ATHE PIONEER A

#### CHANGE OF NAME

I, JC-502586H NB SUB Jasbir Singh, R/o-Ward No. 13, Patti, Teh- Patti, Dist- Tarn Taran, Punjab- 143416, declare that Kulwinder Kaur is my wife, in my service record her D.O.B is erroneously recorded as 10/10/1989, whereas her correct D.O.B is 19/10/1989.

PD(996)C

I, Jani Bai Patel W/o Jagdish R/o Essel House, Mandi Road, Sultanpur, New Delhi-110030, i have changed my name from Jani Bai Patel to Jani Patel.

#### PD(997)A I, HITHERTO KNOWN AS

MUKESH KUMAR ALIAS MUKESH KUMAR SHAH S/O JHARI LAL SHAH residing at H.NO.83, Block -7, Trilok Puri,East Delhi, Delhi 110091, have changed my name and shall hereafter be

known as MUKESH KUMAR SHAH. PD(999)C

जिला–गौतमबुद्ध नगर (उ०प्र०) सार्वजनिक सूचना

नौएडा औद्योगिक विकास प्राधिकरण के अन्तर्गत M/s CCSE Sahkari Awas Samiti Ltd. भूखण्ड संख्या—GH-02, Sector-Phi-04 Greater Noida को दिनांक 30-08-2006 को मानचित्र स्वीकृति प्रदा की गयी थी। तदोपरान्त विकासकर्ता द्वारा (Group Housing Project) क अधिभोग प्रमाण पत्र हेतु ऑनलाईन के माध्यम से आवेदन संख्या–CC-4706 देनांक 01-07-2022 को ऑनलाइन के माध्यम से आवेदन किया गया है तत्क्रम में UP-Apartment Act-2010. Amendment 2016 in Section-4 Sub Section-B के अन्तर्गत परियोजना के आवंटियो आपत्ति/सुझाव आमंत्रित किये जाने का प्रावधान है। इस सम्बन्ध में विकासकत द्वारा प्रस्तुत स्वीकृति मानचित्र एवं Declarations as per UP Apartment Act-2010 परीक्षण किसी भी कार्यदिवस में सुबह 9:30 से साय 5:00 बजे के मध्य नियोजन विभाग में तथा प्राधिकरण की वेबसाईट पर किया जा सकता है। अत उपरोक्त परियोजना के आवटियों द्वारा Sanction Map एवं Declarations as per UP Apartment Act-2010 व सम्बन्ध में सूचना प्रकाशित करने के 30 दिनों के अन्दर आपरिता/ सुझाव आमंत्रित की जाती है। उपरोक्त के निहितार्थ अपनी आपरियां लिखित रूप में अपने आवंटन पत्र नाम, पता एवं दूरभाष नम्बर के साथ कार्यात्वय समय व कार्यदिवस में ग्रेटर नीएडा प्राधिकरण के मुख्य प्रशासनिक कार्यालय, भुखण्ड संख्या–1, सैक्टर–नॉलेज पार्क–4, ग्रेटर नीएडा स्थित महाप्रबन्धक (नियोजन/वास्तु०) को सम्बोधित करते हुए सूचन प्रकाशित होने के 30 दिवसों के अन्दर जमा करायी जा महाप्रबन्धक (नियो०/वास्तु०)

# E-Tender Notice No.: N-2024-K-25;

dated. 28-11-2024. E-tenders are invited by the undersigned for the ng work: SL. No.1; Tender No N-2024-K-25: Name of the work: Signaling work during various Engineering machine work (PQRS and Unimat machine work in Raninagar Jalpaiguri - Kishangani section) over Katihar Division. ₹38.80.470.72: Farnest Money 15:00 hrs. on 20-12-2024 and opened at 15:30 hrs. on 20-12-2024. Th complete information with the tende available upto 15.00 hrs of 20-12-2024

#### MODERNISATION OF SIGNALLING ARRANGE-

E-Tender No. :SNT-36-LMG-2024-25

by the undersigned for the following work Name of work: Modernisation of Sarupathar, Barpathar & Bhilgaon) is 19.00.66.597.49/-: Bid Security ₹11,00,300/-; Date & time of closing o 15:30 hours on 30-12-2024. For detail lease visit in website www.ireps.gov.ir

NORTHEAST FRONTIER RAILWAY

(In case of chain title deed)
NOTICE is hereby given that one Komal Arora is
owner of Flat No. B-601, "said Flat", on 6th floor,
area measuring 55.50 Sq. Mtrs., built on Plot No.
36, in the layout of Vinayak Co-Operative Group ullaing, 9-10 elhi - 110002)

Delhi -110021)
If any person, body, individual, institution having any claim and for objection in respect of or against or relating to or touching upon said property or part of the property by way of sale, exchange, lease, lien, mortgage, charge, encumbrance, gift, trust, easement, maintenance, inheritance, testamentary deposition or otherwise or having in their custody any title, documents pertaining line said property shall communicate the same to the undersigned at my address within 07 days from the publication of this notice with documentary evidence in support my address within 07 days from the publication in this notice with documentary evidence in supporthereof, failing which all the claim, of such perso shall be considered to have been waived and cabandoned. Any objections raised after the completion of the 07 days shall not be binding upon the said property or my Client. Place: Noida Dated this 29th day of Nov. 2024 Sdl- Law Veritas: North (Advocates & Legal Consultants) Office No. 11, 1st Floor, Building No. A-44/A, Sector-16, Noida, Uttar Pradesh-201301 Landline(s): +910120-3101683 e-mail: accounts@tvnorth.in

## ग्रेटर नौएडा औद्योगिक विकास प्राधिकरण

प्लाट संख्या-01. सैक्टर नॉलेज पार्क-4. ग्रेटर नोएडा सिटी

#### ग्रेटर नौएडा औद्योगिक विकास प्राधिकरण PUBLIC NUTICE Ltd. is in the process of undertaking development of a Primary School, Pioneel

resedia, Sector 62, Gurugram, over an are: neasuring 1 Acres part of group housing olony of Pioneer Urban Land and

frastructure Ltd. Measuring 24.606 Acre

License no. 268 of 2007 dated 03.12.2007) in sector 62 Gurugram, granted by Director, Town & Country Planning, Haryana, Chandigarh. And whereas, the office of Director General, Town & Country, Planning, Haryana, Chandigarh has

required seeking of objections against the revision of the building plans as a pre-

ondition for allowing such revision in the

uilding plans. Accordingly, vide this public otice objections are hereby invited from any erson/allottee on the proposed revision of the uilding plans of the said primary school. A

opy of the earlier approved building plans

oearing Memo No.ZP-338-C/JD(BS)/2011/15378 dated 18/10/2011 and

ANDIGS/2011/33/8 dated 18/10/2011 and the building plans now proposed to be revised to earling. Memo No. ZP-338-1/PA/(DK)/2024/35491 dated 20.11.2024 is available for perusal on our website www.c2cindia.in. The said building plans can

lso be perused at the office of undersigned a

imary School site. Pioneer Presedia, Sector

2. Gurugram, Haryana as well as in the office f the Senior Town Planner, HUDA Complex sector-14, Gurugram. Any person/allottee

may file his objection in the office of the Senio

own Planner, HUDA Complex, Sector- 14

Surgeram within thirty days of publication of

this notice, falling which it shall be assume that there are no objections to the propose revision in the building plans

For C2C Global Education India Pvt. Ltd.

