

PANCHANGAM

Tithi
Sukla Paksha Thadiya
Upto : Sep 25 07:06 AM
Sukla Paksha Chavithi
Upto : Sep 26 09:33 AM
Nakshatra
Swati
Upto : Sep 25 07:08 PM
Vishaka
Upto : Sep 26 10:09 PM
Rahukalam
1:37 PM – 3:07 PM
Yamagandam
6:09 AM – 7:38 AM
Gulika
9:08 AM – 10:38 AM
Dur Muhurat
10:08 AM – 10:56 AM,
02:55 PM – 03:42 PM
Varjyam
01:26 AM – 03:14 AM

WEATHER

Forecast : Light rain
Temperature : 27° / 23°
Humidity : 75 %
Sunrise : 6:09 AM
Sunset : 6:06 PM

MLA Balakrishna calls Ex-CM Jagan Reddy as 'psycho', YSRCP condemns
(Capital Information)

Vijayawada, Spt 25 : Hindupur MLA and popular Telugu film actor N Balakrishna created a controversy in the Legislative Assembly today by calling former Chief Minister Y S Jagan Mohan Reddy as 'psycho' which was vehemently condemned by the YSRCP leaders.

During a debate on the film industry, Balakrishna remarks that Chiranjeevi pressurised the then Chief Minister to meet them. "I have also got an invitation to meet the 'psycho gadu' (The then Chief Minister Jagan Mohan Reddy), but I did not go. But Chiranjeevi went to meet Jagan Reddy, and it is true, Chiranjeevi was humiliated," Balakrishna lambasted.

Telangana Govt to implement TN's breakfast scheme for school students from next year : CM Revanth Reddy

(Capital Information)
Chennai/Hyderabad, Sep 25 : Taking an inspiration from the Tamil Nadu's pioneering Chief Minister's Breakfast scheme for students of Classes 1 to 5, which has increased the enrollment rate in schools and prevent drop outs, Telangana Chief Minster Revanth Reddy tonight said his government would replicate this scheme in his state from the next academic year.

Speaking at an event Tamil Nadu Excels in Education to highlight the achievements of TN's revolutionary Pudumai Penn scheme and Tamil Pudalvan scheme offering financial assistance to pursue their school and higher education, Mr Revanth Reddy termed the breakfast scheme as a heart warming and that the Telangana government will implement this scheme in schools from the next academic year.

"I am taking the inspiration from here. I am taking the inspiration from TN Chief Minister M



K Stalin, who had implemented this pioneering initiative to provide breakfast to school students considering that their parents, who leave for their work early in the morning, could not feed them", he said.

While hailingthe Pudumai Penn and Tamil Pudalvan schemes as revolutinary, Mr Reddy said the main goal was to produce Olympic medallists

from Tamil Nadu and Telangana in 2028.

Prime Minister Nrendra Modi and union Home Minister Amit Shah will not do it. But we will do it. Telangana and Tamil Nadu will do it. Both the states will work together to produce medallists in the 2028 Olympics...This is our dream...this is our goal", he added.

Stating that some of the schemes launched by Mr Stalin were indeed revolutionary and that those schemes should be followed and implemented by all the states in India, taking the lead from Tamil Nadu.

Mr Reddy, who also holds the education portfolio as Chief Minister, also listed out various initiatives launched by his government for the students by launching skill university titled

Young India Skills University (YISU), to create job opportunities.

Stating that about 1.10 lakh graduates passt out of engineering colleges in his states, he said all those did not get jobs. There is a big gap between demand and supply.

To bridge this gap,, these Young India Skills Universities were established under the public -private partnership (PPP) model to address the gap between industry needs and academic learning.

In his address, Mr Stalin listed out various initiatives taken by his DMK's Dravidian Model Governance and that 2.65 lakh students have benefitted under the Pudumai Penn (1.35 lakh) and Tamil Mudalvan Schemes (1,30 lakh) this year.

He also assured the students that his government would never deviate from its goal of providing education for all, and promised II support to the students, while urging them to concentrate on their studies and come up in life.

Minister Uttam Kumar Reddy inaugurates new gym center for police

(Capital Information)
Suryapet, Sep 25 : State Irrigation and Core Supply Minister Uttam Kumar Reddy said that the police should create a wide publicity among the people on the Police Command Control Room set up in the district center on good governance of crime control.

Speaking while inaugurating the Subsidiary Police Canteen of the Police Jobs Fitness Center set up in the Suryapet district center on Thursday, he said that the police personnel are working 24 hours to maintain law and order and that the subsidized canteens have been set up



for the welfare of the personnel. He said that the police canteen will benefit 1500 police personnel in the district. He said that the Telangana State Police are a role

model for the country and the state government is ready to protect their dignity.

SP Narasimha, District Collector Pawar, Market Committee

Chairman Koppula Venareddy, Crime Commission member Cheviti Venkanna Yadav, police personnel and others participated in the program.

Procession of Chinna Sesha Vahanam with Lord Malayappa Swamy in Guruvayur Sri Krishna Alankaram

(Capital Information)
Tirumala, Sep 25 : The nine-day annual Srivari Salakatia Brahmotsavam at Tirumala continued with traditional splendor this morning on the second day of the festival, as the processional deity of Sri Malayappa Swamy was borne on the Chinna Sesha Vahanam.

The Utsava Murti (processional idol), beautifully decorated in the form of Guruvayur Sri Krishna, provided a mesmerizing darshan to the assembled devotees. The five-hooded Chinna Sesha Vahanam was taken out in a grand procession along the Mada streets surrounding the main temple. The procession was augmented by the presence of caparisoned elephants and horses, alongside traditional devotional and cultural troupes offering performances of Kolatam and Mangala Vaidyams.

The Spiritual Significance of Chinna Sesha

The Chinna Seszha Va-



hanam represents Vasuki, the King of Serpents. This celestial vehicle carries profound philosophical meaning in the Sri Vaishnava tradition, emphasizing the concept of Seshi (the Lord as the Master and foundation of existence) and Sesha-bhūtam (the universe and all beings as His divine dependants).

It is a tenet of faith that seeking the Lord's blessings while He is mounted on the Chinna Sesha Vahanam grants devotees family prosperity and well-being (Ku-

tumba Shreyassu), along with the spiritual attainment associated with Kundalini Yoga Siddhi.

The event was attended by the Temple's highest spiritual authorities, the Tirumala Pedda Jeeyar Swamy and Chinna Jeeyar Swamy, alongside TTD functionaries including Chairman BR Naidu, Executive Officer (EO) Anil Kumar Singhal, members of the TTD Trust Board, and the Chief Vigilance and Security Officer (CVSO) Murali Krishna, among other senior officials.

Mother tongue and culture should be instilled from the student stage : Legislative Council ChairmanGutta Sukhender Reddy

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad, Sep 25 : Mother tongue and culture should be instilled from the student stage, but the current contemporary circumstances are changing differently, said State Legislative Council Chairman Gutta Sukhender Reddy.

On Thursday, at the Telangana Saraswati Parishad in Abids, Bogglakunta, under the auspices of Telangana Language and Culture Council founder president Acharya Ganta Jalandhar Reddy, Gutta Sukhender Reddy launched the book Telangana Language - Comprehensive Review along with State Planning Commission Vice Chairman Dr. G. Chinna Reddy.

Speaking on the occasion, Gutta Sukhender Reddy expressed concern that children are being deprived of their mother tongue from an early age. He opined that situations have arisen today where children are being scolded and told to speak their mother tongue, Telugu.



He said that the preservation of the mother tongue is possible in the school premises and with the teachers. Gutta Sukhender Reddy expressed concern that in the absence of language and culture, the bonds between teachers, students and parents and children are becoming artificial. Gutta Sukhender Reddy said that there is a need to preserve the mother tongue in Telugu. He said that the preservation of the mother tongue is being implemented in

government schools. While there are 18 lakh government schools in the state, the number of private schools is 36 lakh, and based on this, the situation of preservation of the mother tongue can be understood.

Speaking as the chief guest of this program, State Planning Commission Vice Chairman Dr. G. Chinna Reddy said that the Telugu language was born in the Telangana region and not in Andhra Pradesh. Chinna Reddy said that the Telugu language

existed from the time of the Satavahanas to the last Nizam, but the accent changed due to the influence of Urdu in the Telangana region. He said that the Telangana region, especially Hyderabad, is like a mini India. He said that the Telangana language was ridiculed in the united state. The program, chaired by renowned poet Ammangi Vengopal, was attended by Telangana Saraswati Parishad General Secretary Dr. J. Chennaiah and others.

Minister Uttam urges strengthening R&D and increasing exports to sustain Telangana as India's seed hub

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad, Sep 25 : Telangana Irrigation and Civil Supplies Minister Capt. N Uttam Kumar Reddy today said "Telangana must strengthen research, expand exports, and upgrade infrastructure to remain the "Seed Bowl of India." Addressing the Hyderabad Seed Conclave 2025, organised by the Seedmen Association here, Uttam described seed companies as "nation-builders" and assured them of full government support.

He said quality seed was the single most important input in agriculture, forming the base of food security and farmer prosperity.

"Seeds determine yield, enhance the efficiency of fertilisers and irrigation, and stand at the centre of the agricultural cycle. High-yielding varieties are essential to sustain farmers' incomes," he remarked.

He praised Agriculture Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao, who attended the event, describing him as unique among Indian politicians for being a hands-on farmer himself.

"Under his leadership Telangana has achieved record pro-



duction in both kharif and rabi seasons since December 2023," Uttam said that Telangana had emerged as the number one paddy-producing state in the country under Agriculture Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao's stewardship.

He called on seed companies to intensify research and development, particularly to develop new paddy varieties with higher yields and improved rice recovery.

"Innovation across all crops is the path to improving farmer incomes," he said.

Uttam underlined the growing global presence of Telangana's seed industry. He said rice and seed varieties from the state were already reaching the Philippines and efforts were on to export them to Indonesia, South Africa, Burkina Faso and other African nations.

"Seed export has great potential. Just as our software industry carried Telangana's name across the world, our seed industry can also cross boundaries and bring back reputation for the state," he said, evoking applause once again.

The Minister assured that the Congress government in Telangana would resolve all the problems being faced by the seed manufacturing companies.

Uttam recalled that agricultural universities were once the only source of improved varieties. With demand rising, private seed companies were established and began investing in research and hybrid development. To represent their interests and coordinate with the government, the Seedmen Association was registered in Hyderabad in 1995.

From a modest start, the As-

sociation today has 505 members, including seed companies, associate members, and honorary members. Member firms together pay between Rs. 90 lakh and Rs. 1 crore annually to agricultural universities for breeder seed supply. This enables the production of commercial hybrids across cotton, maize, rice, sunflower, and vegetables.

The Association also serves as a nodal agency, facilitating breeder seed supply, ensuring regulatory compliance, conducting regular training programmes, and coordinating with agriculture and horticulture universities, the Seed Certification Agency, and the National Seed Association of India (NSAI).

These efforts, Uttam Kumar Reddy said, have made Telangana a leader in seed production and supply.

The Hyderabad Seed Conclave 2025 was held as part of the Association's 30th anniversary celebrations, bringing together seed companies, research institutions, and farmer representatives.

Association president G.N.V. Ramakrishna and other leaders were present.



Vice President Radhakrishnan offers prayers at Tirumala

(Capital Information)

Tirumala, Sep 25 : The Vice President of India CP Radhakrishnan accompanied by the CM of AP Chandrababu Naidu offered prayers in the temple of Sri Venkateswara Swamy on Thursday.

Upon his arrival at the Mahadwaram of the temple, the Vice-President was accorded the traditional Isthikaphal welcome by the temple priests, amidst chanting of Vedic mantras. Later the Vice President along with his family, CM of AP offered prayers in the temple of Sri Venkateswara Swamy.

After darshan, the protocol dignitary was offered Vedaseervachanam in Ranganayakula Mandapam by the Vedic scholars. TTD Chairman BR Naidu and the EO AK Singhal offered Theertha Prasadams, 2026 TTD Calandar and Diary, laminated photo of Srivaru to the Vice President of India.

TTD Board members, other dignitaries, officials were also present.



Heavy rains in Telangana in next 2 days CM Revanth Reddy puts the entire administration remain on alert

Orders the authorities to closely monitor flood situation

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad, Sep 25 : Following the IMD forecast that the Telangana State will receive heavy rains in the next 2 days, Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy put the officials of all departments remain on alert. The officials were ordered to closely monitor the flood situation in view of the prediction of heavy to very heavy rains in many parts of the State.

Instructing all district Collectors to review flood situations in heavy rain hit areas regularly, the CM said that the dwellers in low lying areas should be evacuated in advance and provide shelter in the relief camps. Traffic should also be halted on the roads which are covered with flood waters and examine the safety of causeways.

CM Revanth Reddy instructed the Electricity Department to take special measures for uninterrupted power supply along with the removal of dangling wires for public safety during heavy rains. The educational institutions should also be on alert during the Dasara holidays.

Appealing to people not to venture out of the houses during heavy rains, the Chief Minister ordered the GHMC, HYDRAA, NDRF and SDRF teams to be on alert in Hyderabad.



TTD's Sri Vani Trust receives over Rs 2,000 crore in donations

(Capital Information)

Tirumala, Sep 25 : The Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam (TTD) has received donations totalling Rs 2,038 crore for its Sri Venkateswara Aalayala Nirmanam (SRI-VANI) Trust, Chief Minister N Chandrababu Naidu said.

Under the scheme, devotees who donate Rs 10,000 are provided with a VIP break darshan ticket upon an additional payment of Rs 500.

