



State to give heritage structures a global makeover

Tourism Minister Jupally Krishna Rao visits Charminar and Chowmahalla Palace; calls for swift completion of restoration works



(Capital Information) Hyderabad : The State government is committed to transforming Hyderabad's iconic heritage sites into world-class tourist destinations, Minister for Tourism and Culture Jupally Krishna Rao said on Wednesday.

Charminar precinct, including its surrounding historical structures. Highlighting the government's conservation efforts, Mr. Krishna Rao announced that the Quli Qutb Shah Urban Development Authority (QQSDA) has sanctioned Rs 3.64 crore for the restoration of the historic 'Machli Kaman'. He stated that the tender process would be initiated shortly to ensure the timely commencement of works. The Minister also directed officials to take up the renovation of the

'Sher-e-Batil' Kaman and instructed the beautification of the fountain near Charminar to enhance its aesthetic appeal for visitors.

The Minister noted that the development of tourism hubs across the State is being streamlined under the New Tourism Policy. By adopting a Public-Private Partnership (PPP) model for infrastructure development, the government aims to maximize revenue while simultaneously creating sustainable employment opportunities

for local communities. Reiterating the government's focus on the city's heritage, Mr. Krishna Rao said special master plans are being drafted to position Hyderabad as a premier destination on the global tourism map. He emphasized that the administration is striking a balance between preserving the architectural integrity of heritage wealth, such as the Chowmahalla Palace, and providing modern amenities to cater to the influx of domestic and international tourists.

MAJOR HEALTHCARE PUSH IN SATHUPALLI

(Capital Information)

Sathupalli : In a significant step towards strengthening public healthcare, three government hospitals were inaugurated in Sathupalli constituency by Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka and Revenue Minister Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy, along with MLA Matta Ragamaye. The facilities include a 100-bed hospital in Sathupalli, a 50-bed hospital in Kalluru, and a 30-bed hospital in Penuballi, aimed at delivering improved and accessible healthcare services to the public.



agency healthcare services at the Sathupalli Area Hospital.

Later, the leaders took part in the foundation ceremony of the Young India Residential School at Chennur village in Kalluru mandal, estimated at ₹200 crore, along with District Collector Anudeep Durishetty. The program was attended by Wyrna MLA Ramdas Naik, Sub-Collector Ajay Yadav, ACP Vasundhara Yadav, DM&HO Rama Rao, DCHS Rajasekhar Goud, DPR Officer Rambabu, State Warehousing Corporation Chairman Rayala

Nageswara Rao, Handicrafts Development Corporation Chairman Nayudu Satyanarayana, Chief Conservator of Forest Bhima Naik, DFO Siddharth Vikram Singh, doctors Dr. Suresh Narayana and Dr. Nallamala Kiran Kumar, Municipal Chairpersons Rehana Kamal Pasha and Mohan Naik, Tahsildars Lakshmi and Brahmeswara Rao, Market Committee leaders Bhagam Neeraja Prabhakar Chowdary and Doma Anand Babu, along with several officials and public representatives.

Delhi Chief Minister Rekha Gupta Seeks Blessings of Goddess Padmavathi

(Capital Information) Tiruchanur : Delhi Chief Minister Rekha Gupta visited the Sri Padmavathi Ammavari Temple in Tiruchanur on Wednesday. Temple authorities ensured all necessary arrangements for a smooth and respectful visit.

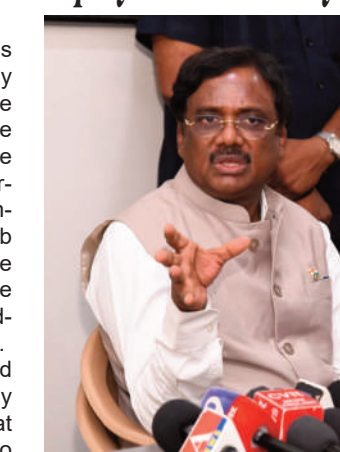
After offering prayers at the Dhwaja Stambham, Delhi Chief Minister Rekha Gupta proceeded to the sanctum sanctorum for the darshan of the presiding deity, Sri Padmavathi Ammavaru.

Following the darshan, Vedic scholars offered blessings to the Delhi Chief Minister at the Veda Ashirvachana Mandapam. Temple officials then presented her with the Goddess's Theertha Prasadam and traditional honours.

Job opportunities for unemployed in Germany with the help of TomCom : Minister Gaddam Vivek

(Capital Information)

Manchiriyala : Labor and Mines Minister Vivek Venkataswamy met the media at his residence in Manchiriyala and explained the programs being taken up by the state government on job opportunities abroad through TomCom. There are huge job opportunities in countries like Germany, and he called on the youth of Telangana to take advantage of those opportunities.



ment training is being provided to 25 thousand youth in the

state through ATCs, and the government is spending ₹4,000 crores for this.

He said that German language training will be provided within four months through TomCom, and the youth should be careful not to get scammed by private agencies. He reminded that Indians have a good reputation abroad and work hard while re-

specting the laws there. He said that there are opportunities to get salaries of more than ₹2 lakh per month.

He said that the Congress government had promised to create two lakh jobs, and the credit for creating more than one lakh jobs already goes to Chief Minister Revanth Reddy. He urged the local unemployed youth to utilize the opportunities provided by TANCOM.

The Minister explained that the Telangana Gig Workers Act has become a model for the country and that the government is taking special steps for the welfare of unorganized workers.

Children should be aware of traffic rules: Minister Ponnam Prabhakar

(Capital Information)

Adilabad : State Transport Minister Ponnam Prabhakar said that awareness of road rules should be inculcated from childhood and only then will they grow up to be responsible citizens in the future. He was the chief guest in the 'Arrive Alive' program organized by the Transport Department at Chawara School in Adilabad District Center on Wednesday.



driving under the influence of alcohol and not taking the wrong route. The minister revealed that the government is thinking of including road safety as a subject in the school curriculum in future.

will help a lot in creating awareness among the people.

Khanapur MLA Vedma Boju Patel said strict adherence to road rules can reduce accidents and save precious lives. In view of the increasing number of road accidents at present, everyone is advised to drive carefully, especially the youth and follow the traffic rules. He urged parents to inculcate this habit in their children to make it a habit to wear a helmet even for short journeys. He said that it is necessary to respect the traffic signals, to keep documents like driving license and insurance with you at all times. Since Utnoor is the center of the agency area, it has been requested to set up the RTO unit office here. It has been suggested to construct a shopping complex in the vacant land in the vicinity of Utnoor bus stand and provide employment opportunities to the locals. He appealed to introduce at least two non-stop mini buses from Utnoor to Adilabad in the morning

for the convenience of people going for jobs and education.

Municipal chairperson Bhandari Anusha said that traffic rules must be followed to prevent road accidents. He warned that cell phone use, driving under the influence of alcohol and speeding are especially dangerous. Bicyclists are asked to wear helmets. People are called upon to drive vehicles responsibly and contribute to building an accident-free society.

Principal Secretary, Transport Department Vikas Raj said that the state government is organizing the prestigious 'Arrive Alive' program with the aim of preventing road accidents and reducing loss of lives. It is suggested that every school should have a traffic awareness park to create awareness about traffic rules from childhood. Bike riders as well as those sitting behind must wear helmets. He said that the government will provide free medical assistance up to 1.5 lakh rupees to road accident victims, for which about 300 hospitals have been identified across the state. The collector urged the motorists to follow the traffic rules carefully and contribute to the establishment of an accident-free society.

RTC MD Nagireddy said that while 117 people died in road accidents in the district last year, most of them were two-wheeler riders. Helmet usage is mandatory. Appreciating the services of Telangana RTC, he said that simulators are being made available for better training of drivers.

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Suresh Battini, IRS assumes Charge as Principal Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, Andhra Pradesh & Telangana

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad : Suresh Battini, IRS, assumed charge as the Principal Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, Andhra Pradesh & Telangana today, i.e., on 15.04.2026.

He has also gained administrative experience in top-level management functions such as

Prior to assuming charge as the Principal Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, Andhra Pradesh & Telangana, Suresh Battini served as the Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, Hyderabad, from September 2024 to April 2026, during which he headed the Income Tax administration for the State of Andhra Pradesh.



Suresh Battini is a 1991 batch Indian Revenue Service (IRS) officer with extensive experience in handling important assignments relating to Corporate and Business Assessments, Financial Investigations, Tax Deduction at Source, and International Taxation.

Human Resources, Finance, Information Technology, Business Analysis, and Financial Investigations.

With the assumption of charge as the Principal Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, Suresh Battini will now oversee the Income Tax administration for both the Telugu States, Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.

ROB Ready, Flyover Work Gains Pace in City

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad : Senior official R. V. Karnan, along with the Chief Engineer and Zonal Commissioner, inspected key infrastructure works including the Shastripuram Road Over Bridge (ROB) and the Nalgonda Flyover, reaffirming the civic body's focus on timely project completion.



progressing at a brisk pace, with major components nearing completion.

Works such as deck slab concreting for up and down

ramps and girder installations are currently underway.

Authorities have been instructed to mobilize necessary resources and accelerate the pace of work to meet the targeted deadline of June.

With continuous monitoring through field visits and weekly reviews, the GHMC Commissioner is placing special emphasis on completing infrastructure projects on schedule to enhance urban mobility.

Once completed, these projects are expected to significantly ease traffic congestion and provide safer, more convenient travel for commuters.

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Don't Follow Social Media Trends, Follow Traffic Rules: Cyberabad CP Dr. M. Ramesh

(Capital Information)
Cyberabad : As part of the "Arrive Alive" road safety awareness initiative conducted by the Cyberabad Traffic Police, an interactive awareness session was held with students at KLH University under the limits of Madhapur Traffic Police Station.

Cyberabad Commissioner of Police, Dr. M. Ramesh, attended the program as the chief guest and addressed the students on road safety and social responsibility. During his interaction, he observed that today's youth are deeply engaged in discussions about IPL teams and film celebrities due to social media trends. He questioned whether these celebrities ever personally care about their well-being, emphasizing that only family members, friends, and society truly wish for their safety. He urged students to act responsibly for the sake of their loved ones.

The CP advised students to ensure that mobile phones remain under their control



rather than becoming addictive. He stressed avoiding mobile phone usage while driving or walking on roads and encouraged students to focus their valuable time on their careers and future. His address highlighted the critical importance of road safety.

To underline the seriousness of road accidents, the CP asked students if anyone had experienced such incidents in their families. Several students came forward and shared their personal experiences.

Dikshita, a participant,

shared an emotional account stating that her father met with a severe road accident in 2001, resulting in the loss of both his legs. She explained how the incident had a profound financial, social, and psychological impact on their family. She also revealed that she had personally faced a road accident, adding that even a moment of negligence can lead to life-long consequences.

Another student, Albert, a road accident victim, said that he suffered serious injuries in an accident, which

taught him valuable lessons. He emphasized the importance of observing both sides of the road, following traffic rules, wearing helmets, and fastening chin straps properly. He stated that life is more important than speed and urged everyone to travel safely with discipline.

Riya, another participant, mentioned that witnessing accidents on television and roads made her realize the importance of safe driving. She said her personal experiences strengthened this awareness and advised

everyone to remember their families waiting for them at home. She stressed that even minor negligence can lead to major accidents and called for responsible driving.

The Commissioner appreciated and felicitated students Dikshita, Albert, and Riya for actively participating and sharing their views on road safety. Officials stated that the primary objective of the "Arrive Alive" program is to instill awareness among students about traffic rules and shape them into responsible citizens.

The event was attended by Traffic DCP-I J. Ranjan Ratan Kumar, Addl. DCP-I G. Hanumantha Rao, Madhapur Traffic ACP K. Chandrasekhar Reddy, Madhapur Law & Order officer Ch. Sridhar, KLH University Dean B. Anand, Kondapur MVI Naveen, Madhapur Traffic SHO A. Sridhar Kumar, RI Srikanth, DI Vijay, and other staff.

The program concluded with students taking a pledge to strictly follow traffic rules and promote road safety.



Make the procurement process transparent : MLA Nenavath Balu Naik

(Capital Information)
Neredugummu : Devarakonda MLA Nenavath Balu Naik along with local public representatives and concerned officials inaugurated the grain purchase center in Gurrupatanda village of Neredugummu mandal. Afterwards they said,

He said that the government is committed to provide a reasonable price for the grain grown by the farmers.

It is said that the government has provided an opportunity to the farmers to sell the crop directly through the buying centers without suffering losses at the hands of middlemen.

The MLA said that the main objective of the government is to strengthen the agriculture sector and such programs will continue for the welfare of farmers.

In this program Gurrupatanda Sarpanch Lakshmi Wadla Purchase Center in-charge Kethavath Balu Naik Mandal Party President Loksani Krishnaiah, Chairman Sikh Agriculture Officers Raju Yadagiri, public representatives, leaders of various affiliated societies, chief leaders, Youth Congress leaders, sarpanches, officials and others participated in this program.

Children should be aware of traffic rules: Minister Ponnam Prabhakar

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District SP Akhil Mahajan said that raising awareness about traffic rules is a life-saving way. He said that public awareness is very important in preventing road accidents. He said that 'Khaki Kids' program has been started to make students aware of traffic rules from an early age. About 400 minors between the ages of 14 and 17 have been found driving vehicles in the district in the past week. Their parents were counseled and warned not to give vehicles to minors. He said that due to the tightening of enforcement, cases of drunk and driving have decreased. Families are severely affected by road accidents and therefore appealed to everyone to follow traffic rules strictly and behave responsibly.

Later, the Minister congratulated the students for creating awareness on road safety rules and presented medals.

In this program, Chairman Mallepula Narsaiah, District In-charge Collector Yuvaraj Marmat, SP Akhil Mahajan, Additional Collector Rajeshwar, RDO Sravanti, Deputy Transport Commissioner P. Ravinder Kumar, Motor Vehicle Inspector S. Srinivas, Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspector K. Harindra Kumar, officers, public representatives and others participated.

KGBV Girls Shine in Intermediate Results, Bring Pride to Nagarkurnool District

(Capital Information)
Nagarkurnool : Nagarkurnool District Collector Badavath Santosh stated that students of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas (KGBVs) have once again demonstrated their academic excellence in the district.

Congratulating and honoring the students at his chamber in the Collectorate on Wednesday, the Collector noted that girls from KGBV junior colleges in the district achieved outstanding marks in the recently announced Intermediate results.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector said that these results prove that rural girls can achieve remarkable success through determina-



tion, discipline, and focus on goals. He encouraged the students to pursue higher education and aim for top positions in fields such as medicine, engineering, and other professional sectors.

In the intermediate results, students from both first

and second year, studying in BIPI, MPC, and MPHW streams, not only secured high pass percentages but also achieved marks comparable to state-level ranks. He appreciated that these girls, coming from economically weaker rural backgrounds,

provided in KGBV institutions. He also lauded the efforts of teachers, special officers, and parents for their support and dedication towards the students' development. He instructed education department officials to take necessary measures to en-

sure similar results across all KGBV schools in the district. The students celebrated their success with enthusiasm and expressed happiness over achieving results through their hard work, stating that they would continue striving for higher goals in the future.

District Education Officer A. Ramesh Kumar said that the achievements of KGBV girls in Nagarkurnool district are a matter of pride and serve as an inspiration to other students.

KGBV Supervising Officer Shobha Rani, Special Officers from various KGBVs, and office staff including Sujatha and Tirupatamma also participated in the program.



Additional Collector Reviews Praja Palana Progress; Orders Speedy Implementation of Welfare Works

(Capital Information)
MAHABUBNAGAR : The Additional Collector Madhusudhan Naik, along with the ZP CEO, conducted a review meeting through video conference with MPDOs, Mandal Special Officers, and officials of various departments as part of the Praja Palana Pragati review process.

During the meeting, the officials were instructed to ensure the successful conduct of the Praja Palana Pragati Programme scheduled to be held at the mandal level tomorrow. Emphasis was laid on coordination among departments and effective execution of planned activities.

Earlier, the Additional Collector carried out surprise inspections at the DRDO office, DPO office, and PD Housing office. As part of the inspections, he interacted with the staff and reviewed their performance and ongoing works.

He examined the status of Disha Prajavani pendency, NREGS activities, self-employment initiatives, gram panchayat layouts, DSR registrations by panchayat secretaries, and the progress of Indiramma housing schemes.

He directed the officials to immediately commence construction of the pending Indiramma houses that have not yet been started.

Staff from the DRDO office, DPO office, and Indiramma housing wing were present during the inspections.

Padmashali Association launches free cold water drinking station in scorching sun

(Capital Information)
Jannaram : The sun is burning fiercely; Passersby are getting crushed in this scorching sun that seems to be pouring fire. In such a

He described providing drinking water to those who are thirsty in summer as a great and noble deed. He said that at a time when the intensity of the sun is in-



difficult time, Padmashali Town Association has come forward to quench the thirst of passengers in Jannaram mandal center. The free cold water drinking station (Chill Vendra) set up at the mandal center was formally inaugurated by local Sub-Inspector (SI) Uday Kiran on Wednesday

Speaking on the occasion, SI Uday Kiran emphasized the saying 'Manava Sevaya Madhava Seva' and praised this initiative.

creasing day by day, it is very commendable that the Padmashali Association has come forward to provide this cold drinking water, fulfilling its social responsibility.

He expressed the hope that many more such service programs will be undertaken for the welfare of the people. Unity in Service This program, undertaken by the Padmashali Association with the spirit of unity, has become a topic of wide discussion in the area. This

effort to ensure that the passers-by do not face any inconvenience by making cold drinking water available at the main intersection has received universal praise.