(Senior Executive Compliance)

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# MENT IN LUMDING DIVISION

Dated: 28-11-2024; E-Tender are invite signalling arrangement by provision o Electronic Interlocking at 3 stations Lumding-Furkating Jn. section of ender at 15:00 hours and opening a DSTE, Lumding

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

area measuring 55.50 Sq. Mtrs., built on Plot No 36, in the layout of Vinayak Co-Operative Group Housing Society Ltd., situated at Sector 10 Dwarka, Delhi (hereinafter referred to "sair property") vide Relinquishment Deed dated to 11.0.2024 doc. no. 2024/18/I/13002 executed by Smt. Rita Arora, Smt. Archane Arora & Sh. Dheera Arora in fastour of Komal Arora in respect of theil Share in said flat. Komal Arora intends to transfer the ownership by way of Sale Deed o aforementioned Flat to Alok Shukla who has agreed to greate mothans in respect of sair

# **CE** CUTTACK MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

"e" PROCUREMENT NOTICE Tender ID: 2024\_ORULB\_107699 Bid Reference No. MC(CMC)CTC\_Div-I\_No18/2024-25 Tender Call Notice No. 9515 (PW) Date. 28.11.2024

Name of Works: Civil Works

No of Works: 07 Nos

Bid Value: Rs. 58.35 Lakh to Rs. 100.11 Lakhs

Period of Completion: Three Calendar Months to Eleven Calendar Months

Date and Time schedule

Opening 3.00 PM on dt. 5.00 PM on 11.00 A.M. on 02.12.2024 dt.18.12.2024 dt. 21.12.2024 Tender Details: can be seen from the procurement portal: www.tendersorissa.gov.in

OIPR-13138/11/0012/2425 Executive Engineer, City Div-I



#### CAN FIN HOMES LTD

Plot NO. C-3. Above Canara Bank Sec-1. Noida-201301 Telephone: 0120-2970165/67 Email: noida@canfinhomes.com Mobile - 7625079126 CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interes (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated 09.09.2024 calling upon the borrower Mr. Saurabh Kumar S/O Late Gvanendra Kumar And (Guarantor) Mrs. Rajesh Devi W/O Late Gyanendra Kumar, (Guarantor) Mr. Ashish Kumar S/O Sukhbeer Singh, All legal heirs of Late Gyanendra Kumar S/o Seva Ram to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs.26,75,878/- (Rs. Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Eight Only ) with further interest at contractua rates, till date of realization within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described nerein below in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the 27th day of November of the year 2024. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act

in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CFHL for an amount of Rs. 26,75,878/- ( Rs. Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Eight Only) and interest thereon.

#### Description of immovable property

Plot No. 479 Measuring 69.375 SQ Yards Out Of Total Area 138.75, Khasra No. 44 Radhey Shvam Vihar-5 Muradnagar, Village - Mahiuddinpur Hisnoli, Pargana Jalalabad, Tehsil - Modinagar, District- Ghaziabad Bounded by: North by: - Half Portion of Plot No. 479 Janki Bhuja 45 Fit East by: - 20 fit Wide Road Bhuja 13 Fit 10.5 INCH West by: - Plot No. 492 Swati Goswami Bhuja 13 Fit 10.5 Inch South by:- Plot No. 480 Sukhveer Singh Bhuja 45 Fit

Date: 30.11.2024 Sd/- Authorised Office Can Fin Homes Ltd

#### JINDAL LEASEFIN LIMITED CIN: L74899DL1994PLC059252 Regd. Office: 110, Babar Road, New Delhi 110001

EXTRACT OF STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UN-AUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS

FOR THE QUARTER AND HALF YEAR ENDED 30.09.2024 Quarter Ended 30.09.2024 30.06.2024 30.09.2023 30.09.2024 30.09.2023 31.03.2024 **Particulars** 1 Total Income from Operations 11.37 1.50 12.87 0.73 Net Profit/(Loss) for the period ( before Tax -4.12 -1.41 -6.78 -18.56 9.51 5.39 Exceptional and/or extraordinary Items# Net Profit/(Loss) for the period before tax (after 9.51 5.39 -6.78 Exceptional and/or extraordinary Items#) Net Profit/(Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and/or extraordinary Items# -3.59 -3.01 2.02 -6.60 -5.02 -15.77 Total Comprehensive Income for the period Comprising Profit/(Loss) for the period (after tax) and Other Comprehensive Incom (after tax)) 300.89 Equity Share capital Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve) as shown in the Audited Balance Sheet of the 548.67 534.95 514.09 548.67 514.09 525.86 Earning per Share (face Value of Rs. 10/each)(not annualised)

 The above is an extract of the detailed format of Standalone Un-Audited Financial Results for the guarter and half year ended September 30, 2024 filed with the Stock Exchange under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Financial Results are available on the Stock The above results duly reviewed by the Audit Committee, were approved by the Board of Directors in their meeting For Jindal Leasefin Limited

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# Post Perth, Aussie bowlers likely to tweak their bowling plans: Boland

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There will be few tweaks I in Australia's bowling against Yashasvi Jaiswal and KL Rahul for the day-night Test in Adelaide after their defeat in Perth, revealed Scott Boland, who is set to replace injured Josh Hazlewood in the playing

Hazlewood has been ruled out with a side strain and 35-year-old Boland, who has played 10 Tests since his Test debut in 2021, is top contender to bowl those hard lengths against an Indian batting line-up oozing with confidence after their second innings effort in the opening game.

"We've spoken as a team about our plans for all the different Indian batters. I won't tell you those, but

we've got pretty set plans. They might have a little bit of a tweak after the guys have seen them again from Perth," Boland told reporters after the first day's play between India Australian Prime Minister's XI was washed out.

Jaiswal (161) and Rahul (77) added 201 runs in a record opening stand on Australian soil followed by Virat Kohli's 30th Test hundred.

"Obviously (Yashasvi) Jaiswal batted really well there. KL Rahul batted well in the second innings as well and really digged in.

"So we'll probably have a chat over the next week and our plans might slightly change, but I'm pretty confident what we did in the first games was good," Boland said as much without letting out elaborate plans.



The troika of Pat Cummins, Mitchell Starc and Hazlewood couldn't make much of an impact in India's second innings but Boland

defended the three senior "I think our bowlers bowled really well as well. Maybe the only difference was that the Indian bowlers got a really nice long break between

second innings where our break wasn't as long." "Thought my chance has

their first innings and

Boland can't be held wrong if at a certain time during the last season the pacer felt that he won't be able to make a comeback since Starc, Cummins and Hazlewood have been so dominant at

Obviously those guys (the three fast bowlers) have

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been so resilient, they don't miss too many and no one must give up their spot at any stage," Boland said.

"And they were so dominant that last summer (even when) they weren't bowling a heap of overs, but we're still able to win most of those games, so yeah, I probably thought maybe the opportunity had passed."

Boland credited his intense rehabilitation for getting him back in the national reckoning.

'I have worked really hard in the off-season to get my body in a spot where I am confident that if I get another chance I will be able to perform for Australia again." "I just knew if I put the conversations I had with Ron [Andrew McDonald, the head coach] and George [Bailey, the chief selector]

was rehabbing a lot was to try and get my body in the right spot - that I didn't want to rush anything and then re-injure something and then push back my return to play date. So, we took it pretty slow with my rehab." There are chats but no panic as such'

Boland accepted that individual performances will be discussed but the Australian dressing room isn't panicky after the heavy defeat in the opening Test. 'There's definitely no panic stations in our change rooms. There's obviously

going to be some chats individual performances and everyone wants to perform really well every game they play.

"But yeah, it's like, we've lost one game," he added.

# Sindhu cruises past Hooda to reach Syed Modi final

Olympic Two-time medallist PV Sindhu cruised into the women's final with dominating straight-game win over fellow Indian Unnati Hooda at the Syed Modi International Super badminton tournament here on Saturday. Top seed Sindhu outclassed the 17-year-old Hooda 21-12 21-9 in just 36 minutes in the semifinal.

Hooda struggled to challenge Sindhu, committing a series of unforced errors that allowed her illustrious opponent to maintain control throughout the match.

"I am happy with today's performance. From the beginning, I maintained the lead. I was just trying out a few strokes and overall, I was confident with the way I was playing," Sindhu said after the

"I think Unnati played her best, but I didn't give her a chance to overtake me. I was leading from the beginning to the end. She is an upcoming player, and I wish her all the

very best.
"I need to go back and prepare for tomorrow because it's not going to be easy. From the beginning, I need to give my best," Sindhu added.

A former world champion,



Sindhu, currently ranked face either Thailand's Lalinrat Chaiwan or China's Wu Luo Yu in the final as she chases her third Sved Modi International title. Earlier, India's mixed doubles pair of Tanisha Crasto and Dhruv Kapila advanced to the final with a convincing straight-game victory over China's Zhi Hong Zhou and

Jia Yi Yang.
The fifth-seeded Indians secured a 21-16, 21-15 win in 42-minute semifinal. They will meet the winner of the other semifinal between and Ke Xin Huang and Thailand's sixth-seeded pair Dechapol Puavaranukroh and Supissara Paewsampran.

Sindhu's semifinal contest saw her gradually take control as she moved to a 5-3 lead with a precise cross-court drop shot, while Hooda initially kept pace with well-

placed pushes and drops.
However, the 17-year-old's errors, particularly in the length of her lifts, allowed Sindhu to lead 11-8 at the

Hooda's determination to stay in rallies often resulted in Chinese duo of Pin Yi Liao smashes and drops going

Sindhu extended her lead to 15-8 without relying on her trademark baseline smashes. Unforced errors continued to plague Hooda, enabling Sindhu to close out the first game comfortably.

After the change of sides, Sindhu continued dominate the proceedings, surging to 8-3 lead before extending it to 11-4 at the interval.