The TTD established the trust in 2019 to promote Sanātana Dharma. Its objectives include constructing temples in areas with SC, ST, and BC populations, renovating ancient temples, and providing funds to financially struggling temples under the Dhupa-Deepa-Naivedyam Scheme.

Speaking after offering prayers at the Sri Venkateswara Swamy temple last evening, Naidu stated that Rs 837 crore has been spent so far on temple construction. He maintained that more temples should be built in remote villages and called on donors to contribute generously to this cause.

The Chief Minister also noted that the Annaprasadam programme, started by the late N T Rama Rao decades ago, has expanded significantly. The trust's funds now exceed Rs 2,200 crore, and the interest generated feeds lakhs of pilgrims daily.

"I request that the TTD Board Chairman, members, and officials plan to extend the Annaprasadam activity to other TTD-run temples as well," he said.

Additionally, Naidu revealed that the TTD's Pranadana Trust has received Rs 709 crore in donations for medical aid to the poor and needy. He urged the TTD to take steps to improve medical facilities in the Rayalaseema region using these funds.

Commending the Srivari Seva Volunteers, the Chief Minister said that since its inception in 2000, around 17 lakh volunteers have provided impeccable services to devotees. Of these, 12 lakh are women and five lakh are men. He added that the Srivari Sevaks are a true asset and the quality of their services needs to be enhanced to provide better services to devotees.

Seven students injured as e-rickshaw overturns in Uttar Pradesh's Hamirpur

Hamirpur, Sep 25 (UNI) Seven students were injured this morning when an e-rickshaw they were travelling in overturned in Uttar Pradesh's Hamirpur district.

The incident took place around 9:00 am near the Bargawan turn on the Sarila-Mamna road. The vehicle, carrying students from Maharajpur to GIC School in Sarila, lost control and fell into a roadside ditch. Three of the injured students are in serious condition.

According to eyewitnesses, the e-rickshaw's steering handle suddenly jammed while navigating the turn, causing it to become uncontrollable. Local residents immediately rescued the children and took them to the Community Health Centre (CHC) in Sarila for treatment.

The injured students have been identified as Vedika (16), a resident of Mamna; Ajay Kumar (17) and Aanshika (10), both residents of Maharajpur; Saina Khatoun and three other students who are yet to be identified. Following primary treatment, the three seriously injured girls were referred to Orail Medical College for advanced care.

Sarila outpost in-charge, Dinesh Patel, confirmed that the e-rickshaw was carrying seven students when its steering mechanism failed. The driver also sustained injuries but fled the scene after the accident. Police have launched a search to locate him.

Inauguration of the new IKS Centre at the National Sanskrit University



(Capital Information)

Tirupati, Sep 25 : A new Indian Knowledge System Centre has been established at the National Sanskrit University, Tirupati, which was sanctioned by the Bharatiya Gyana Pampara, Division, New Delhi, under Minister of Education.

The Chancellor of the University, Needamangalam Gopalaswamy, the Vice-Chancellor of the University Prof. G.S.R. Krishnamurthy and the Padma shree awardee, Madugula Nagaphani Sharma, The inauguration was held along with IKS Division, New Delhi National Coordinator Ganti Suryanarayana Murthy, Academic Dean Prof. Rajinikanth Shukla, Registrar K.Venkatanarayana Rao.

Chancellors Speech: Later, a conference organized at the Annarao Sabha Bhavan of the university, Kuladhipathi Gopalaswamy said that it is

very gratifying to set up an IKS center in the university. We want to bring out the knowledge, science and scientific aspects of Sanskrit, especially through this IKS center. And provide the knowledge in Sanskrit to everyone in the world. Similarly, this IKS center should be a destination for foreigners to come to this university and study knowledge of Sanskrit. In the inaugural address, it was urged to move forward with a plan on what goals to achieve through the IKS Center in the next five years. He congratulated the authorities and faculty members of the university on this auspicious occasion. Later, distinguished Brahmarshi Sahasravadhani, Padma Shri awardee Madugula Nagaphanisharma spoke. He suggested that mindfulness is a unique element in the Indian tradition of knowledge, that the art of mindful-



ness enhances memory and talent in students, and that everyone should move forward by learning about the many scientific and psychological aspects of the Indian tradition of knowledge.

Afterwards, the Vice-Chancellor of the University, Prof. G.S.R. Krishnamurthy, spoke and said that many centers have been set up in India by the IPS Division. But this year, out of the 250 applications, proposals like those sent by the National Sanskrit University stood out. The IKS Division, Minister of Education, Delhi, expressed its delight at the approval and establishment of an IKS center at the university. He suggested moving forward by encouraging research, especially on scientific and technological topics, through IKS. He congratulated to all faculty.

Later, Academic Dean Prof. Rajinikanth Shukla spoke and explained the

main objectives of the IKS Center. Later, IKS Division, New Delhi National Coordinator, Mr. Ganti Suryanarayanamurthy, said that it is essential to set up an IKS center in the university, which will help uncover the Indian heritage of knowledge in the Sanskrit language. Registrar Sri Kadiyam Venkata Narayana Rao participated in the program and given best wishes to all.

This program was well organized by the Coordinator of the IKS Center Prof. Shivaram Bhatt, Head of the Research and Publication Department and the Additional Coordinator, Dr. Kumar Bagewadi Math Education Department, Assistant Professor successfully organized the program. Deans, department heads, faculty and students of various schools participated in this program and made the program a success.

CCS team raids gambling dens : CP P Sai Chaitanya

(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Bureau, Sep 25 : The CCS team conducted a raid on a gambling den and seized Rs. 25,230/- in cash and 15 cell phones. 16 people were taken into custody and handed over to the PS. On the orders of Nizamabad Police Commissioner Sai Chaitanya, a raid was conducted at two places under the command of Task Force In-charge



ACP Nagendra Chari, CCS SI Govind, SI Mahesh and staff. A raid was conducted

players, 7 cell phones, and cash worth Rs. 13,300/- were seized and handed over to the Varni SHO for further action.

A raid was conducted on a poker base in Mosra village under Varni Police Station limits and 9 poker players, 8 cell phones, and cash worth Rs. 11,930/- were seized and handed over to the Varni SHO for further action.

MLC Shankar, Collector Ila Tripathi, leaders of various parties participated in the Bathukamma celebrations



(Capital Information)

Nalgonda town, Sep 25 : The Bathukamma celebrations organized by Reddy Jagruti on Thursday night at the NG College grounds in Nalgonda town were abuzz.

Bathukammas decorated with flowers were brought and the Bathukamma dance was performed to reflect the culture and traditions of Telangana. With this, the entire NG College premises was filled with women.

It was thrilling with flowers. All the women participated in large numbers and cheered with Bathukamma songs.

All the people of the town gathered in large numbers to watch these. The artists

also enthralled with their dances. Even children and adults participated in the Bathukamma celebrations.

Leaders of various parties participated in this non-partisan program under the auspices of Reddy Jagruti founding president Pitta Srinivas Reddy.

MLC Kethawat Shankar Nayak participated and played Bathukamma with the woman. Later, he said that it is a matter of joy that a large-scale Bathukamma celebration is being organized in the Nalgonda district center under the auspices of Reddy Jagruti. He congratulated the organizers on this occasion.

Similarly, District Collec-

tor Ila Tripathi also participated in these Bathukamma celebrations and played Bathukamma. Leaders of various parties and women leaders who participated in this Bathukamma festival participated and spoke. Later, many women were honored and prizes were given to the best Bathukammas.

The program was attended by Nalgonda Town Congress Party President Gummula Mohan Reddy, BJP State Leader Goli Madhusudhan Reddy, Reddy Jagruti Co-Founder Kottam Madhusudhan Reddy, Telangana State President Gujja Jaganmohan Reddy, National Vice President Alugubelli Ram Reddy, Dis-

trict President Gade Saidireddy, leaders Kotla Ashok Reddy, Mandadi Sandhya Reddy, Alugubelli Venkat Reddy, Maila Muralidhar Reddy, Ramidi Sravani Reddy, Bobbali Ganesh Reddy, Komatireddy Aruna Reddy, Gundreddy Venkat Reddy, Kancharakuntla Venkat Reddy, Beeram Swathi Reddy, Jinugu Jyoti Reddy, Kethireddy Kavita Reddy, Nami Reddy Venkat Reddy, Vangala Anil Reddy, Komatireddy Buchi Reddy, Nandikonda Geethareddy, Nagamani Reddy, Sureddy Saraswathi Reddy, Dubbaroopa, and members of the Bathukamma Sambarala State Executive Committee participated.



Former MLA Kancharla participated in a special pooja program

(Capital Information)

Nalgonda, Sep 25 : Former MLA Kancharla Bhupal Reddy participated in the special pooja program in G Yadavelli village of Kangal mandal and participated in the Muthyalamma festival and performed special poojas. Later, he visited the Kanakadurga idol mandapam set up in the village and performed poojas. Former Kangal MPP SK Karim Pasha, Kangal and Yadavelli Single Window Chairman Vangala Sahadeva Reddy, Doti Srinivas, former Nalgonda ZPTC, Tummala Lingaswamy, Kanagal Nalgonda Mandal Party Presidents Aithagani Yadayya, Depa Venkat Reddy, former Councillor Ravula Srinivasa Reddy, former MPTCs, Karnati Jagat, Sunkireddy Venkat Reddy, Yaramadha Venkat Reddy, Badupula Shankar, former Sarpanchs, Pulakaram Marayya, Karingu Janayya, Kanugu Bhupathi, Bhargav, Gaddam Sravan and others participated in this program.



A People's Government that is Committed to its Promise : MLA Vemula Veeresham

(Capital Information)

Nakrekal, Sep 25 : Nakrekal MLA Vemula Veeresham inspected the large tank in the Narketpally town center and performed poojas to the Krishnamma who is pouring water. Speaking on the occasion, the MLA said that today, farmers are jumping into the Narketpally tank, which has been deserted for 15 years, in the joy of water art, and the barren lands are about to become fertile.



Collector inspects Mahbubnagar Shishu Gruha Promises better facilities and care for children

(Capital Information)

Mahbubnagar, Sep 25 : District Collector Viziendira Boyi on Thursday paid a surprise visit to the Shishu Gruha and directed officials to ensure motherly affection and proper care for the children housed there.

During his inspection, the Collector reviewed the surroundings and examined the health profiles of each child. He instructed the staff to monitor the growth of the children age-wise and to provide a special diet for underweight children. Stressing on hygiene and clothing, he told staff to maintain high standards of care.

Mrs Boyi said children must be raised in a homely atmosphere and encouraged to play in the dedicated park facilities. She assured that necessary funds would be allocated to provide better amenities for the children.

Later, the Collector inspected the construction works of the new Children's Home building and the renovated meeting hall on the State Home premises. He also reviewed the condition of the old urban and rural CDPO offices.

DWO Zareena Begum, CDPO Shailasri, DCPU officer Nar-mada, Child Protection Officer Ramulu, and Shishu Gruha staff accompanied the Collector during the visit.



SP inspected Haveli Ghanpur Police Station

(Capital Information)

Medak, Sep 25 : SP D.V. Srinivasa Rao conducted surprise inspections within the limits of Haveli Ghanpur Police Station. In these inspections, police station records, case registration status, progress of pending cases, beat books, staff attendance register, etc. were thoroughly examined. He clarified that VPOs (Village Police Officers) should visit every village under their jurisdiction regularly, take crime prevention measures, identify and resolve minor disputes early.

The SP reminded that VPOs are responsible for not only maintaining peace and security in the villages, but also keeping a watch on criminal activities. On the other hand, in the wake of the Meteorological Department declaring a yellow alert for Medak District, the SP directly inspected the water level rise situation at the Pocharam project. On this occasion, he instructed the police personnel on picket duty to be vigilant and not allow tourists to go towards the water.

District SP D.V. Srinivasa Rao, speaking, said that public safety is the first duty of the police and advised every officer and staff to discharge their responsibilities with commitment. He said that if there are any problems, the staff should be informed. Ruler CI George SI Naresh was present during the inspections.



Farmers should not face urea shortage

(Capital Information)

Kodad, Sep 25 : Kribco MD SS Yadav and Chairman Sudhakar Chowdhury along with PACS chairmen Namburu Suryam, Dega Babu and Bajjuru Venkat Reddy on Thursday requested the government to ensure that farmers do not face urea shortage.

On this occasion, they participated in the annual general meeting of Kribco held in Delhi and spoke. They brought to his attention the difficulties faced by farmers. They said that a situation has arisen where not even a single bag of urea is available per acre. They asked for a large supply of urea to support the farmers. Later, they were felicitated. Several PACS chairmen and others participated in the program.

Garbage, Auto Nuisance Plague Anjireddy Colony

Residents irked by waste dumping, late-night cylinder filling and constant auto movement

(Capital Information)
Karmanghat, Sep 25 : Residents of Anjireddy Colony under Champapet division are up in arms against the stench and nuisance caused by indiscriminate dumping of garbage and constant movement of autos near their houses.

According to colony resident L. Karunakar, huts have come up on a 4,000-sq. yard vacant plot opposite plots 11 and 12. Though a compound wall was built earlier, a portion was demolished, allowing free movement of 10-12 families residing in makeshift huts and scores of autos passing through the lane.

"Some auto drivers are engaged in illegal gas cylinder filling, which continues till



late night. Autos keep moving from 4 a.m. until 1 a.m., and at times gather in groups in front of our homes, chatting away through the night. A few even urinate in front of houses," he alleged.

Residents said that garbage is being dumped in



plastic covers right in front of their houses, creating unbearable stench and posing health hazards. "It has become impossible to step out of our homes as heaps of waste block the pathway," they said.