Prominent persons present

Many leaders holding honorary and executive positions in the association participated in the program. Cha Gangaiah Mandal Padmasali Association President

Shettipally Krishna Ponakal Town President, Kandula Ramesh Vice President, Lakshminarayana President, Ayyor Srinivas General Secretary, Rajamouli Treasurer, Dusa Ramu Publicist Secretary

Along with these executive members, Sambari Anjana Balina Ramu Nadimetta Narendra Pothu Venu Srinivas Buchaiah Satyam Ranjith Ramesh Lachanna Buchanna Gangadhar and others participated on the first day. They themselves distributed drinking water to the passers-by and thereby demonstrated their generosity.



Collector Haritha Inspects MGNREGS Work Site in Asifabad Mandal

(Capital Information)
Asifabad : In the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), workers in the district should take proper precautions at the work site, said District Collector Haritha of Asifabad. On Wednesday, she, along with District Rural Development Officer Dattarao, visited the MGNREGS work site at Kanchar Guda village under Ellarum Gram Panchayat in Asifabad mandal and distributed buttermilk, ORS packets, and other refreshments to the workers.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector said that workers engaged in MGNREGS should take adequate precautions against extreme heat. She advised them to necessarily cover their heads with a cloth to prevent exposure to hot winds affecting the ears. She instructed officials to ensure the availability of drinking water, shade, ORS packets, and other basic facilities at the work site.

She also advised workers to complete their work early and return home safely. She suggested that they avoid going out during the peak heat hours between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and take necessary precautions against heatwaves.

Dalit Ratna Award Conferred at Ambedkar Jayanti Celebrations

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad : Marking the 135th birth anniversary of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Telangana State government organised grand celebrations at Ravindra Bharathi on Tuesday.

On the occasion, the prestigious Dalit Ratna Award was presented in recognition of outstanding contributions and dedication towards social upliftment. The award was handed over by Telangana State Festivals Chairman Allibilli Mahender amid applause from dignitaries and attendees. The awardee expressed gratitude to the State government for recognising their efforts and reaffirmed their commitment to continue working towards the ideals and vision of Dr. Ambedkar, particularly in striving for equality, justice, and empowerment of marginalized communities.

The event witnessed the presence of officials, public representatives, and members of various organisations, who paid rich tributes to Dr. Ambedkar and highlighted his enduring legacy in shaping modern India.

Collector Badavath Santosh Directs Robust Arrangements for Mandal Sabhas, Urges Awareness on Welfare Schemes

(Capital Information)
Nagarkurnool : Nagarkurnool District Collector Badavath Santosh has issued key directions to officials for the effective conduct of Mandal-level Gram Sabhas scheduled on April 16, as part of the "Praja Palana - Pragathi Pranalika" 99-day action plan.

During a review meeting held via video conference from the Collectorate on Wednesday evening, the Collector, along with Additional Collectors Amarender and G.V. Shyam Prasad Lal, discussed arrangements with MPDOs, MPOs, and Tahsildars across the district.

The Collector emphasized that officials must make meticulous arrangements for



the Mandal-level meetings to ensure their success. He stated that the responsibility lies with officials to effectively take the government's Praja Palana - Pragathi Pranalika program to the grassroots level, covering both mandal and village levels. Gram Sab-

has should be conducted in all 20 mandal headquarters with a comprehensive plan, creating clear awareness among people about various welfare schemes being implemented by the government.

He instructed that, during these meetings, details of

beneficiaries under various welfare schemes should be read out, and beneficiaries should be encouraged to share their experiences. The schemes include ration cards, pensions, Indiramma housing, Rajiv Arogyasri, Rythu Bharosa, Rythu Bima, loan waivers, free bus travel for women in RTC buses, white ration cards, distribution of fine rice, LPG cylinders at ₹500, and 200 units of free electricity for households. Officials were directed to discuss all these initiatives thoroughly with the public.

The Collector also instructed officials to expedite the construction of Indiramma houses and ensure housewarming ceremonies for beneficiaries at the earli-

est. Public representatives should be invited to participate actively in the meetings.

He further directed that awareness about the "Arrive Alive" road safety program should also be created during the sabhas. Stressing that there should be no lapses, he called for dedicated efforts to ensure the success of the meetings. Transparency and efficiency in implementing welfare schemes should be prioritized so that benefits reach every eligible beneficiary.

Considering the summer season, the Collector also instructed officials to make necessary arrangements such as drinking water and other basic facilities at the venues.

Collector Khushboo Gupta Conducted Surprise Inspection at KGBV Gandheed in Mahammadabad

(Capital Information)
MAHABUBNAGAR : District Collector Khushboo Gupta conducted a surprise inspection at the Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV) in Gandheed, Mahammadabad mandal on Wednesday and took strict action against three staff members for negligence in their duties.



During the inspection, the Collector found lapses in supervision and functioning of the school, leading to disciplinary measures against the concerned staff. The KGBV Special Officer, D. Pavani, was suspended for failing to properly monitor the school and neglecting administrative responsibilities.

CRT English teacher Shobha was issued a show-cause notice for not delivering lessons effectively to the students. The night watchman, Jaitun Begum, was terminated from service after it was found that she had deputed her husband to perform her night duties.

The Collector visited classrooms of Classes 7, 8, and 9 and interacted with the students, enquiring about their studies, quality of teaching, and facilities in the school. She also reviewed the health status of the students, asking about their hemoglobin levels and whether regular health check-ups were being conducted.

Later, she inspected the dormitory and observed that fans and lights were not functioning properly. Considering the rising summer temperatures, she instructed officials to ensure proper functioning of fans and lighting in both dormitories and classrooms. Students also informed the Collector about water leakage from the roof during the rainy season. The Collector directed the officials to address the issue immediately. She emphasized the need to provide clean drinking water and ensure that meals are served as per the prescribed menu.

The Collector also inspected the toilets and verified the availability of water facilities. During the visit to the store room, she examined stock registers and expressed displeasure over improper maintenance of records related to rice, pulses, oil, and vegetables. She warned that negligence would not be tolerated and instructed officials to perform their duties responsibly.

The Collector reiterated that strict action would be taken against any lapses in the future. Animal Husbandry Department Joint Director Madhusudan Goud and school staff were present during the inspection.

Applications Invited for 'Best Management' and 'Labour Power' Awards on May Day

Applications accepted till 18th of this month

(Capital Information)
MAHABUBNAGAR : As per the Deputy Labour Commissioner Chandra Shekhar Goud that the Labour Department of the Telangana Government will present the 'Best Management Award' and 'Labour Power' (Shram Shakti) Awards on the occasion of International Labour Day, May 1.

The awards aim to recognise individuals and organisations that have demonstrated outstanding contribution to labour welfare and industrial development in the erstwhile Mahabubnagar district. Under the award categories, the Best Employer Award will be given to industrial employers who have achieved notable progress in the industrial sector, while the Labour Power Awards will honour trade union leaders and workers for their dedicated service and efforts towards the welfare and upliftment of the working class. Eligible applicants from Mahabubnagar, Narayanpet, Nagarkurnool, Gadwal and Wanaparthy districts are invited to apply.

Industrialists, trade union leaders and workers must submit their applications on or before April 18, 2026. Applications can be submitted in person at the Office of the Deputy Labour Commissioner, Room No. 223, Second Floor, District Integrated Office Complex, Palakonda Village, Mahabubnagar, or sent via email to mhnrcl25@gmail.com.

Application forms are also available at the Office of the Joint Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad, located at T. Anjaiah Karmika Sankshema Bhavan, behind Devi Theatre, RTC X Roads, Hyderabad. Chandra Shekhar Goud urged all eligible candidates to make use of this opportunity.

District intermediate Education Officer Calls for 100% Pass Rate in Intermediate Supplementary Exams

(Capital Information)
Vikarabad : District Intermediate Education Officer N. Shankar has directed all government junior college principals to take necessary measures to ensure that every student clears the upcoming Intermediate Advanced Supplementary Examinations.



Speaking at a review meeting held on Wednesday at the District Intermediate Education Office, Shankar assessed the results of the recently announced Intermediate Public Examinations. He emphasized the need for achieving a 100% pass rate in every subject in

the advanced supplementary exams.

The officer instructed principals to ensure that all eligible students pay their supplementary examination fees on or before April 20. He also appreciated the staff for successfully conducting the March examinations. Shankar urged lecturers to provide proper

guidance and academic support to students appearing for the supplementary exams to help them achieve better results. He later reviewed college-wise performance and stressed the importance of increasing admissions in government junior colleges through collective efforts by principals and faculty.

The meeting was attended by principals R o o p a l a k s h m i , Narasimhareddy, Buchhiredy, Sureshwar Swamy, Swarna Latha, Roja Rani, Vasantha, and Tandur In-charge Principal Mallayya, along with lecturers Chandrasekar and Ramulu, and office staff members Saleema Begum and Indiramma.

Students appearing for the Intermediate Supplementary Examinations are required to pay their examination fees by April 20. Parents are advised to ensure timely payment at the respective colleges to avoid any inconvenience.

Preparedness for procurement of paddy for Rabi 2025-26 : Collector K. Haimavati

(Capital Information)
Siddipet : The following key instructions are issued to all officers in the district for smooth procurement of paddy during the Rabi 2025-26 season.



It is suggested that 421 purchase centers should be started immediately in the district and the necessary infrastructure should be fully prepared in the purchase centers.. especially equipment like paddy cleaners, moisture meters, tarpaulins, electronic weighing scales, dryers, digital calipers, husk removers should be available in working condition.

and electricity must be established in the purchase centers so that the farmers do not face any difficulties. As part of purchasing management, purchasing center managers are instructed to purchase only grain that meets the FAQ criteria.

During the last Yasangi 2024-25 season, the district procured 3,84,147 metric tonnes of grain from 93,142 farmers and spent Rs. 884.56 crores as support price has been paid. Also during the last monsoon 2025-26 season, 3,77,466 metric tonnes of grain was purchased from 1,02,058 farmers and Rs. 901.66 crores along with support price for grain Rs. 10.14 crores bonus was paid.

During the current Rabi 2025-26 season, 5,50,000 MT of grain is planned to be procured through 421 procurement centers (IKP-211, PACS-202, MEPMA-06, FPO-02). To this extent, the district administration has made all arrangements so that the farmers do not face any difficulties. So far purchases have started in 23 purchase centers in the district.

Jeedimetla Traffic ACP K. Venkat Reddy Leads "Arrive Alive" Campaign at Shikhara International School



(Capital Information)
Medchal Malkajgiri Bureau: Under the leadership of Jeedimetla Traffic Division ACP K. Venkat Reddy, an impactful "Arrive Alive" road safety awareness program was conducted at Shikhara International School, Bowrampet. The initiative, part of the third day of the Praja Palana - Pragathi Pranalika program, focused on educating the younger generation to become responsible road users.

During the event, ACP Venkat Reddy supervised sessions where students took a formal Road Safety Pledge. Through engaging video demonstrations, the ACP and his team highlighted the life-saving ben-

efits of wearing helmets correctly, the severe risks of minor driving, and the dangers of using mobile phones while operating a vehicle.

A significant highlight of the program was the interactive session where accident-affected students shared their personal stories, providing a sobering look at the consequences of safety negligence. Under the ACP's guidance, students also wrote heartfelt letters to their parents on postcards, urging them to prioritize traffic rules.

Principal Hemalatha and school staff joined ACP Venkat Reddy in praising the initiative for its role in shaping students as future road safety ambassadors.

"Arrive Alive" Road Safety Drive Conducted; Students Form Human Chain in Mahabubnagar

(Capital Information)
MAHABUBNAGAR : As part of the Praja Palana Pragathi Programme's 99-day initiative, the Mahabubnagar District Police organized an "Arrive Alive" road safety awareness programme at the Government School in Police Lines.



On the occasion, District Superintendent of Police D Janaki, IPS, participated along with students in forming a human chain to promote awareness on road safety. Addressing the gathering, she stated that most road accidents occur due to negligence, over-speeding, and failure to follow traffic rules. She emphasized that accidents can be prevented by wearing helmets, using seat belts, and strictly adhering to traffic regulations.

The SP further highlighted the importance of educating students about road safety from a young age so

they can grow into responsible citizens. She encouraged students to share the road safety rules they learned with their parents at home and motivate them to follow these rules without fail.

During the programme, students also took a pledge on road safety. The SP outlined key guidelines under the "Arrive Alive" initiative, urging the public to strictly follow traffic rules, ensure helmet use for two-wheeler riders, and wear seat belts in four-wheelers. She cautioned against

over-speeding, driving under the influence of alcohol, and using mobile phones while driving. Pedestrians were advised to cross roads only at designated zebra crossings. Calling upon everyone to make road safety a part of daily life, the SP urged citizens to ensure safe travel and reach their destinations without harm.

DSP Venkateshwarlu, Two Town Circle Inspector Mohammed Ajazuddin, and other police personnel participated in the programme.

Woman Duped of Rs.13.25 Lakh in Online Investment Scam; Police Urge Public to Stay Alert

(Capital Information)

Mahabubabad : A woman from Nagaram village in Garla mandal of Mahabubabad district, identified as Bachhala Prasanya, fell victim to an online investment scam and lost over ₹13.25 lakh to fraudsters.

According to SI Saikumar, the incident occurred on March 19, 2026. While at home, the victim received a message from an unknown person offering quick returns on a small investment. The fraudster claimed that by investing ₹800, she would earn an additional ₹250. Trusting the offer, she initially

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(Capital Information)

transferred ₹800 through a QR code shared by them and soon received ₹240, which increased her confidence. The fraudsters then lured her with promises of higher returns for larger investments. Believing them, she transferred money to multiple



accounts as instructed. In total, she lost ₹13,25,658. After realizing that she had been cheated, the victim approached the cyber crime authorities and lodged a complaint.

Based on her report, a case has been registered under cyber crime and investigation is underway. Police have urged the public to remain cautious and avoid trusting unknown messages promising high returns.

People are advised not to transfer money to unfamiliar accounts or QR codes and to report any suspicious activity immediately to cyber crime authorities.



As part of the "Arrive Alive" program, a human chain was organized with school students

(Capital Information)
Bhongir : As part of the "Arrive Alive" program, a human chain was organized with school students in Bhongir to create awareness about road safety. In addition, educational institution buses (EIB) were inspected.

During the inspection, vehicle documents, driver licenses, and fitness certificates were thoroughly verified. At school premises, measures were taken to ensure that buses stop only at designated points.

Specific pickup and drop-off locations were clearly identified and marked. Safety precautions to be followed while boarding and alighting from buses were explained in detail to both the school bus staff and students.

The program was attended by the Bhongir Traffic DSP, district transport officials, Bhongir Traffic SHO, other officers and school staff.

Government Schemes Bring Real Change in People's Lives: Deputy Mayor MSR

(Capital Information)
MAHABUBNAGAR : Mahabubnagar Municipal Corporation.

The event was at-

ering, MSR highlighted they reach all eligible citizens.

Emphasizing that government schemes are not mere paperwork but are aimed at bringing real transformation in people's lives, MMC Deputy Mayor Marepalli Surender Reddy (MSR) stated that the primary objective of the Praja Palana Pragathi Pranalika is to ensure welfare reaches every eligible beneficiary. He was speaking at a Ward Sabha held at Veeranapet, Mecca Masjid area of the 13th Division, organized for the first time after the formation of the

Indiramma Sarees Distributed at Ward Sabha in Mahabubnagar



tended by Deputy Mayor MSR and Corporator Shabana Begum (Syed Mohsin). As part of the 99-day Praja Palana Pragathi Programme, Indiramma sarees were distributed to beneficiaries during the Ward

and Aarogyasri, ensuring they reach all eligible citizens. He urged everyone to actively participate in the 99-day action plan and extend their cooperation for the overall development of Mahabubnagar Municipal Corporation. Following the meeting, Indiramma sarees were distributed to the beneficiaries.

Municipal Assistant Commissioner Rajanna, DMC Lakshmi, Syed Mohsin, Congress leaders, ward officials, women, government officials, party workers, and local residents participated in the programme.



Lords Vidyavani Students Shine in State-Level IIT Talent Test

(Capital Information)
Hyderabad : Students of Lords Vidyavani School, located at R.N. Reddy Nagar in Meerpet, have brought laurels to their institution by securing first, second, and third ranks at the state level in the IIT Talent Test conducted under the aegis of Abhyaas.

The meritorious students were felicitated with mementos at a programme held on Wednesday at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan. The event witnessed the presence of several distinguished personalities from the academic fraternity.

Speaking on the occasion, Chairman Siddala Beerappa and Vice-Chairman Berlu Srinivas Reddy expressed pride over the outstanding achievement. They stated that securing top ranks has become a tradition for Lords students and lauded the consistent performance of the institution at the state level. Abhyaas representative Phanipavan, Director Siddala Srilatha, Dean Satish, Principal Biradar Kishan Rao, and faculty members were present and congratulated the winners for their success.

The management attributed the achievement to the students' dedication, coupled with the continuous guidance and support of the teaching staff.

Editorial Artificial Intelligence is empowering governments to serve better than ever before

The Vice President of India, Shri C. P. Radhakrishnan, participated as the Chief Guest at the 72nd Founders' Day celebrations of the IIPA in New Delhi today. On the occasion, he delivered the 5th Dr. Rajendra Prasad Annual Memorial Lecture on the theme "AI for Good Governance."

Paying rich tributes to Dr. Rajendra Prasad, he highlighted Dr. Prasad's steadfast adherence to moral conscience and convictions, recalling his visit to the Somnath Temple even in the face of resistance from prominent leaders of the time. The Vice President noted that Dr. Prasad continues to be remembered for his simplicity, integrity, and dedication to

public duty, adding that his life underscores the principle that true governance is about service, not power. He described the lecture series as a befitting tribute to the Chairman of the Constituent Assembly and the first President of India.