She continued her aggressive play with a smash, an overhead cross-court drop, and a body smash, taking the

and Jadeja felt Gambhir should

not be judged within six

"So, there are phases and it will

come, sometimes you win and

sometimes you lose. So, I won't

go into that direction and start

judging him (Gambhir) in six

months. "You knew what you

were asking for and what you

were getting. He is a very clear-

cut person and he has made it

clear throughout his life. So,

months of his appointment.

points but faltered with match ultimately error, handing another Sindhu the match

Reflecting further on her game, Sindhu said: "I am definitely happy with the way I am going. Definitely, there is I am going. Definitely, there is a scope for a lot of improvement... It's not just that if we finish training or if we are at the top, we don't have to train. Every day is a new process, and I am doing

Addressing her recent struggles, including her Paris Olympics campaign, Sindhu said, "I know Paris was not a good one for me. I have tried my best, but it doesn't matter. I need to get back stronger. So, I am working on myself."

Sindhu, who has been working with coaches Anup Sridhar and Korea's Lee Hyun-il, also spoke about adapting her fitness regimen. "Every athlete has a different style of fitness.

You keep growing, and at the same time, your movements need to be perfect. Maybe back in my twenties, the training program might have been different. Now, it's completely different. depends on age, how I am playing, and my movements. Accordingly, changing it."

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going down, he stood up there

as the leader and now when the

team is going up, he will be

Asked whether KL Rahul and

Rohit should swap batting slots

in the second Test after the for-

mer had a formidable outing in

the Perth game, Jadeja said, "I

have no details of what the

team is thinking right now, no

views on who should bat at

what number. Rohit Sharma

has always been an asset to the

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#### Unfair to judge Gambhir so early in his coaching role: Jadeja the Kiwis has come as a huge boost India's confidence for sure. He is a leader, when the morale-booster for the side

Former India middle-order batter Ajay Jadeja on Saturday defended head coach Gautam Gambhir from the criticism he has received following the 0-3 drubbing against New Zealand, saying it's "unfair" given the short time he has been in the new role. Gambhir, the hero of the 2011 World Cup title triumph, took over the reins of the India team in July after Rahul Dravid's tenure ended.

Following a bright start against Sri Lanka in the T20I series, India lost the ODI series to the home side. The Test team then thrashed Bangladesh 2-0 before a nightmare outing against New Zealand put Gambhir under massive scrutiny.

"I think you are being unfair to him... If you will start judg-



coaching role or whatever way it is being looked at, it is too short a time to for people to be judged," Jadeja told PTI Videos in an exclusive interview on the sidelines of FICCI Turf event here on Saturday.

"If you are not convinced that he is good, then one performance here or there will be able

to convince anyone. I don't think it is the time to judge him, it is the time we should enjoy him," added Jadeja, known for his exploits in the 50-over game where he scored over 5000 runs in 196 ODIs. India's massive 295-run win

against Australia in the first Border-Gavaskar Test at Perth

what your are seeing now is what everyone expected of him Jadeja said that regular Test

skipper Rohit Sharma's return for the second Test at Adelaide from December 6 after missing the opening game will boost India's confidence. "Him (Rohit Sharma) coming

back to the team will surely

following the no-show against Face facts: Statues of stars like Kane and Ronaldo

# don't always deliver. Sculptors offer advice depicting people accurately," evidence of 1,000 decisions

help characteristics.

a Madame Tussauds," said Winterburn, who created a statue of five Rugby League greats at Wembley Stadium. It still needs a bit of art in it, a bit of soul. That's what

Portugal star smiling crookedly. Likewise, the Salah Egyptian smiling while celebrating a goal. In Miami, while Wade's mouth is open in the representing the moment the player famously jumped onto a courtside table

"It's really difficult to do teeth looking good in sculpture," Get the profile rightStart "by understanding the profile"

"Get the profile right and you

"There's so many to understand. It's not two dimensions, it's three. There's an exponential opportunity for everything to go wrong. If you've got the profile, then you can go forward with more confidence."

alive" in his work.

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It's probably best avoided. after 10,000 observations," explained Lucy Branch, a One art critic compared the new Harry Kane bronze London-based sculptural Pratley said. In addition, Yorkshire county Pratley said. "What they ended up doing statue to a bulging-jawed sculptor Steve Winterburn comic strip character. quite often, they recycled recommends getting close In Miami, observers say the Dwyane Wade sculpture sculptures so when another with a subject's family and athlete became more friends to find looks more like actor

> era, that commemorative sculpture should be like makes art really sing."

> > sculpture features statue

before moving on to determine widths from the

will have won half the battle, because then you can have something at least that you can trust," he said. "When you're lost, you can say, well I and you will get lost as a

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#### It wasn't always this way. In classical times, sculptors "had absolutely no interest in

star with a disproportionately large head. In 2011, a terracotta warrior statue of Andy Murray at a Shanghai tennis tournament drew chuckles, including from the star himself: "I thought I was better looking than that.'

Laurence Fishburne than the

former basketball star. Of

Cristiano Ronaldo bust in

2017 gave the chiseled soccer

star a chubby face and goofy

A statue of Mohamed Salah in

2018 depicted the Liverpool

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prominent, they just changed the name on the plaque," said Branch, host of the "Sculpture Vulture" podcast. "There's this idea now, in this

portraiture - it should look exactly like the person they are commemorating. But actually that's a really new idea in sculpture. To avoid pitfalls, here are

some tips from sculptors: Do your researchLondon-

based sculptor Hywel Pratley studied countless images of Queen Elizabeth II to create a memorial statue in the East Midlands town of Oakham. "A good portrait sculpture is 'You don't want it looking like

Smile at your perilThe Ronaldo bust depicted the

and yelled "This is my house."

front view, Pratley said.

knew where I was then,' sculptor in the forms.

The eyes have it?Winterburn tries to make the eyes "come



he curtains fell down at the Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Indoor Stadium in Goa for the International Film Festival of India (IFFI), marking a significant few days in the universe of cinema and cinema lovers. As the festival came to an end, it left an indelible mark on the cinephiles, celebrating the art of storytelling and the creative forces behind it behind it.

behind it. 2024 marked the 55th edition of the *International Film Festival of India* that took place on 20 to 28 November, 2024 at Panaji, Goa. The festival showcased around 200 films from 75 countries, including 15 world premieres, 3 international premieres, 40 Asian premieres, and 106 Indian 40 Asian premieres, and 106 Indian premieres. Featuring celebrated titles and award-winning films from around the world, this year's festival promised to make a powerful impression on the audience.

The nine day film festival brought together pioneers from the film industry including directors, actors, cinephiles and awarded the best ones in the game.

The festival concluded with the Closing film, "Dry Season", directed by Czech filmmaker Bohdan Sláma, encapsulating the story of humanity, sustainability, and generational

The closing night's most awaited segment was the presentation of the prestigious awards, recognising exceptional talent and storytelling. The highest honour *Golden Peacock for the Best Film* presented by Pramod Sawant, Chief Minister of Goa and Ashutosh Gowariker, Jury Chairperson of the International Competition was bagged by Lithuanian film *Toxic*. Toxic is a film by Lithuanian filmmaker and screenwriter film by Lithuanian filmmaker and screenwriter Saule Bliuvaite. His debut feature film delivers a raw and haunting coming-of-age story of friendship. The Jury praised the film for exploring adolescence and the harsh realities of growing up in an economically deprived society,

with so much sensitivity and empathy.
The Silver Peacock for Best Director was awarded to Romanian writer and director Bogdan Muresanu for his film, The New Year That Never Came. The accreditation recognised his outstanding direction and exquisite storytelling on screen with that film.

