

BULLS EYE

Where did my Marathi lag behind?

The glorious achievements of the Marathas and the Marathi language have been recorded in golden letters in the history of the country. For the past two days, we have written with compassion on the greatness, importance, Marathi flag and Marathi identity. Now where has my Marathi been lost today? It is important to find it. The great personalities of great talent who have carried the flag of Maharashtra high. All of them had their education in my Marathi. I want to mention this deliberately. Be it Chintamanrao Deshmukh, Jayant Narlikar or Kerkar who gave a different status to the Taj Group. All these people are a symbol of Maharashtra. We have not deliberately taken the names of the luminaries of Marathi literature. Where else will we have to find such Marathi of ours? This is our next urgent question. Science education should be provided in Marathi, law education should be provided. Engineering education should be provided, medical education should be provided. Many luminaries had expressed this sentiment five to fifty years ago. If we look at the situation today, what do we see? Today, Marathi language is seen as if it is a foreign language. This is how it is seen in many Marathi homes. Let your son or daughter learn in English from the first grade. This is no longer the dream of the upper class in Mumbai and Pune. Now, English medium schools are appearing in small villages and hamlets. In fact, they are springing up like a bush and the directors of those schools are calling this industry a profitable industry. Children should learn in Marathi. That is why great personalities like Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil, Dr. Punjabrao Deshmukh, Dr. Babuji Salunkhe started Marathi language schools. Now, with the changing seasons, Marathi, like a foreign language, has no place in many places in these schools. English has invaded there too. We have repeatedly said that we are not against any language. Be it English or Hindi. We are not against anyone and there is no reason to hate them. But now you have to find children studying in Marathi in my schools in Maharashtra. Then there is no other shameful thing like this. If we compare ancient Marathi literature, medieval literature and ancient literature, then why do we not consider our present Marathi literature as our own, that is, our Marathi literature? This is the basic question before us. The British came. They ruled and the British power was gone. They did not propagate English as much as they did. Our English-speaking Marathi people are doing so much propaganda and propagation. Isn't this a very sad thing? Marathi signs should be written on shops in Maharashtra. There is such a law. Therefore, our shopkeepers obey the law by writing English letters like elephants and Marathi letters like rats. The mobile phone that we have got. It was expensive in the beginning. Back then, there was one or the other mobile phone in the house. Now, if you spend 200 to 300 rupees per month on a mobile phone, you can watch or talk as much as you want. Marathi language has also become mobile among mobile lovers. Now we do not feel the need or do not feel the need to learn Marathi grammar. One word is Marathi, another word is English and the third is Hindi. This new Marathi of ours has been created. The funny thing is that the Marathi dictionary that the government has created for government work. After reading it, it is natural to think that Marathi will probably be spoken in the next hundred or two hundred years. Why the attraction of Marathi language is not being created is also a matter of contemplation. A few years ago, big publishers used to print a thousand copies of Marathi language books when publishing them. Now that number has come down to two and a half to three hundred. In Maharashtra and Mumbai too, bookstores selling Marathi reading materials have closed. Now you have to be active and go out in search of Marathi language. Then the remaining Marathi should survive and grow. If you feel like this, all Marathi people, search for Marathi and after finding it, instill it in your minds and souls, this is my humble request.

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Maha Opposition twice stages walkout over dues to farmers for soybean procurement

Mumbai, July 2 (UNI) Opposition parties in Maharashtra today twice staged a walk-out over the issues of farmer suicides and non-payment to soybean cultivators whose crop was procured by government agencies. The session was marked by intense exchanges as the Opposition accused the government of irregularities in the procurement process and delays in payments to farmers. While moving the adjournment motion seeking a discussion on the issue, Congress member Vijay Wadettiwar said that more than 700 farmers have ended their lives in the state in the first three months of the year, and also asserted that



soyabean producers have not received payment for their sold crops. He questioned the BJP-led government's priorities, citing the sanctioning of Rs 20,000 crore for the Shaktipeeth expressway to link Goa with Nagpur. Wadettiwar also accused the government of making false promises

before elections about granting loan waiver and Minimum Support Price (MSP) 1.5 times the input cost. "Soybean and cotton growers have not received proper price for their produce," he said. Speaker Rahul Narwekar, however, rejected the adjournment motion, following which Opposition members staged a walkout, accusing the government of insensitivity and avoiding discussion. Cooperation and Marketing Minister Jaykumar Rawal stated that a record amount of soybean was procured this year from more than 51,000 farmers, and Rs 5,500 crore were directly transferred to their bank accounts.

Govt to amend existing laws so that MCOCA is invoked against drug peddlers: Fadnavis



Mumbai 2 July: Maharashtra Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis on Wednesday said the state government will amend the existing laws so that drug peddlers are booked under the stringent Maharashtra Control of Organised Crime Act (MCOCA). The amendment will be done in the ongoing monsoon session of the state legislature, he said. Replying to a question in the legislative council, Fadnavis said that action is taken against those

involved in drug peddling and at present they are booked under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act. However, those arrested get bail and again resume their activities, Fadnavis said. "The government is amending laws so that these people can be arrested under the MCOCA. The amendment will be done in the ongoing monsoon session of the state legislature," the chief minister said.

INC demands Rs 10 lakh compensation to kin of farmers killed due to lightning



Mumbai 2 July: Congress Legislature Party leader Vijay Wadettiwar on Wednesday demanded that compensation to the families of farmers killed in lightning strikes in Maharashtra be increased to Rs

10 lakh from the current Rs 4 lakh. In response, state minister Girish Mahajan said in the assembly that the government will consider the suggestion to increase the compensation and he will discuss the matter with the chief minister. According to the minister, 236 persons died due to lightning strikes in 2022, while 181 such deaths were reported in 2023. Raising the issue during the Question Hour in the state assembly, Wadettiwar said lightning strikes often lead to the deaths of poor farmers and "At present, only Rs 4 lakh is given as compensation, which is grossly inadequate. When a person dies in a tiger attack, the government provides Rs 25 lakh. Why this discrimination when someone dies due to a natural calamity like lightning?" he asked.

Ravindra Chavan takes charge as Maha BJP president

Mumbai, July 2 (UNI) Ravindra Chavan today took charge as new state president of BJP in Maharashtra from outgoing state president Chandrashekhar Bawankule in the party head office here. Outgoing state president, Chandrashekhar Bawankule, handed over the reins to Ravindra Chavan and congratulated him. Union Minister of State Muralidhar Mohol, state general secretary A Vikrant Patil, Rajesh Pandey, Upadhyay were present on the occasion.