Stating that the world is witnessing one of the most exciting phases in human history, the Vice President observed that we are living in the Age of AI, where machines can learn and systems can think. He said that Artificial Intelligence is redefining governance, giving governments a new superpower; the ability to better understand, respond, and serve citizens than ever before. Emphasiz-

ing that governance is not merely about rules and systems, he said its true purpose lies in empowering people and ensuring that no one is left behind, and that AI has a crucial role to play in achieving this goal.

Describing AI as a key enabler in the journey towards a Viksit Bharat by 2047, the Vice President said it is making governance faster, smarter, and more transparent. He noted that AI is enabling precise and dignified delivery of services to the last person in the queue, strengthening the vision of Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas by ensuring targeted welfare delivery and reducing leakages. He added that AI will act as a

bridge between policy and people, enabling data-driven decision-making, improving public service delivery, and fostering trust between citizens and institutions.

Highlighting India's progress in the field, the Vice President said that under the leadership of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, the country is at the forefront of leveraging AI for inclusive governance. He noted that AI-powered platforms are overcoming language barriers in a diverse nation like India. He expressed pride in the fact that parliamentary papers are now available in multiple Indian languages through AI interfaces. He also highlighted India's national AI-powered language

platform, BHASHINI, as a significant step towards inclusive governance and linguistic empowerment.

The Vice President further elaborated on the application of AI across sectors. In healthcare, he noted that AI is playing a transformative role through initiatives such as AI-assisted TB screening, AI-enabled portable X-ray devices, and telemedicine platforms like eSanjeevani, ensuring that distance is no longer a barrier to healthcare access. He added that similar transformative impacts are being witnessed in agriculture, MSMEs, cybersecurity, judiciary, and administrative systems, emphasizing that just as governance touches every

field, AI too is now influencing every sector.

The Vice President noted that the country ranks among the top nations globally, including a high position in global AI vibrancy rankings. He highlighted key government initiatives such as the India AI Mission, and the Anusandhan National Research Foundation, which aim to strengthen the country's technological ecosystem. He also referred to the recent AI Impact Summit held in Delhi, where India's leadership in AI was widely acknowledged, and shared that global industry leaders have expressed strong confidence in India's vast potential in Artificial Intelligence.

Startup Unveils Hydrogen Cooking Stove to Replace LPG Cylinders

(Capital Information) **New Delhi/Gurugram** : Haryana-based clean-tech startup GreenVize Energy Solutions has introduced a plug-and-play hydrogen cooking system that generates fuel from water, positioning it as a potential alternative to conventional LPG stoves.

The system uses an inbuilt Proton Exchange Membrane (PEM) electrolyser to split water into hydrogen and oxygen, producing a clean flame for cooking. Users can operate the device by adding a small quantity of water and connecting it to a standard power source, with hydrogen generated on demand.

According to the company, the stove can run for

several hours with minimal water and electricity consumption, emitting only water vapour as a by-product. It



does not require storage cylinders or external fuel supply, and is designed to work with conventional cookware.

Founder Sanjeev Choudhary said the innovation aims to address limitations of ex-

isting cooking technologies while aligning with India's push towards clean energy solutions. He added that the

air pollution, elimination of fuel logistics, and improved energy efficiency. However, the current cost-ranging from about ₹1 lakh for a single-burner unit to higher for commercial models—may limit immediate widespread adoption.

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Special Medical Camps for Handloom Workers from April 16 to May 13: Collector

(Capital Information)

Bhuvanagiri : District Collector Anurag Jayanti announced that special medical camps will be conducted from April 16 to May 13 for the welfare of handloom workers in the district.

He stated that around 10,323 handloom workers are residing across the district, and these health camps will be organized in various mandals and villages under the supervision of the District Medical and Health Department.

At these camps, government doctors including general physicians, ophthalmologists (eye specialists), and orthopedic specialists will provide free medical check-ups and necessary medicines to handloom workers.

The camps will include tests such as blood pressure (BP), diabetes screening, eye



examinations, diagnosis of bone-related issues, and other chronic health conditions. Based on the severity of illnesses, patients will be referred to higher-level hospitals if needed.

The camps will be conducted daily from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

Schedule of Medical Camps:

April 16, 2026: Aleru Mandal – Gowda Sangham Building
April 17, 2026: Atmakur Mandal – PHC Atmakur

April 18, 2026: UPHC Bhuvanagiri

April 20–23, 2026: Choutuppal, Koyalagudem, Kuntlagudem areas

April 24, 2026: PHC Motakondur

April 25, 2026: PHC Mothkur

April 27 – May 2, 2026: Pochampalli Society Dyeing House

May 4, 2026: PHC Rajapet

May 5 & 6, 2026: CHC Ramannapet

May 7, 2026: PHC Valigonda

May 8, 2026: PHC Yadagirigutta

May 11, 2026: PHC Gundala

May 12, 2026: PHC Narayanapur

May 13, 2026: Puttapaka Cluster Building

The Collector appealed to all handloom workers and their family members in the district to make use of these medical camps.

Serilingampally Zone Review: Commissioner G. Srujana Sets June 2 Deadline for Key Works

(Capital Information)

Serilingampally : CMC Commissioner G. Srujana, IAS, on Wednesday chaired a high-level review meeting at the Serilingampally Zonal Office to assess ongoing development works and the status of public grievance redressal. Zonal Commissioner Hemant Borkhade, IAS, along with officials from Engineering, Town Planning, Revenue, UBD, and UCD departments participated in the meeting.

During the meeting, the Commissioner directed officials to expedite all ongoing works under the '99 Days Program' and ensure their completion by June 2, 2026, setting a target of at least 190 works within the stipulated timeframe. Stressing on infrastructure quality, she instructed that all roads in the zone must undergo end-to-end carpeting and be made pothole-free, while also ordering the immediate removal of encroachments.

With the monsoon season



approaching, Srujana emphasized the urgency of completing desilting works of drainage systems across the zone by the end of April to prevent waterlogging issues. She also called for swift action on public complaints, particularly those related to street lighting, directing Assistant Engineers to respond without delay.

Reviewing civic asset management, the Commissioner asked officials to compile detailed data on government properties such as parks, playgrounds, and community halls, and to complete boundary fixation for vacant lands within 10 days. On

sanitation, she instructed that water hyacinth removal in lakes be completed by the end of May and directed the preparation of a regular fogging and spraying schedule every 10 days to control mosquito breeding.

Further, she highlighted the importance of junction beautification and suggested utilizing Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funds from private firms. Emphasizing accountability, Ms. Srujana urged officials to work in close coordination without negligence and announced that weekly review meetings would be conducted to monitor progress and ensure timely completion of all targets.

70 PERCENT SEATS FOR ORPHAN AND POOR GIRLS IN DIPLOMA COURSES : COLLECTOR PRATIMA SINGH

(Capital Information)

Medak : District Collector Pratima Singh advised to apply for admissions in diploma courses at Smt. Durgabai Deshmukh Government Technical Training Institute for Women (SDDGWTTI), Hyderabad (Yusufguda). 3 years full-time diploma courses are available in Civil, Computer Science, Electronics & Communication, Electrical & Electronics Engineering (Diploma in DCE, DCSE, DECE, DEEE) departments. Those who have passed 10th class and Inter are eligible. (10+2/SSC).

Courses: Civil, CSE, ECE, EEE (DCE, DCSE, DECE, DEEE). Application Procedure: Admissions through Online/Po-licet through Telangana State Department of Technical Education (SBTET).

Contact Address: Yusufguda Main Road, Mathuranagar, Hyderabad - 500038. Official website: sddgwtti.dte.telangana.gov.in.. District Collector Pratima Singh said in a statement on Wednesday. She said that it is a government organization established for orphan and destitute girls.



Doctors Must Remain Vigilant Regarding Abortion Cases

(Capital Information)

Wanaparthy : District Collector Adarsh Surabhi has issued directives stating that doctors in the district must remain vigilant regarding abortion cases. He ordered them to conduct a comprehensive examination into the underlying causes of every case and the specific locations where they occur, and to subsequently submit a detailed report. On Wednesday, the District Collector visited the Government Primary Health Centre (PHC) in Gopalapeta Mandal and inspected various departments.

During this visit, the Collector reviewed the EDD (Estimated Date of Delivery) registers and inquired about the details regarding deliveries and abortions taking place at the hospital. He advised the doctors to exercise caution and vigilance concerning abortion cases. He specifically ordered the submission of a comprehensive report detailing the causes of abortions and the locations



where they are being performed. Furthermore, he instructed officials to submit proposals—in the form of official files—regarding the necessary facilities required to enhance services at the hospital. The Collector also directed that awareness be created among women regarding the HPV vaccine and emphasized that the best possible medical services must be provided to all citizens visiting government hospitals.

Inspection of 'Indiramma'

Houses in Polikepadu

The Collector inspected the completed 'Indiramma' houses in Polikepadu village, located in Gopalapeta Mandal. He interacted with the beneficiaries to gather information regarding the status of bill disbursements. Officials explained that out of the 35 houses sanctioned for the village, the "grounding" (commencement of construction) stage has been completed for 34 houses, while three houses have reached full completion. The

Collector stated that 'Indiramma' houses would be allocated to eligible beneficiaries in the subsequent phase.

Inspection of Indiramma Model House

The Collector inspected the Indiramma Model House constructed near the Tahsildar's office. He inquired about the architectural style and other details regarding the structure. Speaking on the occasion, the Housing Project Director (PD) stated that this building would soon be utilized as the office of the Assistant Engineer (Housing). Similarly, holding a meeting with officials at the Tahsildar's office regarding the Census process, the Collector issued directives to expedite the identification of HLBs (House Listing Blocks) and complete the demarcation work. Housing PD Vitoba, CPO Harikrishna, Tahsildar Tilak, MPO Bhavani, Medical Officer Krishnakumari, and other officials accompanied the Collector.

Cyberabad Commissioner Srijana Gummalla Inspects Moosapet; Launches Smart Surveillance to Curb Illegal Dumping

(Capital Information)

Medchal Malkajgiri Bureau : In a proactive move toward waste management, Cyberabad Municipal Corporation Commissioner Srijana Gummalla conducted an extensive field inspection in the Moosapet Circle today. During the visit, the Commissioner inaugurated a first-of-its-kind initiative designed to eliminate chronic Garbage Vulnerable Points (GVPs) through advanced technology.

As part of this pilot project, a specialized CCTV camera system with an integrated automated cautioning mechanism was installed at a major dumping site on HP Road. This smart system is linked to a mobile application, allowing sanitation officials to monitor the site in real-time. Equipped with motion sensors, the device triggers automated audio announcements to warn and deter individuals attempting to dump waste illegally.

Commissioner Gummalla stated that this initiative is a key component of the '99 Days Action Plan' under the Praja Palana – Pragati Pranalika framework, which focuses on sustainable cleanli-



ness and smarter urban governance. While interacting with the sanitation staff, she lauded their efforts and directed senior officials to identify other major GVPs across the corporation to replicate this technology-driven model. This strategic step marks a significant shift toward a cleaner and more technologically integrated Cyberabad.

Process of Creating House Listing Blocks as Part of Census Must Be Expedited : Collector Adarsh Surabhi

(Capital Information)

Wanaparthy : District Collector Adarsh Surabhi has issued directives to expedite the process of creating House Listing Blocks (HLBs) as part of the ongoing census operations, emphasizing that the demarcation of these blocks must be completed without fail by tomorrow.

On Wednesday, the District Collector conducted a teleconference from his chamber at the Collectorate with Tahsildars, Municipal Commissioners, and MPSSOs to review the progress of the HLB creation process.

During this interaction, the Collector provided several key instructions to the officials. He reiterated the need to accelerate the creation of House Listing Blocks and mandated that all HLB demarcation tasks be finalized by the end of tomorrow. He further stated that every official must ensure the completion of demarca-



tion within the stipulated deadline.

He also instructed that printed copies of the House Listing Block demarcation details be handed over to the enumerators before they proceed into the field. He emphasized that all tasks must be executed with efficiency and strict adherence to timelines.

Additional Collector (Local Bodies) Khimya Naik, CPO Hari Krishna, and other officials participated in this meeting.

Follow the rules and reach your destinations safely: Collector Kumar Deepak

(Capital Information)
Mancherial : District Collector Kumar Deepak said that motorists should follow the road safety rules and reach their destinations safely. As part of the 99-day Public Administration Progress Plan program, the bike rally organized by the District Transport Department under the auspices of the Integrated District Offices Building in Naspur in the district was flagged off by DCP A. Bhaskar, District Additional Collector (Local Bodies) P. Chandraiah, Gudipet Police Battalion Admin Venkataramulu and District Transport Officer Gopikrishna.



He said that motorists should drive carefully, and that a road accident is a danger to a family. He said that lights and blind spots are being identified and appropriate arrangements are being made on the roads in the district, and signal systems are being installed to control the vehicles. He said that experience has nothing to do with accidents, and that one should concentrate on driving

and driving at the right time. He said that two-wheeler riders and those sitting behind them must wear helmets, and everyone traveling in a car should wear seat belts. He said that certificates should be available for each vehicle, and motorists should not drive while drinking alcohol, using mobile phones, and driving on the wrong route. He said that if a motorist is found driving while drinking

alcohol during inspections, the license of the concerned motorist will be suspended, and that those under the age of 18 should not drive, and if they do, action will be taken against their parents. He said that speed limits should be observed on the roads, and that transport vehicles should carry limited loads.

He said that even though steps have been taken to prevent accidents in coordination with the police and transport departments, people should voluntarily participate and drive vehicles carefully by following the rules. He said that speeding is very dangerous, and if the speed limit is followed, one can reach the destination safely.

He said that road safety rules will be strictly enforced, and as part of this, steps are being taken to provide breath analyzers and speed guns as required. He said that the small things we follow while driving a vehicle can save our lives. Officers of the concerned departments and others participated in this program.

Former Corporator Srikanth Inspects Civic Issues in FCI Colony

(Capital Information)
Miyapur : Former Miyapur Division Corporator Upalapati Srikanth, along with senior officials from the CMC, Water Board, SNPD, and Irrigation departments, conducted a foot march in FCI Colony to assess various civic issues and identify development works to be undertaken.



CMC Deputy Engineer Sridevi, Water Board DGM Narayana, SNPD DE Dheeraj, and Irrigation officials participated in the inspection. The team toured the colony and reviewed several ongoing and pending issues raised by residents.

Speaking on the occasion, Srikanth said the visit was organized in response to representations from colony residents regarding multiple civic problems. He stated that officials from various departments jointly inspected the issues on the ground and took immediate

steps to resolve minor problems on the spot.

He emphasized that providing basic infrastructure in FCI Colony remains a top priority and assured residents that efforts would be made to address key concerns such as roads, drainage, and drinking water supply. He further informed that the inlet and outlet points of Patel Cheruvu were also inspected along with officials.

Highlighting a major concern, Srikanth noted that the colony has been facing frequent overflow of drainage water in recent times. The

issue was brought to the notice of concerned authorities, and he urged officials to take swift action to resolve it at the earliest.

He also stated that, with the support of PAC Chairman Arekapudi Gandhi, development works sanctioned in the division would be executed in phases and completed efficiently for public use.

CMC Assistant Engineer Santosh, Irrigation AE Ghulam, Work Inspectors Jagadish, Lingaiah, Anwar, and local residents were also present during the programme.

'Arrive Alive' Awareness Program Conducted in Kukatpally

(Capital Information)
Kukatpally : An awareness program titled 'Arrive Alive' was conducted on Wednesday at Genesis School in Kukatpally under the aegis of the Cyberabad Police Commissionerate and organized by the Kukatpally Police.

is extremely valuable and that it is the responsibility of every individual to protect their own life as well as ensure the safety of their family.

follow the slogan: "Start Early - Go Slowly - Reach Safely."



He also addressed the misconception that wearing a helmet causes hair fall, stressing that not wearing a helmet can lead to serious and life-threatening consequences. He noted that students and youth are more vulnerable to road accidents, and such awareness programs are being conducted with special focus on them.

Students of Genesis School, Kukatpally Law & Order SHO, Kukatpally Traffic SHO, police officials, staff, and others participated in the program.

Kukatpally Additional DCP, Sudarshan, attended the event as the chief guest and delivered an important address on road safety. He stated that most road accidents occur due to lifestyle changes, lack of proper sleep, and the tendency to rush to destinations. He emphasized that human life

lies. Highlighting the importance of safe travel, he urged everyone to

Better medical services should be provided to patients visiting Government Hospitals: Additional Collector Bhaskar Rao

(Capital Information)
Yadadri Bhuvanagiri : Additional Collector (Local Bodies) Bhaskar Rao stated that better medical treatment should be provided to patients visiting government hospitals. On Wednesday, he conducted a surprise inspection of the Urban Primary Health Centre under Bhongir municipality limits.

visiting the hospital should be attended promptly and provided with quality medical services. He also

interacted directly with patients and enquired about their health conditions. He asked whether doctors and staff were available and providing proper treatment. He also personally spoke to patients to gather feedback on the services being offered.



During the visit, he thoroughly examined every department of the hospital. He inquired with the concerned officials about the number of doctors and staff on duty and checked the registers. He instructed that all doctors and staff must strictly follow punctuality. He emphasized that patients

reviewed the OP register to know the daily patient turnout.

While inspecting the hospital premises, the Additional Collector

He directed the officials to ensure the availability of necessary medicines at all times and instructed that the hospital surroundings should be cleaned regularly.

Medical staff, concerned officials, and others participated in the program.