The colony welfare association members pointed out

that despite cases being booked earlier against the illegal gas cylinder filling activity, the practice continues unchecked. They urged officials to immediately rebuild the damaged compound wall and put an end to the nuisance.

"We have no objection to the poor families living in the vacant land. But they should not dump waste in front of our houses, nor should autos move around day and night. If alternative arrangements are made, we have no problem," residents said.



Road Accident Near Toll Plaza: Husband's death, serious injuries to wife

(Capital Information)

Jogulamba Gadwala, Sep 25 : A road accident occurred Jogulamba Gadwala District, Undavelli Mandal, near Pullur Toll Plaza on Thursday early morning.

A man was killed when a lorry stopped near the toll Plaza and collided with a bike from behind. Another was seriously injured. Going into the details..... a man named Mastan is riding his wife from Hyderabad to Kadapa. Her husband Mastan died on the spot when a lorry collided with a lorry who was winning at the toll plaza early Thursday morning.

His wife suffered serious injuries. The deceased's husband and the wife of the seriously injured wife were shifted to Kurnool Government Hospital.

Sanitary workers to undergo health check-ups at SafaiMitra Suraksha Camp : Y.O. Nandan

(Capital Information)

Nellore, Sep 25 : Health check-ups were conducted for sanitation workers on Wednesday under the joint auspices of Nellore Municipal Corporation and Urban Primary Health Centre, NBT Colony.

Municipal Commissioner Y.O. Nandan, who was the chief guest for this program, inaugurated the medical camp and said that as part of Swachhta Hi Seva-2025, in collaboration with Swachh Bharat Mission, all sanitation workers in NBT Colony should be educated about cancer, BP, sugar tests, eye diseases, lack of sanitation and diseases caused by water pollution, along with medical and health check-ups.

All sanitation workers

should maintain their health by conducting health check-ups every month. Only if you are healthy can the environment be clean. Every



UPHC has modern medical tests and medicines for diagnosis, no less than corporate hospitals, and they should be utilized properly.

Municipal Health Officer Dr. Kanakadri said that the SafaiMitra Suraksha Medical Camp is being organized from September 17th to October 2nd, specifically for the health and welfare of the families of sanitation

workers, and various programs are being organized.

Later, PMP and RUDS organizations felicitated City Commissioner Y.O. Nandan

and Municipal Health Officer Dr. Kanakadri with shawls. Health Officer Dr. Jijiabai, UPHC Medical Officer Dr. Reena Bharathi, Veterinary Medical Officer Dr. Madan Mohan, 32nd Division Corporator Talluri Avinash, Community Organizer Kondapuram Venkateswarlu, PMP District President and Secretaries Sakavarapu Venugopal, Gorantla Seshiah, Ruds Charitable Trust Chairman Sheik Rasool, SC, ST, BC, Minority Cell State President K. Subbarao, Supervisor Jayalakshmi and others participated.

- A. Jayaprakash

The principle of unity, humanism is the mantra for the development of the country : MLA Dhanpal Suryanarayana Gupta

(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Bureau, Sep 25 : On the occasion of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay's birth anniversary, Nizamabad Urban MLA Dhanpal Suryanarayana and Armoor MLA Paidi Rakesh Reddy participated as the chief guests in the birth anniversary celebrations organized by the Maruti Nagar Sneha Society at the Bharatiya Janata Party office on Thursday.

On this occasion, floral garlands were placed at the portrait of MLA Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay and tributes were paid. Later, MLA Dhanpal spoke and said that Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay was a great person who proposed the principle of unity and humanism to silence those who said that the Bharatiya Jana



Sangh has no principles. Dayal Upadhyaya said. With the desire of Deendayal ji to provide the fruits of government welfare to the last poor, he said that the Bharatiya Janata Party was established with the aim of national reconstruction, with the ambition of establishing India as a power-

ful and prosperous country and a world leader among the countries of the world.

He said that based on the theory of oneness and humanism formulated by Deendayal ji, BJP was able to form the government three times in a row from 2 seats to nearly 300 seats today, and

India will stand as an example to the countries of the world. He said that in line with Deendayal ji's aspirations to provide the fruits of welfare to the poorest of the poor in this country, many welfare schemes have been brought for the development of the people of this country.

He said that if we look at the administration of our BJP under Narendra Modi in the last 11 years, many revolutionary achievements have been brought along with welfare schemes. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, Garib Anna Kalyan Yojana. He said that the people of the country have benefited from many welfare schemes like Ayushman Bharat, Pasa Bhima Yojana, Ujjwala Yojana, Sukanya Samriddhi Yojana, Mudra Loans,

Vishwakarma Yojana. Although the BJP has achieved many revolutionary achievements in the developing country of India, there are still many things to be achieved.

He suggested that the activists should work with the same spirit to realize the dream of Shyama Prasad Mukherjee, Deendayal Upadhyay, Atal Ji Advani to make India a world teacher and to make this country an Akhand Bharat. Armoor MLA Paidi Rakesh Reddy, BJP District President Dinesh Patel Kulachari, BJP State Secretary Sravanthi Reddy, General Secretaries Nagolla Lakshminarayana, P. Lakshminarayana, district leaders, mandal presidents, activists and others participated in this program.

CARE Hospitals launches heart-warming World Heart Day film: "Dil toh baccha hai... har din nayi kahaani likhta hai"

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad, Sep 25 : CARE Hospitals, one of India's leading healthcare providers, has launched a heart-touching awareness film ahead of World Heart Day on 29 September. Titled "Dil toh baccha hai... har din nayi kahaani likhta hai," the film reimagines heart health through the playful eyes of "Hridaya," a witty, childlike embodiment of the human heart.

The film follows Tara, a young professional navigating the relentless grind of deadlines, solitude, and stress. Her world shifts when she encounters "Hridaya," a mischievous yet wise figure who embodies her own heart. Hridaya playfully interrupts her rushed routines, mocks her unhealthy choices, and reminds her that toughness without self-care is incomplete.

What begins as irritation soon turns into rediscovery. With Hridaya's nudges, Tara learns to slow down, savor the occasional ice



cream, reconnect with her creative side, and embrace balance. The film closes with a steady heartbeat, symbolising resilience and care reinforcing CARE Hospitals' message for World Heart Day: "Dil toh baccha hai... har din nayi kahaani likhta hai."


The awareness film premieres on CARE Hospitals' official YouTube channel and social media handles: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LybnJZSIGKE>

Speaking on the initiative, Shalabh Dang, Chief Sales & Marketing Officer, CARE Group of Hospitals,

said, "At CARE Hospitals, we believe the heart is more than just an organ, it's an emotional compass that thrives when nurtured. This film reflects the struggles of today's professionals and reminds us that listening to our hearts is the first step towards healthier, happier lives."

The World Heart Day initiative goes beyond the film with a multi-touchpoint rollout, including radio campaigns across leading stations, corporate awareness drives in Hyderabad, walkathons across all CARE Hospitals units. Anchored by the global theme "Don't Skip the Beat," these initiatives aim to spark awareness and inspire people to actively care for their hearts.

The campaign highlights CARE Hospitals' commitment to heart health and well-being, encouraging people to see their hearts not just as biological engines, but as companions that need love, laughter, and care.

 SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY Follow us on @SCRailwayIndia Details of the Tender Notices of S.C. Railway can be seen on our website : www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in	E- Tender Notice No. 47/DRM/WW/GNT dt 19.09.2025	Public Notice	<p>The undersigned invites e-tenders for the works mentioned below upto 15:30 hrs of 16.10.25.</p> <p>S. No. 1, Tender ID: 2818, DEN Section: North, Description of work: GUNTUR Division: Construction of Staff Quarters Ty-II (10 units) at Chityala Station, Approx value in Rs.: 2,94,14,706.00, EMD Rs.: 2,97,100.00</p> <p>S. No. 2, Tender ID: 2819, DEN Section: North, Description of work: GUNTUR Division: Replacement of dilapidated Staff Quarters Ty-II (14 units) at Nadikudi Station, Approx value in Rs.: 4,11,80,621.00, EMD Rs.: 3,55,900.00</p> <p>1. Last date for online submission of E-bids is upto 15.30 hrs of 16.10.2025. For detailed information login to website www.ireps.gov.in</p> <p>2. Any further Communication/Corrigendum shall be intimated through E-portal www.ireps.gov.in.</p> <p>Divisional Railway Manager (Works), Guntur</p> <p>Open e-Tender Notice No. DRM/Works/BZA/25/2025 Dt. 23.09.2025</p> <p>For and on behalf of the President of India, the undersigned invites E-Tenders for the following works up to 15:00 hours and the date mentioned against each.</p> <p>S.No:- 1, Tender No:- E-17-South-BZA-2025, Details of work:- Name of work: Guduru - Vijayawada section track works in Sr. DEN/S/BZA jurisdiction. SW-I: CTR(P) 6.772Ktm at various locations on Passenger loop lines. SW-II: CTR(S)-2.893 Ktm at various locations on non-passenger loop lines. SW-III: (i) TBR(M/L): Through Ballast Recouping of track along with deep screening by BCM/ Manual for a total length of 11.578 Ktm, (ii) TBR (L/L) with modified BCM for a length of 6.856 TKm, (iii) TBR(T/I) - 59 Sets at various locations. SW-IV: (i) TFR (A/F): Through renewal of fittings on PSC sleeper track for a total length of 18.098 TKm, (ii) TFR (CGRSP): Through renewal of Rubber Pads on PSC sleeper track for a total length of 14.143 TKm, (iii) TFR(FS+TWS+WCMS) - 13 Sets, (iv) TTRR (TWS+ WCMS) - 47 Sets, (v) TTR (FS+TWS) - 02 Sets, (vi) TTRR (WCMS) - 29 Sets, and (vii) Glued Joints - 114 Nos., Period of completion: 18 (Eighteen Months), Tender Value: Rs.5,28,22,520.00, E.M.D.: Rs.4,14,100.00, Date of Closing: 15.10.2025.</p> <p>1. Tender conditions / other particulars such as the details of Name of work in full, the similar nature of the above works, eligibility criteria etc., are available in the Tender documents published in website at "www.ireps.gov.in"</p> <p>2. The prospective tenderers are advised to visit website "www.ireps.gov.in" before the date of tender closing to note any changes/corrigenda for any tender.</p> <p>3. The Tender Notice is also displayed in the Notice Board located in the office of Divisional Railway Manager (Works), S. C. Railway, Vijayawada and ADEN Sub-Divisional Offices of Vijayawada Division which can be seen.</p> <p>4. The Railway reserves the right to cancel the tender without assigning any reason thereto.</p> <p>Divisional Railway Manager (Works), Vijayawada</p> <p>E-TENDER NOTICE No. GNT/E.15 & 17/TrD/2025-26</p> <p>E-Tenders from the Contractors for the following works are invited by the undersigned up to 15:30 hrs. on 20.10.2025.</p> <p>SI. No. 01, Tender Title: GNT Division - Replacement of existing Steel Girders with PSC slabs for 35 Bridges - Modifications to OHE, Tender Ref. No.: GNT/E.15/TrD/2025-26, Dt. 22.09.2025, Approx. Value in Rs.: 1,62,89,713.00, Earnest Money Deposit in Rs.: 2,31,500.00, Cost of tender form (Non-refundable) in Rs.: Nil</p> <p>SI. No. 02, Tender Title: GNT Division - Construction of 2-lane & 4-lane ROBS - 5 nos., OHE modifications, Tender Ref. No.: GNT/E.16/TrD/2025-26, Dt. 22.09.2025, Approx. Value in Rs.: 1,24,72,347.00, Earnest Money Deposit in Rs.: 2,12,400.00, Cost of tender form (Non-refundable) in Rs.: Nil</p> <p>SI. No. 03, Tender Title: GNT Division - Construction of RUBS - 3nos., OHE Modifications, Tender Ref. No.: GNT/E.17/TrD/2025-26, Dt. 22.09.2025, Approx. Value in Rs.: 22,18,791.00, Earnest Money Deposit in Rs.: 44,400.00, Cost of tender form (Non-refundable) in Rs.: Nil</p> <p>Last date and time for online submission of E-bids: 20.10.2025 up to 15:30 hrs.</p> <p>If the due date of tender opening is declared as holiday at a later date the tenders will be opened on the next working day.</p> <p>For any detailed information log on to website www.ireps.gov.in on or after 22.09.2025 up to 15:30 hrs on 20.10.2025. Any further communication / corrigendum shall only be intimated through E-portal www.ireps.gov.in.</p> <p>Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer, TRD, Guntur</p> <p>NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER (through https://ireps.gov.in)</p> <p>Senior Divisional Electrical Engineer, Traction Distribution, Secunderabad invites e-tender on behalf of the President of India for the following works in Single packet system of tendering.</p>	<p>SI. No.: 1, NIT No: C/E.29/TRD/SC/47/2025-26, Name of the work: Tender No. C/E.29/TRD/SC/47/2025-26 Dt.24.09.2025 "SC Division: Replacement of leaning/critical and less contact wire height OHE structures due to raising of track with new OHE structure in connection with safety in KI-BPO section.", Details:- Estimate Cost: Rs.2,64,71,702.69, Completion period: 180 Days, Date of closing: 17.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs</p> <p>SI. No.: 2, NIT No: C/E.29/TRD/SC/48/2025-26, Name of the work: Tender No. C/E.29/TRD/SC/48/2025-26 Dt.24.09.2025 "SC Division: Separate Isolation arrangement of Common loops for improvement operational safety in KZJ-WD section.", Details:- Estimate Cost: Rs.3,35,81,978.00, Completion period: 180 Days, Date of closing: 17.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs</p> <p>SI. No.: 3, NIT No: C/E.29/TRD/SC/49/2025-26, Name of the work: SC Division-Provision of Gantry Isolation arrangement at Traction Sub-Station and Switching stations over SC division., Details:- Estimate Cost: Rs.2,82,97,788.80, Completion period: 180 Days, Date of closing: 17.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs</p> <p>1) For bid document and other details, please login to website http://ireps.gov.in</p> <p>2) Tenderers should participate through e-tendering only and no manual offers may be considered.</p> <p>3) All the prospective tenderers are requested to remit Cost of tender form & EMD through online payments only.</p> <p>4) All the prospective tenderers are advised to get GSTIN identification Nos. and submit along with their offers.</p> <p>5) Tenderer should watch for any Corrigenda (issued online only) up to the date of commencement of the Tender submission period.</p> <p>Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer/ TRD, Secunderabad</p> <p>Tender Notice No. G/E.29/Tr./Tender Notice/24/2025-26</p> <p>Senior Divisional Electrical Engineer / Traction / Guntakal acting for on behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders for the following works.</p> <p>Tender No. GTL-TRD-29-eTN-47-2025-26, Name of work: Guntakal Division - Replacement of Composite Insulators with Porcelain Insulators in connection with safety over the Division, Approx value: Rs.2,57,14,900.00, EMD: Rs.2,79,600.00</p> <p>Tender Closing date & time: 16.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs.</p> <p>Note: 1. Tender document may be downloaded from www.ireps.gov.in by tenderers free of cost.</p> <p>For bidding the tender and other details login to https://www.ireps.gov.in. Corrigendum if any will be issued online only.</p> <p>Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer, Traction, Guntakal</p> <p>E-Tender Notice No. N-SG-36-2025 -26 TRR-49-14, Dtd. 22.09.2025</p> <p>Sr. DSTE/NED acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders for the following work.</p> <p>Tender Number and Date: N-SG-36-2025-26-TRR-49-14 Dated 22.09.2025, Name of work: S&T works in connection with Mannad - Mukhed (SL) - TRR (P) - 49.304 Tkm (130 Kmph) in Nanded Division, Estimated Project Cost: Rs.1,04,60,825.00, Bid Security Deposit: Rs.2,02,300.00, Completion Period of Work: 12 Months, Bid Closing Date (Bid Due Date): 15.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs., Bid Opening Date: 15.10.2025 after 15:00 hrs., Validity of Offer: 60 Days from Bid Closing Date, Cost of Tender Booklet: Rs.0.00;</p> <p>All bidding is in Indian Railway e-tendering portal www.ireps.gov.in. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender. Further details can be seen in www.ireps.gov.in</p> <p>Sr. Divisional Signal & Telecom Engineer / Nanded</p> <p>E-Tender Notice No. N-SG-36-2025 -26 TWS-74-15, Dtd. 23.09.2025</p> <p>Sr. DSTE/NED acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders for the following work.</p> <p>Tender Number and Date: N-SG-36-2025-26-TWS-74-15 Dated 23.09.2025, Name of work: S&T works in connection with Mannad - Mukhed - FS+TWS+WCMS- 74 sets, CS+CMS- 3 sets, SEJ 42 sets in Nanded Division, Estimated Project Cost: Rs.3,61,05,651.00, Bid Security Deposit: Rs.3,30,500.00, Completion Period of Work: 12 Months, Bid Closing Date (Bid Due Date): 16.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs., Bid Opening Date: 16.10.2025 after 15:00 hrs., Validity of Offer: 60 Days from Bid Closing Date, Cost of Tender Booklet: Rs.0.00;</p> <p>All bidding is in Indian Railway e-tendering portal www.ireps.gov.in. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender. 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Editorial India marks 11 years of ‘Make in India’