Claiming the Silver Peacock Award for Best Actor in the Male category was Clément Faveau. He was recognised for his incredible and compelling performance in the French film Holy Cow, expressing the emotional ups and downs of the protagonist, while traversing from ages of innocence to maturity. For the same, the Jury also made a special mention to actor Adam Bessa for his portrayal of Bilal, in the Tunisian film Who Do I Belong To. The actor was lauded for his nuanced and restrained performance in the

The actors Vesta Matulyte and Ieva Rupeikaite jointly were bestowed with the Silver Peacock for Best Actor in the Female category for their extraordinary debut performances for the film

Toxic.'
The Special Jury Award was handed over to French filmmaker Louise Courvoisier. The actor was acknowledged for the creative excellence in filmmaking for the film 'Holy Cow.' The film shows that after losing his father, 18-year-old Totone (Faveau) must mature quickly to care for his younger sister and manage their family farm in Jura. The film showcases how his responsibilities grow further as he competes for the title of the region's best Comté cheese. Familiar Touch by Sarah Friedland was bestowed with the Award for the Best Debut Feature Film of a Director. The film has been marketed as a coming-of-(old)-age story. 'Familiar Touch' centers on an octogenarian woman (Kathleen Chalfant) navigating the challenges of

Chalfant) navigating the challenges of transitioning to assisted living. The film has explored her evolving relationship with herself and her caregivers as she faces the realities of cognitive decline.

cognitive decline. Director Navjyot Bandiwadekar bagged the Best Debut Director of Indian Feature Film for his exceptional storytelling in the Marathi Film Gharat Ganpati. The award marked the IFFI's commitment to nurturing the emerging Indian filmmakers. The film has been selected from the list of other five feature-films, the Jury chaired by cinematographer and director Santhosh Sivan, agreed that the film was well crafted with robust performances and captures the robust performances and captures the complexities of familial bonds, the deep emotional resonance makes the film a standout

The prestigious ICFT-UNESCO Gandhi Medal



to celebrate the cinematic works that promote peace, tolerance, and dialogue, was awarded to the film *Crossing* by *Levan Akin*. The Jury praised the film for its stunning cinematic qualities and its thought-provoking exploration of gender equality with social understanding of gender equality with social understanding.
The Best Web Series (OTT) Award went to

Lampan airing on Sony Liv. The web series was recognised for the transformative shift in storytelling, innovation and artistic merit in the digital space. 'Lampan' has been directed by Nipun Dharmadhikari.

The Satyajit Ray Lifetime Achievement Award was presented to Australian Filmmaker Phillip

Coming to the last but not the least, making the Indian Film Industry proud, Pramod Sawant, Chief Minister of Goa and Sanjay Jaju, Secretary, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting presented *Indian Film Personality of the Year* to actor *Vikrant Massey*. On receiving the award Vikrant said, "This is really a special moment for me; I never imagined I would get this award. There will be ups and downs in life but we should be ready to restart as my character did should be ready to restart as my character did

in the film, 12th Fail. I am a storyteller at heart, I choose the scripts to be able to become the voice of the common people." Massey also further said that, "Own yourself, own your stories, own your roots wherever you come from. Indian Film industry is one of the spectacular industries to be part of."
There was special felicitation for the Iconic Indian Director Ramesh Sippy and celebrated actor Jaya Prada for their contribution to the Indian Cinema in the ceremony by the Chief Minister of Goa and Sanjay Jaju.
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Ashutosh Gowarikar, Jury
Chairperson of the International
Competitions, said, "All the movies
selected for the competition stood tall.
A great film doesn't just tell us a story,
it changes us. To all the young
filmmakers, let the light inside you
burn brighter so that one day your
vision will be seen by the world."

With the theme of 'Young Filmmakers: The
Future is Now', 55th IFFI ensured a platform for
young filmmakers, said Sanjay Jaju, Secretary,
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting.

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The evening reached its zenith with a mesmerising finale by actress and dancer Shriya Saran, titled as "Rhythms of India" showcasing the richness of Indian classical and folk

The IFFI 2024 was not just a cinematic showcase but was a festival that soared with cultural exchange, artistic celebrations, and an undying commitment to the future of films in the country and globally.

From illuminating conversations to inspiring mentorship, from India and other countries, unifying pioneers in cinema and unforgettable screenings, IFFI 2024 offered a transformative experience for film lovers worldwide

The 55th International Film Festival of India (IFFI) concluded recently in Goa, celebrating the magic of cinema. The festival showcased over 200 films from 75 countries, honouring exceptional talent with an enriching global cinematic dialogue. The event came to a climax with the presentation of prestigious awards, recognising the best in films from around the world, writes ABHI SINGHAL













# the pioneer

Music is the tool to express life and all that makes a difference'



। टूट कर बना, जिसे मौत ने जाना, वो क्या टूटे, वो और क्या मारे" (What was broken and revived, what death tried to take away, how could it be broken again?)

hese words, spoken with quiet strength, hold the raw truth of Kailash Kher's life. A life that, much like the music he creates, has been a journey of hardship, healing and everything in between. He has faced loss, endured difficult times and seen some of the darkest days. Yet, his songs are always filled with hope. This is what makes him not just a singer, but a storyteller of the human experience, a poet of strength. His music isn't just sound; it's a conversation with the soul. A conversation that comes from the heart of Kailash Kher, a man whose very being is felt in every note he sings.

When he speaks about his journey, you can almost hear the weight of each experience in his voice, as if every word he shares is filled with emotion, shaped by years of struggle and success. In December 2016, a moment that would forever change his life arrived, though it took another few months for the reality to sink in. By April 2017, it was confirmed, he was to receive the Padma Shri, one of India's highest civilian awards. The news was a whirlwind of emotions, not just for him, but for his family. "I first told my sister," he recalls with a soft smile. "It was a moment of joy because, in Delhi, we had suffered a lot. We left our homes, lived like orphans and went through many different experiences. We saw the world changing, relationships changing and people's attitudes changing, all of these shifts happened at a young age'

His journey from hardship to honour is one of resilience. He talks about his childhood in Delhi, a city that seemed to change before his very eyes, as people, relationships and even attitudes shifted. Yet, despite the hardships, Delhi, in all its complexity, gave him the opportunity to realise his dreams. The recognition came not just for his music but for the spirit with which he has approached life. From a young age, music was more than just a

passion, it was his way of being. "As a child of 4 or 5, I was already curious about music, but I didn't sing the popular songs of the time," he shares. Instead, he gravitated toward unique sounds that defied the norm. "I didn't sing filmi songs, ghazals, bhajans or qawwalis. I didn't sing what was already there. People were curious, what does this child sing and how?" It was this originality that later led to the birth of Kailasa, a name that would become synonymous with spiritual and soul-stirring

As his career grew, his live performances became a way for him to connect deeply with his audience. "In Kota, Rajasthan, a girl came to one of my shows with a blade, saying she would harm herself if she didn't get to meet me. She was a devotee and my music was more than entertainment to her, it was her lifeline," he remembers. "When I found out, I asked her to drop the blade, and she did. It was one of those moments that reminded me of the emotional power music holds. It's not just about melodies; it's about healing." Every song he writes, sings and composes holds a piece of his soul. "When I sing, it's a reflection of my own emotions. But once it's out there, it becomes part of someone else's story too," he explains. His music resonates with listeners in a way that breaks through language and culture, offering a universal connection. Despite his success in Bollywood, he differentiates the impact of film music from his non-film compositions. "Film audiences are looking for light entertainment but non-film music carries deeper emotions," he says. "Nonfilm music touches the soul, while film music is more fleeting. Each platform has its unique audience and I enjoy the challenge of catering to different frequencies." But no career comes without its challenges and his own journey wasn't without rejection. He remembers the time when his song "Allah Ke Bande" was initially dismissed. "At the time, I didn't understand the film industry very well. They told me it was a film song but it didn't have the usual budget. I had doubts. But when the song became a hit, the same people who rejected it came asking for collaboration. That song did become a turning point in my career and it was





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influence. "People often ask me which of my songs defines me. It's difficult to choose. Life is so full of shifting emotions. Each song represents a different phase. Take 'Piya Ghar Aavenge, for example, it's about the anticipation of a reunion. Or 'Teri Deewani, which is about the intensity of love. And then there's 'Saiyyan,' a song about surrendering to something greater than yourself. Each one reflects a part of my journey but none can define it entirely." As for the impact of his music, he says that whether he is performing in India or abroad, the connection is the same. "Wherever I go, people connect with my music because it speaks to their hearts. Whether in the US or India, our indian audience understands the joy of life. But in Delhi," he adds with a mischievous grin, "there's a certain energy here, a special 'dhamaal' that is unmatched." He may not have imagined this journey when he first started singing as a child, but today, his music has touched the hearts of millions. It is the story of a boy who didn't follow the conventional path, a boy who sang from his heart and whose voice continues to resonate with the world. The I don't give advice often because Padma Shri award is just one chapter in his extraordinary journey, a journey that continues to inspire and uplift. Kher's journey is a beautiful reminder of the power of music to connect us to something deeper within ourselves. Kailash kher doesn't just make music; he shares pieces of his own story, inviting us all to reflect on our own. Every track, Kher insists, is a piece of his soul. "They're not just songs," he says. "They're my prayers, my truths. And once they're out in the world, they take on lives of their own." Much like the lyrics of Piya Ghar Aavenge, "आज मेरे पिया घर आवेंगे, हे-री, सखी, मंगल गाओ री, धरती-अंबर सजाओ री, उतरेगी आज मेरे पी की सवारी", they speak of waiting, of anticipation, of the quiet joy that comes from knowing something beautiful is about to happen. Waiting isn't always celebrated, but his music shows us that there is beauty in the moments in between. The stillness and hope that accompany the wait remind us that sometimes the most profound moments in life aren't the arrivals, but the journeys we take while waiting. In his own way,

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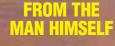
Kailash Kher teaches us that there is an art to

waiting. It's in those moments of anticipation

when we hold our breath and trust that what

we're waiting for will be worth it. Just like the joy in the song, the waiting itself is part of the

magic, making the reunion all the more



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Is there any collaboration or project you have been wanting to do but haven't had the chance yet? do but haven't had the chance yet?
I have no desires or plans. I am a
man with no plan and I cherish that
state of being. My only "want" is
that I have no wants and my only
"desire" is to have no desires. I
believe life flows best when you're
not tied down by endless
aspirations. Instead, I would advise
others to focus on taking care of
themselves first physically, mentally
and spiritually, before chasing
desires.