Uddhav-Raj bonhomie ahead of Maharashtra local polls: Alliance partner Congress watching with caution

Mumbai 2 July: Days before the mega gathering of Thackeray cousins - Uddhav and Raj, the Congress, which leads the I.N.D.I.A. and opposition bloc is keeping its fingers crossed. In case Shiv Sena (UBT) and MNS come together politically, in the run up to the Maharashtra local bodies elections, the Congress, which is part of the Maha Vikas Aghadi, will have to tread a cautious path. The MVA comprises Congress, Sharad Pawar-head NCP (SP) and Shiv Sena (UBT) headed by Uddhav, a former Maharashtra chief minister. Whether to include MNS within the ambit of the MVA or the Shiv Sena (UBT) - MNS would come as an alliance is a critical question," sources in the Congress said. At the July 5 victory rally, state Congress president Harshavardhan Sapkal is going to be present. On July 7, the Congress leadership is expected to meet in Mumbai to discuss the local bodies polls, which will be presided

over by AICC general secretary in-charge of Maharashtra Ramesh Chennithala. Top leaders including Sapkal and Mumbai Congress president Prof Varsha Gaikwad would be present. Meanwhile, former Maharashtra chief minister Prithviraj Chavan said that the Congress will discuss with UBT Sena and NCP (SP) leadership and "sub-alliance" would be left to them. "If we go in an alliance (in the local body polls), we will have a seat sharing with the leaders of the alliance partners, that is Uddhav Thackeray of the Shiv Sena (UBT) and Sharad Pawar of the NCP (SP). Now, with whom they do a sub-alliance is entirely their situation. If the person is completely against the values that the Congress stands for, then we will raise some objections; otherwise, it is an internal family matter and how they do seat adjustments in case we go with an alliance (in the local body polls)," Chavan was quoted saying by UNI.

Won't accept 3-language policy even in future: Sanjay Raut

Mumbai 2 July: Days after the Maharashtra government decided to withdraw orders on implementation of the three-language policy, Shiv Sena (UBT) MP Sanjay Raut on Wednesday said they will not accept such a policy even in future. Facing mounting opposition to the introduction of Hindi language in Maharashtra schools from classes 1 to 5, the state cabinet on Sunday decided to withdraw two GRs (government orders) on the implementation of the three-language policy. Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis subsequently announced the formation of a committee headed by educationist Narendra Jadhav to



suggest the way forward on the language policy. Speaking to reporters here, Raut claimed, "Fadnavis is fond of setting up committees and SITs but does nothing." "Jadhav is respected as an economist, but this committee has no relevance now. We will not accept the three-language policy even in the future," the Rajya Sabha member asserted. On the 'Marathi Vijay Diwas' celebration to be jointly organised by the Sena (UBT) and Raj Thackeray's Maharashtra Navnirman Sena (MNS) in Mumbai on July 5 following the withdrawal of the GRs, Raut said leaders from both the sides were holding discussions.

Pawar reviews development projects



Mumbai, July 2 (UNI) Maharashtra Deputy Chief Minister Ajit Pawar today said that the central government is providing full support for the development projects being implemented in the state through the 15th Finance Commission. The Deputy Chief Minister emphasized that development projects for the state should be meticulously planned with a long-term vision of 100 years and completed within the stipulated timeframe, ensuring top-notch quality. To achieve this, Pawar instructed officials to ensure that all the funds of the 15th Finance Commission are available on time and spent by the end of the current financial year by maintaining coordination and contact with the central authorities. During a meeting at the Mantralaya, he reviewed the progress of ongoing projects and directed that not a single rupee allocated for state development should go unused. Some notable initiatives include creating artificial coral reefs near Sindhudurg district using the decommissioned INS Gudar ship from the Indian Navy. This project aims to promote marine life and develop world-class scuba diving, submarine experiences, and underwater museums, among other attractions.

MLC Tambe demands immediate action against harmful substances

Mumbai, July 2 (UNI) Maharashtra Food and Drug Minister Narhari Zirwal today acknowledged the grave risk posed by unrestrained sale of harmful substances like energy drinks and analogue paneer in the open market and assured the state Legislative Council that immediate steps would be taken to address the issue. He gave this assurance after MLC Satyajeet Tambe expressed concern over unmonitored and unchecked sale of adulterated and harmful food items in the markets across Maharashtra and criticised the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) department for its lack of action on the culprits. Products such as 'Sting' and 'Charged' energy drinks and analogue paneer are being sold openly without any control. Tambe pointed that the phenomenon poses a grave health risk to the youth of Maharashtra.

Demand for agricultural tribunal likely to be fulfilled



YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST: In case of injustice, there are special courts for government employees, women, workers and consumers. On the other hand, even though 70 percent of the country's economy depends on agriculture, such courts have not been created for farmers. Therefore, farmer leader and Lokjagriti Manch president Devanand Pawar had been demanding an agricultural tribunal for the last many years. Now, however, the possibility of this demand being fulfilled has increased and farmers have also expressed happiness. On July 1, a delegation from Yavatmal district, consisting of Wani MLA Sanjay Derkar, Vasant Ghulikhedkar, Manish Patil, Ashok Bobde, Tikaram Kongre, and Devanand Pawar, met Agriculture Minister Manikrao Kokate in Mumbai to discuss various issues of farmers. In this meeting, Devanand Pawar raised the issue of the need for a separate agricultural tribunal for farmers. Since the demand was very important, the Minister also instructed

Devanand Pawar to provide a detailed draft in this regard. He also said that a meeting will be called soon in this regard. Interestingly, after Chandrapur MLA Sudhir Mungantiwar also made the same demand in the Assembly, Marketing Minister Jayakumar Rawal assured to take the right decision after detailed discussions with the Chief Minister and both Deputy Chief Ministers. In view of both these incidents, the possibility of establishing an agricultural court has increased. Earlier, on the request of Devanand Pawar, when Nanabhau Patole was the Speaker of the Maharashtra Legislative Assembly, he had called a meeting of the Agriculture Minister, Agriculture Secretary and officials. In this meeting, too, there was a discussion about establishing an agricultural tribunal. Such meetings have been held four to five times on this issue. Due to Devanand Pawar's continuous follow-up, the possibility of the government fulfilling this demand has increased and we will

continue to follow up, said farmer leader Devanand Pawar. In the current situation, farmers are cheated while buying seeds, fertilizers and pesticides. Farmers are being cheated due to loan recovery, negligence of crop insurance companies, crop damage panchamas, and especially fraud while selling crops. Farmer fraud cases remain pending in general civil courts for many years. In many cases, justice is not even served. Farmers often face situations like suicide due to lack of justice. Therefore, I have been demanding for many years that an independent and fast-track agricultural court/tribunal is necessary. I have demanded the establishment of an agricultural tribunal under Article 323 B as per the provisions of the Indian Constitution. The agricultural tribunal will be fast-track, less expensive, local and accessible. Therefore, the government needs to take a decision in this regard soon said Devanand Pawar, farmer leader Yavatmal.