It is gladdening to see how #11YearsOfMakeInIndia has contributed to furthering economic growth and laying the foundation for Aatmanirbharta, Prime Minister Narendra Modi said today, marking the magnificent 11 years of the 'Make In India' Programme.

'Make in India' has a transformative impact on India's economic landscape and entrepreneurial ecosystem.

Responding to the post of MyGovIndia on X, Modi wrote, "11 years ago on this day, the Make in India initiative was launched with a vision to add momentum to India's growth and tap into our nation's entrepreneurial potential."

"It is gladdening to see how #11YearsOfMakeInIndia has contributed to furthering economic strength and laying the foundation for Aatmanirbharta. It has encouraged innovation and job creation across sectors."

'Make in India' was launched in 2014 by government with an aim to create and encourage companies to develop, manufacture, and assemble products in India and incentivize dedicated investments into manufacturing.

This policy approach was unique and focused on creating a conducive environment for investments, developing a modern and efficient infrastructure, and opening up new sectors for foreign capital.

Today, Commerce Minister

Piyush Goyal praised the efforts of PM Narendra Modi for the 'Make in India' scheme posted on X "Eleven years ago, PM @NarendraModi ji launched 'Make In India' with a vision to revive Bharat's manufacturing strength. Today, I am proud to say that this vision has transformed India into a global manufacturing powerhouse."

"In these years, record FDI inflows, vast improvements in ease of doing business, our rise as the second-largest mobile manufacturer globally, soaring exports, and expanding defence production, all showcase how far we have come."

"The Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme has gener-

ated massive investments and jobs, while our vibrant startup ecosystem, driven by the enthusiasm and energy of our youth and women, has made India the world's third-largest hub of innovation. This journey has been made possible because of the collective effort of our industry, MSMEs, startups, entrepreneurs, and every citizen who carries the spirit of Swadeshi in their heart."

So far, the #11YearsOfMakeInIndia story is that of resurgence. The decades ahead will script a story of global leadership through Aatmanirbhar and Viksit Bharat," the post added.

Minister Goyal also shared a pictorial representation showing the transformation that happened

in past eleven years, as India is now the world's second-largest mobile phone manufacturer, with electronics production soaring.

In Defence, a 225 pc surge in production has propelled exports to more than 100 countries, elevating India's status as a trusted security partner. The automobile sector, too, is booming, while the auto-components industry has doubled its output in only five years.

Technology and innovation are equally central to this story. India proudly produced its first home-grown semiconductor chip this year, supported by a Rs76,000-crore semiconductor mission that promises long-term self-reliance.

In pharmaceuticals, the nation remains the "pharmacy of the world," ranking third globally by production volume and supplying affordable medicines to over 200 countries.

These achievements are backed by bold policy reforms and massive infrastructure upgrades that have unlocked record FDI inflows and encouraged a thriving start-up ecosystem.

As India celebrates a decade of Make in India, the initiative stands as a model of how strategic reforms, technological ambition, and home-grown innovation can transform a once import-dependent nation into a manufacturing powerhouse ready to lead the global economy.

“Navratri, Prasad and Parenting: The Importance of Discernment in Faith”

Navratri is a highly significant festival in Indian culture and religious beliefs. It is not just a nine-day celebration, but also a symbol of devotion, restraint, health, and social responsibility. During Navratri, devotees worship Goddess Durga in their homes and temples, and pay special attention to food and eating habits. Halwa-puri, chana dal, fruits, and other traditional dishes hold special significance for devotees on this occasion. The deliciousness and sacred nature of these dishes make them a part of a religious ritual.

However, amidst this sacred tradition, an important question arises: Are these dishes prepared during Navratri safe only for human consumption, or can they also be given to our sacred friends, such as cows? This question is important not only from a religious perspective, but also from a health and ecological perspective.

The halwa-puri prasad (offering) during Navratri is primarily prepared from wheat flour, ghee, and sugar. Devotees delight in its flavor and aroma, and consider it a symbol of devotion to the Goddess. Enjoying

halwa-puri is not only a part of the celebration, but also strengthens family and social bonds. However, it is equally important to consider its health benefits.

Halwa-puri provides a limited amount of energy and satisfaction for humans. However, eating it in excessive amounts can cause digestive problems, weight gain, and other health risks. During Navratri, people often consume fruits, light sattvic foods, and milk to purify both the body and mind. Therefore, Halwa-puri should be consumed in moderation and with caution.

Now the question arises whether halwa-puri can be given to cows. Cows are considered extremely sacred in Hinduism. They are considered a mother, and religious texts emphasize the importance of serving and protecting them. However, cows' digestive systems differ from humans. They primarily rely on green grass, fodder, straw, and grains. Heavy and sweet foods like ghee, sugar, and refined flour can be harmful to them. Excessive ghee and sugar in halwa-puri can adversely affect their health, causing diarrhea, indi-

Traditional offerings like halwa and puri are important during Navratri, but they are safe only for humans. Cows' digestive systems differ from humans, so products made with ghee, sugar, and refined flour can be harmful. During this time, cows should only be fed green grass, straw, fruits, and fodder. Devotion and protection can coexist. The purpose of Navratri is not just devotion, but also prudent faith and animal protection. By maintaining balance, we can maintain both tradition and animal welfare.

gestion, and other gastrointestinal problems.

The need for balance becomes clear here. The purpose of Navratri is not only faith and devotion, but also to maintain coexistence with animals and nature. Devotion and protection can coexist. Offering halwa and puri is not good for the health of cows, and the best option is to provide them with natural fodder, green grass, and fruits. From a religious perspective, the true meaning of devotion is to use discretion while still practicing our faith.

Traditionally, the distribution of prasad during Navratri should be limited to human consumption only. Doing so adheres to religious beliefs and ensures the safety of animals. Many temples and religious

sites maintain this balance by offering only fruits, green leaves, and dry grains as prasad. This provides nutrition to cows and protects their health.

This topic is extremely important from a cultural perspective. In Indian tradition, the cow is considered a mother. Religious texts and folk tales specifically mention their protection, respect, and service. If we ignore the health of cows during Navratri out of devotion and tradition, we fail to uphold the principles of their protection and care. This is a matter where a balance between religion and science is essential.

Education and awareness play a crucial role in this regard. Religious organizers, temples, and families need to understand that every offering they



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make must be safe not only for humans but also for animals, if any. Awareness campaigns should be conducted through schools, social organizations, and religious organizations to ensure that people understand that halwa-puri is not safe for cows.

Health experts also believe that keeping cows away from human food is essential for their long-term health. Ghee, sugar, and oil-based foods can cause problems in their gastrointestinal system. Therefore, traditional offerings during Navratri should be enjoyed only for humans. This maintains religious values and ensures the safety of the animals.

The significance of Halwa-Puri during Navratri is not limited to taste or tradition. It is also a medium of devotion, col-

lective enthusiasm, and spending time with family. But we must remember that devotion does not simply mean following tradition; it must also include discretion and prudence. Prasad should be distributed while keeping in mind the health of cows and other domestic animals.

Studies and experiences show that neglecting animals during religious events not only impacts their health but also highlights a lack of awareness in society. Therefore, prioritizing both animal safety and human health during Navratri is essential. This fulfills both our religious beliefs and social responsibility.

Through this tradition, we can also impart an important lesson to children. They can be taught that religious festivals are not just a means of celebration and joy, but also hold messages of wisdom, responsibility, and coexistence. When children learn that halwa-puri is only for humans and that cows are fed natural fodder, they become sensitive and responsible citizens in their own lives.

The message of Navratri is to embrace faith, restraint, and

prudence. While enjoying traditional delicacies and offerings, we must remember that the safety and health of our four-legged friends is paramount. If we maintain this balance, the Navratri celebration becomes even more meaningful and enjoyable.

Finally, it must be remembered that the true purpose of Navratri is not merely to indulge in food and drink and festivities. This festival teaches us that faith and wisdom can coexist. It is our religious and social responsibility to take care of the health of both humans and animals. Therefore, during Navratri, halwa-puri should be consumed in moderation for humans, and cows should be given only natural fodder. This is the correct and balanced approach, which integrates faith, culture, and safety.

Through this balance and wisdom, the Navratri festival not only becomes religiously fulfilling but also serves as an inspiring example for our society and animal welfare. In this way, we can adhere to religious faith and cultural tradition while fulfilling our responsibility to our four-legged friends.

‘BJP led Central Government failed at all fronts’ - Why does Congress allege so?

After the extended Congress Working Committee (CWC) meeting on September 24 in Bihar, a resolution was passed slamming the ruling BJP led central government that it has failed at all fronts. Why is the congress party alleging so? Why is the CWC terming the present government's foreign policies as a collapse of India's foreign policy. Why it is slamming the tilting towards China action and stating that 'tilt towards Beijing is a cure worse than the disease' and why is it warning that China poses major threats to our territorial integrity, national security, and economic prosperity. Why is the Congress Working Committee alleging that the BJP-RSS's relentless attacks on the Constitution and the Republic have continued unabated? Why does the CWC Resolution assert that unemployment is at historic highs, and MSMEs, which are the backbone of the Indian economy, have been driven to collapse? Why is it alleging that this government has turned a blind eye to the poor, the farmers, the workers, and the middle class alike - reserving compassion only for its crony friends? Why does the CWC allege that the ruling party has consistently sought to perpetuate communal polarisation, deliberately creating hateful campaign material and engaging in the worst kind of rumour-mongering to demonise Minorities? Why does the Congress party allege that the revelation of large-scale 'Vote Chori' (Deletion or Addition of Votes to manipulate electoral rolls) and irregularities in our electoral rolls has shaken public belief in the very foundations of our democracy? Let us see what issues the main opposition party is raising? And why is it claiming so?

Foreign Policy Front

Congress Party states in its resolution that India has always been a beacon of moral conscience and the champion of the postcolonial world - it has now shamefully been reduced to a silent spectator. Our foreign policy has now acquired a moral taint.