Strict Enforcement of Road Safety Rules is Paramount for Protecting Human Lives: Collector Adarsh Surabhi

Free Eye Check-ups for Auto Drivers as Part of the 'Arrive Alive' Public Administration Progress Plan

(Capital Information)
Wanaparthy : District Collector Adarsh Surabhi emphasized that the strict enforcement of road safety rules is of utmost importance for safeguarding human lives. On Wednesday, as part of the 'Arrive Alive' road safety initiative—conducted under the broader 'Praja Palana Pragathi Plan' (Public Administration Progress Plan)—he visited an eye check-up camp organized for auto drivers at the Transport Department (RTO) office in Nagavaram.



Speaking on the occasion, the Collector instructed officials to conduct the 'Arrive Alive' road safety programs in strict accordance with the prescribed schedule

outlined under the Public Administration Progress Plan. He stressed the need to create widespread public awareness regarding road safety regulations and reiterated that two-wheeler riders must strictly adhere to the mandatory helmet rule.

He issued directives to strictly enforce all road safety regulations and instructed officials to take necessary

measures to ensure that eye check-ups are conducted for all auto drivers across the district. The Collector reiterated that the implementation of road safety rules is absolutely critical for ensuring the safety and security of the public.

DTO Manasa, along with other concerned officials, Transport Department staff, and auto drivers, participated in this program.

Farmers should buy grain without facing problems: Collector B Chandrasekhar

(Capital Information)
Devarakonda : Nalgonda District Collector B Chandrasekhar said that farmers should buy grain without any trouble.



Devarakonda MLA Nenavath Balu Naik inaugurated the grain purchase center at Konda Bhimanapalli village of Devarakonda mandal on Wednesday.

Speaking on this occasion, the collector directed the officials to conduct the rabi grain purchase process smoothly.

He said that the grain brought by the farmers should be purchased immediately if it is of the quality and quantity and should not be delayed.

Drinking water, shade and rest facilities for the farmers in the buying centers as the sun is shining more! And the officials were directed to ensure

that all facilities like supply of mine bags for humidity tests are available.

He said that steps should be taken to coordinate with the millers to send the purchased grain to the mills immediately.

The collector assured the farmers that the farmers who face any difficulties in selling

food grains should immediately inform the concerned authorities that the problem will be resolved.

Devarakonda MLA Balu Naik:- said that the grain received at the purchase centers should be purchased immediately without causing any trouble to the farmers.

He said that the authori-

ties should take proper care in providing all the facilities to the farmers in the purchase centers without any problems.

Market Chairman Jamuna Madhav Reddy, Former Municipal Chairman Allampally Narasimha, Former ZPTC Surupaka Aruna Suresh Goud, Mandal Party President Loksani Sridhar Reddy, Revenue Additional Collector J Srinivas, RDO Ramana Reddy, District Civil Supplies Officer Venkatesh, Manager Ram Pati Naik, Tahsildar Madhusudan Reddy, MPDO Parvathi, Korra Ram Singh Naik, Papa Naik, Era Krishna Jambav, officials of the concerned departments, public representatives and farmers participated.



Ganja Chocolates, Dry Ganja Seized in Gachibowli Raid; One Arrested

(Capital Information)
Gachibowli: In a joint operation, the Gachibowli Police along with the SOT Serilingampally team busted an illegal drug sale point at Masjibanda Chowrastha and arrested one person involved in the sale of ganja and ganja-infused chocolates.

Acting on credible information received at around 4:00 PM, the police informed their superiors and followed due procedure. A raid was conducted earlier at about 2:00 PM in the presence of panch witnesses and the Clues Team.

During the operation, the accused, identified as Prem Prakash Chaudhary (43), a security guard at SMR Vinay and a native of Bihar, attempted to flee but was apprehended by the police.

Upon verification, officials seized 1,227 grams of ganja chocolates and 147 grams of dry ganja from his possession.

A case has been registered, and the accused has been produced before the court and remanded to judicial custody.

Police stated that further investigation is underway to identify others involved in the supply network.

The state government should solve the problems of electricity workers immediately!

Chinthapalli Srinivas Goud BC Welfare Association State Secretary

(Capital Information)
Devarakonda : Dr. Chinthapalli Srinivas Goud, a sociologist and state secretary of the National BC Welfare Association, expressed solidarity with

government to immediately solve the problems of RTGN workers of electricity employees.

Apart from that, he urged the government to immediately regularize the

employees are being delayed without making them permanent.

He said that the state government had cheated the workers by saying that only one company would implement the same rules.

He warned the government that if there is equal pay for equal work, the RTGN issues should be resolved immediately, otherwise large-scale agitations will be organized.

Leaders of BC Welfare Association Reddy Koteswara Rao, Giri Venkataiah Goud, Vasantha Kumar, Nathi Yadaya Goud, Merugu Srinu, Leaders of Electricity Labor Unions Kancharanapally Saidulu, Pathan Poin Naresh, Orsu Shankar, Chittimalla Venkanna, P Saitachari, Vinod, Suriki Anjaneyu and others participated in this program.



those who have been conducting initiations in front of the Electricity Division Office in Konda Mallepally for the resolution of their problems as RTGNs in the Electricity Department for the past eight days.

Speaking on the occasion, he urged the state

workers who have been working in the power department for the past few years and address their demands immediately.

He expressed his concern that since the Congress government came to power in the state for two and a half years, the contract, outsourcing, and em-



Municipal Development with the Cooperation of MLA: Municipal Chairperson Bhungi Ratnamala CC Road Works Commenced in the 11th Ward

(Capital Information)
Kalwakurthy : The Municipal Chairperson, Bhungi Ratnamala Anand Kumar, stated that the development of Kalwakurthy Municipality is progressing smoothly with the cooperation of Kalwakurthy MLA Kasireddy Narayana Reddy. On Wednesday, she formally inaugurated the CC (Cement Concrete) road construction works sanctioned for the 11th Ward.

Commitment to Progress: Speaking on the occasion, the Chairperson emphasized that they are committed to solving public issues across all wards of the municipality with the support of MLA Kasireddy Narayana Reddy.

Infrastructure Focus: The start of the CC road works marks a step toward improving the basic infrastructure and connectivity within the local neighborhoods.

The event saw the participation of several local leaders and officials, including:

- Shahnawaz Khan (Vice Chairman)
- Pustakala Rahul (Congress Party Town President)
- Ramakrishna & Nazia Maqbool (Councilors)
- Pandu Ranga Reddy & Anjaneyulu (Party Leaders)



Collector Koya Sree Harsha Directs Officials to Resolve Land Issues

(Capital Information)

Peddapalli Bureau : District Collector Koya Sree Harsha has instructed revenue officials to take proactive measures toward the permanent resolution of pending land issues in the district. During a field visit on Wednesday, the Collector personally inspected various agricultural lands in Vennampally village of Kalva Srirampur Mandal to understand the ground-level situation.

Speaking on the occasion, Collector Sree Harsha emphasized the need for efficiency in administrative processes. He specifically directed the concerned officials to expedite the processing of all pending online applications within the 'Bhubharathi' system and ensure they are completed at the earliest.

He noted that resolving these technical and physical land discrepancies is a priority for the district administration. The Collector was accompanied during this inspection by Tahsildar Ramudu and other department officials.

VEHICLES SHOULD BE DRIVEN CAREFULLY FOLLOWING THE ROAD RULES : I.G. CHANDRASEKHAR REDDY

(Capital Information)
Medak : Collector Pratima Singh said that accidents can be effectively avoided if motorists follow road rules

Chandra Shekhar Reddy said that people should get used to responsible behavior towards traffic rules. Children's Road Safety Day

taken on vehicles.

He said that minors should not drive vehicles and should conduct a wide campaign about drunken driving and over speeding and create awareness among people. They want to ensure that school buses have fitness. District Collector Pratima Singh said traffic rules should be followed and drivers should wear helmets.



and drive responsibly. IG Chandra Shekhar Reddy, District Collector Pratima Singh and District SP Srinivasa Rao participated in the Arive-Alive program held at Kalakal in Manoharabad mandal on Wednesday.

On this occasion, IG should be celebrated as a part of public governance progress plan in Toopran mandal Kalakal village and parents and family members should be made aware about the necessity of wearing helmet and seat belt even for children above 4 years of age while being

Carelessness in driving is the way to prevent accidents. He took a pledge to prevent road accidents.

Toopran RDO Jaya Chandra Reddy, DSPs, local sarpanch, sub sarpanch, officers and staff participated in this program.



Bachchu Ramakrishna's Birthday Celebrations in the Presence of Delhi CM Rekha Gupta

(Capital Information)

Kalwakurthy : Tirumala : The birthday celebrations of Bachchu Ramakrishna, the Nagar Kurnool District President of the Arya Vysya Mahasabha, were held on a grand scale in Tirumala. The event took place in the presence of Delhi leader Rekha Gupta.

During the event, Bachchu Ramakrishna honored Rekha Gupta with a traditional shawl and presented her with a flower bouquet. In return, she conveyed her warm birthday greetings to him. Prominent

The celebration saw the Yannam Bhupathi Reddy (DCC Vice President), Anand Kumar (Municipal Chairman), Srinivas Goud (Toll Gate Organizer), Uppu Anjaneyulu (Arya Vysya Association Leader), Miryala Rajaiah (Arya Vysya Association Leader).



Prevent Road Accidents : AMVI Shwetha Reddy Students' Rally and Human Chain

(Capital Information)

Station Ghanpur : Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspector Shwetha Reddy urged everyone to cooperate in preventing road accidents by following road safety rules and regulations. As part of the Road Safety Week under the Praja Palana Pragathi Programme, students organized a large rally on Wednesday at the Station Ghanpur constituency center in Jangaon district and formed a human chain at Gandhi Center.

On this occasion, she stated that all vehicle owners must strictly follow traffic rules, wear helmets, avoid overspeeding, and refrain from drunk driving. CI G. Venu, SIs Vinay, Ramesh, Manisha, Mandal Education Officer Komurayya, District IECO Nagaraju, along with teachers and students, participated in the awareness rally and human chain.

Collector suddenly inspected Gurukula School/College

(Capital Information)

Devarakonda : Nalgonda District Collector B ChandraShekar conducted a surprise inspection of the Boys' Gurukul School/College in Devarakonda mandal.

On Wednesday, he made a surprise inspection of the BC Boys Gurukula School/College at Kolumunthal Pahad village in Devarakonda mandal.



Speaking on this occasion, he directed the concerned authorities to continuously monitor the cleanliness of all the infrastructure, cleanliness of the food and quality of the school so that the students do not face any problems.

He inspected every room in the school and inquired about the facilities available to the students.

The Principal of Kalashala was instructed to ensure that the fans, tube lights, and proper lighting in the classrooms are working properly.

Also, the staff were instructed to keep the doors and windows in good condition and to keep the urinals (toilets) clean.

After inspecting the dining hall, he advised the staff to pay special attention to the cleanliness of the dining hall and clean it frequently so that

garbage does not accumulate in the surroundings.

To provide quality food to the students, meals should be served according to the menu.

Inspected the store room and examined the records. The staff were asked questions about the quality of stor-

age of food items and said that proper management should be done.

Looking at the food being prepared in the kitchen, especially when the chicken was brought in? How to cook! The cooks were asked for details like, He also examined the attendance table of the students and inquired about their health and accommodation conditions.

He was accompanied by RDO Ramana Reddy, BC Welfare RCO Swapna, Devarakonda Tehsildar Madhusudan Reddy, Gurukula School Principal Sagar, MPDO Parvathi, concerned officials, school staff and others.

Follow Road Safety Rules to Save Lives, Says Additional SP N. Venkateswarlu

(Capital Information)

Nagarkurnool : Additional Superintendent of Police N. Venkateswarlu urged everyone to strictly follow road safety rules to prevent accidents and save lives. He was speaking at the "Arrive Alive" awareness program held at a high school near the Nagarkurnool bus stand.

Addressing the gathering, he stated that on average, a road accident occurs every four minutes in the country, with a majority of the victims being youth. He emphasized that every individual must act responsibly and adhere to traffic regulations.

He advised motorists to wear helmets compulsorily and avoid using mobile phones while driving, driving under the influence of alcohol, taking wrong routes, overspeeding, or driving negligently.



He further explained that accidents can cause irreparable loss to families, and by following road safety norms, many such incidents can be prevented. He also encouraged school students to remind their parents to wear helmets while driving and stressed that minors should not engage in driving.

As part of the program, a

rally was conducted with school students in Nagarkurnool town to raise awareness about road safety and accident prevention.

RTO Officer Ramesh, Nagarkurnool Sub-Inspector Govardhan, Traffic RSI Kalyan, Kalwakurthy Sub-Inspector, along with school headmasters, teachers, and students participated in the event.

Children's Safety is Our Foremost Duty : DSP Venkateswara Rao

Awareness Campaign Extends from Villages to Towns

(Capital Information)

Wanaparthy : "Safeguarding the lives of children is a collective responsibility; even a moment of negligence can result in lifelong loss," stated wanaparthy DSP Venkateswara Rao. On Wednesday—as part of the "Praja Palana - Pragathi Plan" (Public Administration - Progress Plan) and marking the third day of the "Arrive Alive" Road Safety Week celebrations—a special awareness program was held at Rajiv Chowra in the heart of wanaparthy town.

Joined by students from the Government Boys' High School, DSP Venkateswara Rao and wanaparthy CI Ratnam led an initiative focused on the prevention of road accidents. Students, police personnel, and volunteers formed a "human chain" to



raise public awareness regarding road safety, discussed traffic regulations, and administered a safety pledge to the participants. Writing letters to their parents, the students reminded them of their responsibility toward road safety with the heartfelt plea: "Dad... please buy a helmet for Mom and me."

Speaking on this occasion, the DSP remarked, "Road safety is not merely a

stated that accidents can be prevented only through collective effort, and urged everyone to strictly adhere to traffic regulations to curb road mishaps.

The DSP issued directives to officials regarding safe road-crossing practices, the mandatory use of helmets and seatbelts, safety precautions within buses, speed control near schools, the prohibition of minors driving vehicles, and taking strict action against triple riding.

Participants in this program included wanaparthy CI Sugandha, Chinnamma Thomas, President of the wanaparthy District Rural Development Society (an NGO); wanaparthy Town SI Hari Prasad, wanaparthy Traffic SI Surender; school teachers; students; police personnel; and others.

Action will be taken against anti-party activities : Former MLA Rajayya

(Capital Information)

Station Ghanpur : Former MLA Dr. T. Rajayya warned that strict action will be taken against those involved in anti-party activities. A meeting of key leaders and party workers was



held on Wednesday at Varalakshmi Function Hall in Chilpur mandal center of Jangaon district.

Speaking on the occasion, he said that some leaders are working against the party's principles and disciplinary action against them is inevitable.

He stated that it is his responsibility to protect all party workers and asserted that no one can step into this constituency without his approval. He remarked that many leaders are eye-

ing Station Ghanpur, but emphasized that the real focus remains on him, warning others against entering the constituency.

Rajayya claimed that he played a key role as a star campaigner in both Jangaon and Station Ghanpur assembly elections and contributed to victories in both constituencies. He also stated that those who betrayed him politically would not prosper.

He said that if Y. S. Rajasekhara Reddy gave him his political life, then KCR is like a god to him. He reiterated that strict disciplinary action will be taken against those who act against the party.

He also called upon party workers to oppose MLA Kadiyam Srihari if he visits their villages, alleging betrayal of the party.

Leaders including Edavalli Krishna Reddy, Maloth Ramesh Naik, Kesireddy Manoj Reddy, Rajan Babu, Suresh Kumar, and Sattaiah participated in the meeting.

Arrive Alive Program: Kukatpally Traffic Police Conduct Awareness Drive at Malaysian Township

(Capital Information)

Medchal Malkajgiri Bureau : As part of the ongoing "Arrive Alive" initiative, the Kukatpally Traffic Division organized a comprehensive road safety awareness program for motorists at Malaysian Township today. The session, led by ACP K. Venkataiah, aimed to instill better riding habits and reduce the frequency of fatal road accidents in the region.

During the program, ACP Venkataiah and his team engaged with commuters to highlight the critical importance of wearing ISI-certified helmets. Officials emphasized that head protection is the single most effective way to prevent life-threatening injuries during collisions. In a proactive move to ensure immediate safety compliance, riders found traveling without

headgear were not only educated on the risks but were also encouraged to purchase new helmets on the spot from authorized vendors.



The "Arrive Alive" schedule continues to target high-traffic zones across the division to foster a culture of responsible driving. ACP Venkataiah reiterated that the department's goal is not merely enforcement, but the genuine protection of lives through awareness and immediate corrective action. The initiative received a positive response from the local community as a vital step toward making the city's roads safer for all.



Lions Club: A Destination for Social Service

(Capital Information)

Kalwakurthy : Many have noted that the Lions Club of Kalwakurthy has become a synonym for social service activities. On the occasion of the birthday of the club's First Vice President, Bachhu Ramakrishna, a food donation drive (Annadhanam) was organized for passengers at the local RTC Bus Stand. Meals on Wheels: As part of the "Meals on Wheels" initiative, Lions Club International prioritizes satisfying the hunger of the poor.

Impact: Meals were distributed to approximately 400 passengers arriving and departing from the bus station.

Organization: Club President Chigullapalli Sridhar stated that the program was made possible through the cooperation of donors and specifically highlighted the support of Bachhu Ramakrishna for this event. The event saw participation from several prominent club members and local leaders, including: Chigullapalli Sridhar (Club President), Kalmacharla Gopal (Secretary), Gubba Kishan (Membership Committee Chairman), Vasa Shekhar (Town Arya Vysya Mahasabha President), Govindu Srinivas (Former Treasurer). Additional members and local journalists such as Venkatesh, Ramakrishna, Rahim, and Baba, emphasize that the Kalwakurthy Lions Club continues to be a leading organization in local philanthropic efforts, particularly in addressing food insecurity.