What message will you give to the younger generation who are coming into music?

believe when you give something valuable, it should be respected. Because when you give something that holds value, it is respected. If you give it for free, it is not. If someone truly wants it, they will take it. If they don't want it, they won't That's why I believe one should stay true to themselves, neither giving nor taking. If someone insists and asks me for advice, my advice would be this: "Never give advice to anyone. Neither give nor take. Just stay within yourself, and truly be true to yourself.

Who do you think would be the right person to portray your entire journey, from childhood to the present, in a film? I don't look at it from that perspective

and that's why I never have. Most people aren't fully honest in their work. In creativity, too, many people repeat the same things in the name of "new." They claim to be creating something very unique, but it's already been done, Everyone's life and story are unique and to capture that uniqueness, you need a creator who's equally different. It's possible that someone who's never done it before, or even if they have, can bring something fresh to it because they understand the nuances of art and craft. If they can get it right, then it will have that newness and originality

meaningful when it finally arrives.





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Imagine indulging in a meal where every bite feels like a discovery where flavours, textures and creativity come together in perfect plate. That's exactly what you can expect at Zanotta, where Michelin-starred Chef Alessandro Liberatore's culinary genius takes fine dining to a whole new level, says SAKSHI PRIYA

or anyone who considers themselves a foodie, there's an unmistakable thrill in the promise of a Michelinthe promise of a Michelin-starred experience. It's not just about eating; it's about savouring stories told through food, each dish a chapter of creativity, tradition, and mastery. As a vegetarian, I've often found myself navigating the labyrinth of fine dining, where plant-based options can sometimes feel like an afterthought But my recent visit to afterthought. But my recent visit to Zanotta at The Leela Ambience, for a unique collaboration with Villa Cora's two-Michelin-Key Chef Alessandro Liberatore, turned all my expectations on their

Picture this: a sparkling Gurugram skyline, soft live music and the kind of atmosphere that makes you lean in just a little closer to hear the clink of glasses and the hum of conversation. That's the setting at Zanotta, perched elegantly on the sixth floor. The Leela Ambience Gurugram Hotel & Residences proudly presented this iconic pop-up featuring VillaCora, the prestigious two-Michelin-Key hotel from Florence. The stage was perfectly set for a menu promising innovation, comfort, and the finest ingredients, all tied together with a ribbon of Italian finesse.

It began with what could only be

techniques and passion for fresh,

Deconstructed Bruschetta, forget the standard fare of toasted bread and diced tomatoes; this was a vivid celebration of marinated cherry tomatoes, bursting with flavour and delicately balanced with a drizzle of herbaceous olive oil. It was light, refreshing and a reminder that sometimes, the simplest ingredients hold the most potential. The next dish, Millefeuille Aubergine, was a revelation. A delicate layering of eggplant, tomato coulis, buffalo mozzarella and basil pesto transformed the humble aubergine into something extraordinary. Each bite was an orchestra of smoky, creamy and tangy notes that remained long after





was cleared. It felt like comfort food, but with the refinement you expect from an Italian maestro. Then came the Potatoes Gnocchi, a dish that, quite frankly, stole the show. The gnocchi were soft, pillowy, and bathed in a luxurious cacio e pepe sauce. But what set it apart was the addition of sour



provided a sharp, tangy contrast to the creamy richness. It was bold yet understated, the kind of dish that makes you pause and appreciate the skill behind it.

And then, the pièce de résistance: Tomato Tarte Tatin. If there's a dish that can truly redefine your perception of vegetarian food, this



atop a perfectly flaky pastry. The balance between the sweet and savoury flavours was brilliantly done, showcasing Chef Liberatore's ability to surprise and delight.

For non-vegetarians, the feedback I heard was just as glowing. The Red Prawn Risotto was singled out



(left to Right) - Chef Mattea Nasi and Chef Alessandro Liberatore

perfection, with the prawns' sweetness melding beautifully with the risotto's rich texture. Every plate seemed to have the same meticulous attention to detail, leaving no palate unfulfilled.

Throughout the evening, the service was impeccable, attentive without being intrusive. The vegetarian focus of the menu was a refreshing change, with every dish crafted with the same thought and care as any meat or seafood counterpart. It felt as though the vegetables were the stars of the show, celebrated for their natural flavours and textures rather than treated as just substitutes.

Dessert was another highlight: a Chocolate Cocoa Short Crust Pastry filled with raspberry cream rastry filled with raspberry cream and chocolate ganache. The sharp tartness of the raspberry paired beautifully with the velvety richness of the chocolate, creating a harmony that felt like the perfect conclusion to an already outstanding meal. Yet, it was the final offerings under Until We Meet Again that left me in wonder.

The Selection of Tea and Coffee was perfect to wind down, but the real treasures were the petit fours. These weren't just bite-sized treats; they were flavour bombs that delighted and surprised. My personal favourites, Cabosse, Noisette, Mango & Coconut Petit each carried a distinct personalty, but together, they created a symphony of textures and flavours that blew my mind. The Signature Lemon, Chocolate & Coffee Petit Four were as indulgent as they were unique, leaving a sweetness that felt like a parting gift.

Zanotta's charm lies not only in its

food but in how every aspect of the experience is curated to perfection. Chef Liberatore's collaboration was a reminder of why Michelin stars matter, not for their prestige, but for the heart and soul they demand from a chef. Whether you're a vegetarian, a seafood enthusiast or simply someone looking to experience an unforgettable meal, Zanotta delivers on every front. It's not just a meal; it's a memory, a moment and a masterpiece rolled into one. For me, it was proof that fine dining isn't just about eating, it's about truly living.



mmersing the Italian cuisine in his own taste and style, Michelin-starred *Chef Mattia* Bianchi made his India debut with the Italian restaurant Sorrento at Shangri-la, New Delhi. The feast was filled with the signature collection of dishes by Chef Bianchi himself and was made available for the people

for five days. Being known for their artistic composition, Chef Bianchi's food was a culinary delight. Bringing a slice of authentic Italian cooking, his pop-up dinner symphony of flavours, textures, impeccable artistry, designed to tantalise

palates. The menu was a love letter to Italian cuisine, featuring dishes that showcased Chef Bianchi's innovative

locally sourced ingredients. The meal started with Chef Mattia's Degustation Menu with the Caprese Cloud for the vegetarian and Mediterranean Fantasy for non-vegetarian. Caprese Cloud served with Fratelli Noi had delicate foam of Buffalo Mozzarella paired with a medley of roasted cherry tomatoes, garnished with basil leaves with a mouth-watering taste. Mediterranean Fantasy on the other hand was a luxurious blend of shabu shrimps and salmon eggs atop silky

Mediterranean aromas for a sensory delight served with Fratelli Noi. Then came the *Risotto* with the dish Herbs Whisper's Risotto as the signature dish served with Fratelli J'Noon White. It was a Creamy risotto in a wild herbs infusion, topped with crunchy

umami almonds powdered with tangy sumac. infused



Chef Bianchi's Culinary Debut in India was a delight to the tastebuds at Sorrento in Shangri-la, New Delhi, writes ABHI SINGHAL



crowned with tangy goat cheese crumble and aromatic rocket pesto, perfectly paired with the rich notes of Fratelli Sette wine. Fusilli Citrus was served with Fratelli Sette wine with lime scented fusilli cooked in beetroot extract and garnished with raw marinated scallops.

The main course showcased a togetherness of flavours, led by the Sunlit Chicken Rhapsody with Chicken supreme with butternut squash and Medley Feast, a culinary masterpiece perfectly paired with Fratelli J'Noon Red wine. The addition with the same wine glasses was Bitter Bliss with roasted baby gem, caper fruits, pine nuts and beurre blanc sauce, making the

plate look like a painted canvas. The end was saved for the best: the dessert with three types of symphonies,

namely Autumn, Summer, and Winter. The autumn was the Tiramisù Delight, with Tiramisù traditional mascarpone cream and marsalakissed sponge cake veiled in the coffee crumble. The Winter Symphony featured Midnight Silk with dark chocolate cloud, gilded almonds, and frozen hazelnut cream. The Summer symphony had Summer Ode with exotic fruits soupbathed yogurt pearls on vanilla sable. The overall experience of the dessert was a unique one blended with music. There were cards explaining how the desserts explain the personalities of the people.