The Resolution adds the CWC is profoundly worried by the collapse of India's foreign policy. Successive governments since

independence have closely guarded our country's strategic autonomy, which is now being squandered as the government mindlessly oscillates between appeasing the US and tilting towards China. President Trump continues to claim that he used trade with the US as a bargaining chip to coerce India into abruptly halting Operation Sindoor in May 2025 - a claim that the Modi Government has refused to address with honesty. Despite the bargain, however, President Trump announced steep tariffs on Indian exports to the US - wreaking havoc on key industries that employ millions of our workers. The Government allowed the humiliation of hundreds of Indians as they were handcuffed, put on military aircraft and deported back to India by the USA. Shortly after, President Trump urged American technology companies like Google, Microsoft, and Apple to stop hiring Indians. And now, lakhs of Indian citizens find their future in the US at risk because of the Trump administration's hostile changes to the H1B visa policy.

The CWC further alleges that the Government's attempt to address this crisis with its recent reactionary tilt towards Beijing is a cure worse than the disease. China poses major threats to our territorial integrity, national security, and economic prosperity. Several official and unofficial sources have confirmed that the Chinese continue to occupy or deny India access to several key patrolling points and vast stretches of territory - despite the Prime Minister's shameful clean chit to China on June 19, 2020, when he brazenly claimed that "Na koi hamari seema mein ghusa hai, nahi koi ghusa hua hai." ("Neither has anyone entered our border, nor is anyone inside."). The deep integration of Chinese military officials and weapon systems in the Pakistani armed forces, made evident during Operation Sindoor, poses a threat of strategic encirclement of our territory. Economically, mounting Chinese imports - doubling in the last five years - have rendered India dangerously dependent on

China which is ever ready to weaponize trade for diplomatic gains. China's unannounced informal bans on key imports like fertilizers and rare earth minerals have broken the back of Indian farmers and MSMEs, hammered key sectors like agriculture, automobiles, electronics, defence, renewable energy, and telecom, and caused large-scale shutdowns and job losses.

The recent unrest in Nepal, the ongoing state of turbulence in our neighbourhood and the strategic alignment of our traditional allies like Maldives, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, and Bangladesh towards China also spells disaster for our national interests. Prime Minister Modi's "huglomacy" has backfired: far from boosting India's standing, it has left India diplomatically isolated and unable to secure its national interests.

The Congress Working Committee expresses profound distress over the ongoing genocide of innocent civilians in Gaza. CWC concludes that India has always been a beacon of moral conscience and the champion of the postcolonial world - it has now shamefully been reduced to a silent spectator. Our foreign policy has now acquired a moral taint.

Attacks on the Constitution

The extended Congress Working Committee slams that at a time when the nation needs stability, vision, and participatory governance, the country is instead witnessing a government that is bent on subordinating all institutions and morality in its pursuit of power. The Congress Working Committee observes that the BJP-RSS's relentless attacks on the Constitution and the Republic have continued unabated. The fundamental principles of our democracy - liberty, equality, fraternity, and justice -



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are being demolished brick by brick. Under the BJP social justice is being trampled on; reservations are routinely eroded through rampant privatisation, refusal to fill vacancies, and widespread use of underhand tactics like declaring candidates 'Not Found Suitable'. The Parliament has been undermined, and even Constitutional offices have not been spared. The Election Commission of India, long the cornerstone of our vibrant democracy, has been turned into a servile mouthpiece for the government. The CBI and ED have been reduced to blunt instruments of political vendetta, deployed against anyone who challenges Modi's rule. Every institution of democracy and justice has been diminished, with the state becoming subservient to the interests of the ruling party and its RSS allies. In these challenging times, the CWC appreciates the Telangana Government for boldly becoming the first state in the country to reserve 42% of local body seats for OBCs.

The economic devastation wrought by this government has plunged crores of Indians into despair, even as the Government attempts to manipulate data to create the image of a booming economy.

Economic Front

The CWC Resolution asserts that unemployment is at historic highs, and MSMEs, which are

the backbone of the Indian economy, have been driven to collapse. Question Papers of more than 80 major examinations have been leaked since 2014, putting the future of youth at risk. Inequality has risen to shameful levels, even as the Government deliberately pursues policies that favour only the PM's closest friends. Farmers, already burdened with debt, repeated natural calamities, shortage of fertilisers and rising prices of agricultural supplies are systematically being driven to suicides as they continue to be denied adequate central assistance. Instead of extending a helping hand to the states, the government has cynically withheld GST compensation, treating non-NDA states with stepmotherly bias. To make matters worse, the slashing of MGNREGA budgets has pushed millions of India's poorest citizens deeper into destitution. This government has turned a blind eye to the poor, the farmers, the workers, and the middle class alike - reserving compassion only for its crony friends.

The CWC expresses profound grief at the loss of lives in the unprecedented rains, cloud-bursts, and floods that have ravaged Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, Uttarakhand, Maharashtra and several other parts of the country. These disasters are a grim reminder of the ecological crisis unfolding before us and must serve as a turnstile that compels us to move towards more sustainable and environmentally responsible models of development. The scale of destruction caused by these floods has been staggering.

Thousands of crores worth of infrastructure, livestock, and agricultural and horticultural produce have been wiped out, plunging already vulnerable communities into even greater distress. At



such a moment of crisis, the Modi government has denied these states the legitimate assistance they desperately need.

Destroying social fabric

Condemning the social engineering policy and terming it as the systematic poisoning of the social fabric of India, the CWC alleges that the ruling party has consistently sought to perpetuate communal polarisation, deliberately creating hateful campaign material and engaging in the worst kind of rumour-mongering to demonise Minorities. Dalits and Adivasis continue to face rampant and escalating violence, and systemic discrimination. Shameful attempts have been made at the highest levels of government to mainstream the RSS, an organisation which has consistently proved its lack of allegiance to the Indian Constitution. After presiding over the collapse of state and society in Manipur for over two and a half years, the Prime Minister finally visited the state - but again failed to summon the moral courage to meaningfully engage with the people, giving them no more than five hours of his time. The Union Government's silence, inaction, and complicity have created a climate where perpetrators of hate and violence are emboldened.

The CWC expressed sorrow over the untimely and tragic demise of Assam's singing sensation, Zubeen Garg, and extended heartfelt condolences and solidarity to his grieving family and devoted audience. Singing in over 40 languages, he was a true ambassador of India's multicultural and multilingual heritage - an inspiring symbol of unity in today's socio-political climate, marked by division, hate, and polarization.

Attempts to subvert democracy

The Congress party alleges that the revelation of large-scale 'Vote Chori' (Deletion or Addition of Votes to manipulate electoral rolls) and irregularities in our electoral rolls has shaken public belief in the very foundations of our democracy. The CWC appreciated its former president and present leader of opposition in Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi, for boldly exposing the shameless Vote Chori and bravely fighting

these brazen attempts to subvert democracy. This exposes the systematic and deliberate conspiracy used to manufacture an elected majority for the BJP. The resolution states that a government built on stolen mandates and rigged voter lists has no moral or political legitimacy. It is not based on public trust but on deceit. In the absence of democratic accountability, the Government is freed of any obligation to care about unemployment, farmer suicides, inflation, crumbling healthcare, ruined education and crumbling infrastructure. The Government is apathetic because it knows that it can remain in power not through service but through deceit and fear. Vote Chori is inseparable from attacks on the Constitution, the economy, social justice, and national security. It is the single thread that exposes the regime's illegitimacy and its actions.

The CWC reiterates its dire apprehension regarding the "Special Intensive Revision" in Bihar as yet another dirty trick from the BJP's toolkit to manipulate electoral rolls and cling to power. Their aim is clear: to disenfranchise the poor, workers, backward classes and minorities - the very people who are determined to oust the NDA from Bihar. Once their votes are taken away, they will also be deprived of their other rights - ration, housing, water, pension, healthcare facilities and even dignity. CWC asserts that the "Voter Adhikar Yatra" led by the Leader of the Opposition, Rahul Gandhi, is a firm pledge that the Congress Party will never give up the fight for those who have been inhumanely treated, exploited, oppressed and marginalised by the BJP.

Concluding the resolution, the CWC claims, "The Congress Working Committee reaffirms its commitment to the Constitution and to the founding ideals of the Indian nation. We will stand strong against any attempts to undermine it. We will reclaim the Republic, restore the Constitution, and ensure justice, dignity and equality for all. The days of this corrupt, incompetent, and authoritarian government are numbered. The Bihar elections will seal its fate."

Education and Health Sectors are Two Eyes of the State Government

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Karimnagar, Sep 25 : The foundation stone for the construction of a new hostel building for boys and girls (ST) hostels for tribal students in the Satavahana University girls' hostel premises was laid by the state SC, ST, BC and Minority Welfare Minister Sri Adhuri Laxman Kumar and the state BC and Transport Minister Ponnambhahakar.

Speaking on the occasion, Laxman Kumar said that the decision taken by the state to provide hostel accommodation for poor and rural students is very commendable. The state government will establish many welfare schemes and infrastructure for poor and tribal children. As part of this, it has provided financial assistance to construct two hostel buildings worth Rs. 20 crores at a cost of Rs. 10 crores each. With this, hostel facilities will be provided to tribal and tribal students in universities and he called on students to come forward to pursue higher education.

Transport Minister Ponnambhahakar said that many good changes have

taken place under the leadership of the Telangana public administration, including the establishment of an engineering college in Husnabad and LLB, LLM and pharmacy courses in Karimnagar. He said that special attention is being paid to education and medical facilities in this district. Many developmental works have been done during the Congress regime. He said that despite the lack of sufficient funds in the state treasury to ensure that educational welfare programs can proceed without any hin-



drance, the cabinet is working collectively and is committed to the development of the state.

In addition, the university also wants the teachers to work hard to provide quality education by following the UGC grading, NAAC, AICTE guidelines and helping students to scale higher heights. Parents in rural areas send their children

to universities with great hopes to take education forward as per government regulations that we have to keep their hopes alive and strive to make first in the field of educational standards and responsibility to keep the name of Satavahana in the country and abroad. He wished that Telangana will shine if the education reaches its top. The state is marching towards the direction of development and shape the future of the children.

University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Umesh Kumar said that the state government is taking a lot of initiative towards educational facilities and infrastructure construction. As per the government's orders, in line with the aspira-

tions of the parents, the university will be put at the forefront in all fields and work towards achieving its goals.

District Collector Smt. Pamela Satpathi said that the state government is creating many employment opportunities for the people, that students will get good jobs only with quality higher education, that quality education will be available to students only if the infrastructure in universities is good, and that this state government is committed to providing good education, especially to the poor, and that students should take advantage of this and pave the way for a golden future.

In this program, Additional District Collector Ashwini Tanaji, Municipal Commissioner Prapul Desai, Suda Chairman Narendra Reddy, Tribal Welfare Officers, District Officers, RTI Officer, University Registrar Prof. Jasti Ravikumar, OSD to VC Dr. D. Harikant, Science College Principal Dr. S. Ramakant, Arts College Principal Prof. Sujatha, University Chief Warden Dr. Manohar, heads of various departments, faculty, non-teaching staff and students participated.



AP CM inaugurated the Integrated Common Command Control Center

(Capital Information)

Tirumala, Sep 25 : A real-time virtual model to simulate, visualise, and manage pilgrim flows, VIP movements, and accommodation in a global benchmark format. - Recognition & Reputation: TTD becomes the first global pilgrim center to transform pilgrim management into a smart, safe, and secure ecosystem with AI-powered queue predictions, automated announcements, kiosks, and mobile dashboards giving transparent outputs. With this innovative and advance technology, pilgrims enjoy a safe, informed, and stress-free darshan.

IT Minister N Lokesh, Chairman BR Naidu, EO AK Singhal and other officials were also present.

IIM Jammu hosts Hyderabad Roundtable Conference to Strengthen Academia-Industry Collaboration

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad, Sep 25 : The Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu organized the Hyderabad Roundtable Conference at Hotel Lemon Tree Premier, Hyderabad, bringing together policymakers, academics, and industry leaders to discuss future workforce readiness, technology, and industry-academia collaboration.

The event was inaugurated by Prof. B.S. Sahay, Director, IIM Jammu, who highlighted the institute's growth, international accreditations, and initiatives



such as Project YUVA, entrepreneurship building, and nation building. The conference featured three panel discussions on

Shaping Leaders of Tomorrow, The Power of Networking, and Learning Beyond Books. Industry experts emphasized the importance of innovation, adaptability, and experiential learning in preparing students for evolving corporate demands.

Senior faculty including Prof. Nitin Upadhyay (Dean Academics), Dr. Mahesh Gaddekar (Chairperson Placements), and Prof. Sanjay Gupta (Co-Chairperson Placements) underscored the role of such platforms in aligning education with industry needs.

TUDA Chairman Inaugurates Bhuvaneswari Trade Fair Exhibition

(Capital Information)

Tirupati, Sep 25 : The newly established Bhuvaneswari Trade Fair Exhibition on DBR Road in Tirupati was officially inaugurated today by Dollars Diwakar Reddy, Chairman of the Tirupati Urban Development Authority (TUDA) and a Board Member of the Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD), who attended as the Chief Guest.

During the inaugural visit, Diwakar Reddy inspected the main attraction set up by the organizers: a detailed model replica of the Ayodhya Ram Mandir featuring the idol of Bala Ramu.

Speaking to the media



afterward, the TUDA Chairman expressed his delight at the installation of the Ram Mandir model, noting the dedication of the creators.