Jagananna is Our Source of Courage : Kakani

(Capital Information)
Nellore : In Juvvala Dinne, within the Kavali constituency of SPSR Nellore District, former Minister and YSR Congress Party District President for the united Nellore district, Dr. Kakani Govardhan Reddy, extended a grand welcome to former Chief Minister and YSR Congress Party President, Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy. He was joined in this welcome by Members of the Legislative Council, former Ministers, former Members of Parliament, former Members of the Legislative Assembly, and the State Women's Working President of the YSR Congress Party, Kakani Pujitha.



Fishing Harbour and highlighted the conspiracies hatched by the 'Alliance Government' against the fishing community.

Kakani participated in and addressed the public meeting organized as part of the 'Face-to-Face' interaction program with the fishermen.

We strongly condemn the Alliance Government's move to hand over the Juvvala

Dinne Fishing Harbour—a prestigious project built by the YSR Congress Party Government—to private entities.

Fulfilling a decades-long dream of the fishermen in this region, Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy constructed the Juvvala Dinne Fishing Harbour during his tenure as Chief Minister.

While many Chief Ministers in the state merely offered lip service and failed to act, [Jagan Mohan Reddy] recognized the hardships faced by the fishermen...

It was Jagananna alone who made the Juvvaladinne Fishing Harbour a reality.

The Juvvaladinne Fishing Harbour is the property and rightful entitlement of the fishing community.

The Coalition Government's act of handing over

this harbour—which was nearly complete and ready for operation—to a private company named 'Sagar Defence' amounts to snatching the very livelihoods of the fishermen.

Jagananna visited Juvvaladinne personally with the sole intention of instilling confidence and assurance in the fishing community. - We have inherited Jagananna's courage as our legacy; it is with this very courage that we shall march forward.

I extend my heartfelt thanks to every single person who turned up today, undeterred by the numerous restrictions imposed by the Coalition Government or the obstacles created by the police to prevent our entry.

My deepest gratitude goes out to the thousands of fishermen and citizens who gathered here today, braving even the scorching heat of the sun.

Collector Haritha Reviews Progress of Cell Tower Construction in Asifabad District

(Capital Information)
Asifabad : District Collector Haritha stated that cell tower construction in the district should be expedited to provide internet services to remote and interior areas of Asifabad district.



On Wednesday, Collector Haritha participated in a review meeting held at the meeting hall in the Integrated Collectorate complex, Asifabad, regarding BSNL, Airtel, Jio, and T-Fiber tower construction and site selection. The meeting was attended along with Additional Collector M. David, District Forest Officer Neeraj Kumar, Kagaznagar Sub-Collector Shradha Shukla, and Asifabad RDO Lokeshwar Rao.

On this occasion, the Collector said that under the Digital Bharat Nidhi scheme, 24 towers have been sanctioned to BSNL. She directed that site selection for these towers

should be completed immediately. She also instructed that construction should be started in locations where land has already been identified.

She further stated that joint surveys should be conducted by Revenue, Forest, and BSNL officials and reports should be submitted without delay. She emphasized that Airtel and Jio tower works should also be completed

to ensure internet connectivity to remote villages. She added that internet services should be provided in government offices through the T-Fiber network.

Officials including DPO Bikshapati, SE NPDCJL Jodi Uttam, EE PR Dharmender, EE Mission Bhagiratha Siddhiqui, and representatives from BSNL, Airtel, Jio, and T-Fiber participated in the review meeting.

Kakinada Town Express to Run Regularly from April 21: MP Konda Vishweshwar Reddy

(Capital Information)
Serilingampally : In a significant development for residents of the Serilingampally region under the Chevella Parliamentary Constituency, MP Konda Vishweshwar Reddy announced that the Lingampally-Kakinada Town Express (Train Nos. 12775/12776) will operate as a regular service starting April 21, 2026.



Earlier, the train used to run only three days a week—on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays—between Lingampally and Kakinada. From Tuesday, April 21, the service will be expanded to run more frequently, cover-

ing Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays, thereby ensuring better connectivity between Lingampally and Kakinada.

The MP stated that this long-pending demand of the local residents, especially those settled in the region from Andhra Pradesh, has finally been fulfilled. He expressed

happiness over the successful efforts made over the past year to convert the train into a regular service and extended his congratulations to the people of the region.

Konda Vishweshwar Reddy thanked Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnav, Minister

Railway Board Chairman Satish Kumar, South Central Railway General Manager Sanjay Kumar Srivastava, and Chief Public Relations Officer A. Sridhar for their support in making this possible.

He also appreciated BJP Serilingampally constituency in-charge Ravi Kumar Yadav for his key role in coordinating with the MP's office and railway officials, which contributed significantly to fulfilling the long-standing demand of the people.

As per the schedule, the train will depart from Lingampally at 7:00 PM daily and reach Kakinada at 6:03 AM the following day.

Collector Felicitates Intermediate Students

(Capital Information)
Mahabubabad : District Collector Sneha Shabarish

ate Second Year, under the Multipurpose Health Worker (MPHW) course

S.K. Shareefa scored 979 marks and S.K. Sumayya secured 971 marks. In the

S.K. Salma scored 490 marks each, S.D. Sabha 488, Sagarika 486, and Prasanna 478 marks, emerging as college toppers and receiving appreciation from the Collector.



Girls Vocational Junior College who achieved outstanding results in the Intermediate examinations announced on Sunday. The felicitation ceremony was held at the Collectorate on Wednesday, where the students were honored with medals and appreciation certificates.

On this occasion, the Collector also appreciated the efforts of Principal Dasari Swapna and the teaching staff for their contribution to the students' success. In the Intermedi-

(out of 1000 marks), S.K. Humera secured 982 marks, S.D. Rizwana 980, M. Navya 972, Sameena Pathan 970, and S.K. Rizwana 967 marks.

In the Medical Lab Technician (MLT) course,

Intermediate First Year (out of 500 marks), under the MPHW course, S.K. Rizwana scored 490 marks, S.D. Sana 489, S.K. Asha 484, and Jessica 483 marks. In the MLT course, S.K. Shakira and

Shaheen and Najma, along with M.D. Imamuddin, M.D. Akhillulla, M.A. Wajid, S.K. Rajali, M.D. Jafar, S.D. Ahmed, S.K. Mahabooob, Iqbal, Sattar, and the parents of the students were present at the event.



BRS Leaders Call for Grand Success of KCR's Public Meeting in Jagtial

(Capital Information)
Jagtial : BRS party leaders held a preparatory meeting at the BRS district party office for the public meeting of KCR scheduled for the 20th of this month in Jagtial. Kalvakuntla Vidyasagar Rao, Jagtial District BRS Party President, Korutla MLA Dr. Sanjay, MLC Ramana, former Markfed Chairman Loka Babu Reddy, and former ZP Chairperson Dava Vasantha Suresh addressed party functionaries.

The leaders urged cadres to make the meeting a massive success and use it as a platform to build public confidence in welfare and development programs. They directed leaders to explain BRS government schemes at the village level and organize meetings in every village for wide publicity.

They also informed that former minister Jeevan Reddy will join the BRS party during the meeting.

The leaders called party workers to bring youth to the meeting in large numbers, maintain coordination at mandal and village levels, and ensure discipline so the public faces no inconvenience. They called for unity to make the meeting a historic success and further strengthen the party.

Students must aware on Road safety regulations : DCP Ram Reddy

(Capital Information)
Sultanabad : DCP Ram Reddy stated in that students must aware on Road safety regulations. On Wednesday, the Sultanabad Police organized the "Arrive Alive" road safety

awareness program was at the MJPTBCW School in Sultanabad under the supervision of CI Subbareddy and Chandra Kumar, DCP B. Ram Reddy and ACP G. Krishna attended the event as chief guests.



The police officials interacted directly with the students, sought their views, and provided them with a clear understanding of traffic regulations. As part of a comprehensive road safety awareness drive, students were educated in detail on topics such as wearing hel-

metts, using seat belts, obeying traffic signals, and the proper methods for safely crossing roads. The officials explained the devastating consequences of road accidents and urged everyone to exercise caution.

The DCP advised the students to explain the importance of road safety rules to their parents and to insist that they strictly wear helmets. He emphasized that students play a pivotal role in bringing about change at the family level.

He offered valuable guidance to the students regarding their future aspirations, emphasizing that discipline, hard work, and good habits are essential for achieving success in life.

Through the "Arrive Alive" initiative, the police department is striving not only to raise awareness about road safety among students but also to mold them into responsible citizens.

The DCP urged everyone to adhere to traffic regulations and ensure they reach home safely



UKG Graduation Day at Ravindra Play School, Jagtial

(Capital Information)
Jagtial : Ravindra Play School in Jagtial held a UKG Graduation Day as children completed pre-primary education. School administrator Suman Rao said pre-primary education builds a strong foundation for the future.

Chief guest Chitti Srinivas Rao, District Press Club President, lauded Siddhartha Educational Institutions Chairman Ravinder Rao and directors for providing quality education for four decades. TRSMA District President and school director B. Sridhar Rao said students should work to achieve their goals and noted the UKG graduation was held at the same level as a B.Tech ceremony.

School directors B. Haricharan Rao, J. Haricharan Rao, and J. Raju - Mounika, along with teachers, parents and others participated.

Road Safety Awareness at SU

Drive Safely, defensively : Goush Alam - Don't do Rash Driving : Prof. Umesh

(Capital Information)
Karimnagar : As part of Road Safety Week celebrations, under 'Praja Palna Pragati pranaliika' initiative, an awareness program was conducted at the Ambedkar Library Auditorium of SU. Presided over by the University Registrar, Prof. P. Satish Kumar, emphasized the importance of human life, urged everyone to strictly adhere to traffic regulations with road safety norms to safeguard it.



Speaking as the Chief Guest VC Prof. Umesh Kumar urged students, youth to refrain from rash driving, to operate their vehicles with caution. He highlighted the devastating reality that the loss of a single individual leaves an entire family orphaned. He called upon students to drive responsibly on the roads, ensure to reach

their destinations safely. Spread the guidelines of Road Safety Week to others, noting that accidents can be effectively curbed through such awareness campaigns.

Speaking as the distinguished guest, City Police Commissioner Goush Alam instructed the youth to drive vehicles safely and defensively, 90 percent of road accidents are caused by human error. He emphasized the

need to strictly adhere to traffic regulations for safe driving, specifically, two-wheeler riders must wear helmets, also avoid triple riding, while drivers of four-wheelers must wear seat belts. He advised drivers to exercise caution at curves and turns, for bright future, youth must alert at every moment while driving particularly by observing speed limits, must not lose their lives due to negligence.

He highlighted the alarming statistic that an accident occurs every three minutes, resulting in one fatality, urged everyone to understand the pain of victims' families. Furthermore, he suggested that university students take the initiative to disseminate these safety guidelines to the general public through awareness campaigns.

Speaking as a guest of honor, Trainee IPS Sohan Sunil advised against driving while talking on a mobile phone and strictly warned against driving under the influence of alcohol by 'don't drink and drive'.

Another guest, Kothapalli Inspector Koteswar, pointed out that people are increasingly falling victim to accidents due to the craze for

taking selfies while driving, driving in the wrong direction (against the flow of traffic) is strictly prohibited. As part of this safety awareness seminar, a brochure was released, and the University VC under the support of NRI funds, distributed helmets to university students to encourage safe driving practices.

Participants in this program included the OSD to the VC Dr. Harikanth, Controller of Examinations, Dr. Suresh Kumar, Dr. Padmavathi Principal of arts, Dr. Abrarul Baqi, Chief Warden Dr. Munawar, Prof. Sujatha, Dr. Joseph, Dr. Prasad, Dr. Kiran, Dr. Vijayaprakash, Dr. Manoj, and Dr. Nares, Heads of various departments, faculty members from the Colleges of Commerce, Arts, Law, and Science, as well as students participated.



Providing Healthcare to the Poor is the True Tribute to Ambedkar: Bandari Ramesh

(Special Correspondent)
Shadnagar : Providing healthcare to the poor is the true tribute to Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, said Vishva Hindu Parishad Andhra-Telangana Kshetra Seva Pramukh Bandari Ramesh.

On the occasion of Ambedkar Jayanti, he inaugurated a free medical camp organized on Wednesday under the aegis of the Vishva Hindu Parishad Seva Department in Ambedkar Colony of Shadnagar town.

On this occasion, renowned doctors conducted health check-ups for the poor who attended the camp and distributed medicines free of cost. Bandari Ramesh stated that such medical camps are being organized across the country by the Vishva Hindu Parishad as part of Ambedkar Jayanti celebrations. He urged the public to make the best use of these service programs.

Among those present at the program were Math Mandir Area Co-Seva Pramukh Matham Rajayya, Bhagyavathi, District Seva Pramukh Vempati Nageshwar, Town President Rangayya, and others. Doctors including Dr. Shivanand, Dr. Karthikeya, Dr. Mallika, Dr. Buchaiah, Dr. Venkatesh, Dr. Tirupati, Dr. Anjaneyulu, and Dr. Padmanabham rendered their services at the camp.

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birth Anniversary and Symposium on the Constitution Held at National Sanskrit University

(Capital Information) Tirupati : National Sanskrit University, Tirupati, celebrated the 135th Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar with great fervor. The event honored the architect of the Indian Constitution, an eminent educationist, and India's first Law Minister, followed by an intellectual brainstorming session on the Indian Constitution.

Inauguration and Tributes The ceremony commenced with a floral tribute and the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries. APSPDCL Chief Managing Director Shiva Shankar Lotheti, IAS, joined National Sanskrit University Vice-Chancellor Prof. G.S.R. Krishnamurthy, Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit and Ancient Studies University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Prahlad R. Joshi, and other academic leaders to pay

respects to the visionary leader. Keynote Address on the Constitution APSPDCL Chief Managing Director Shiva Shankar Lotheti, IAS, delivered the keynote address, stating that Ambedkar's ideology serves as a guiding light for modern society. He described the Indian Constitution as a lifeline for human existence and emphasized that its foundations of equality are an inspiration for today's youth. He urged students to study Ambedkar's life and the Constitution to contribute to the nation's development and ensure a life of dignity for all citizens. Insights from Eminent Guests Guest of Honor Prof. Hemalatha Devi from IFHE Hyderabad remarked that Ambedkar's lifestyle remains a model for everyone to follow. Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit and

Ancient Studies University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Prahlad R. Joshi highlighted that the fruits of democracy and the heights achieved by citizens today are a direct result of Ambedkar's relentless efforts in drafting the Constitution. Vice-Chancellor's Message National Sanskrit University Vice-Chancellor Prof. G.S.R. Krishnamurthy extended his greetings and encouraged the university community to adopt Ambedkar's ideals. He stressed the importance of respecting the Constitution and fostering a sense of patriotism to aid in India's progress. The event, coordinated by Prof. P. Venkata Rao and Prof. J.B. Chakravarthy, saw active participation from Academic Dean Prof. Rajanikant Shukla, Prof. D. Nallanna, faculty members, and students from various departments.

NTR Sports Complex Inaugurated

(Capital Information) Tirupati : Fulfilling the Yuva-galam promise to transform Tirupati into a premier sports hub, Education and IT Minister Nara Lokesh inaugurated the newly constructed NTR Cricket Pavilion Sports Complex and various sports academies at Gollavani-gunta. The complex was developed at a cost of 10.10 crores in collaboration with SAP and TUDA.

Engagement with Athletes Following the inauguration, Education and IT Minister Nara Lokesh toured the facilities including the cricket, kabaddi, kho-kho, volleyball, ball badminton, and archery academies. He interacted with the athletes, joined them for group photographs, and participated in a brief volleyball match to encour-



age the players. Additionally, he played cricket alongside former Indian Women's Cricket Team Captain Mithali Raj and inaugurated a water plant established with the support of the Praneeth Foundation.

Foundation Stones for Development Projects

At the Sri Srinivasa Sports Complex, Education and IT Minister Nara Lokesh laid the foundation stone for the Karnam Malleswari Weightlifting Academy and a

residential facility for 200 athletes, estimated at 5.35 crores. He also inaugurated a junior boxing ring constructed at a cost of 30 lakhs. Furthermore, the Minister laid foundation stones for NTR Sports Development Centers in Kota, Sullurpeta, and Renigunta, totaling 5.81 crores in estimated costs.

The event was attended by Transport, Youth, and Sports Minister Mandipalli Ramprasad Reddy, District In-charge Minister Anagani Satyaprasad, and SAP Chairman Animini Ravi Naidu. Other prominent attendees included Chittoor MP Daggumalla Prasad Rao, Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani, and international sports icons such as PV Sindhu and Kidambi Srikanth.

Jagan's Juvvaladinne Program: A Resounding Success

The YSRCP stands firmly in support of the fisherfolk : Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy

(Capital Information) Nellore : The visit of former Chief Minister Sri Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy to Juvvaladinne, located in Bogolu Mandal of Nellore District, proved to be a resounding suc-

cess. Despite numerous attempts by various parties to disrupt the tour, YSRCP cadres and activists turned out in massive numbers to attend the event. Mr. Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy stated that the Juvvaladinne Fish-



ing Harbour was established during the previous YSRCP government's tenure with the specific intent of ensuring that fisherfolk face no difficulties whatsoever in their fishing activities. He asserted that the YSR Congress Party would not remain a silent spectator if the ruling Alliance Government were to gratuitously hand over the Juvvaladinne Fishing Harbour to the 'Sagar Defense Company.