Heavy to very heavy rainfall likely at isolated places over Maharashtra

Pune, July 2 (UNI) Heavy to very heavy rainfall with isolated extremely heavy rainfall is very likely at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra, India Meteorological Department (IMD) said today. Heavy to very heavy rainfall is very likely at isolated places over Konkan and Goa. Heavy rainfall is likely at isolated places over Vidarbha, the IMD bulletin said. Thunderstorms accompanied by lightning and gusty winds are likely at isolated places over Madhya Maharashtra and Marathwada. Thunderstorm accompanied by lightning is likely at isolated places over Vidarbha. Squally weather with wind speed 40 - 50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph likely to prevail along and off Konkan, Goa coasts during the next 24 hours.

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SIT to probe teacher recruitment scam



Nagpur 2 July: The Maharashtra government on Tuesday said it would set up a special investigation team (SIT) comprising senior IAS and IPS officers to probe the state-wide teacher recruitment scam. School education minister Dada Bhuse said the SIT will complete its investigation in the next three to four months. The scam first surfaced in Nagpur, where 580 fake teachers and non-teaching staff were found to have been recruited in 12 government-aided schools by using fake signatures and documents. Senior education officials are also allegedly involved. The issue was raised in the state assembly by legislators demanding action against the government officials. They

also demanded that guilty officials and directors of schools be booked for "treason". "The matter is not limited to Nagpur as complaints are coming in from many places. An independent SIT will be formed comprising senior IAS, IPS and law officers, who will investigate all the cases, irrespective of where the irregularities took place. Stern action will be taken against those involved," Bhuse said. He also told the legislative assembly that the police are investigating a case relating to Nagpur and that 19 people have been booked so far. In addition, the school education department has set up a committee headed by the director (schemes) to conduct an internal investigation.

Farmers felicitated at Sindewahi agricultural science centre



Sindewahi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): At Sindewahi agricultural science center, on the occasion of Agriculture Day on 1 July 2025, tree planting and farmer honor ceremony was celebrated. Sunrise of the green revolution, superhero, former chief minister Wasantrao Naik on the occasion of his 112th birth anniversary on behalf of the agricultural science center Sindewahi tree planting, farmer honor as well as Tur

cultivation was demonstrated. Providing information about animal care and vaccination during the monsoon guidance was given about organic farming. On this occasion Ku. Sneha veladi, Dr. Warsha Jagdale, Madhav Ade etc. guide as well as students of Rave agricultural College Nagpur presented. Introduction to the program Dr. Vijay Sidam expressed vote of thanks was expressed by the student of the agricultural College Nagpur.

Satisfactory rainfall in Mul taluka, farmers elated



Mul 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Farmers are happy as there has been satisfactory rain in the taluka since last week and there is a picture that farmers will be busy in farming in the coming days. The rains in the month of June and July are important for the Kharif season. If the rains are satisfactory, farmers are ready to start farming. The farmers are expressing happiness as the rains for the paddy crop are satisfactory. Paddy cultivation is done on a large scale in the taluka. The economic livelihood of the farmers here is on paddy farming. Since there is no big industry in the taluka, laborers migrate for employment after the season is over. Therefore, laborers are getting work during the rainy season. The rains are currently satisfactory for paddy farming. Farmers will start paddy planting in the coming days. Therefore, there is a picture in the taluka that farmers are currently busy in farming.

Closure of Platform No. 7 at Nagpur Station for Major Upgradation Work

Train origin and termination shifted to Ajni Station			
Nagpur 2 July:	Nagpur Division of Central Railway will undertake a major upgradation work at Platform No. 7 of Nagpur Station in coordination with the Rail Land Development Authority (RLDA). For the smooth execution of this critical redevelopment activity, Platform No. 7 will remain closed for a period of 52 days from 04th July 2025.	In addition, a 2-hour Corridor Traffic Block will be taken on Platform No. 6 for 5 days, which will not impact train operations.	
Train No. 22137 Nagpur-Ahmedabad Express will depart from	Ajni at 08:29 hrs (Wed, Sat, Sun)	Train No. 11403 Nagpur-Kolhapur Express will depart from Ajni at 15:28 hrs (Tue, Sat)	Train No. 22142 Nagpur-Pune Express will depart from Ajni at 15:25 hrs (Friday)
Short Termination at Ajni Station:	Train No. 22137	Ahmedabad-Nagpur Express will arrive at Ajni at 10:15 hrs (Mon, Tue, Fri)	Train No. 11404 Kolhapur-Nagpur Express will arrive at Ajni at 11:23 hrs (Tue, Fri)
Train No. 22141 Pune-Nagpur Express will arrive at Ajni at 12:47 hrs (Friday)		Passengers are requested to note the change in train origin and destination points and plan their travel accordingly.	Nagpur Division is committed to ensuring smooth operations during this period and regrets the inconvenience caused.

General Manager presents safety awards to 9 Central Railway employees



Nagpur 2 July: Shri Dharam Veer Meena, General Manager, Central Railway felicitated 9 outstanding employees with Safety Awards in a function held at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus Mumbai on 01.07.2025. The awardees include 2 employees from Mumbai

Division, 3 from Solapur Division, 2 from Nagpur Division, and 1 each from Pune and Bhusaval Divisions. The awards were presented in recognition of the employees' alertness during duty, their timely action in preventing untoward incidents, and for significantly contributing to safe train

operations. Each award includes a medal, commendation certificate, citation, and a cash prize of Rs 2 thousand. From Nagpur Division,

* **Shri Rakesh Kumar, Senior Train Manager, was awarded for promptly detecting a missing outer helical spring from the rear trolley of a wagon on 21.05.2025.**

* **Shri Vishu Bhimrao Dofe, Technician (C&W), was honored for identifying a broken and hanging brake disc with missing bolts on Train No. 12721 Hyderabad - Hazrat Nizamuddin Express on 29.05.2025.**

Congratulating the recipients, Shri Meena appreciated their dedication and stated that such acts inspire others to uphold the highest standards of safety, thereby protecting lives, freight, and railway assets. The event was graced by Shri Prateek Goswami, Additional General Manager, Shri Chandra Kishore Prasad, Principal Chief Safety Officer, along with other Principal Heads of Departments and senior officers.

Illegal liquor being sold openly at Kumbhar Mohalla, Sindewahi



Sindewahi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Under police station Sindewahi, local Sindewahi in kumbhar mohalla of the city and all the complimentary as well as Egg omelet shops nearby country liquor is being sold openly since morning. The local police administration is ignoring

this. Children's schools have now started. School students go to the market with their parents to shop to buy notebooks, exercise, book, pencils then at the complimentary shop on that street there is a lot of drinking people. This needs to be addressed by the local police administration.