The experience at *Sorrento* was more than just a meal; it was an unforgettable journey through the heart of Italian gastronomy, curated by Chef Mattia Bianchi's masterful touch. Each dish was a testament to his ability to merge tradition with innovation, creating a dining spectacle that celebrated the art of

The guests were left in awe, their taste buds delighted and their senses elevated. *Chef Bianchi's* debut in India with his pop-up at Shangri-la, New Delhi, left an indelible mark on every diner who had the privilege to partake in this symphony





offerings.

By TEAM **AGENDA** 

orldmark Aerocity in New Delhi V recently hosted the World Food Carnival, a feast for the senses that brought together food lovers from across the city. With over 30 stalls offering a wide range of cuisines, Mexican, Italian, Indian, Middle Eastern, and more there was something for everyone. Renowned restaurants like Kampai, Cafe Delhi Heights, and Monsoon showcased their signature dishes, elevating the food experience to new heights. The carnival opened with a lively performance by "The Artictern," setting an upbeat tone for the day. Cultural performances like the Dragon

Dance and a saxophonist added a magical touch to the

atmosphere. Guests enjoyed live face painting and an instant GIF creator, which

kept everyone entertained

and added a fun element to

the event. The Kids' Zone was

a family-friendly highlight,

On the second day, the excitement continued with live bands "The Gus Band" and "The Cherish," whose performances had the crowd swaying to their beats. An African Dance performance added a vibrant touch, and the food stalls kept everyone's taste buds satisfied. The carnival also featured plenty of activities for children, from magic shows to face painting. What stood out was the way the event brought people together. It wasn't just about the food; it was about creating an experience that celebrated culture, community and fun. carnival's The vibrant atmosphere, combined with food delicious and entertainment, made it a memorable event. For anyone who loves good food and a lively atmosphere, the World Food Carnival at Worldmark

Aerocity was an experience

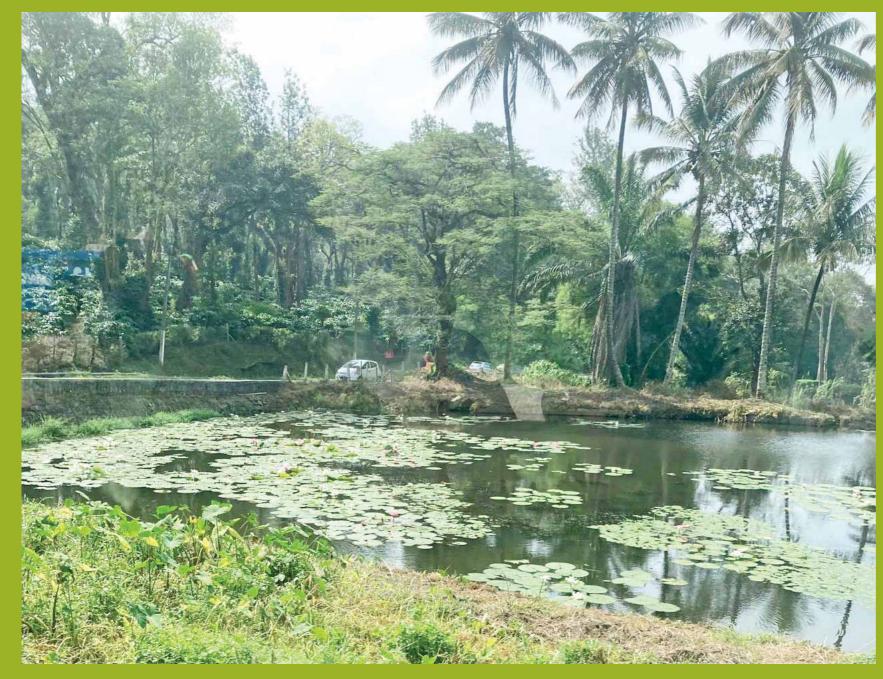
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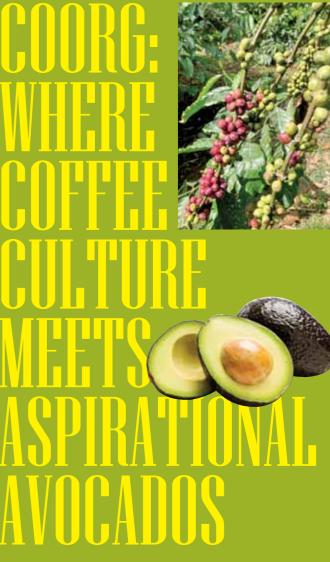
offering activities to keep

children busy while parents

could indulge in the food







Coorg's lush landscapes are evolving, with century-old coffee plantations now sharing space with thriving rows of avocado trees, writes **GYANESHWAR DAYAL** 

s I pack my bags in Delhi the AQI is reading staggering 430, the smog has dawned on the city and there is heaviness in the air, eyes burning, breathing is an effort to be undertaken. The touchdown in Kempegowda International Airport Bengaluru is smooth the temperature is almost at par with Delhi but air is breathable. The five hours journey to Coorg is tiring but relaxing scenery changes from rocky to green to lush green, on the way you get to see the Gabbar Singh's den, the place where Sholay film was shot some 40 years back. On the way we have elephant family waiting for us by the roadside and snake crosses the road as drives pushes the brakes. Yes, all of us have right to live, even snakes!

It is night already and the day is done without much fuss as we retire in 140year-old property a British bungalow now a tata property - Taneerhulla in ama coffee trail. The morning view from the window is fascinating, Delhi smog has given way to Coorg fog, and AQI has dropped to 43! I take a deep breath, as if to store this purity and carry it back home.

Coorg, or Kodagu as it is known in Kannad is nestled in the heart of the Western Ghats, has a fascinating history shaped by its strategic location, natural resources, and the allure of its spices. This region has been a magnet for traders, rulers, and explorers, each drawn by its bounty and beauty.

The history of Coorg dates back to ancient times, with its mention in early Indian texts like the Sangam literature. The region was originally home to indigenous tribes like the Kodavas, who developed a rich culture centered around nature and agriculture. Kodavas are known for their martial traditions, unique customs, and close-knit community life, which continue to define Coorg's identity today. Over centuries, Coorg saw the rise and fall of several South Indian dynasties, including the Cholas, Gangas, Hoysalas, and Kadambas. These rulers left their imprint through temples and forts, which stand as silent witnesses to the region's historical significance.

By the 15th and 16th centuries, the fame of the Western Ghats and their riches spread beyond India's borders. The spice trade was the primary lure, as Coorg, along with other parts of the Western Ghats, became a significant source of black pepper, cardamom, and other exotic spices. The Portuguese were among the first Europeans to set sail for India, with Vasco da Gama's arrival in 1498 marking a new era of trade and conquest. Soon, Dutch, French, and British traders followed, vying for control of spice routes. Coorg, though a landlocked region, became an integral part of these trade networks due to its fertile hills and spice plantations.

In the early 19th century, the British annexed Coorg after defeating the local ruler, Chikka Veerarajendra, in 1834. Recognising Coorg's agricultural potential, the British transformed its economy by introducing coffee cultivation alongside spices. This was the beginning of coffee plantation on









commercial scale in Coorg and has stayed variety of flora and fauna. that way since. Coffee thrived in the region's climate, and Coorg became one of India's premier coffee-producing areas. The planters were of course the British who lived near their plantations. Their Bungalows dot the place and the one we staved was of course belonged to a British. The British also admired Coorg's natural beauty. Coorg is often referred to as the "Scotland of India" for its rolling hills, misty valleys, and temperate weather. Under British influence, the Kodavas were granted special privileges, including exemption from the Arms Act, which allowed them to retain their traditional firearms-a legacy still continues.

The Western Ghats, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, are among the most biodiverse regions on the planet. Stretching over 1,600 kilometers from Gujarat to Kerala, these ancient mountains are home to an astonishing

In Coorg, the Western Ghats reveal their most enchanting side. Dense forests, gurgling streams, and cascading waterfalls dominate the landscape, making it a paradise for nature enthusiasts. The forests host an incredible range of plant species, from ancient trees to medicinal herbs. They are especially known for sandalwood, teak, and bamboo. The Western Ghats are a haven for wildlife, including tigers, elephants, gaurs, and numerous endemic species like the Lion-tailed Macaque and Malabar Civet. The Ghats are also critical for the region's agriculture, providing a fertile environment for growing coffee, spices, and now avocados.