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Collector Haritha stresses awareness of road safety rules

(Capital Information) Asifabad : District Collector Haritha stated that every citizen should have awareness about road rules. On Wednesday, as part of the 99-day 'Praja Palana-Pragathi Pranalika'



program, the District Education Department organized a road safety awareness seminar at Premala Garden in the district headquarters of Asifabad with students from government and private educational institutions. The program was attended by District Education Officer Lalitha and District Transport Officer Ramchander along with the Collector.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector said that everyone should be aware of traffic rules. She em-

phasized that students should explain the importance of road safety rules to their parents. She advised that it is mandatory to wear helmets and seat belts while traveling. Students were instructed to strictly follow traffic rules while crossing roads near school premises.

She further directed that every school should have sign boards displaying road safety rules. She also stated that no one should encourage or violate traffic regulations while traveling on roads. She strongly warned that minors should not drive vehicles under any circumstances and that vehicles should not be driven at high speed.

She added that students should also explain to their parents not to drive after consuming alcohol. Expressing concern, she said that minors driving vehicles are causing accidents and leaving their parents in deep grief. On this occasion, a road safety pledge was taken with the students.

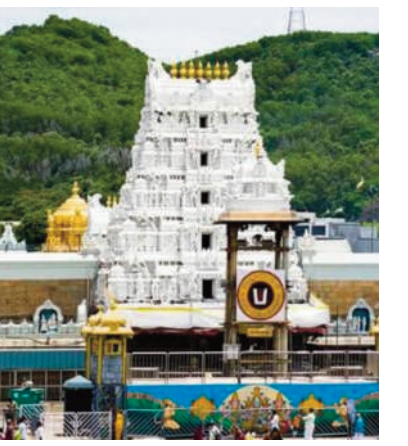
Strict action against those cheating devotees through Social Media for darshan and accommodation - TTD

(Capital Information) Tirumala : Following the recent incidents in which certain individuals were caught deceiving devotees through social media platforms by promising them to arrange Srivari darshan and accommodation in Tirumala, and collecting money from them fraudulently.

Legal action has been initiated against the accused. As part of this initiative, with the assistance of TTD Vigilance and in coordination with the police, two individuals were apprehended yesterday for cheating devotees through a social media account titled 'Shravan Kala Tirumala Tirupati Venkateswara Swamy Devasthanam.'

The accused have been identified as Kamasani Pavan Kumar alias Nagaraju and Bodireddy Chennakesavulu, residents of Penumuru in Chittoor district.

They have been taken into custody and remanded. In view of the increasing number of such fraudulent activities on social



media, TTD urged its devotees to remain vigilant.

Devotees are also advised to book darshan tickets and accommodation only through the official TTD website.

TTD further appealed to devotees not to trust anyone who claims to arrange darshan or accommodation in Tirumala.

If anyone comes across such fraudulent activities, they are requested to report the information to the TTD Vigilance Command Control Centre on 9866898630.

Strict action will be taken against those creating gas shortage : Collector P. Praveenya

(Capital Information) Sangareddy : District Collector P.Praveenya has directed concerned officials to ensure that there is no shortage of LPG cooking gas in the District and that uninterrupted supply reaches every household.

On Wednesday, the Collector, along with Additional Collector (Revenue) Madhuri, held a review meeting of the District-Level LPG Supply Monitoring Committee at the Collectorate mini conference hall. Officials from the Civil Supplies Department, Police Department, and representatives of gas agencies participated in the meeting.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector

made it clear that any attempts to create an artificial shortage of gas in the District will not be tolerated. She instructed officials to ensure timely



doorstep delivery of cooking gas to the public.

The Collector also reviewed the gas supply situation in welfare hostels and government hospitals, and directed that uninterrupted LPG supply be maintained to government welfare res-

idential institutions. She ordered vigilance officials to conduct frequent inspections to prevent irregularities in gas distribution and to

register cases against illegal hoarding. Officials were instructed to maintain adequate stock as per demand, along with an additional 15% reserve. Gas agencies were advised to arrange sufficient stock in advance and to strictly verify gen-

uine consumer bookings. The Collector emphasized that strict measures should be taken to avoid any inconvenience to the public and to ensure smooth, doorstep delivery of LPG cylinders.

District Civil Supplies DM Ambadas Rajeswar, District Civil Supplies Officer (In-charge) Rajeswar, Transport Department Officer Aruna, Social Welfare Officer Akhilesh Reddy, BC Welfare Officer Jagadeesh, DLMO Anil Kumar, LPG agency representatives P. Pratap Reddy, J.Muralidhar Reddy, Y.Vinod Kumar, along with police officials and Civil Supplies staff, attended the meeting.

Follow Traffic Rules - Travel Safely : SP Paritosh Pankaj

(Capital Information) Sangareddy : As part of the 'Praja Palana - Pragati' initiative, the third day (April 15) of the 'Arrive Alive' road safety awareness program was held at S.N.Function Hall in Nandigama village. District SP Paritosh Pankaj attended the event as the chief guest.

Speaking on the occasion, the SP said that the week-long 'Arrive Alive' program is being conducted to reduce road accidents and create awareness among the public about road safety. He emphasized that awareness of traffic rules is essential to prevent accidents.

while over-speeding may provide momentary thrill, it can lead to fatal consequences. He urged people to think about the hardships a family faces if it loses its breadwinner in a road accident.



He stated that reaching the destination is important, but reaching it safely is even more important. Focusing especially on youth, he noted that despite owning new bikes, many neglect wearing helmets due to reasons like concern over hairstyle, which leads to accidents. He advised that no one

should travel without a helmet under any circumstances and should avoid using mobile phones while driving. On this occasion, ISI-certified helmets were distributed to the youth. He called upon young people to actively participate in the 'Arrive Alive' road safety programs and help spread awareness among the public.

The program was attended by SSSC General Secretary Satyanarayana, Patancheru DSP Prabhakar, Bhanur Inspector Vijayakrishna, Market Committee Chairman Shiv-anandam, Nandigama Sarpanch Vikram Goud, sarpanches of nearby villages, DWCRA women groups, industrial workers, auto drivers, and a large number of youth.

RO plant inaugurated at NTR Sports Complex

(Capital Information) Tirupati : Minister Lokesh inaugurated an RO water plant set up by Praneeth Foundation at the NTR Sports Complex today. Edify Educational Institutions Chairman Praneeth established the 160-liter capacity plant with an investment of approximately Rs 5 lakh. The event saw the active participation of the Tirupati constituency incharge alongside other prominent leaders.

Focus on community welfare The Minister commended the initiative, noting that such facilities are essential for the well-being of athletes and staff. He emphasized that under the coordination of the Tirupati incharge, the government and private foundations should continue to work together for the development of the city. He expressed hope that Praneeth Foundation would initiate more such service-oriented projects in the future

Woman Attempts Suicide, Alleging Harassment by Police

(G M rao) (Capital Information) Warangal : A woman has alleged that the very law enforcement officers—who are duty-bound to protect citizens—are the reason behind her suicide attempt.

The incident unfolded in Warangal city, where Lade Madhavi—a native of Mogullapalli currently residing in Desaipeta (Lakshmi Mega Township) with her husband, Tirupati—attempted to take her own life after writing a suicide note. In the note, she explicitly held three individuals responsible for her desperate act: the Mamunuru ACP, the Enumamula SI, and the Enumamula SI. She alleged that although 12 days had passed since the police took her husband into custody, they had neither disclosed his whereabouts

nor ceased subjecting her and her child to harassment and distress.

The aggrieved woman further alleged that market



traders were the driving force behind the police's actions—specifically, the decision to register cases not only against her husband but also against her entire family, including her daughter. Explanation by the Enumamula Police The Enumamula police issued a clarification stating that Tirupati—the husband of Lade Madhavi, the proprietor of Gayatri Traders, which operates within the

Enumamula Agricultural Market—has been conducting business in the market for some time. They noted that he allegedly defrauded several traders within the market and caused them distress by withholding payments amounting to approximately three crore rupees.

Following a protest (dharna) held by the victims in front of the market on the 8th of this month—during which they also filed a formal complaint—the police registered a case against the said traders based solely on the victims' grievances. The police emphasized that they have no personal involvement in this matter; they affirmed that they will proceed strictly in accordance with the law and have no connection to any other related issues.

Road Safety Norms Must Be Followed, New Nizamabad Bus Stand Construction Should Begin



(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Bureau, April 15 : MLA Dhanpal Suryanarayana Gupta Urges, Public Caution, Submits Representation to Minister Ponnam Prabhakar During the "Arrive Alive" program organized by the Road Transport Department at Suguna Garden on Wednesday, Nizamabad Urban MLA Dhanpal Suryanarayana Gupta emphasized the critical importance of adhering to road safety regulations. to prevent loss of life. Addressing the gathering, the legislator pointed out a sobering statistic that two-wheeler accidents account for nearly 45 percent of the total road mishaps occurring across the country. He remarked that while most citizens are well-aware of the traffic rules, it is often sheer negligence , a lack of caution on the highways that lead to fatal incidents. He urged every commuter to, strictly follow safety guidelines to ensure they reach their destinations safely. In addition to his focus on road safety, MLA Dhanpal Suryanarayana Gupta met with Minister Ponnam Prabhakar to, discuss the pressing infrastructure needs of the city. He submitted a formal representation, requesting ,the construction of a new bus stand in Nizamabad that can adequately, accommodate the high volume of daily passengers. The MLA stressed the need for a speedy resolution to the current logistical challenges faced by travelers. Responding positively to the request, Minister Ponnam Prabhakar directed District Collector Ila Tripati, the RTC Regional Manager to prioritize the issue take necessary action for the development of the terminal. t. to ensure the success of the program.

KAMAREDDY COLLECTOR ASHISH SANGWAN APPLAUDS NATIONAL HOCKEY TALENT KALIGOTA VEENA



(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Beareu, April 15 : In a proud moment for Kamareddy district, District Collector Ashish Sangwan officially, congratulated , honored Kaligota Veena, a talented student from Gargul Zilla Parishad High School, for her remarkable achievement in sports. Having demonstrated, exceptional skill during the Sub-Junior National Hockey Championships held recently in Ranchi , Rajgir, Veena has successfully, secured a prestigious spot in the Indian national team. To mark this milestone, the Collector felicitated her with a shawl in his chamber on Wednesday, praising her dedication to the sport. The young athlete is now set to participate in the Indian team training camp scheduled to commence on April 19 at the SAI Center in Bhopal. This intensive coaching camp serves as the final preparation phase before the team travels to Japan to represent India in the Sub-Junior (U-18) Asia Cup. During the felicitation ceremony, Collector Ashish Sangwan was, joined by District Education Officer S. Raju , Physical Director Madhusudhan Reddy, both lauded the student's transition from a rural school to the international arena. The officials expressed their, optimism that Veena's success would inspire more students from the district to pursue excellence in athletics and bring further accolades to the region.

Awareness on Traffic Rules Among Students : 'Arrive Alive' Program - ASP

(Capital Information)

Nirmal, April 15 : Bhainsa ASP Rajesh Meena, IPS, advised that every motorist must strictly follow traffic rules. As part of the 'Arrive Alive' road safety program, an awareness event was conducted on the third day near Vasavi School in the town. On this occasion, students formed a human chain to spread awareness about road safety and impressed everyone. Later, the ASP addressed the gathering and educated them on key rules such as wearing helmets, using seat belts, and strictly following traffic signals. He emphasized that road accidents can be prevented only if everyone acts responsibly. The participating students took a pledge to follow road safety rules without fail. Additionally, the students gave a special presentation by sitting in the shape of 'Arrive Alive,' which attracted everyone's attention. Town CI Sai Kumar, SIs, school teachers, and others participated in the program..



Demand to Immediately Set Up Maize Procurement Centers - BRS Leaders Submit Memorandum to Tahsildar

(Capital information)

Nirmal, April 15 : Leaders of the Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS) staged a protest demanding the immediate establishment of maize procurement centers and the purchase of farmers' produce. As part of the protest, they organized a rally from the local PACS office to the Tahsildar's office in Lokeshwaram mandal headquarters. After the rally, the leaders submitted a memorandum to the Tahsildar. Speaking on the occasion, BRS leader Lolam Shyam Sundar criticized the Congress government, stating that farmers are facing severe hardships under its rule. He expressed concern that even after a month since harvesting their maize crop, procurement centers have not yet been



set up. He termed this delay as unfortunate and urged the authorities to immediately address farmers' issues and begin procurement operations without further delay. He warned that if prompt action is not taken, they would launch large-scale protests. The protest was attended

by TRS Convener Karipe Shyam Sundar, former MPTC member Sayanna, former Sarpanch Digambar, Social Media Convener Bandi Prashanth, Rayapur Kandli Sarpanch Venkatesh, along with leaders Anil, Sandeep, Prakash Bhojareddy, Harsha Mutyam, Wattoli Praveen, and several farmers.

Awareness Programs on a Large Scale to Curb Road Accidents - Minister Ponnam Prabhakar

(Capital information)

Nizamabad Beareu, April 15 : State Transport and BC Welfare Minister Ponnam Prabhakar emphasized that, extensive awareness, programs are being conducted to prevent road accidents. As part of the government's prestigious 99-day action plan under Praja Palana, Pragathi Pranalika, the Arrive Alive initiative has been launched across the state. Minister Prabhakar arrived in Nizamabad By, helicopter on Wednesday to participate in the local campaign. Upon his arrival at the Integrated District Offices Complex helipad, he was warmly welcomed with bouquets by, District Collector Ila Tripati, Police Commissioner Sai Chaitanya, Additional Collector Dilip Kumar, Sub-Collectors Vikas Mahato , Abhigyan Malviya, State Urdu Academy Chairman Taher Bin Hamdan, State Co-operative Union Limited Chairman Manala Mohan Reddy, NUDA Chairman Kesha Venu. From the helipad, the Minister proceeded to the Government Polytechnic College under police security. He officially flagged off a bike rally organized to promote road safety awareness. The rally culminated at the Kanteshwar Bypass Crossroads, where the Minister joined students



, officials in a human chain. This event saw the participation of Rural MLA Dr. Bhupathi Reddy, City Mayor Umarani, Special Chief Secretary Vikas Raj, RTC MD Nagireddy, and State Agriculture Commission Member Gadugu Gangadhar. During the gathering, Minister Ponnam Prabhakar led a pledge urging everyone to strictly follow traffic rules and strive toward a zero-accident society. Addressing the crowd, the Minister expressed grief over the loss of lives caused by speeding and traffic violations, noting that such tragedies leave many families in distress. He remarked that laws alone cannot stop accidents unless there is a fundamental change in public behavior. He highlighted that the "Arrive Alive" program, spearheaded by the Police and Transport Departments, aims to bridge this gap. He also announced that under the Rahveer scheme, the government provides a ₹25,000 incentive to those who immediately shift accident victims to hospitals. He specifically advised youth and students to prioritize safety and follow regulations to protect their future. The program concluded with active participation from various public representatives and officials.

Nirmal Students Shine in Intermediate Results...

Officials Felicitate District Collector



(Capital Information)

Nirmal, April 15 : Following the impressive performance of students in the recently घोषित Intermediate first and second year examination results, officials met District Collector Abhilasha Abhinav to convey their appreciation for the district's academic progress. On Wednesday, several officials visited the Collector at her chamber in the district collectorate and presented saplings as a mark of respect. They acknowledged her role in encouraging a supportive environment that contributed to the students' success. Speaking on the occasion, the Collector emphasized that such achievements are the result of collective effort. She credited the dedication of officials, teachers, students, and parents for the commendable results. She further urged all stakeholders to continue striving for excellence and to work towards placing the district among the leading regions in the field of education. District Intermediate Education Officer Parushuram, along with other officials and faculty members, were among those who met the Collector.

Farmers Asked to Update Mobile Numbers with Pattadar Passbooks by April 20



(Capital Information)

Nirmal, April 15 : District Collector Abhilasha Abhinav has urged farmers in the district to complete the updating of their mobile numbers linked to Pattadar Passbooks before April 20, in view of the upcoming Kharif cultivation season. The Agriculture Department has initiated a special drive across villages to link farmers' land records with their current mobile numbers. Officials say this step is crucial to ensure seamless access to various government services and schemes in the future. According to the Collector, mobile number linkage will play a key role in enabling farmers to use digital platforms for services such as fertilizer booking, subsidy benefits, and other agriculture-related assistance. Without proper linkage, farmers may face difficulties in availing these facilities. Farmers have been advised to approach their respective Agricultural Extension Officers (AEOs) to verify and update their details. The process includes OTP-based authentication to confirm the correctness of the registered mobile number. The Collector also pointed out that this is an opportunity for farmers to correct previously entered incorrect mobile numbers and for those not yet registered in the farmer registry to enroll without delay. Emphasizing the importance of timely action, she appealed to all farmers to complete the process within the stipulated deadline to avoid any inconvenience during the agricultural season. celebrate this significant academic triumph.

Dangerous pits and polluted drainage raise concern among colony residents..

(Capital Information)

Nirmal, April 15 : Residents of Bhainsa town have expressed serious concern over local civic issues. People living in the 9th ward, Palle Nagar colony, are strongly protesting against the problems they have been facing for the past several years. Locals allege that hospital waste coming from a newly developed venture area near the colony is mixing with the small drainage lines in their locality. They say this has led to unhygienic conditions in the area, causing health issues among residents. They also stated that pits dug in some plots within the venture area have been left uncovered, making



them highly dangerous. Residents reported that at least two individuals have already fallen into these pits and narrowly escaped serious injury. Due to these conditions, residents are worried about the potential spread of diseases such as dengue and malaria. They have de-

manded that municipal authorities immediately intervene and take appropriate action. They warned that if the issue is not addressed soon, they will stage a large-scale protest in front of the municipal office. A large number of colony residents participated in the protest.