Nagpur Division registers impressive scrap sale performance in June 2025



Nagpur 2 July: Nagpur Division of Central Railway has continued its commendable performance in scrap disposal, achieving a total sale of Rs 2.21 crores during the month of June 2025. This significant contribution is part of the division's ongoing efforts to maintain cleanliness, optimize space utilization, and enhance revenue through the systematic disposal of unserviceable materials.

In June 2025, the Division successfully sold:

* **Rails: 174.707 Metric Tonnes**
* **P-Way Scrap: 52.430 Metric Tonnes**

* **Ferrous Scrap: 41.066 Metric Tonnes**

* **Non-Ferrous Scrap: 46.313 Metric Tonnes**

The cumulative scrap sale of the division till June 2025 now stands at Rs 6.29 crores, reflecting the sustained efforts of the mechanical and concerned departments. This initiative is in line with Indian Railways' mission of efficient asset management and monetization of redundant materials. The Division remains committed to achieving its annual targets and contributing positively to the overall performance of Central Railway.

High Court grants bail in NDPS case due to major discrepancies in prosecution case

Nagpur 2 July: Justice Urmila Phalke (Joshi) granted bail to the accused Shabbir Khan and Munnawar Khan who were accused under Section 20, 22, 29, 25, 27A of the NDPS Act as they were apprehended with 495.600 Kilograms of Ganja (Marijuana) from their vehicle. It was the contention of the prosecution that based upon secret information, they had laid a trap against the accused persons and had accosted them on Chandrapur-Nagpur road and after completing all the formalities and complying with the mandates as stated under the NDPS Act, they had proceeded to arrest the accused persons and subsequent thereto had filed the chargesheet against them. Advocate Surabhi Prakash Naidu (Godbole) pointed out to the Court that the contention of the prosecution as regards to the allegations falls short on vital aspects. It was argued that going by the version of the documented chargesheet which included the post-trap panchnama, FIR, statement of witnesses, inventory certificate prepared before the learned Magistrate and the CFLS Report, the prosecution had failed to demonstrate that what was seized from the accused persons was in fact in consonance with the definition of Ganja (Marijuana) as had been contemplated under the Act. Adv Surabhi argued that there were glaring discrepancies and shortcomings with regards to the seized contraband and by no stretch of imagination could the seized contraband be termed and declared to be Ganja (Marijuana). The shortcomings and the contradictory versions which followed from the Post-Trap Panchnama, FIR, Inventory Certificate stood contrary to the CFLS Report, since the contents of the alleged contraband, as had been seized were squarely contradictory to what was received by the Chemical Analysis Department and no explanation in whatsoever manner was forthcoming from the body of the chargesheet as regards to this glaring discrepancy. It was also argued that the process of sampling as had been done was defective from all corners and that, firstly, the prosecution had in the absence of the learned Magistrate taken out samples from the 17 packets and that subsequent thereto, samples from the respective packets which were collected before the learned Magistrate were interpolated by mixing the same from various packets and only one sample was sent for chemical analysis in entirety. After appreciating the contentions of the accused in consonance with the arguments advanced by the prosecution, the Court opined that the prosecution had miserably failed to corner their allegations within four spheres of the Act and the contraband as was seized, fell short of the requirements as contemplated under the mandated definition of the Act and the accused were directed to be released on bail on furnishing requisite cash security with solvent surety of the like amount. Advocate Prakash Naidu, Surabhi Naidu (Godbole), Joseph Bastian and Dhruv Sharma appeared for the applicants.

Restoring confidence in the helpless is essential: Shyamsundar Rathi



Wardha 2 July (NAGPUR POST/DC): In society, many helpless men and women struggle daily. In such cases, providing support and assistance, bringing confidence to their lives, and seeing satisfaction and joy on their faces becomes a true act of divine service. This kind of encouragement is inspiring and gives hope to continue working for such causes, said senior social worker Shyamsundar Rathi from Arvi. On June 27, Rathi extended help to Indubai Yadav (Ahir), who works at a public toilet facility built by the municipal corporation on Railway Station Road, Wardha. He gifted her a ration kit, daily essentials, and Rs 5 thousand in cash. The event was graced by the All India Shastri Social Forum's National Vice President Imran Rahi, former regional president Eng. Vijay Nakhale, former municipal council member Abhishek Trivedi, senior social worker Shashank Chatare, Godrej company officer Sagar Kawade, and other dignitaries including Sanjay Ojha, Nitin Chudiwale, and social worker Fiza Khan. Rathi said he read Indubai's heart-touching story in a newspaper and immediately decided to help her. His consistent efforts to assist the needy are inspiring, exemplary, and commendable, stated Imran Rahi. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Shashank Chatare.

Lokshahi Din at NMC on July 7

Nagpur 2 July: As per the directive of Maharashtra Government dated December 30, 1999, the first Monday of every month is observed as 'Lokshahi Din' with a view to resolving the grievances of the people. Accordingly, 'Lokshahi Din' has been organised at 10 am on Monday (July 7) at the Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Standing Committee Hall at NMC headquarters. Notably, the complaints received during the Division level Lokshahi Din organised at the Divisional Commissionerate will be resolved during the Lokshahi Din programme to be held in Nagpur Municipal Corporation.

POCUS in Action: DMIHER Empowers PGs with Bedside Ultrasonography Skills

DMIHER's Simulation Centre Hosts Hands-On POCUS Workshop for Budding Clinicians



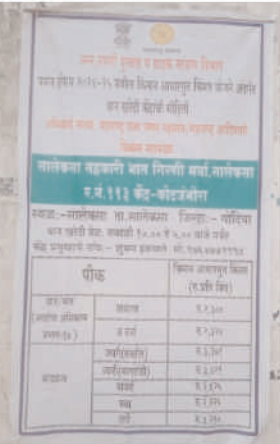
Nagpur 2 July: The School of Experiential Learning and Simulation Centre (SEL&SC) at Datta Meghe Institute of Higher Education & Research (DU) (DMIHER), in collaboration with Shalinitai Meghe Hospital & Research Centre (SMHRC) and the Indian Society of Critical Care Medicine (ISCCM), Nagpur Branch, organized a Basic Point of Care Ultrasonography (POCUS) Workshop on 25th May 2025 at the DMMC campus, Wanadongri, Nagpur. This hands-on workshop was specifically designed for postgraduate students, with the aim of strengthening bedside diagnostic skills and improving clinical decision-making in real time using ultrasonography. Over 50 postgraduate students from DMMC, Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College (JNMC), and NKPSIMS participated in the event. The workshop