He stated, "It is a matter of great joy that the organizers have successfully replicated the Ayodhya Ram Mandir, a model built by 200

artisans over a period of one month. I urge the people of Tirupati district to visit and seek darshan of the Bala Ramu at this sacred replica."

Diwakar Reddy also encouraged families, children, and adults to attend the exhibition in the evenings as a form of recreation and leisure.

Special Intensive Revision Process Should Be Conducted Strictly : Collector T.Vinay Krishna Reddy

(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Bureau, Sep 25 : Collector T.Vinay Krishna Reddy has suggested that the Special Intensive Revision Program to be undertaken as per the directions of the Election Commission should be undertaken strictly. The Collector reviewed the efforts and advance preparations being made for the implementation of SIR with the Sub-Collectors, RDOs and Tehsildars through video conference from the Integrated District Office Complex on Thursday.

He advised the Tehsildars to carefully examine the new voter list with the 2002 voter



list and prepare the details in the prescribed format as per the guidelines of the Election Commission.

He said that the control table mapping and electoral

ordered that all the applications received in the Bhu Bharati Revenue Conferences should be resolved expeditiously.

In view of the notices already issued regarding the applications received in the respective modules and the Sadabai Nama applications, it was suggested that the revenue records should be examined and the applications should be resolved by conducting a thorough investigation at the field level. Additional Collector Kiran Kumar and revenue officials participated in the video conference.

Meanwhile, the Collector

Balakendra: Nurturing the Soul of India Through Sanskrit Education

Balakendra Safeguarding India's Civilizational Heritage

(Capital Information)

Tirupati, Sep 25 : The National Sanskrit University (NSU) in Tirupati is spearheading a vibrant cultural movement through its Balakendra initiative, successfully fusing ancient knowledge with modern teaching techniques. This program, which seeks to instill India's timeless Sanskaras (values) in children, has significantly expanded its reach, reflecting its growing acceptance among the local community. **A Commitment to Civilizational Heritage**

Prof. G.S.R. Krishna Murthy, the Vice Chancellor of NSU, asserted that the Balakendra stands as the university's "sacred commitment to nurturing the future guardians of India's civilizational heritage."

"Sanskrit is not just a language but the very soul of our nation, containing its deepest philosophical and ethical wisdom," stated Prof. Murthy. He emphasized that the program is deliberately designed to make learning a joyful process, gifting children a key to this boundless treasure "not as a rigid subject, but through the joy of play



and discovery." He concluded with a heartfelt invitation to parents to partner with the university to "sow the seeds of Sanskrit today to reap a harvest of enlightened, virtuous, and culturally-rooted citizens tomorrow."

Sanskrit : The Divine Foundation

The initiative is deeply rooted in the belief that Sanskrit is essential for the protection of Indian culture. As the mother of all Indian languages, it is the bedrock of the entire literary tradition, housing the Vedas, Puranas,

Ramayana, Mahabharata, and Bhagavad Gita. The Sanskrit Bhasha Samvardhana Kendra (Centre for Sanskrit Language Promotion), which oversees the Balakendra, is thus working tirelessly to ensure the language becomes a spoken medium and its teachings are incorporated into daily life.

Under the leadership of Dr. Somasi Sitaram Sharma and Dr. Sekhar Reddy, Directors of the Kendra, the program has grown rapidly. University research scholars and postgraduate students

have been trained to serve as Balakendra teachers.

Methodology and Impressive Scale

The Balakendra program has been operational for the past eight years and has transformed from a university project into a city-wide phenomenon.

Growth: Last year, the program engaged over two thousand students across 72 centres.

Current Expansion: This year, the classes have expanded to over 100 locations across Tirupati, including the university campus, temples, community halls, and private apartments.

Teaching Model: The teaching methodology is highly distinctive. Instead of formal study, children are taught through play, song, and conversation, focusing on Sanskrit conversation,

prayer hymns, poems, and moral stories.

Classes for children aged 3 to 16 years are held every Saturday evening at the NSU campus and are offered free of charge to all, irrespective of caste or creed. Furthermore, Balakendras are actively conducted in approximately 15 schools across Tirupati and Tiruchanoor.

Fostering Patriotism and Devotion

The program integrates culture by celebrating major Indian festivals and the anniversaries of great personalities like Valmiki and Vyasa. Children enthusiastically participate in activities such as Gita Parayanam, Bala Ramayana Parayanam, and various recitation competitions, ensuring they understand the significance of Indian traditions and festivals.

Parents have provided overwhelmingly positive feedback, noting that the playful method makes learning fun, while the subject itself aids in developing children's concentration, memory, and correct pronunciation, laying a strong foundation for their cultural and intellectual growth.



Mera Yuva Bharat celebrates Pandit Din Dayal Jayanti

The philosophy of antithesis is the guide for society : District Youth Officer Akula Mahendra Reddy

(Capital Information)

Nellore, Sep 25 : Pandit Din Dayal Jayanti celebrations were celebrated on Wednesday at Krishna Chaitanya Degree College in Nellore city under the auspices of Mera Yuva Bharat.

District Youth Officer Akula Mahendra Reddy, Central Bureau of Communication Officer Hari Krishna, District Tourism Officer Ushasri College Dean Sudharani participated as the chief guests in this program.

First, floral garlands were placed before the portrait of Pandit Din Dayal Upadhyay and tributes were paid. Later, Akula Mahendra Reddy said "Pandit Din Dayal Upadhyay garu popularized the theory of "Antyodhya" for the development of the last man in the society, and his life is a symbol of simple lifestyle, high thoughts, and dedication to serving the country.

He also stated - Youth is the future of the country, you should participate in service programs along with education. Pandit Din Dayal garu's philosophy teaches us the same. He called for the youth to come forward if our country is to become strong and to provide support to every weaker section of the society.

Hari Krishna said that everyone should be aware of the schemes being introduced by the government and take advantage of them. Ushasri garu said that there are wide opportunities for tourism development in Nellore, and places like beaches, Ramatirtham, and Junior Rameshwaram.



International Information

Mexico slams US for immigration raids

Mexico City, Sep 25 (UNI) Mexican President Claudia Sheinbaum on Wednesday condemned the immigration raids carried out in the United States by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), saying a diplomatic note was sent to Washington requesting an investigation into the recent deaths of two Mexican nationals.

"Yesterday, a diplomatic note was sent on this case, requesting that all investigations be carried out, and if anyone is responsible for human rights violations, that they be punished," the president said at her daily press conference.

Mexican migrants Ismael Ayala-Urbe and Silverio Vil-



legas Gonzalez died following ICE raids and detention in the United States.

Sheinbaum lamented the criminalisation of migrants in the United States and stressed her government's

anti-immigrant policies impact not just Mexicans but also the US economy, where business owners "in agriculture and services are reporting problems because they cannot hire workers," said Sheinbaum.

The president reiterated that Mexicans living in the United States, whether they are first, second, third, or fourth generation, contribute significantly to the US economy, and they also contribute to the Mexican economy through the remittances they send home.

"We oppose such treatment and the raids that have been carried out, which, in addition, cause fear and anxiety," she added.

Washington's aggressive

Trump blames "radical leftists" for deadly shooting at ICE field office in Texas

Washington, Sep 25 (UNI) US President Donald Trump has blamed the "radical leftists" for the deadly shooting at a US Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) field office in Dallas, Texas.

Condemning the attack as despicable, Trump wrote on Truth Social yesterday that the brave men and women of ICE are just trying to do their jobs, but they are facing an "unprecedented increase in threats, violence, and attacks by Deranged Radical Leftists."

"This violence is the result of the Radical Left Democrats

constantly demonising Law Enforcement, calling for ICE to be demolished, and com-

assassination, must be stopped," he said.

The US president said he will be signing an executive order this week to "dismantle these Domestic Terrorism Networks."

Yesterday, one detainee was killed and two others critically injured in the shooting, while no officers were harmed. The Mexican Consulate in Dallas confirmed that one of the victims in critical condition is a citizen of Mexico.

Officials have not yet revealed the motive of the shooter, who died of a self-inflicted gunshot.



paring ICE Officers to 'Nazis,' Trump said.

"The continuing violence from Radical Left Terrorists, in the aftermath of Charlie Kirk's

Iran, Russia sign MoU on building small nuclear power plants

Tehran, Sep 25 (UNI) Iran and Russia on Wednesday signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) on the construction of small modular reactors (SMRs) in Iran.

The MoU was signed between Mohammad Eslami, chief of the Atomic Energy Organisation of Iran (AEOI), and Alexey Likhachev, head of Russia's State Atomic Energy Corporation Rosatom in Moscow, according to a statement released on the AEOI's website.

The statement said the MoU aims to expand cooperation on the peaceful uses of nuclear energy to promote sustainable development, strengthen energy security and advance technology, in compliance with the two countries' national regulations and international obligations.

It added that under the MoU, the two sides would prepare and sign contracts for designing and constructing nuclear power plants based on SMRs in the future.

Heading a delegation, Eslami arrived in Moscow on Monday to meet Russian officials and participate in the World Atomic Week forum, which runs from Sept. 25 to 28.

Upon his arrival, Eslami said that within the framework of a contract between Tehran and Moscow, the latter is expected to build eight nuclear power plants in Iran, including four in the southern province of Bushehr, as the country seeks to generate 20,000 megawatts of electricity in the coming years.

Russia, US reaffirm interest in peaceful solution to Ukraine crisis

Moscow, Sep 25 (UNI) Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov and US Secretary of State Marco Rubio has reaffirmed their shared interest in seeking peaceful solutions to the Ukraine crisis, said the Russian Foreign Ministry.

The two top diplomats met in New York on the sidelines of the high-level week of the 80th session of the UN General Assembly,

said the ministry.

Lavrov reiterated Russia's readiness to adhere to the course outlined by the two countries' leaders in Alaska, including coordination with Washington on addressing the root causes of the conflict. He voiced opposition to what he described as proposals from Kiev and some European capitals that could prolong the crisis. The meeting also ad-

ressed broader bilateral issues, with both sides stressing the importance of restoring political and public contacts, leveraging the momentum set by the presidents of Russia and the United States to advance normalization of relations. They also emphasized the need to resume regular operations of diplomatic missions.

The two sides agreed to continue constructive dialogue between their foreign policy agencies, said the ministry.

On Aug. 15, Russian President Vladimir Putin and US President Donald Trump met in Alaska. They gave a positive assessment of the meeting, but no agreement was reached on issues such as a Russia-Ukraine ceasefire.



DSP Prasanna Kumar inspected the Alladurgam Police Station

(Capital Information)

Medak, Sep 25 : Medak DSP Prasanna Kumar inspected the Alladurgam Police Station, inspected the police station records, inspected the surroundings of the police station and gave appropriate instructions.

He gave appropriate instructions to the police regarding their duties and told them to prevent thefts, solve crimes quickly, and take steps to avoid accidents.

He said that the complaints received at the police station should be resolved quickly. The staff of Alladurgam CI Renuka, SI Shankar were present at the program.

Should provide the necessary urea to every farmer!

The authorities are responsible for moving to the black market : MLA Balu Naik

(Capital Information)

Devarakonda, Sep 25 : The agricultural authorities should take steps to ensure that urea is available to every farmer with a shortage of urea in the state.

Devarakonda MLA Nenuvath Balu Naik said that the government is responsible for moving to the Urea Black Market offered by the government.

ASP Mounika, RDO Ramana Reddy, and Agriculture Department officials held a review meeting at the MLA's camp office on Thursday.

Speaking on the occasion, the MLA said that the agricultural authorities were asked about the existing urea in the Devarakonda constituency.

Farmers are struggling because the central govern-



ment does not supply urea in co-operation. He said that the state government has taken steps to provide proper urea to farmers through primary agricultural cooperative leverage groups in the district.

He ordered the agriculture department officials to review the urea at the field



from time to time and ordered the farmers to supply urea without any trouble.

Officials have been vigilant that some opposition leaders are creating unprecedented misconceptions with the conspiracy of some opposition leaders.

The ASP Mounika said that if the urea black market

allocated to the farmers of the region, strict action would be taken to take strict action.

The Congress government provides urea for every acre of the farmers who are not concerned.

Market Committee Chairman Nayani Jamuna Mahavreddy, ASP Maunika, RDO Ramana Reddy, Agri-

culture ADA Srilakshmi, former Municipal Chairman Alampalli Narasimha, PACS Chairman Dudipala Venudha Reddy, former MPP Bikku Naik, Laokasani Krishana, Congress district vice-presidents Korra Ram Singh Naik, Ao Ravikumar, Lakpati, and police officers of various zones participated,



Notification reservation allocations for wine shops for the year 2025-27 are being allocated transparently through lottery : Collectorlla Tripathi

(Capital Information)

Nalgonda town, Sep 25 : District Collector Ila Tripathi said that the notification reservation allocations for wine shops for the year 2025-27 have been allocated transparently through lottery. On Thursday, she conducted the allocations through lottery for (154) wine shops in Nalgonda district in her chamber at the District Collector's office. Notification for these will be issued on Friday.

The Collector said that out of a total of 154 shops, 34 were allotted to the Gowda community, 14 to SCs and 4 to STs through lottery. It was revealed that the rest were allotted in the open for all category.

District Excise Superintendent Santosh, BC Welfare Officer, Housing Department PD Raj Kumar, District Scheduled Caste Development Officer Sasikala, Tribal Welfare Officer Chatru Nayak, and others attended the lottery program.

Bathukamma festival symbolizes the cultural traditions of women in Telangana RTC



(Capital Information)

Sangareddy, Sep 25 : Sangareddy RTC bus stand premises Depot Manager Upender said that the Bathukamma festival stands as a symbol of the cultural traditions of Telangana women. He said that the Bathukamma festival is a festival where nature is worshipped as a god.