Special Prayers Performed to Lord Ayyappa Swamy in Vishnu Township

(Capital Information)

Nizamabad Beareu , April 15 : On the auspicious, occasion of the Vishu festival, special religious ceremonies were conducted at the Lord Ayyappa Swamy Temple located within the Sri Vaikunthapuram Harihara Temple premises in the NTPC PTS Township. On Wednesday morning, Brahmasri Rampelli Vamana Sharma led the spiritual proceedings By, performing the Ganapathi Homam, which was, followed by the ceremonial Panchamrutha Abhishekam for both the processional, deities and the main idol. After the sacred bath, traditional offerings of Naivedyam , Harathi

were presented to the deity, and Teertha Prasadam was, subsequently distributed among the gathered devotees. Ramagundam Commissioner ACP Madatha Ramesh participated in the event , performed special prayers offered in his family name and Gotra. While speaking on the occasion, Brahmasri Rampelli Vamana Sharma, under whose guidance the Harihara Temple Committee organized the event, emphasized that this day holds immense spiritual significance and power for Ayyappa devotees, serving as a holy opportunity to seek the Lord's blessings , achieve internal purifica-



tion. Following the midday Mahanaivedyam, a mass feeding program or Annaprasadam was organized for the public. The event witnessed the participation of Akhila Bharatiya Ayyappa Dharma Prachara Sabha member Jangama Tirupati, Temple Committee members P. Sampath Rao, Venkat

Reddy, ABC Reddy, along with Guruswamis Prabhakar, Seshu Kumar, Sridhar, Deekshith Srinivas, and Mukta Srinivas. Additionally, several Hanuman Deeksha devotees, prominent local citizens, and a large number of faithful followers attended the celebrations to offer their prayers.

Cooling Water Camp Set Up by Jagini Textiles and Jagini Dental Clinic



(Capital information)

Nalgonda : At the 12th Battalion, Annaparthi, a cooling water camp (Chalivendram) was set up under the joint initiative of Jagini Textiles and Jagini Dental Clinic to quench the thirst of pedestrians during the summer season. On this occasion, Battalion Commandant K. Veeriah appreciated the initiative, stating that organizing such a service every year is commendable and encouraged the public to make use of the facility. Jagini Venkanna said that, like every year, they feel happy and satisfied to arrange the cooling water camp this summer as well. Additional Commandant L. Nageswara Rao, Dr. Jagini Aditya, Jagini Venkanna, RIs, RSIs, and police personnel participated in the program.

Protest Against Cell Tower Construction



(Capital information)

Shaligouraram / Thungathurthi : Villagers staged a protest on Wednesday in Madaram Kalan village of Shaligouraram mandal, demanding that the construction of an Airtel 5G cell tower be stopped. The protest was led by Sarpanch Totakuri Parushuram. The villagers alleged that the tower is being constructed without the approval of the Gram Sabha or the consent of the local residents. Speaking on the occasion, Sarpanch Totakuri Parushuram stated that radiation from the proposed cell tower could harm not only humans but also livestock and birds. He emphasized that, as a village head, the welfare of the people is his top priority. He urged the concerned higher authorities to respond immediately and halt the construction work. Ward members and several villagers participated in the protest.

MAKE ALL ARRANGEMENTS FOR MANDAL-LEVEL MEETINGS ON APRIL 16 UNDER PRAJA PALANA-PRAGATI PRANALIKA

: District Collector Tejas Nand Lal Pawar



(Capital information)

Suryapet : District Collector Tejas Nand Lal Pawar directed officials to make all necessary arrangements for the mandal-level meetings to be held on April 16 as part of the Praja Palana - Pragati Pranalika program. During a WebEx meeting with District SP K. Narasimha, RDOs, Tahsildars, MPDOs, APOs, APMs, and MPOs, the Collector emphasized that proper arrangements should be made for conducting the mandal-level programs. He instructed officials to create widespread awareness about ongoing and upcoming flagship government schemes, encourage public participation in governance, and identify local issues and development priorities. He highlighted key focus areas such as sanitation, cleanliness, and timely file clearance. As part of the "Arrive Alive" thematic week, officials were instructed to educate the public attending the meetings on the importance of wearing helmets and seat belts, following traffic rules, and road safety precautions. He also directed that road safety pledges be administered to citizens. The Collector further instructed that "No Helmet - No Entry" boards should be mandatorily installed in all government offices within the mandal to promote road safety awareness. Additional Collector K. Sitarama Rao, Zilla Parishad CEO Shireesha, District Panchayat Officer Yadagiri, Housing PD Siddharth, DEO Ashok, Chief Planning Officer Kishan, DAO Sridhar Reddy, Welfare Officers Dayanand and Rani, and other officials participated in the meeting.

Serious opportunities for ordinary poor youth - a testament to Rajanna's commitment to the youth

(Capital information)

Chandur : By providing successive opportunities to young people born in ordinary families and Youth Congress activists from Chandur to Chautuppal, our beloved leader Komatireddy Raj Gopal Reddy has once again clearly expressed his special vision for the youth. In Chautuppal Municipality, giving a councillor's form to Goshika Vinay, a young man from an ordinary family, and making him win all by himself, and providing the same young man with an opportunity to rise to the position of Municipal Vice Chairperson, is a testament to Rajanna's leadership foresight. Similarly, in the Chandur Municipality elections, Rajanna gave a form to Bushipaka Vasu, a Youth Congress activist from the poorest of the poor, and made him win as a councillor... Later, taking another step forward in the same direction, today, Youth Congress activist SK. It is special that Khalil has been given the opportunity to be a co-option member. The journey of these three youths is the same. Poor background. Lack of financial strength. The desire to grow through hard work. Unwavering faith in the leader. Identifying such youth and providing them with opportunities is not a simple political decision... This is a clear message. "Politics is not run by money... with commitment!" "Positions are not for those who ask... they come to those who are qualified!" Komatireddy Raj Gopal Reddy is demonstrating exemplary leadership by showing these principles not only in words... in action. Gosika



Vinay, Bushipaka Vasu, SK. The opportunities that Khalil has received are not just personal victories. This is the victory of ordinary youth! This is the honor of hard work. This is the recognition of loyalty! These decisions are not limited to individuals. These are a strong belief for every youth who works hard for Rajanna. "It doesn't matter if you don't have money... If you work honestly, the leadership will definitely recognize you!" This is a great occasion that has strengthened the belief that as long as there is a leader like Rajanna, every young man born in ordinary families has a place and a future in politics. It is not leadership... it is trust! It is not a position. It is recognition of the honor earned through hard work.

RDO Conducts Surprise Inspection

(Capital information) **Shaligouraram / Thungathurthi :** Nalgonda RDO Ashok Reddy conducted a surprise inspection at the Shaligouraram MPDO office on Wednesday. He examined the attendance records of the office staff. Speaking to the media on the occasion, he said that he visited the office to conduct an inquiry following allegations against MPDO Jyothi

Lakshmi, as per the directions of the District Collector. He stated that an inquiry was conducted regarding the dispute between the village secretary and the MPDO. He informed that the inquiry report would be submitted to the Nalgonda District Collector, and further action would be taken based on the Collector's decision. He also mentioned that complaints submitted by



Gram Panchayat secretaries would be investigated. DPO Shankar Nayak, MPDO, and other officials were present during the inspection.

Utilize Mission Bhagiratha Water Properly

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Need to Create Large-Scale Public Awareness to Prevent Road Accidents : Minister Adluri Laxman Kumar

(Capital information) **Nalgonda / Nakrekal :** State Minister for SC, ST and Disabled Welfare, and Nalgonda District In-charge Minister Adluri Laxman Kumar emphasized the need to create large-scale awareness among the public to prevent road accidents. As part of the state government's 99-day action plan under Praja Palana - Pragati Pranalika, the "Arrive Alive" program is being conducted from the 13th to the 18th of this month. On Wednesday, speaking at an awareness program held at Nakrekal in Nalgonda district under the joint aegis of the Police and Transport Departments, the Minister stated that everyone must contribute to preventing road accidents. He stressed that all motorcycle riders must wear helmets and car passengers must wear seat belts. He also said that pillion riders should wear helmets. He instructed police officials to focus on road safety and increase patrolling on national highways and other roads to control overspeeding vehicles. He added that if proposals for underpass road construction in Nalgonda district are submitted, he would speak to the Chief Minister to secure funds. He also assured that funds would be sanctioned for constructing a Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Bhavan in Nakrekal if suitable land is identified. State DGP Shivdhar Reddy stated that more people are dying in road accidents than in murders in the state. Considering the seriousness of road accidents, he urged every-

one to follow road safety rules. He noted that while around 800 people die annually due to murders in the state, about 7,500 people lose their lives in road accidents. Providing statistics, he said that in Nalgonda district, 24 people died due to murders while 325 died in road accidents. In Suryapet district, 25 died due to murders and 230 due to road accidents last year. He emphasized the need for coordination among all departments to reduce these incidents. He further stated that 65% of those who die in road accidents are pedestrians and two-wheeler riders. He urged motorists to be cautious and strictly follow safety rules, including wearing helmets and seat belts. Government Whip and Nakrekal MLA Vemula Veeresham, who presided over the meeting, said that due to the long stretch of national highways in the district, there is constant concern about safety. He highlighted that awareness programs like "Arrive Alive" are crucial and assured strict implementation in his constituency. District Collector B. Chandrasekhar said that road safety programs are being conducted across the district from April 13 to 18. He urged those without helmets to purchase and wear them and stated that regular road safety meetings are being held to reduce accidents. District SP Sharath Chandra Pawar mentioned that due to measures taken by the administration and police, road accidents have decreased



compared to the previous year. He noted that 390 deaths were recorded in 2024, while 347 deaths were recorded last year. As part of the program, 2,000 helmets were distributed by the Minister and DGP. Participants took a road safety pledge. Around 40 village sarpanches from Nakrekal constituency submitted written resolutions pledging not to allow riding without helmets in their villages. The Minister also visited an eye camp and a special exhibition set up as part of the "Arrive Alive" program. Several public representatives, officials, and leaders including MLC Nellakanti Satyam, MLAs Mandula Sameelu and Bathula Laxma Reddy, Dairy Development Chairman Gutta Amit Reddy, Additional Collector Y. Ashok Reddy, DIG Chouhan, and others attended the event.

Plans Should Be Designed to Promote Women Entrepreneurs : District Collector Tejas Nand Lal Pawar



(Capital information)

Suryapet : District Collector Tejas Nand Lal Pawar instructed officials to design appropriate plans to help women grow as entrepreneurs. On Wednesday, he participated in the Udyami Aadhaar training program organized for SERP (Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty) staff at the District Collectorate office. On this occasion, the Collector reviewed the progress of small-scale businesses being established by women self-help group members in various mandals. He stated that the state government is giving top priority to women's groups and directed officials to identify 10 new entrepreneurs in each mandal and ensure their business units are grounded by June 2. He also instructed that Udyami Aadhaar certificates be provided to all existing businesses. The Collector said that women involved in such activities would receive full support from the government. He explained that obtaining an Udyami Aadhaar certificate enables small business owners to access larger bank loans. Additionally, it allows them to benefit from government support and participate in government tenders. Officials including DRDO Shireesha, District Industries Officer Praveen Kumar, Shobha Rani, DRDA Additional Director Suresh, and trainer Raju Prasad were present at the program.

Media Conference Hall Inaugurated



(Capital information)

Nalgonda Bureau : A Media Conference Hall was inaugurated at the Nalgonda Government General Hospital under the leadership of Superintendent Dr. G. Narasimha Rao, as per the directions of the Director of Medical Education (DME). Orders were also issued appointing Dr. Srikant Varma, Deputy Superintendent, as the in-charge Media Spokesperson. Media representatives and hospital staff participated in the program.

Road Safety is Everyone's Responsibility, Following Rules Can Save Lives

: District SP Sharath Chandra Pawar



(Capital information)

Nalgonda Bureau : As part of the "Praja Palana - Pragati Pranalika" program, the Nalgonda District Police organized the third day (Day-3) of the special road safety campaign "Arrive Alive," marking it as Children's Road Safety Day. An awareness program was conducted at Mount Fort School (CBSE) in Nalgonda town. District SP Sharath Chandra Pawar attended the event as the chief guest and explained the importance of road safety rules to the students. He stated that learning and strictly following road safety rules from a young age can help prevent accidents. The program was attended by I Town CI Rajashekar Reddy, SIs Gopal Rao and Satish, other police officials, school principal Bala, teachers, and students.

KHAMMAM CONGRESS MOURNS JAVEED'S UNTIMELY DEATH



(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : Mohammed Javeed, senior Congress leader and PCC member from Khammam, died in a tragic road accident near Mothe in Suryapet district on Wednesday while driving his car. The vehicle reportedly hit a divider, throwing



him out and leading to his death on the spot. A former Khammam City Congress President, Javeed was known for his dedication to the party and his active role during the recent Assembly elections. Telangana Revenue Minister Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy and Agriculture Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao expressed deep shock over his demise, describing him as a committed and responsible leader who worked tirelessly for the party and public causes. They termed his death an irreparable loss to the Congress party and Khammam district, and conveyed heartfelt condolences to his family members.

AMBEDKAR JAYANTI MARKED WITH UNITY IN RAMANNAPETA



(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 14 : The 135th birth anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar was celebrated with great enthusiasm in Ramannapeta village, with people from all sections coming together in unity. A massive procession with hundreds of participants was carried out across the village, followed by a collective pledge at the Ambedkar Center to protect and uphold the Constitution, reaffirming commitment to Ambedkar's ideals of equality and justice. Rajyanga Parirakshana Vedika (RPV) Founder & National President Syed Sadiq Ali, along with Bojadla Ajay, Pelluri Vijay Kumar, Pentu Saheb, Advocate Nagul Meera, Chand Jani, Nageswara Rao and others took part in the celebrations. The event was conducted in a grand manner, reflecting strong social harmony and respect for Ambedkar's vision.

LIFETIME IN ART: BV'S JOURNEY INSPIRES YOUNG TALENT



(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 14 : On the occasion of World Art Day, the remarkable journey of Kalluru-based artist BV has drawn attention once again. Starting his career in 1989, he has built a strong reputation through dedication and passion for art. BV is known for his ability to create portraits of great personalities such as Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Buddha, Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, along with prominent leaders like KCR, KTR, Tummala Nageswara Rao and others, earning appreciation from the public. Despite the decline in demand for traditional art due to the rise of flex printing, BV continues to pursue his craft and has received several recognitions over the years. He notably created a 100-foot cloth portrait for former Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu and also experiments with unique mediums like paddy and chillies to depict portraits. Local art enthusiasts and young artists have lauded his work and called for greater government support to promote and preserve traditional art forms.

WITHDRAW NIA NOTICES AGAINST RANGARAO

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : CPI (ML) Mass Line leaders Avula Ashok and G. Ramaiah demanded the immediate withdrawal of NIA notices issued to State Secretary Potu Rangarao, alleging misuse of sedition and UAPA laws by the BJP-RSS-led Centre to curb democratic movements; a protest rally was held from Pavilion Ground to Ambedkar statue in Khammam, where leaders termed the cases fabricated and anti-democratic, while participants included C.Y. Pullaiah, Ch. Siromani, R. Sivalingam, Bandela Venkaiah, A. Venkata Reddy, Maleedu Nageswara Rao, Kamma Komati Nageswara Rao, Sk Lal Miya, T. Jhansi, Ganta Srinivasa Rao, Thimmidi Hanumantha Rao, Beerelli Lazar, K. Srinivas, P. Shobha, A. Sharath, Ballepalli Venkateswarlu, N.V. Rakesh, Kelothu Lakshman, Jikkula Bharat, T. Lakshman, V. Venkatesh, Gummadi Sandeep, K. Pullarao, Somanapalli Venkateswarlu, Pasham Apparao,



Rentala Yadagiri, Kurra Venkanna, Veerla Venkata Appa rao, Puchchakayala Srinivasa Rao, Vijay, Teja Nayak, Kurakula Narasaiah, Konde Venkateswarlu, G. Shiva, Sk Jani, Gunaganta Veera babu, Avireni Venkanna, Sk Sathar Miya, Dharavath Lakshman, Prasad and Jasmin were participated.

MAIZE PROCUREMENT CENTRE INAUGURATED

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : Yellendu MLA Koram Kanakaiah inaugurated a maize procurement centre set up under the Primary Agricultural Cooperative Society at Patha Lingala village in Kamepalli mandal. Speaking on the occasion, he said the government is establishing procurement centres to ensure farmers are not exploited by middlemen, offering a Minimum Support Price of Rs. 2400 along with a Rs. 500 bonus. He added that the present government is committed to farmers' welfare by providing subsidies on agricultural equipment and extending insurance coverage to every family, unlike



previous regimes. Market Committee Chairman Banno Rambabu, Sarpanch Itta Srinivasa Rao, directors Bhav Singh, Gabru Naik, ATMA Committee Director Dammalapati Satyanarayana, Marketing Incharge Mary, Society CEO Nagaiah, Sarpanches Dharavath Anuradha, Kamala Devaiah, Reddy Naik, Basha, Kinsure Sujatha, MPDO Ravinder, MRO Sudhakar, Mandal Party President Gijjala Narsireddy, leaders Mekala Mallibabu Yadav, Dhaniyakula Hanumantha Rao, Ram Reddy Jagannadha Reddy, Pathan Mahammad, Nallamothu Lakshmaiah, Epuri Mahender and several party leaders and farmers participated.