covered essential modules such as Basics of Ultrasonography, Lung POCUS, Cardiac POCUS, Airway Ultrasound, FAST & eFAST, Central Venous Cannulation, Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) screening, and trauma ultrasound protocols. Participants were provided practical exposure through live demonstrations, supervised scanning sessions, and interactive discussions. The academic sessions were led by a distinguished faculty panel including Dr. Shahnawaz Siddique, Dr. Rahul Hiwani, Dr. Paras Zunke, Dr. Pallavi Meshram, Dr. Rashmi Agrawal, and Dr. Chowksey, whose clinical expertise added significant value to the training. Students found the workshop highly enriching, and the faculty commended the infrastructure, smooth organization, and enthusiasm displayed by

the attendees. Dr. Anjali Borkar, HoD - Anaesthesia, remarked that POCUS has become an indispensable part of modern clinical practice, especially in anaesthesia and critical care. She highlighted the importance of such focused workshops in ensuring that future clinicians are well-equipped with the practical skills necessary for timely interventions. The workshop received strong institutional backing from Dr. Anup Marar, Director - DMIHER (Off Campus), Dr. Ujjwal Gajbe (Dean), Dr. B.R. Singh (Vice Dean), Dr. Vasant Gawande (CMS, SMHRC), and Dr. Pratibha Deshmukh (Director, Anaesthesia). The event was meticulously coordinated by Dr. Neha Goenka and Dr. Paras Zunke from ISCCM, supported by the organizing team comprising Dr. Adeeba Siddique, Dr. Roshani Manwani, Dr. Varun, Mr.

Vivek Bhardwaj, Mr. Abhishek Kumar, and Mr. Yogesh Maske from SEL&SC, DMIHER9DU). Valuable contributions also came from Dr. Anand Hatgaonkar (HoD Radiology) and Dr. Rajasi Sengupta (HoD OBGY), who facilitated ultrasound machines and venue arrangements. Ms. Aaliya led the team of Mr. Praful Dhabekar, Mr. Vinod Gajbhaye, MCH Managers, Sodexo and the housekeeping team provided seamless execution of the event, even on a holiday. This initiative reflects the commitment of the institution to continuous medical education and interdisciplinary learning. The enthusiastic participation from various colleges underlines the relevance and growing demand for such practical training modules in postgraduate medical curricula.

Paddy purchase limit ends, farmers reeling under financial crisis



Salekasa 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): The highest paddy producing farmers in Maharashtra are in Vidarbha, Nagpur, the second capital, the centre of government Mumbai, and east Vidarbha districts such as Gondia, Bhandara, Chandrapur, and Gadchiroli. However, during the Rabi season 2025, farmers are reeling under a crisis situation as the highest productivity in the form Amgaon taluka, and the Rabi crop output is more, in these regions, government is not fulfilling any of its self proclaimed objectives. The

According to the available date, Gondia district has 38 tribal paddy organisations and there are over 100 government basic paddy procurement centres, but even the government administration and people's representatives are not paying attention to the issue. There are 2.38 lakh farmers in Gondia district, 79 thousand hectares under Kharif crop cultivation and 31 thousand hectares under Rabi crop cultivation. So, why is there no development taking place? The question is, being asked in the entire state. It is being perceived that the Maharashtra government is not paying attention to the issues of farmers.

When we asked for more information about this issue, it has come to light that there are 192 government centres for basic paddy procurement in 8 talukas in Gondia district, but the government had set a target of 20 lakh quintals of paddy for the Rabi season, of which only 10 lakh quintals have been completed so far. The demands regarding the developing situation have been put forth before the state government and the central government. If the target is met, the remaining farmers' paddy will go to waste.

Vivek Ingle, District Marketing Officer, Gondia

When we asked for more information about the prevailing situation, the central government is saying that the paddy procurement centre has not given information about various aspects, the regional government has in turn firmly backed its stance, said Rajkumar Badole MLA Arjun Morgaon

While trying to gather more information, we have written to the Chief Minister, that 2 to 3 years ago the price of paddy was more. This year, private traders have been buying paddy at a lower price and farmers have been selling it at the basic paddy procurement centres. The government will take a decision in this concern within a span of 2 to 3 days.

Vinod Agrawal MLA Gondia

authorities are saying that implementations should be carried out at a single government supported paddy procurement centre. In fact, they are burning their own money by ignoring the issues of farmers. Today,

lakhs of quintals of produce grown by paddy farmers in Amgaon, Gondia, and other talukas have been sold at government supported paddy procurement centres, but the paddy has not been distributed as yet.

This is a big problem looming large in front of the farmers. The farmers have been advised to approach government supported paddy procurement centres. The leaders only make promises and do not take farmers' welfare related issues seriously. The government only talks about the farmers as the food provider of the country, but does not pay attention to them in reality. During the Kharif season, it was announced that even if private traders sell paddy, bonus would be credited to the bank account of farmers, but this did not happen in reality.

The farmers are levelling allegations that the government has misled the farmers through schemes such as the Maha DBT, and the people are deeply dissatisfied about the regime's lacklustre approach.

Record Alert: Škoda Auto India achieves its highest-ever half-yearly sales

Nagpur 2 July: Škoda Auto India is keeping its foot on the accelerator as it celebrates its 25th anniversary in India and 130th year globally. With 36,194 units sold in the first half of 2025, Škoda Auto has achieved its highest half-yearly sales in its 25-year history in India. Commenting on the achievement, Ashish Gupta, Brand Director, Škoda Auto India, said, "Our landmark half-yearly sales reflect the strong acceptance of Škoda products and services by customers in India. Our customers love to explore the world around them every day. With the addition of the Kylaq in our portfolio, we now enable their journeys even more through an 'SUV For Everyone', as well as our sedan offering. Our aim is to get 'closer' to our customers in India with our accessible products,

services, and touchpoints across the country. This achievement encourages us to stay focused on being relevant through timely product actions, offer unique value to our customers by differentiating our product and service offerings, and to continue building trust with an unmatched ownership experience."

Setting sales records, 194 units in H1 2025, Škoda Auto India is now among the top seven automotive brands in India. This is a jump of four positions from its rankings in 2024. Furthermore, it surpasses Škoda Auto India's previous best half-yearly sales in 2022 of 28,899 units.

SUVs For Everyone & Building the Sedan Legacy

Škoda Auto India began 2025 with the launch of the Kylaq, its first sub-4m SUV and a new entry point for

customers into the Škoda family, that is helping the brand go deeper in Tier 1 markets and expand further in Tier 2 and 3 cities. This was followed by the introduction of the all-new, second-generation Kodiaq luxury 4x4. Along with the Kushaq, Škoda Auto India now offers a wide range of SUVs suited to the differing mobility needs of customers across the country. Škoda Auto India continues to build on its sedan legacy with the Slavia sedan and a global icon soon to be introduced in India. Škoda Auto India also offers the most advanced range of automatics and direct injection turbocharged engines across its entire portfolio, enabling a convenient, comfortable, safe and enjoyable mobility experience for customers.