On Thursday, the Bathukamma festival was celebrated under the auspices of RTC women employees.

Speaking on the occasion, the depot manager said that the Bathukamma festival stands as a symbol of the spirituality, spirituality and cultural traditions of Telangana women. He said that the Bathukamma festival is a festival where nature is worshipped as a god.

He said that by organizing such festivals, we can convey our cultural tradi-

tions to the future generations. He said that it is important to convey culture, traditions as well as values to the children of the future generations.

The women employees celebrated the Bathukamma festival enthusiastically by playing Bathukamma and singing songs. RTC employees were present at the event.

Agricultural implements on subsidy for farmers : Agricultural Officer Javed

(Capital Information)

Medak, Sep 25 : Regode, The Telangana State Government Agriculture Department has started the bidding process to provide agricultural implements on subsidy for the financial year 2025-26, Mandal Agriculture Officer Javed said on Thursday.

The details of the machinery required by the farmers are Power Sprayer, Battery Sprayer, Rotavator, Seed Cum Fertilizer Drill, Disc Harrow, Cultivator, MB Plough, Cage Wheel, Power Weeder, Power Tiller, Brush Cutter, 'Selection Method' After the bidders submit their bids, the beneficiaries

will be selected in the presence of a committee appointed at the Mandal level, and the Mandal Agriculture Officer will be the convener of this committee.

He said that the Mandal Tehsildar and MPDO will act as members. He said that the last date for application is 29th of this month. The required copies for the application are the application form, Leaseholder's passbook, Aadhar card, RC Xerox for tractor-related equipment, passport size photo, Bank passbook.

He said that since this financial year is ending at the end of this month, only those who apply by 29th of this month will be able to get the benefit. He said that farmers should take advantage of this opportunity.



George as Medak Ruler CI

(Capital Information)

Medak, Sep 25 : Medak Rural CI Raja Shekhar Reddy was transferred and M. George took charge as Medak Rural CI. On this occasion, District SP D.V. Srinivasa Rao, politely met him and gave him a bouquet and wished him well. He has experience of working in the District.

Business Information

Bartronics India to acquire 15 pc equity stakes in Huwel Life Sciences

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad, Sep 25 : Bartronics India Limited (BIL), a Hyderabad-based technology and services company, today announced a strategic investment of up to ₹50 crore in Huwel Life Sciences (HLS) Pvt. Ltd, a molecular diagnostics innovator based in Hyderabad.

Under this MoU, BIL will acquire a 15 percent equity stake in Huwel, bringing together its scaling expertise with Huwel's innovation capabilities to accelerate India's health goals.

BIL also holds an option to increase its equity stake by an additional 15 per cent", the company said in a release here.

Huwel Life Sciences, led by Founder & CEO Dr Rachana Tripathi, has developed more than 100 validated diagnostic products across TB, infectious diseases, antimicrobial resistance, viral threats, genetic disorders, and cancer.

Huwel played a critical role during

the COVID-19 pandemic by delivering RT-PCR solutions at scale.

It has also developed breakthrough diagnostic parameters for Nipah and Chandipura viruses.

Huwel has secured grants from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, received orders from the World Health Organization, and continues to build global credibility through partnerships and product adoption worldwide.

The flagship product of Huwel's portfolio is its breakthrough low-cost TB solution.

Huwel has developed the QuantiPlus® TB Fast Detection Kit. QuantiPlus is approved by ICMR and was launched by the union Health Minister. It is the only open-system, affordable RT-PCR solution for TB confirmatory testing in India.

Under this strategic partnership with Huwel, BIL will take the lead in identifying prospective opportunities, initiating engagements, negotiating

commercial terms, and securing government, institutional, and international orders — while ensuring that all activities are structured to safeguard and enhance the long-term value interests of both partners.

This partnership guarantees assured revenue for BIL.

Beyond revenue, BIL and Huwel will drive R&D, launch new products, and expand internationally.

As demand grows in emerging markets such as Africa and Southeast Asia, Huwel and BIL aim to position India as a global hub for life sciences innovation and manufacturing.

Vidhya Sagar Reddy, Managing Director of Bartronics India Limited, said: "It is about building a monopoly-strength product portfolio from India for the world. It also strengthens our role in national health programs while creating recurring revenue opportunities. We are really proud to be supporting the government's mission to eliminate TB"

Kinetic Green unveils ELuna Electric 2W

Chennai, Sep 25 (UNI) Kinetic Green Energy and Power Solutions Limited, India's leading manufacturer of electric two and three-wheelers, today launched E-Luna Prime, a purpose-built electric mobility solution specifically engineered for the country's vast commuter segment.

E Luna Prime represents a breakthrough solution that leverages cutting-edge electric vehicle technology that directly addresses the unmet needs of millions seeking affordable yet aspirational, practical yet power packed, utilitarian and reliable personal transportation in both urban and rural environments.

Building on the exceptional success of the legacy of the iconic brand E-Luna that has sold over 25,000 units since its launch just a few months ago, Kinetic Green makes a foray into India's vast entry-level commuter motorcycle



segment with the launch of E-Luna Prime which has been customised to provide an appropriate solution to this customer segment.

E-Luna Prime is designed to cater to the evolving mobility needs of both urban and rural India, offering a sustainable, durable, and cost-effective daily commuting solution, aligning with the growing demand for green mobility.

The all-new Prime is engineered to deliver enhanced riding experience with advanced features and superior comfort.

With over 75 crore aspirants of personal mobility and almost 50%

penetration of 2W, the E-Luna Prime targets the growing demand for affordable and sustainable personal mobility.

This motorcycle is a cost-effective electric two-wheeler strategically positioned against the 100cc and 110cc ICE motorcycles and offers significant financial advantages. While the ownership cost of a conventional ICE petrol-based two-wheeler is estimated at Rs. 7,500 per month, which includes Rs. 2200(EMI) and Rs. 5300 (fuel expenses and maintenance), E Luna Prime offers unmatched affordability with an ultra-low running cost of just 10 paise per kilometer and a total cost of ownership of approximately Rs 2,500 per month (EMI and running expense)-a fraction of traditional ICE motorcycle costs. enabling consumers to save up to Rs. 60,000 annually on long-term mobility costs.

LVPEI Researchers Shine in Stanford/Elsevier Top 2% World Scientists Rankings 2025

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad, Sep 25 : The prestigious 2025 Stanford/Elsevier Top 2% Scientists List, released recently, recognize the top-performing researchers worldwide based on standardized citation metrics. The L V Prasad Eye Institute (LVPEI) has once again demonstrated its global leadership in ophthalmology research with seven LVPEI associated clinician-scientists making it to the lifetime rankings and 15 making it to the annual rankings 2025.

Dr Gullapalli N Rao, Founder Chair – LVPEI is second in the top lifetime rankings for ophthalmology in India. This recognition is based on his career-long research impact and annual performance in 2024, reaffirming his status as India's leading scientist in ophthalmology.

The Stanford/Elsevier rankings identify scientists in the top 2% globally, evaluated by career-long and single-year citation data. For 2025, an impressive 61 Indian ophthalmologists made the annual rankings, with 15 affiliated to LVPEI, reflecting the growing excellence and international standing of LVPEI research.

Lifetime Ranking, Ophthalmology, India

Seven LVPEI-associated researchers have earned a place on the Lifetime Ranking for Ophthalmology from India, highlighting their substantial contributions to ophthalmology.

1. Dr Gullapalli N. Rao, 2. Dr Savitri Sharma, 3. Prof Balasubramanian D, 4. Dr Mohd Javid Ali, 5. Dr Prashant Garg, 6. Dr Taraprasad Das, 7. Dr Swathi Kaliki.



Dr Taraprasad Das, 8. Dr Swathi Singh, 9. Dr Jill Elizabeth Keefe, 10. Dr Pavan Kumar Verkicharla, 11. Dr Vivek Singh, 12. Dr Pavan Kumar Verkicharla, 13. Dr Balasubramanian D, 14. Dr Milind Neilkant Naik, 15. Dr Subhadra Jalali

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This recognition places LVPEI researchers among the most influential scientists in their field, representing robust, world-class research output from India. The continued upward trajectory of LVPEI and Indian ophthalmologists in global rankings underscores India's position as a powerhouse of innovative, impactful eye research.

Annual Ranking, Ophthalmology, India, 2025

Fifteen LVPEI-associated researchers earned a place on the Annual Ranking for Ophthalmology from India,

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About the Stanford/Elsevier Top 2% Scientists List

Jointly developed by Stanford University and Elsevier, the Top 2% Scientists List is based on composite citation scores indexed in Scopus as of August 2025. The calculation includes career-long and single-year metrics, adjustments for self-citation, and fair comparisons across scientific subfields, ensuring rigorous and transparent recognition of global research excellence.

About LVPEI: Established in 1987, with the vision," to create excellent and equitable eye care systems that reach all those in need," the L V

Prasad Eye Institute (LVPEI), a comprehensive eye health institute, is a World Health Organization Collaborating Centre for Prevention of Blindness.

The LVPEI's five-tier 'Eye Health Pyramid' model, covering all areas of the community from villages to cities, provides high-quality and comprehensive preventive, curative, and rehabilitative eye care to all. The LVPEI Eye Care Network has 310+ centres across the Indian states of Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, and Karnataka. To date, it has offered over 24 million centre-based services (2 crores 40 lakh services), with more than 50% entirely free of cost, irrespective of the complexity of care needed.

The Lives of Dead Tree

Dead trees, often referred to as snags, play a crucial role in forest ecosystems. Even in its fallen state, a snag continues to be vital to the intricate web of forest life. A hollow log, often perceived as a mere remnant of a once-majestic tree, transforms into a bustling hub of ecological activity. The temperature and humidity within the hollow log create a unique microclimate, providing a stable and protected environment that supports various species throughout the winter months. Mammals, from the elusive fox to the formidable bear, seek refuge within its sturdy embrace or in a hole under its massive roots, finding a secure den to rest and rear their offspring. These trees provide nesting sites for woodpeckers, which create cavities later used by other birds and mammals.

The decay process of dead trees is essential for nutrient cycling in the forest. As fungi and insects break down the dead wood, they release vital nutrients such as nitrogen and phosphorus back into the soil. These nutrients become available to other plants, promoting their growth and health. Bats, too, use dead trees for roosting, while amphibians and reptiles find



shelter in the decaying wood. Essentially, dead trees are vibrant hubs of life, supporting a diverse array of organisms and maintaining ecological balance.

Moreover, dead trees can support the growth of pioneer species—plants that are the first to colonize newly available spaces. These species, such as certain grasses and wildflowers, help rehabilitate the area by stabilizing the soil and creating conditions suitable for more complex vegetation to establish. As these pioneer species grow and thrive, they pave the way for a more diverse and complex plant community, ultimately contributing to the regeneration

tion and resilience of the forest ecosystem.

Reptiles and amphibians also benefit from the protective cover of a hollow log, using it as a hiding spot from predators and the elements. Insects, the unsung heroes of decomposition, swarm to the decaying wood, breaking it down and facilitating the return of nutrients to the soil. Fungi, with their delicate yet persistent mycelium, weave through the log, further aiding in its decomposition and enriching the forest floor with vital organic matter.

Dead trees and their decaying wood also play a crucial role in water retention. By trapping moisture, they help prevent erosion and maintain the forest floor's stability. This retained water provides essential moisture to nearby plants, ensuring their survival during dry periods. Moreover, dead trees act as carbon sinks, sequestering carbon as they decompose. This process helps reduce atmospheric carbon dioxide levels, mitigating the impact of climate change. By storing carbon in their decaying wood, dead trees contribute to the forest's role in regulating the Earth's climate and maintaining ecological balance. Dead and living trees are connected

through mycorrhizal networks. These symbiotic relationships between fungi and tree roots facilitate nutrient exchange, with mycorrhizal fungi connecting the roots of living trees to decaying wood. This network enhances the nutrient absorption of living trees, supporting their growth and health.

This process of decay is not merely an end but a beginning. As the snag slowly disintegrates and becomes a log on the forest floor, it releases nutrients that nourish the soil, fostering the growth of new plants and trees. The cycle of life continues, with the log serving as a bridge between the past and the future. It maintains moisture levels in the forest floor, creating a microhabitat that supports a diverse array of species. Mosses and lichens cling to its surface, adding to the rich tapestry of life that thrives in and around the log.

In this way, a hollow log is far from lifeless. It is a testament to the resilience and interconnectedness of nature, demonstrating that even in death, there is life. The forest, with its myriad inhabitants, relies on these fallen giants to sustain its delicate balance. Each snag is a reminder that every element of the natural world has a purpose, contributing to the overall health and vitality of the ecosystem. So, the next time you encounter a snag in the forest, take a moment to appreciate the hidden life within and the essential role it plays in the circle of life. In many cultures, dead trees hold profound symbolic meaning. For example, some indigenous cultures see them as symbols of renewal and continuity in the natural world. These cultures recognize that even in death, trees contribute to the ongoing cycle of life, reinforcing the interconnectedness of all living things. Each hollow log is a reminder that every element of the natural world has a purpose, contributing to the over-



all health and vitality of the ecosystem.

A tree's death is not an end, but a transformation that fuels new life and maintains the health of the forest.

The concept is most famously explored by forester and author Peter Wohlleben in his book, "The Hidden Life of Trees." While the book's title focuses on living trees, Wohlleben dedicates significant attention to the importance of dead trees, or "snags" (standing dead trees) and "logs" (fallen trees), in the forest's intricate network of life.