Coorg's history is a blend of ancient traditions and modern influences. Its spice heritage continues to thrive alongside its renowned coffee plantations. Now, with the introduction of avocado cultivation by Westfalia Fruit, Coorg is landscapes that attract tourists. Coffee stepping into a new chapter of agricultural innovation.

Tourists visiting Coorg can trace its history through ancient temples, forts, and colonial-era bungalows, all while enjoying its natural beauty and rich culinary traditions. The intertwining of the Western Ghats' biodiversity with the cultural tapestry of Coorg makes it one of India's most enchanting destinations.

Coorg's identity is deeply intertwined with its coffee plantations, which have been the backbone of its economy for decades. Introduced by Baba Budan in the 17th century, coffee found an ideal home in Coorg's rich soil and temperate climate. Today, the district is one of India's leading coffee-producing regions, renowned for its Arabica and Robusta beans.

The plantations, often set against misty hillsides, not only produce world-class coffee but also create picturesque

estate tours allow visitors to learn about the journey of coffee beans from farm to cup, making them an integral part of the Coorg experience.

Located in southwestern Karnataka, Coorg is a verdant hill station known for its cool climate, scenic views, and pristine environment. It is part of the UNESCO listed Western Ghats, one of the world's biodiversity hotspots. The region's dense forests, cascading waterfalls and diverse wildlife make it a haven for eco-tourism and outdoor activities such as trekking, birdwatching, and nature photography. Some must-visit spots include the Abbey Falls, Raja's Seat, Dubare Elephant Camp, and the Brahmagiri Wildlife Sanctuary. The Kaveri River, originating from Talakaveri in Coorg, adds to the district's charm, serving as a lifeline for the

southern states of India. While coffee remains Coorg's hallmark, the region is now witnessing a burgeoning avocado revolution, led by Westfalia Fruit, a global leader in avocado production. Recognising *Coorg's* favourable climate for cultivation, Westfalia has established a state-of-theart avocado nursery in collaboration with Sam Agri and Dvori-Or Nursery. The initiative focuses on growing high-quality Hass and other commercial avocado

The saying, "Where tea and coffee grow, avocados can grow better," perfectly describes *Coorg's* potential. Its tropical climate, high elevation, and fertile soil make it an excellent location for avocado farming. Westfalia's meticulous approach to planting, nurturing, and harvesting ensures that the avocados meet global quality standards.

Westfalia has already contributed to planting over 500 acres of avocado farms across India, with a target to exceed 1,000 acres by 2026. The *Coorg* nursery plays a critical role in supplying premium rootstock and planting material, ensuring sustainable practices and high yields. For coffee farmers, avocados offer a promising diversification crop, creating additional income streams and contributing to rural development. Westfalia, in partnership with the World Avocado Organisation (WAO), is driving efforts to educate Indian consumers about the health benefits and culinary versatility of avocados. Campaigns like "Avocado Ki Paatshaala," led by celebrity chef Sanjeev Kapoor, have been instrumental in popularising the fruit. We get hands on lessons on avocado grafting and cloning the techniques Westfalia is introducing in Coorg for avocado plantation sooner than later Coorg avocados would be available across the country. Avocados is one of the healthy diet options which can served in several avatars from avocado-on-toast to guacamole and even avocado shake and ice cream. This is going to benefit the local farmers as well as they can four to five times the amount they make on coffee. Coorg's transformation from a coffee giant

to a hub for avocados signifies its adaptability and progressive approach to agriculture. Visitors to Coorg can now enjoy not only a cup of freshly brewed coffee but also a taste of locally grown avocados, blending wellness with indulgence.

Whether you're exploring its lush landscapes, learning about coffee cultivation, or witnessing the avocado revolution, Coorg offers a unique journey through nature and innovation. This jewel of Karnataka remains a must-visit destination for travellers and a shining example of India's agricultural potential. As the time to leave draws near, I find myself reflecting on the air of Delhi and take one last, deep breath of Coorg's pure, refreshing atmosphere. The aroma of spices beckons us to the local market, where we gather handfuls of fragrant treasures and, naturally, Coorg's signature Arabica and Robusta coffee. With our bags filled with spices, coffee, and the newfound delight of avocados, we bid farewell to this enchanting land and set out on the highway to Bengaluru. As we

journey home, our hearts are brimming

with memories that promise to call us

back. Coorg is a place one longs to return

to-sooner rather than later.

























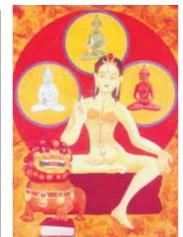




ARIES March 21-April 19

This week may not meet your expectations, particularly regarding finances, which seem less favorable. Initially, you'll find yourself grappling with indecision at work, leaving tasks incomplete and documents disordered. You might even delay work-related travel due to uncertainty. As the week progresses, a sense of stability will emerge, allowing you to tackle your responsibilities more effectively You could benefit from connections at a distance, and those you work with will expect more engagement on your part, enabling you to contribute significantly. Confidence will grow, encouraging more social interactions. However, the week may conclude on a challenging note with family tensions or significant health issues within your household requiring both your presence and financial support, potentially causing setbacks at work.

Lucky number 11 | Lucky colour Burgundy



**LEO** July 23-Aug 22

This week presents a challenge with heightened assertiveness and a push towards relentless productivity. Emotional considerations take a back seat as a demanding workload leaves little room for ease. The path to achieving your goals may seem particularly distant and challenging. Mid-week could bring unexpected changes in personal connections, possibly involving the arrival or departure of a key figure, which might stir up impulsive or forceful reactions. Amidst this whirlwind, there may be moments of confusion leading to precipitous decisions. Consider integrating meditation into your routine to enhance clarity and boost confidence. While your ability to make unbiased decisions stands out, caution is advised against making rushed choices that could negate your efforts.

Lucky number 3 | Lucky colour Crimson Lucky day Tuesday



**SAGITTARIUS** Nov 22-Dec 21

This week will be centered on prioritization, self-control, and meticulous planning. The atmosphere is clouded with ambiguity, and misunderstandings are arising between partners. A situation presents itself where clarity and insight are available, yet there is a conscious avoidance of acknowledging the reality due to apprehension that it might worsen circumstances. As the week progresses, you may encounter challenges, potentially including authoritative scrutiny or legal setbacks that could lead to frustration. It's important to focus on your well-being. Hold back from expressing yourself too forcefully and avoid conflicts with adversaries. This period calls for a retreat to reassess and rejuvenate. Take this time to heal and prepare to return rejuvenated, ready to tackle upcoming obstacles. Exercise patience—this is merely a transitory phase.

Lucky number 6 | Lucky colour Lavender **Lucky day** Saturday



#### **TAURUS** April 20-May 20

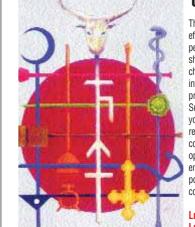
This week brings a flurry of positive developments for those born in late April and early May. If you've been eagerly awaiting the completion of a long-standing project, expect to see it come to fruition. Additionally, the possibility of acquiring a new residence through a lottery. scheme, or by moving into a newly constructed home is strong. Social gatherings with family, relatives, and friends will fill your days with joy. Your aura radiates positivity, boosting your confidence to inspiring levels. Your communication skills are particularly effective now, drawing others to your magnetic presence. Expect to be seen as a source of inspiration and a leader within your community, as others are drawn to your cooperative and sincere approach. As the week closes, your spiritual side emerges stronger.

Lucky number 8 | Lucky colour Powder Blue Lucky day Friday



#### VIRGO Aug 23-Sep 22

This week promises substantial financial growth and contentment. Excelling in your professional sphere, you effectively apply your expertise in practical ways. Your approach is characterized by responsibility and fairness in interactions, adherence to schedules, and compliance with rules and regulations. This disciplined approach lays the foundation for financial stability, security, and comfort. There's a possibility of receiving significant financial gains, potentially from unexpected sources. Advancements in your career, such as promotions, are likely, which will boost your confidence further. This period is an excellent opportunity for selfreflection and celebrating your achievements. You might find yourself embarking on new professional ventures, such as a new job or project. Harness your resources effectively and embrace a zeal for acquiring and implementing innovative ideas, which could enhance your professional pursuits. Lucky number 7 | Lucky colour Beige Lucky day Thursday



#### CAPRICORN Dec 22-Jan 19

This week heralds a fruitful period, beginning with diligent efforts aimed at enhancing both your professional skills and personal growth. You'll focus on meticulous work. showcasing persistence and intense concentration. The challenges ahead may seem daunting, requiring you to intensify your efforts, yet this commitment will enrich your professional capabilities and broaden your knowledge base. Success will soon follow these dedicated endeavors, allowing you to take pride in your achievements and the tangible results of your hard work. As the week progresses, a period conducive to profound personal healing emerges, offering opportunities for spiritual reconnection and significant emotional recoveries. By week's end, the culmination of these powerful dynamics might facilitate meaningful personal commitments or the deepening of romantic bonds.