AVAIL ANGANWADI SERVICES FOR BETTER HEALTH - RJD Jhansi Lakshmbai

(Capital Information)

Sathupalli, April 14 : Warangal RJD Jhansi Lakshmbai urged pregnant women, lactating mothers, and children to utilize services at Anganwadi centres. She spoke at the Poshan Pakhwada programme held at Chundrupatla-5 Anganwadi Centre under Kalluru project, organized under the supervision of Jonnalagadda Sujatha. She said the Anganwadi system has been upgraded with modern practices to better serve women and children. She explained that nutritious food, vaccinations in coordination with the Health Department, and awareness on anemia prevention and safe deliveries are being provided. Praising Anganwadi staff, she said the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) focuses on holistic development of women



and children. The programme was attended by Anganwadi teacher Padma, Aaya staff, and others, and parents were advised to enroll children above two years in Anganwadi centres.

SVM STUDENTS EXCEL IN CBSE CLASS 10

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : Continuing its legacy of academic excellence, SVM Central Public School, Srinivas Nagar, recorded a 100% pass rate in the CBSE Class 10 results. Announcing the results, School Director Konda Sridhar Rao said the achievement reflects the strong commitment of students, dedicated teaching, and effective academic planning. Top performers include Vagadhani Aishwarya (543/600), Dhara Dhanyata (533), Manasaveena (519), Varuni Reddy (487), Geethika (485), and Poojitha Reddy (483), along with many others who secured impressive scores. At a felicitation programme held on the campus, Director Uma Kishore and Principal Prasad praised the disciplined approach of students and the tireless



efforts of teachers. They congratulated the achievers and their parents, stating that such consistent results strengthen the institution's reputation and motivate future batches to aim higher.

ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS KEY TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS



(Capital Information)

Kothagudem, April 15 : District Collector Ankit inaugurated a road safety awareness rally at Gov-

ernment Primary School, Hanuman Basti, as part of the 'Arrive Alive' programme under the Prajapalana Pragathi Plan. Students actively participated in the rally, raising slogans on road safety and spreading awareness among the public. Addressing the gathering, the Collector emphasized that creating awareness, especially among students, is crucial to reducing road accidents. He urged students to encourage their parents and others to wear helmets and seat belts, follow traffic signals, and practice road safety rules. The programme was attended by MEO Madhuravani, Headmistress Lakshmi, Coordinator Nagasekhara Sharma, teachers, students, and officials.

PM SHRI GHS KALLUR STUDENTS VISIT DISTRICT SCIENCE MUSEUM

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : Students of PM SHRI Government High School, Kallur, along with the Headmistress and teaching staff, visited the District Science Museum today. A total of 71 participants took part in the visit. District Science Officer Racha Srinivas and guide teachers Naveen Kumar and Hanuma explained various scientific models to the students.



Headmistress Smt. Nivedita appreciated the museum, stating that it is inspiring and highly engaging for students. The visit concluded with a group photo at the museum premises.

FIRE PERSONNEL HONOURED IN KHAMMAM



(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 14 : Marking Fire Service Week (April 14-20), Pulipati Nagar Vasavi Club organized a special felicitation program at the Fire Station near NTR Circle in Khammam. Fire officers and staff were honoured with shawls and bouquets in recognition of their dedicated and courageous service. RC Das Srinivasa Rao, Zone Chairman Vemiseti Mohan Das, Burle Pulla Rao, Bijjala Viswanatham, Kodumuru Mohan Rao, President Bhadrachari, Siddhamsetti Srikanth, Vajinepalli Ramachandra and other Vasavi Club members, along with leaders from various organizations, participated in the event. Sweets were distributed to the personnel as a token of appreciation.

DEVAKI VASUDEVA RAO MOURNS DEMISE OF MD JAVEED

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 14 : BJP State Treasurer Devaki Vasudeva Rao expressed deep shock over the tragic death of senior Congress leader, former Khammam City President and PCC member Mohammed Javeed



in a road accident near Suryapet. He described Javeed's demise as an irreparable loss to the political sphere and said his dedication to public service will always be remembered. He conveyed his heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family and prayed that they find strength to endure this difficult time. He also prayed for the eternal peace of Mohammed Javeed's soul.

JAVEED'S DEMISE A GREAT LOSS

(Capital Information)

Khammam Bureau, April 15 : Syed Sadiq Ali expressed deep grief over the tragic demise of senior Congress leader and former Khammam City President Mohammed Javeed, who lost his life in



a road accident near Suryapet. In a statement, he said Javeed's death is an irreparable loss not only to the Congress party but also to society at large. He recalled Javeed's dedicated service to the public, his active involvement in social causes, and his relentless efforts in addressing people's issues. Extending heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family, Syed Sadiq Ali prayed for strength to them in this difficult time and for the departed soul to rest in peace.

EID MILAAP MARKS UNITY AT SINGARENI WORKSHOP



(Capital Information)

Kothagudem, April 15 : Eid Milaap was celebrated with enthusiasm at the Singareni Kotha gudem Area Workshop under the leadership of HOD J. Christopher and FIT Secretary Md Sathar Pasha. Acting GM M. Narasimha Rao, along with officials and union leaders, participated in the programme. Speakers highlighted the significance of Ramadan and stressed communal harmony, stating that humanity is above all religions. Employees shared 'Sheer Khurma' and celebrated together, showcasing unity among workers of all communities.

Sports revolution in Chandragiri: Minister Nara Lokesh inaugurates 'NRN(Nara Ramoorthy Naidu) Sports Complex'

(Capital Information)
Chandragiri : The visit of State IT and Education Minister Nara Lokesh to Chandragiri constituency was a grand success. Upon arriving at the Tower Clock, the Minister received a spectacular welcome from alliance leaders and workers with fireworks and a massive garland. A large crowd gathered amidst fluttering party flags to cheer for him. Minister Lokesh warmly greeted everyone, boosting the enthusiasm of the gathering. Later, the Minister reached the newly constructed NRN Sports Complex at the Government Boys College grounds. During the inauguration ceremony, he cut the ribbon and dedicated this modern sports facility to the nation. Transport, Youth, and Sports Minister Mandipalli Ramprasad Reddy, District In-charge Minister



Anagani Satya Prasad, Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani, and Pulivarthi Vineel participated in the event. International badminton icons PV Sindhu and Kidambi Srikanth remained the special attraction of the ceremony. **Sports complex with international standards**
 Minister Lokesh inaugurated the Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Ball Badminton,

and Archery academies at the stadium. After touring the entire complex, the Minister expressed satisfaction with the international-grade facilities. On this occasion, Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani explained the stadium's features and the amenities provided for athletes. To encourage the sports persons, the Minister personally played hockey for a while. Later, he interacted with ath-

letes from various disciplines and took group photos with them. The Minister emphasized that the primary goal of the alliance government is to provide all necessary infrastructure for the youth to excel in sports. He lauded MLA Pulivarthi Nani for bringing world-class facilities to the youth of Chandragiri.

Features of NRN Sports Complex

Leaders stated that the alliance government's main objective is to provide necessary facilities for the state's youth to showcase their talent. As part of this mission, a state-of-the-art indoor stadium has been made available at the Government Boys College grounds in Chandragiri. Although work began in 2018 during the TDP regime, it was stalled at the wall level due to negligence and lack of funds under the previous govern-



ment. However, after the alliance government took charge, Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani took special initiative and secured funds of approximately 3 crore 20 lakhs to complete the works rapidly. The stadium has been named "NRN Sports Complex" in memory of the late Nara Ramamurthy Naidu. **MLA expresses gratitude to the alliance government**

MLA Pulivarthi Nani extended special thanks to the state government leaders for being the backbone of Chandragiri's comprehensive development. He expressed his gratitude to Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu Naidu, Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan, and IT Minister Nara Lokesh for sanctioning funds for pending projects and new development works. The MLA

asserted that the face of the constituency is changing after the formation of the alliance government and promised to transform Chandragiri into a model constituency in all sectors.

IT Minister Lokesh was joined by Transport and Sports Minister Mandipalli Ramprasad Reddy, District In-charge Minister Anagani Satya Prasad, MP Daggumalla Prasad Rao, and Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani. International badminton stars PV Sindhu, Kidambi Srikanth, and Indian hockey player Rajani were the highlights of the event. SAAP Chairman Animmini Ravi Naidu, TUDA Chairman Dollar Diwakar Reddy, MLC Srikanth, Pulivarthi Vineel, District Collector Venkateswar, District SP Subbarayudu, along with other MLAs and officials, were present.

Helmets Essential for Children Too: SP Dr. Shabarish

(Capital Information)
Mahabubabad : As part of the "Arrive Alive-2026" program, the Town Police Station organized a road safety awareness bike rally on its third day. Parents taking their children to school, students, teachers, officials, and police personnel participated and created awareness among the public on road safety.



District SP Dr. Shabarish, IPS, said that children's safety is the primary responsibility of every parent and warned that negligence, even during short-distance travel, can lead to accidents.

He emphasized that accidents are unpredictable and that helmets are the most important safety gear that can save lives. He advised parents to ensure that children wear properly fitting helmets while traveling on two-wheelers, whether seated in front or at the back, and stressed that helmets must be worn correctly and securely fastened to be effective.

He further stated that not only families but society as a whole must follow these rules. He added that children reminding their parents to wear helmets

can bring about positive change and that road safety begins at the family level. Following speed limits, avoiding

triple riding, and respecting traffic rules are key to reducing road accidents, he said.

The SP urged parents to act as responsible citizens by ensuring that both they and their children wear helmets and appealed to the public to strictly follow helmet usage, reminding that road safety is everyone's responsibility.

"SCR Celebrates 135th Birth Anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar"

"The greatest tribute to Bharat Ratna Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's legacy, lies in applying professional honesty and courage" : Sanjay Kumar Srivastava, GM/SCR

(Capital Information)

Hyderabad : South Central Railway celebrated the 135th Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna, Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, today i.e., 15th April, 2026 at SCR Headquarters, Rail Nilayam Auditorium, Secunderabad. Sanjay Kumar Srivastava, General Manager, was the Chief Guest, Satya Prakash, Additional General Manager and Siddharth Kati, Principal Chief Personnel Officer, South Central Railway were the Guest of Honour. Principal Heads of Departments, other senior officials, staff members, representatives from SC&ST, OBC associations and recognized trade unions also participated in the program and paid floral tributes to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

Addressing the gathering, Sanjay Kumar Srivastava highlighted the enduring legacy of



Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, whose vision shaped not only the Constitution but also India's approach to Nation Building through education, social reform, and infrastructure. He recalled Ambedkar's pivotal role in the Damodar Valley Project and the Comprehensive River Development Policy of 1943, which integrated Multi Modal Transportation, Irrigation, Flood Control, and Power Gen-

eration. He mentioned the reflection on the nation's direction, reminding that Ambedkar's ideals of inclusivity, integrity and visionary development remain guiding principles for India's progress, especially in strengthening Transportation and Railway Infrastructure as pillars of modern nationbuilding. He also stated that "The

greatest tribute to Bharat Ratna Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's legacy, lies in applying professional honesty and courage".

The General Manager presented the awards to the winners in essay writing competition which was organized on this occasion by Personnel Department, South Central Railway on "The Architect of Social Justice in India". Earlier, representatives of SCR SC&ST, OBC and Trade Union leaders have spoken about the achievements, contributions and legacy of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

On this occasion, Secunderabad Division and the Office of the Chief Workshop Manager (CWM) Lallaguda also celebrated the 135th Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr.B.R. Ambedkar with respect and enthusiasm, attended by Senior officials, Trade unions, and Associations.

The Origin of Thought: Exploring the Mind and the Silent Observer

Every human being has asked this question at some point: Where do my thoughts come from? They seem to appear suddenly sometimes helpful, sometimes troubling, often uncontrollable. Are we creating them, or are they happening to us?

Understanding the origin of thought is not just a philosophical curiosity; it has profound implications for how we experience stress, decision-making, and even our sense of self. To explore this question fully, we can look at it through two complementary lenses: modern science and ancient wisdom.

The Scientific Perspective: Thoughts as Brain Activity

From a scientific standpoint, thoughts arise from the complex activity of the brain. Billions of neurons communicate through electrical and chemical signals, forming dynamic networks. These networks process sensory input, retrieve memories, and generate responses what we experience as thoughts.

A single thought is rarely isolated. It is usually a blend of:

- Current sensory input (what we see, hear, or feel)
- Past experiences and memories
- Emotional states such as fear, joy, or anxiety.

Much of this processing happens unconsciously. By the time a thought reaches our awareness, the brain has already done significant background work. This is why thoughts often feel spontaneous they emerge from processes we do not directly control. Importantly, neuroscience suggests there is no single "thought center" in the brain. Instead, multiple regions collaborate, making



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thought an emergent phenomenon rather than a product of a single location.

The Philosophical Perspective: Thoughts in the Mind.

Ancient Indian traditions such as Vedanta and Yoga philosophy offer a different but deeply insightful framework.

They distinguish between several inner faculties:

- Manas (Mind): where thoughts arise and fluctuate
- Buddhi (Intellect): the faculty of reasoning and decision-making
- Ahankara (Ego): the sense of "I" that claims ownership of thoughts
- Atman (Self): the pure awareness that observes all mental activity.

In this view, thoughts are not the essence of who we are. They are movements within the mind temporary, changing, and often conditioned by past impressions.

Thoughts as Waves: A Powerful Analogy

A helpful way to understand this is through the metaphor of the ocean:

- The mind is like the ocean

thoughts are like waves
 Waves arise due to winds and currents. Similarly, thoughts arise due to:

- Past impressions (samskaras)
- Latent tendencies or desires (vasanas)
- External stimuli from the environment

Just as no one "creates" each individual wave, we do not consciously manufacture every

thought. They arise naturally from underlying conditions.

A Simple Observation: Do We Create Thoughts?

Consider a simple exercise: sit quietly and ask yourself, "What will my next thought be?" Then wait. You may notice something surprising. A thought appears but not because you deliberately constructed it step by step. It simply emerges. This direct observation leads to an important insight: thoughts often arise spontaneously rather than being consciously produced.

The Role of Awareness

Both science and spirituality, in their own ways, point toward an intriguing conclusion: there is a distinction between thoughts and the awareness of thoughts. You can observe a thought. You can notice it arise and pass away.

This implies that:

- You are not identical to your thoughts
- You are the one who is aware of them

Ancient traditions describe this as the "witness" or pure consciousness the unchanging background in which all mental activity occurs.

Why This Matters

Understanding where thoughts come from is not merely theoretical. It has practical value:

- Reduced stress: When we see thoughts as transient events, we are less likely to be overwhelmed by them
- Better decision-making: We gain space to evaluate thoughts instead of reacting automatically
- Emotional balance: Negative thoughts lose their intensity when not identified with

Bridging Science and Spiritual Insight

While science explains how thoughts arise in the brain, philosophical traditions explore how we relate to them. These perspectives are not contradictory—they are complementary.

- Science maps the mechanism
- Philosophy reveals the meaning and experience.

Conclusion

So, where do thoughts come from?

They emerge from a rich interplay of brain activity, past experiences, and present conditions. Yet, beyond this dynamic flow lies a quieter truth: we are not merely the thinkers of thoughts, but the observers of them. Recognising this does not stop thoughts from arising but it changes our relationship with them. And in that shift, there is clarity, freedom, and a deeper sense of peace.

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God bless all of us.
- ARPAN

Staff should be available to provide quality medical services to patients : Collector B Chandrasekhar

(Capital Information)

Devarakonda : Nalgonda District Collector B Chandrasekhar said that the staff should always be available to ensure quality medical services to the patients coming to the hospital.

On Wednesday, the Collector conducted a surprise inspection of the regional hospital in Devarakonda.

On this occasion, he said that if

doctors and hospital staff are available to the patients coming from distant areas and provide treatment in cooperation, they will have faith in the doctors, staff and government hospitals.

He inquired about the medical services provided in the hospital.

Later he spoke to the patients who came for treat-

ment where did they come from? The patients were asked about their problems, what happened.

He was told that some patients from the surround-

ing areas of Devarakonda were suffering from fever and the superintendent of the hospital was ordered to treat them immediately.

Also when did the patients who visited the x-ray department with lower back pain come in? He asked if X-ray was taken.

Knowing that patients were waiting for hours, the

collector questioned the staff as to why the delay was taking place.

The General OP inspected the dental departments and advised the Superintendent to provide seating facilities for the patients.

Staff were directed to speak politely to the patients and clearly inform them of the necessary details.

After inquiring about the number of cases received in the hospital every day, the Collector ordered the medical staff to immediately bring to his attention any defects in the service.

RDO Ramana Reddy, Tahsildar Madhusudan Reddy, MPDO Parvathi, Hospital Superintendent Dr. Ravi Prakash, Dr. Krishna, hospital staff and others participated in this program.



Girls should study with high goals : Collector Chahat Bajpai

(Capital Information)

Hanumakonda : Education is the main basis for a strong future for girls, and Hanumakonda District Collector Chahat Bajpai has advised every student in the children's home to work hard with good goals and study well.

On Wednesday, the Collector made a surprise visit to the girls' children's home run by the Women Development and Child Welfare Department in Hanumakonda Subedari.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector directed the authorities to take special care of the girls in the children's home and provide them with the best care and

educational opportunities. In case of applications for adoption, it was suggested that transparent and speedy

action be taken with the consent of the girls' guardian. He encouraged the girls to move forward with confidence and strive to reach a higher level.

Collector extends birthday wishes..

During the visit, the Dis-

tributed Collector specially wished a girl named Lakshmi Prasanna on her birthday. He personally took her close and blessed her, filling her with joy.

Later, he tasted the food prepared for the girls and expressed satisfaction with the management. He also examined the records related to the children's home and provided necessary suggestions. Superintendent M. Kalyani, District Child Protection Department In-charge S. Praveen Kumar, Protection Officer M. Mounika, Councilors Triveni, Gauthami and others participated in the program.