Here's a closer look at the "lives" of dead trees:

*** Habitat and Shelter:** Dead trees are a crucial resource for a vast array of wildlife. As the wood softens, it becomes a perfect place for woodpeckers and other "primary cavity nesters" to excavate holes for their nests. These abandoned cavities are then used by "secondary cavity nesters" like owls, bats, and squirrels. Loose bark pro-

vides a hiding place for insects and a resting place for bats.

*** Nutrient Cycling:** The process of decomposition is a fundamental part of the forest's life cycle. Fungi, bacteria, and insects (detritivores) break down the wood's cellulose and lignin, returning essential nutrients like carbon, nitrogen, and phosphorus to the soil. This enriched soil then supports the growth of new plants, including tree seedlings. Fallen logs often become "nurse logs," providing a moist, nutrient-rich bed for new trees to sprout.

*** Food Source:** The decomposition process creates a food web. Wood-boring insects, fungi, and other invertebrates that colonize dead wood become a food source for birds, mammals, and other predators. This intricate chain of life supports biodiversity throughout the forest.

*** Water and Soil Management:** Dead trees influence the forest floor in several

ways. They can decrease erosion by acting as natural dams, and their decaying wood holds water, which helps regulate soil moisture. This is especially important for amphibians and other creatures that require a damp environment.

*** Carbon Storage:** A significant amount of carbon absorbed by a tree during its life remains stored in its wood even after it dies. As the tree slowly decomposes, this carbon is gradually released back into the environment, but a portion of it is also incorporated into the soil, where it can remain for decades or even centuries.

In essence, a dead tree is not a waste product, but a vital component of a healthy, functioning ecosystem. By providing habitat, cycling nutrients, and influencing the physical environment, "the lives of dead trees" demonstrate the continuous and interconnected nature of life in the forest.



Pawan Kalyan's OG 2 Officially Set To Thrill

Powerstar Pawan Kalyan's movie They Call Him OG came out with a lot of energy, and people really enjoyed it. The film had cool gangster scenes and fast-paced dialogue that made both fans and critics happy. Director Sujeeth showed Pawan Kalyan as a strong and powerful character, which made every scene exciting to watch. The movie's first show in many places got a lot of positive reactions, proving how much people love Pawan Kalyan.

The makers also hinted at some interesting twists in the story. Fans noticed a connection between OG and Sujeeth's other movie, Saaho, which made everyone more

excited. The mix of action, drama, and style made people really want to see a second part, and the excitement



for a sequel began quickly.

Now, They Call Him OG 2 has officially been announced. The sequel will follow Pawan Kalyan as he faces some bad guys in Tokyo. Although the release date hasn't been shared yet,

fans are already waiting for more news. The promise of more action, stylish scenes, and exciting moments has made people very excited for the next part.

The first movie had a lot of famous actors like Priyanka Mohan, Emraan Hashmi, Prakash Raj, Sriya Reddy, Arjun Das, and others. The movie was produced by DVV Entertainment, with Thaman's music adding extra energy. With OG 2

on the way, fans can look forward to the same mix of action, style, and drama that made the first film a hit. The sequel promises to continue Pawan Kalyan's cinematic journey with full energy and excitement.

Ravi Teja's Mass Jatara Release Date Revealed Dussehra

Ravi Teja's Mass Jatara is like a spark waiting to light up the festive season, and fans finally have something to cheer about. Producer Suryadevara Nagavamsi announced that the much-awaited release date will be revealed on October 2, coinciding with Dussehra celebrations. The movie has been in the spotlight for months due to multiple postponements, and fans are eagerly waiting to see the Mass Maharaja back on screen.

Mass Jatara is jointly produced by Suryadevara Nagavamsi and Sai Soujanya, with Bhanu Bhogavarapu directing. Sreeleela joins Ravi Teja in the lead, marking their reunion after the successful film Dhamaka. The film



promises a mix of high-energy action and mass entertainment, with Ravi Teja taking on the role of a dynamic police officer. Early glimpses suggest that his character will be full of style, courage, and wit, giving audiences exactly what they love about the actor.

The release has been de-

played several times. Initially scheduled for May, the film was later postponed to August, but was not released then either. On Wednesday, the producer took to social media to clear the air, stating that the official date would be announced on Dussehra and that promotional activities would begin immediately.

Fans have welcomed this update, sharing their excitement online and making Mass Jatara one of the most talked-about upcoming films in Tollywood.

Advertisement With the festive season approaching, the announcement of the release date is expected to create a huge buzz. Ravi Teja's energetic performance, paired with Sreeleela's charm and Bhanu Bhogavarapu's direction, is likely to make the film a mass entertainer. As the countdown begins for October 2, fans are gearing up for an official release date that could make this Dussehra extra special, bringing back the Mass Maharaja in full action mode.



Megastar Chiranjeevi Congratulates Pawan Kalyan on OG's Grand Success

Across Telugu-speaking states, one name is on everyone's lips – They Call Him OG. Pawan Kalyan's latest movie released today, with a record number of paid premieres last night, and the response has been phenomenal.

The film has received positive reviews, and fans are already eager to watch it again. Meanwhile, Chiranjeevi, Pawan Kalyan's elder brother, expressed his delight over OG's success.

"Delighted to see Kalyan Babu being celebrated as THE OG – OJAS GHAMBEERA by everyone. Hearty congratulations to dear Pawan Kalyan," he posted.

Chiranjeevi also extended his congratulations to the entire team, including director Sujeeth, producer DVV Danayya, composer Thaman, and the rest of the cast and crew.

Although he hasn't watched the movie yet, fans are eagerly waiting for his review. One thing is certain: OG is expected to dominate the box office for several days, and its opening day numbers are likely to surprise the trade.

Tamannaah's Dancing Looks Perfect Thanks To Allu Arjun Always

Milky beauty Tamannaah Bhatia's dance moves shine like fireworks, capturing everyone's attention with every step. In her twenty-year career, she has appeared in many hit films and become especially popular with young audiences through



energetic songs.

Her recent track 'Ghafoor' from 'Baa..ds of Bollywood' and Aaj Ki Raat from Stree-2 has been a big hit, and her web series Do You Wanna Partner is

streaming on OTT, showing her versatility as an actress.

In an interview, Tamannaah said that Allu Arjun played a major role in shaping her dance skills. "Bunny encouraged me a lot during Badrinath. I learned from him how to dance perfectly," she said.

show the training and inspiration she got from him.

Her better dancing gave her lots of chances. After working on Badrinath, she got many chances for exciting songs, making her a go-to choice for lively performances. Tamannaah's talent for making every dance number fun and lively has kept her busy and added a playful, energetic side to her career along with her acting.

This year, Tamannaah started with Odela-2 and is also working on four Hindi films.

Even as she takes on different acting roles, dancing is still a big part of her career. With Allu Arjun's help in forming the base of her skills, Tamannaah keeps surprising audiences with her moves, proving how having a good teacher and practicing a lot can create amazing moments on screen.



Dhanush drops a massive update on Vada Chennai 2

Vada Chennai is one of the special films in Dhanush's career. The rustic gangster action drama directed by Vetrimaaran was a solid commercial hit. Ever since its release, there has been a growing demand for its sequel. A few months ago, speculations even claimed that Simbu would replace Dhanush in the second part.

However, Vetrimaaran clarified that his film with Simbu isn't Vada Chennai 2. During the pre-release event of his next film, Idli Kadai, Dhanush shared a major update about the second installment. He said, "Vada Chennai 2 shooting will begin in 2026. The movie will release in theatres in 2027."

This massive update is sure to thrill Dhanush fans who have been waiting eagerly for the sequel for a long time. Currently, Dhanush is busy with Idli Kadai promotions. The versatile and award winning actor also has Tere IshK Mein, directed by Aanand L Rai, scheduled for release this year.



VICE PREZ AND AP CM INAUGURATE PAC 5 IN TIRUMALA

(Capital Information)
Tirumala, Sep 25 : The Vice President of India CP Radhakrishnan, along with the Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh N Chandrababu Naidu inaugurated the Pilgrim Amenities Complex (PAC-5) in Tirumala on Thursday.

Constructed at a cost of Rs.102cr in an area of 2,69,617 sq ft, the complex comprises 16 dormitories, each equipped with a Mother-feeding chamber, Kalyanakatta, Annaprashadam hall, state-of-the-art facility is equipped with modern amenities, including 2,400 safety lockers, modern toilet facilities

with 24/7 hot water (216 toilets, 216 bathrooms and 12 physically handicapped toilets), continuous R.O.water facility on each floor and ten high-speed elevators.

Both the VIP protocol dignitaries visited the tonsuring activity, locker allotment system, besides observed the functioning of two AI-enabled identification and sorting machines installed at the PAC, which allows pilgrims to dispose of tetra-packs and snack packets by logging in via UPI/QR code.

The Vice President and CM have also inaugurated the innovative double-chute,

vision-based colour sorting machines at the Srivari Potu in Tirumala from PAC 5 itself.

These machines are manufactured by M/s Genn Solutions, Coimbatore, donated by the TVS company to effectively sort and remove impurities and foreign particles from the ingredients (except sugar) used to prepare laddu and other prasadam.

TTD Trust Board Chairman BR Naidu, EO AK Singhal, a few TTD board members, JEO Veerabrahmam, CVSO Muralikrishna, CE Satyanarayana and other officials were also present.

SCR GM Sanjay Kumar Srivastava Leads Swachhata Walkathon as Part of 'Swachhata Hi Seva' Campaign

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad, Sep 25 : As part of 'Swachhata Hi Seva 2025' campaign, Hyderabad Division of South Central Railway organized a Walkathon and Shramadan Initiative viz 'Ek Din, Ek Ghanta, Ek Saath' today i.e., 25th September, 2025. Sanjay Kumar Srivastava, General Manager, SCR was the Chief Guest on the occasion. He administered the Swachhata Pledge and flagged off the Walkathon from Railway Sports Complex, Secunderabad in the presence of Rajesh Agarwal, Additional Member (Works), Railway Board who was the Guest of Honor. Satya Prakash, Additional General Manager, SCR, Santosh Kumar Verma, Divisional Railway Manager, Hyderabad Division, Principal Heads of Departments, SCR, other senior officers, sports personnel, Scouts & Guides and students from Railway schools participated enthusiastically. The event also included a sapling plantation drive, reinforcing



the commitment to a greener environment.

Addressing the gathering, Sanjay Kumar Srivastava, General Manager highlighted various activities being undertaken at Railway stations, trains, hospitals, and residential colonies across the zone as part of Swachhata Campaign. The General Manager emphasized that commitment to Swachhata should be a continuous practice, and encouraged all the staff members to involve their families and communities in the Swachh Bharat Mission year-round.

Rajesh Agarwal, Additional Member (Works), Railway Board appreciated the efforts of team SCR for undertaking the Swachhata Cam-

paign on a large scale across the zone. He encouraged the officials and staff to dedicate at least 20 minutes daily towards cleanliness for personal and public well-being.

The Swachhata Hi Seva 2025 campaign focuses on five key areas: i) Transformation of Cleanliness Target Units (CTUs) – cleaning difficult and neglected areas ii) Clean Public Spaces – enhancing hygiene at stations and high-traffic areas iii). Safai Mitra Suraksha Shivirs – providing health check-ups and welfare support, iv) Clean Green Utsav – promoting zero-waste, eco-friendly celebrations, and v). Advocacy Campaigns – including initiatives like Swachh Sujal Gaon,

Waste to Art, Clean Street Food, and RRR (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) centers.

On SCR, around 6,200 CTUs (Cleanliness Target Units) have been identified, out of which over 2150 have already been transformed, and work is ongoing at the remaining sites. Supporting the campaign, 118 awareness workshops have been organized so far. Under the Safai Mitra Suraksha initiative, 64 health camps were organized and 4,531 safety PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) kits were distributed. Further, over 4,300 individuals engaged in Shramadaan activities, contributing their time and effort towards cleaning and sanitation.



District student for national handball competitions

(Capital Information)
Nalgonda, Sep 25 : Kargal mandal, G YADAVALLY Government School student Soumya will participate on behalf of our Telangana state team in the National Handball Championship to be held in Nizam College Hyderabad from 26 to 29, said Principal Doddi Vijayalakshmi and Physical Director Narayana Kavitha. Teachers and villagers congratulated Soumya for her selection.

Collector inspects indoor stadium facilities in Mahbubnagar

(Capital Information)
Mahbubnagar, Sep 25 : District Collector Viziendira Boyi on Thursday inspected the multipurpose indoor stadium in Mahbubnagar town.

During his visit, the Collector reviewed the facilities at the indoor stadium, volleyball academy

and the swimming pool. She directed the officials to ensure proper cleanliness around the swimming pool and maintain hygiene standards.

The Collector also interacted with students of the volleyball academy and enquired about the food and accommodation being provided to them.



District Youth and Sports Officer Srinivas and other officials accompanied the Collector during the inspection.

It is very useful to have housing complexes for employees at the workplace : Minister Uttam Kumar Reddy

(Capital Information)
Suryapet, Sep 25 : On Thursday, he inaugurated the residential buildings of the District Collector, Additional Col-

lector, DRO and District Officers built at a cost of Rs 8 crore 74 lakh in the premises of the Suryapet Integrated District Officers' Office Building

Complex.

Tourism Corporation Patel Ramesh Reddy, Kodad MLA Uttam Padmavati Reddy, Tungaturthi MLA Mandula



S a m e l, Additional Collector K Seetharama Rao, Market Committee Chairman K o p p u l a Venareddy, RDO Venu m a d h a v Rao, officers, staff and others participated.