Lucky number 18 | Lucky colour Black Lucky day Wednesday



#### **GEMINI** May 21-June 20

This week promises a rich tapestry of experiences encompassing deep emotional fulfillment and an array of satisfying personal interactions. As the days unfold, you'll notice a distinct uptick in your financial situation, with gains accumulating as you move forward. Embrace a leadership role with both moderation and generosity at work; this approach will foster a harmonious and productive atmosphere. Travel also appears on your horizon, potentially to distant shores or via sea, blending business with leisure or providing a delightful getaway with loved ones. Midweek brings a focus on home life, where you'll adeptly juggle professional responsibilities and domestic harmony. As the week draws to a close, you'll reap the rewards of your diligent efforts, enjoying robust health, a surge of creativity, and an overall sense of well-being.

Lucky number 15 | Lucky colour Olive



#### LIBRA Sep 23-Oct 22

The week begins with a quest to navigate through challenges to reach a successful conclusion. You'll find yourself on the brink of completion, poised to overcome any obstacles that arise. Midweek brings a shift towards emotional connections, encouraging quality time with loved ones. As the week progresses. favorable circumstances emerge for investments in long-term assets. Many will discover themselves in a fortunate phase, with promising opportunities at their doorstep. You'll feel vigorous and buoyant, with a sense of well-being enhancing your outlook. The support and cooperation from family will elevate your confidence. The weekend invites you to enjoy memorable moments with those dear to you, making the most of the joyful atmosphere.

Lucky number 2 | Lucky colour White Lucky day Monday



#### **AQUARIUS** Jan 20-Feb 18

This week heralds a period where aspirations are likely to materialize, bringing an influx of joy, prosperity, and affection. It's a time rich with blessings and favorable outcomes across various aspects of life. The atmosphere is ripe for enhanced organization, sparking creative ideas and heightened intuitive senses. Harness the week's beneficial energies to bolster your intellectual and strategic abilities. In terms of financial, spiritual, and emotional aspects, expect gratifying developments. Connections in relationships are especially significant during this period, aligning smoothly with your goals. Opportunities for new professional ventures or roles may emerge, promising growth and advancement. Overall, your health and influence are robust, supported by effective communication and leadership skills, enhancing your ability to navigate and succeed in various endeavors.

Lucky number 5 | Lucky colour Cream Lucky day Tuesday



#### **CANCER** June 21-July 22

Life is about to take an unexpected turn, bringing a wave of pride and confidence that will have you ready to face the world's challenges. You will find yourself achieving success in an area where you once lost hope Recognition and envy from others mark your achievements, but those who genuinely wish you well will celebrate your triumphs. This is a time of progress and fulfillment of your true interests. You have overcome a significant struggle, and your achievements are now being publicly celebrated. Joy stems from connections to your past. As the week concludes, you will find comfort in cherished memories of childhood and camaraderie, choosing to spend time with the younger generation and reconnecting with the lighter

Lucky number 12 | Lucky colour Pink **Lucky day** Thursday



#### SCORPIO Oct 23-Nov 21

This week is highly focused on professional endeavors, with risks presenting themselves as gateways to potential gains. You are brimming with creative energy, enabling you to embrace challenges with confidence and innovative approaches. This is an excellent period to leverage your unique skills for financia success. A significant challenge that has been looming in your thoughts is now within your capacity to overcome with grace and effectiveness. Midweek brings a phase where adhering to the guidance of a respected elder in your family, especially a maternal figure, could prove advantageous. Her stringent standards and wise counsel will likely steer you towards positive outcomes. Enhance your cognitive abilities through intellectual activities such as reading enriching literature and engaging in challenging puzzles, which may also lead to profound revelations in your personal growth journey.

ucky number 13 | Lucky colour Orange



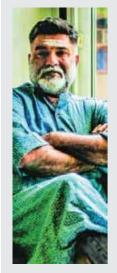
## PISCES Feb 19-March 20

Collaboration and teamwork are crucial for achieving success, fostering enhanced understanding and synergy within professional settings. Acknowledging your self-worth energizes your career and lifestyle with vibrant ideas. The outlook for upcoming opportunities appears promising, with signs pointing towards the success of recent ventures and flourishing business activities. In your professional life, expect potential offers that could advance your position. Effective cooperation and successful negotiations are currently vital. There's also a touch of spirituality in the air For those anticipating additions to the family, joyful news may soon arrive. Your visionary nature drives you to explore expansive possibilities confidently and fearlessly. As the week concludes, any concerns you have will dissipate, thanks to your ability to tap into your inner strengths.

ucky number 14 | Lucky colour Indigo

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Anger is natural but fleeting; holding onto it shapes emotions and disrupts peace.

### An Emotion can Compromise and Corrupt Further can become a "Condition" (The There are NO Thumb Rules. Coping

riving along on a cool morning, a constant honking, and my focus on it got it under my skin and pronto - I was ready to get off the car to confront. My senses compromised. Alternatively - in a similar situation, I shifted my focus to the music in my car. Gave way. All good.Am still in-charge of me - uncompromised with my peace. The difference was the unconscious selfconsent to the conscious management of

Anger is capacious, corrupt, and an exaggerative natural human emotion, mostly manipulative and intelligently applied, contaminatingour holistic functioning.

The triggers can be many. We often allow them to grow develop over time unattended and unacknowledged. Broadly speaking there are 10 primary causes of anger

1. Personal loss / Feeling short changed

2. Feeling Not-in-Control3. Disconnect from Reality / Denial

4. Lack of Acceptability 5. Expectations and Reciprocity

6. Twisted Entitlement

7. Fear / Insecurity8. Living in Ingratitude / Distorted vison of wants and needs

9. Ego

10. Genetic Remarkably -Anger, most of the time is a translation or by product of fear, uncertainties and need for control.It is



all about - Inappropriate Attitudes and Lack of acceptance The average neurological response to anger lasts for just a few seconds. It is the "holding on to" that creates the

issue. Goes against the Universal essence

of flowing. It leads to a false sense of our self or situation, making us vulnerable. As a Feeling - lasts Moments Holding on - converts to an "Emotion" (the nest of negative hormones starts building) ... Minutes

Long TermDistortion needing help Anger changes the cerebral cell structure and wiring. Recurrence causes permanent irreversible changes. The Real you is - naturallyfar more compassionate, kind and accepting - the instinctive, inherent, innate human The Bhagavat Gita sums up beautifully how - desire and attachment lead to anger and this further leads to clouded judgement, loss of our discerning

nest transforms to a dwelling) ... Hours

Leading to what medical science calls

"Intermittent Explosive disorder" ...

abilities and debilitation of thought. The "Yaksha Prashna" ... (Aaranyaka Parva of the Mahabharata), has a couple of answers by Yudhishthira-The Invincible enemy - Anger Renunciation of greed, anger, untruthlead to peace. The "Chaos Theory / The Butterfly Effect" is a classic example of a cascading effect in other life segments.

A Butterfly fluttering its wings in Brazil can cause a tornado in Texas a month later!! This incredulity reveals the horror of the Butterfly effect. "Control" of emotions eventually manoeuvres todisturb something else. It is about consistent, conscious,

and authentic efforts to acknowledge

and address it ... "Managing" is

☐ There is always a trade-off. Keep expectations real and moderate ☐ Stop Correcting the world. Start Correcting yourself ☐ We are Not entitled to anything in the If "It" controls you ... you become

outer world. Only to our Inner Universe Anger has a character If "You" manage it ... it can be Creative

mechanisms are individualistic but can

everything. Maturity is to realise what

Universe and Respond with Gratitude

☐ Stop embracing upsetting thoughts.

☐ Accept. The Universe is "Perfectly

☐ Being a Perfectionist is a Unrealistic

☐ Be Picky with your battles. Learn to

Tractise Snapping out. Shift attention

Everything is Unique. Don't become a

☐ Have the Faith. Recognize You are the

Let go. Go with the flow

product of your Karmas

📮 Be Mindful. Be in Now

to the pleasant and fulfilling

Step Back. Observe

Imperfect."

yardstick

Ignore

Naivety is to think, we control

we control and what controls us Things happen for a reason. Trust the

Destructive Happiness - Unhappiness Coexist. Sagacity - Stupidity Coexist. Accept and

Balance it

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