Closer to customers

From 120 touchpoints in

2021, Škoda Auto India has expanded its network to over 295 touchpoints till date. The company remains steadfast in its goal of achieving 350 touchpoints by the end of 2025, reinforcing its commitment to providing a seamless customer experience across India. To ensure peace of mind during ownership, Škoda Auto India provides class leading standard warranty on all its products, along with a wide range of extended warranty and maintenance packages for customers to choose from. Furthermore, the Škoda Supercare maintenance package is now complimentary with every Škoda car for a period of one year. With this, a Škoda owner's first expense for routine service is only at the end of the second year of ownership or 30,000 kms, whichever is earlier.

Students Month Celebration July 2025 by Nagpur Chapter of WIRC of ICSI



Nagpur 2 July: The Institute of India (ICSI) is a statutory body constituted under an Act of Parliament to regulate and develop the profession of Company Secretaries. The Institute is functioning under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India, and has established itself as a pioneer body in promoting Corporate Governance, Risk Management, and Compliance (GRC) in the last five decades of its existence. Headquarter in New Delhi, the ICSI has four Regional Office in New Delhi, Chennai, Kolkata and Mumbai, three centres for Corporate Governance, Research, and Training in Navi Mumbai, Hyderabad and Kolkata each, 72 Chapter Offices across length and breadth of the country and six overseas centres in Australia, Canada, Singapore, UAE, UK and USA. Presently the Institute has on its roll over 74,000 Company Secretaries Members and more than 2.00 lakh students. These Company Secretaries are actively engaged both in employment and in practice, in governance of the corporate sector. The Company Secretaries are actively engaged, both in employment and in practice, in the two vital growth engines of the economy, the corporate sector and financial markets. The institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) celebrates Students Month

every year in the month of July. Student month is an opportunity for the students to interact with the Institute. Schedule of activities has been planned to be organized during the student's month by ICSI Nagpur Chapter. Nagpur Chapter of WIRC of ICSI is one among the 72 Chapter Office across India. The student's month activities designed this year for students by ICSI Nagpur Chapter will give further impetus to the zeal and enthusiasm of the students. On the first day of Students Month celebration, Nagpur Chapter organized a Blood Donation Camp in co-operation with Dr. Hedgewar Blood Centre. Van Mohotsav Program was also organized on the same date at Nagpur Chapter Office. The above program was attended by Students and Members of Nagpur Chapter. The Program witness the presence of Mr. Prafulla Kumar Dash the Office In-

CENTRAL RAILWAY
E-tender Notice No. ELS/AQ/DRG/MCO/25-26/06 dated 30-06-2025
Digitally signed online open E-Tenders are invited by Sr. DEE/TRS/ELS/AQ from established contractors for execution of following work on Nagpur Division of Central Railway. **Name of Work:** Repair and maintenance of sanders in 3-phase Electric locomotives at Electric Locshed, Ajni. **Estimated Cost of Work:** Rs. 25,83,688/- **Earnest Money Deposit:** Rs. 51700/- **Last date & time of submission of tender:** 22-07-2025 **Time:** 15:00 Hrs. **Website address:** <http://reps.gov.in>
Sr. DEE/TRS/ELS/AQ, Nagpur
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Charge of Nagpur Chapter of Dr. Hedgewar Blood Centre.

Change Of Name	
MY OLD NAME WAS PATLE BHUMESHWARIBAI SHIWAJI. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SHALU SURENDRAKUMAR TEMBHARE. ADD : FLAT NO 302 VALANK-INI APARTMENT SE RAILWAY COLONY RANAP-RATAP NAGAR NAGPUR	MY OLD NAME WAS PRADY-NA RAJESH RAUT. NOW MY NEW NAME IS PRAGYA RAJESH RAUT. ADD : P.NO.22, KORAD ROAD, NEAR TIRANGA CHOWK, SHAMBU NAGAR, NAGPUR - 440030
MY OLD NAME WAS AACHL SURENDRA TEMBHARE. NOW MY NEW NAME IS AACHAL SURENDRAKUMAR TEMBHARE. ADD : FLAT NO 302 VALANK-INI APARTMENT SE RAILWAY COLONY RANAP-RATAP NAGAR NAGPUR	MY OLD NAME WAS AHMAD HAMDAN ANSARI. NOW MY NEW NAME IS AHMAD HAMDAN. ADD : PLOT NO.29,B.B COLONY,KALAMANA ROAD, NAGPUR - 441002
MY OLD NAME WAS KAPIL SURENDRA TEMBHARE. NOW MY NEW NAME IS KAPIL SURENDRAKUMAR TEMBHARE. ADD : FLAT NO 302 VALANK-INI APARTMENT SE RAILWAY COLONY RANAP-RATAP NAGAR NAGPUR	MY OLD NAME WAS AYESHA ABU ZAIID SHAIKH. NOW MY NEW NAME IS AYESHA ABU ZAIID AND SURNAME IS SHAIKH. ADD : NR ALFALAH MASJID, CHUNA BHATTI WARD RAJURA, CHANDRAPUR 442905. MY OLD PASSPORT NO IS X4850918
MY OLD NAME WAS PRITI MAHAVIR GURHARIKAR. NOW MY NEW NAME IS PRITI KUNAL LILHARE. ADD : PLOT NO 11, SHAHU NAGAR NAGPUR 440027	MY OLD NAME WAS AMRUT ALIAS KUNAL LKHITE. NOW MY NEW NAME IS AMRUT VIJAYKUMAR LKHITE. ADD : PLOT NO.26, JAI DURGA NAGAR, NAGPUR - 440015.
MY OLD PASSPORT NO H0879825. MY OLD NAME WAS SHAIKH HAMID. NOW MY NEW NAME IS HAMID BUDHAN AND SURNAME IS SHAIKH. ADD : RAILWAY STATION ROAD HINGOLI - 431513	MY OLD NAME WAS QAAMR AAFRIN / QAAMR NISA BEGUM. NOW MY NEW NAME IS QAAMR AAFREEN. ADD : NEAR RAMZAN HOTEL, PILI HAWELI CHOWK , KAMPTEE.
MY OLD NAME WAS NITIMA THAKUR PRASAD. NOW MY NEW NAME IS NITIMA THAKUR PRASAD THAKRE. ADD : PLOT NO.19/A, GAJANAN NAGAR, NAGPUR - 440034	MY OLD NAME WAS MOHAMMED HAMZA / SHEIKH MOHAMMAD HAMZA QAAMR PARVEZ. NOW MY NEW NAME IS MOHAMMAD HAMZA. ADD : NEAR RAMZAN HOTEL, PILI HAWELI CHOWK , KAMPTEE.
MY OLD NAME WAS MOHAMMED JIYA. NOW MY NEW NAME IS MOHAMMAD BHAI RAFIK BHAI JIYA. PASSPORT NO. K1731713 ADD : 269 MARWADI CHOWK ITWARI NAGPUR	MY OLD NAME WAS ANSHRA AAFRIN / ANSHARA AAFREEN QAAMR PARVEZ SHEIKH. NOW MY NEW NAME IS ANSHRA AAFREEN. ADD : NEAR RAMZAN HOTEL, PILI HAWELI CHOWK , KAMPTEE.
MY OLD NAME WAS SUMAIYA JIYA. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SUMAIYA BANO MOHAMMAD BHAI JIYA. PASSPORT NO. K1741431 ADD : 269 MARWADI CHOWK ITWARI NAGPUR	MY OLD NAME WAS SHAMKUMAR GOPALRAO POHARE. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SHYAMKUMAR GOPALRAO POHARE. ADD : PLOT NO 10,FLAT NO 205,RISHAB APT,GANESH NAGAR,NAGPUR - 440009.
MY OLD NAME WAS ABDUL RAFIQUE RAZA. NOW MY NEW NAME IS ABDUL RAFIQUE ABDUL RAZA. ADD : HOUSE NO. 914 MOHD ALI CHOWK NAGPUR 440018	MY OLD NAME WAS NUSRAT ISHRAF KHAN. NOW MY NEW NAME IS NUSRAT KHAN. ADD : NEAR BADI MASJID, NAYA BAZAR, KAMPTEE.

This World Skin Health Day, Nourish Your Skin with the Goodness of California Almonds

New Delhi 2 July: This year, on World Skin Health Day, the theme "No Health Without Skin Health" emphasizes the role of skin in overall wellness. Skin health now goes far beyond external skincare routines—it begins from within, with daily dietary choices. Including skin-friendly foods like California almonds, rich in vitamin E and healthy fats, support skin health and help you look and feel your best. California almonds are a powerhouse of 15 essential nutrients, many of which help with improved skin texture and tone. Vitamin E and healthy fats have shown to impart anti-aging properties and contribute to skin health. In fact, research shows that regular almond consumption may reduce facial wrinkles, making them an effective addition to your everyday beauty routine. In addition to modern nutritional science, traditional systems such as Ayurveda, Siddha, and Unani have long recognized almonds for their skin benefits. These ancient practices highlight how almonds support glowing skin—aligning time-honored wisdom with today's wellness goals. Moreover, regular almond consumption may help protect against UVB rays, which is highly beneficial in intense Indian summers. What makes almonds a true superfood is their versatility and convenience. They can be eaten whole, soaked, roasted, or added to smoothies, salads, desserts, and traditional dishes. No matter how you enjoy them, almonds retain their powerful and rich nutritional profile—making it easy to include them in your daily diet for glowing, healthy skin. Commenting on World Skin Health Day and the importance of caring for skin, Skin Expert and Cosmetologist Dr. Geetika Mittal Gupta said, "I always remind my clients that true skin health lies within. Getting enough sleep, staying active, and following a balanced, nutrient-rich diet all play a key role in maintaining healthy skin. One of my top recommendations is to include a handful of almonds as part of your daily diet—either as a snack or incorporated into meals.



They're rich in vitamin E, protein, zinc, and copper—nutrients that nourish the skin, and may even help protect against UVB damage. Such small, consistent changes can contribute to a lasting, healthy glow." Popular Bollywood actress Soha Ali Khan said, "As an actor, maintaining healthy skin is absolutely essential. We often have to wear heavy makeup for long hours, which can leave the skin feeling stressed and irritated. To manage this, I follow a dedicated skincare routine and make sure to eat a balanced diet that includes skin-friendly foods. One of my go-to choices is almonds. I always carry a small box of California almonds with me—they keep me feeling full for longer and help me avoid processed foods that may impact both my skin and well-being. Almonds are not only nutritious but also rich in vitamin E, which supports skin health." Ritika Samaddar, Regional Head of Dietetics at Max Healthcare – New Delhi, said, "While most people know that eating healthy is necessary for good skin, they're often unsure about what exactly to include in their diet. Many of my clients ask about complicated diets or supplements to improve skin health, but it really doesn't have to be that complex. Just a handful of almonds a day, along with plenty of greens, seasonal fruits, and a balanced diet, can make a real difference.

These nutrient-rich nuts are packed with vitamin E and healthy fats that help nourish the skin.

They also make a great snack to curb junk food cravings—supporting both

skin health and overall well-being." Ayurveda expert Madhumitha Krishnan said, "In a world of quick-fix skin treatments, this World Skin Health Day is a reminder to return to natural, time-tested solutions. Ayurveda has always drawn attention to the deep connection between inner health and outer beauty—what you eat truly reflects on your skin. A diet rich in fruits, vegetables, and nuts like almonds supports overall skin health. In fact, Ayurveda, Siddha, and Unani texts have long praised almonds for their role in enhancing skin glow and promoting healthy skin." Fitness Master Pilates Instructor Yasmin Karachiwala said, "Healthy skin comes down to two essentials—eating right and staying active. I recommend including wholesome foods like almonds, seasonal fruits, vegetables, and whole grains, as they provide the nutrients your skin needs to stay clear and glowing. Regular workouts also boost blood circulation, which helps nourish skin cells and adds a natural glow. However, many people, including my clients, experience breakouts post-workout due to sweat buildup.

That's why a simple post-workout skincare and diet routine is just as important." Popular South Indian actor Shriya Saran said, "As an actor, skincare is a top priority. Hectic shoots, heavy makeup, and constant travel often leave my skin feeling stressed, leading to issues like dryness and pigmentation. To manage this, I focus on nourishing my skin from within by following a balanced diet rich in seasonal fruits, vegetables, and almonds. Almonds are my go-to snack—they're packed with antioxidants, fiber, and protein that help me stay full, energized, and support overall skin health. A consistent skincare routine, morning and night, also keeps my skin balanced."

This World Skin Health Day let us recognize the need for skin nourishment inside out by incorporating skin-friendly foods such as California Almonds into our everyday diet—for healthier, glowing skin that lasts.

Rajarshi Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Jayanti celebrated



Wadi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Rajarshi Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj's Jayanti and the first day of school reopening were celebrated with great enthusiasm in the premises of the Residential Deaf and Mute School run by Shri Saharaj Gadge Maharaj Bahuddeshiya Shikshan Sanstha. The chief guests of the programme were the president of the institution DD Sontakke, secretary Rahul

Sontakke, school principal Khandekar, as well as students, parents and teachers who were present in large numbers. Speaking at the programme, DD Sontakke remembered the contribution of Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj in social reform and gave good wishes and inspiring messages to the students for the new academic session.

He also gave gifts to the students. The programme

was conducted by Special Teacher Landge and the vote of thanks was given by Ridhanka.

The students also actively participated in the programme through their gestures.

The entire atmosphere of the programme was inspiring and auspicious due to the inspiration of Shahu Maharaj, who propagated the principles of equality, education and service.

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Appendix IV [Rule 8 (1)]**SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE** (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer (The Yavatmal urban Co-Op. Bank Ltd., Yavatmal under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) rules, 2002 issued a demand notice calling upon the amount mentioned in the Demand notice Principal Plus Interest Plus Further Interest within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic Possession, in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the The Yavatmal Urban Co-op. Bank Ltd., Yavatmal for an amount Plus Further Interest thereon.

Branch/ Ac.no./Borrower & Guarantor Name	Demand notice & Possession Dt. & Time	Principal & Interest	Property Details
A/c. No. 180/848 , Branch – Ghatanji 1)Shri. Gajanan Dadarao Thakare (Borrower & morgagor) At.Istari nagar ghatanji ta ghatanji dist yavatmal 2)shrimati Savitribai Dadarao Thakare (co- borrower & morgagor) At.Istari nagar ghatanji ta ghatanji dist yavatmal 3)Shri.Pravin bhaurao Thakre (Guaranter) 7)Shri Ashok Nandal Sharma (Guaranter) At.Istari nagar ghatanji ta ghatanji dist yavatmal 4)Shri Manoj Prabhakar Mane (Guaranter) Ta Gurudev ward Ghatanji Ta Ghatanji Dist yavatmal	Demand notice dt. 27/12/2024 Symbolic possession dt. 30/06/2025 At 11.00pm. to 11.20pm.	Principal Rs. 285583 /- + Interest ₹.8990/-	1)Immovable Property Of shrimati Savitribai Dadarao Thakare (co- borrower & morgagor) At.Istari nagar ghatanji ta ghatanji dist yavatmal Mauja Kharpi Ta Ghatanji Dist gatanji Gat n 35 part of 5 area 74.34 sq. mtr(799.89 sq fit) with building and structure standing Thereon bounded as under:- East- Gat n 38, West:- Part of plot n 5, North:- road, South:- Gat n 236

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub section 8 of section 13 of the act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets. Place –Pandharkawda (Gajanan Narayanrao Gahukar) Authorised Officer The Yavatmal Urban Co-op. Bank Ltd, Yavatmal. Branch –PANDHARKAWDA (Secured Creditor) Mo. 8308424556

BUSINESS

Gaja Alternative Asset Management Limited files Confidential DRHP for IPO

Mumbai 2 July: Gaja Alternative Asset Management Limited which operates under the brand Gaja Capital has filed a confidential draft red herring prospectus with the regulator for an initial public offering. Founded in 2004, it provides growth capital to companies spanning sectors including the education, consumer, and financial services sectors. In January 2025 the company converted from private to public limited changing its name to Gaja Alternative Asset Management Ltd. The company raised Rs. 125 crore in pre-IPO fund-raising round earlier this month, at a valuation of Rs 1,625 crore. The fresh issue proceeds are believed to be intended to provide the fund managers' capital to seed new funds and extend distribution capabilities in India and abroad. It will be used to expand into new fund management strategies. The IPO will help the company get listing benefits and gain enhanced visibility for its brand. Gaja Capital is one of India's leading PE/alternative asset management companies, focused on providing growth capital to ambitious entrepreneurs building the future champions of the Indian economy. Founded in 2004, Gaja Capital has established itself as India's first institutional and independent private equity firm with a strong track record of performance and value creation. Gaja Capital is recognised as a partner of choice by emerging Indian companies and top-tier global and domestic institutional investors. The Board of Directors is chaired by Mr. U.K. Sinha (Non-Executive Chairman), with non-executive board members including Mr. Shailesh Haribhakti, Mr. Prithvi Haldea, Mr. Manish Saxharwal, Mr. Arindam Bhattacharya and Ms. Shital Mehra. Executive board members include the founders Gopal Jain, Ranjit Shah and Imran Jafar. Some of Gaja Capital's investments include Teamlease, Lighthouse Learning, RBL Bank, John Distilleries, Xpressbees, Ei, Leadsquared and Signzy.

Karur Vysya Bank and Kshema General Insurance announces game-changing bancassurance alliance



Karur 2 July: Karur Vysya Bank (KVB) and Kshema General Insurance Ltd today announced a strategic bancassurance alliance to offer a specially designed dual-benefit insurance product—Kshema Kisan Sathi—to India's rural and agri-focused communities. The collaboration brings together KVB's stronghold in rural and semi-urban banking and Kshema's technology-driven insurance solutions to empower millions of customers with a holistic financial protection offering. This partnership underscores KVB's long-standing commitment to the development of India's rural economy. With a legacy of over 109 years, Karur Vysya Bank has continually evolved to meet the growing needs of its customer base while remaining deeply rooted in trust and service. This collaboration brings a seminal change to India's bancassurance landscape through a strategic partnership and a product tailored for the agricultural community. This joint initiative by two regulated private entities is more than just a partnership. It is a mission to empower, insure, and uplift the agri and rural economy leveraging Kshema's tech stack and KVB's rural customer base for large-scale outreach. Kshema aims to act as the shield of the rural economy—by providing not just insurance, but tools for proactive resilience, preparedness, and sustainability. Speaking on the alliance, Mr. Ramesh Babu, Managing Director & CEO, Karur Vysya Bank said, "As a bank deeply embedded in India's rural landscape, we understand the challenges our customers face in their day-to-day lives. With Kshema Kisan Sathi, we are not just offering an insurance product; we are delivering peace of mind. This partnership reflects our commitment to build meaningful financial ecosystems that support sustainable livelihoods. It is aligned with our long-term vision to create a resilient, secure, and self-reliant rural economy through inclusive banking and value-added offerings."

RBI Dy Governor Rao calls for frequent credit information updates, data quality

Mumbai 2 July: RBI Deputy Governor M Rajeshwar Rao has called for frequent data updates by Credit Information Companies (CICs), asserting that it will improve loan underwriting precision, among others. Addressing TransUnion CIBIL's Credit Conference in Mumbai on Tuesday, the RBI deputy governor outlined two critical enablers — data freshness and data quality—for the betterment of India's credit ecosystem. Currently, credit data is refreshed on a fortnightly basis. "We must aspire to more frequent updates," M Rajeshwar Rao said, as per the excerpts of his speech published by the RBI on its website today. "Real-time or near-real-time credit reporting will improve underwriting precision, enable timely reflection of borrower actions like loan closures or repayments and deliver a superior consumer experience," he added. Rao suggested that the shift will require investments in technology, process reengineering, and change management. "But the rewards - transparency, efficiency, and trust, far outweigh the costs," he supplemented. Elaborating on data quality, Rao said it is the bedrock of responsible lending, and added that the RBI has always emphasised the importance of accuracy in regulatory submissions. "It has been perceived that CICs shall provide a data quality index score to the Credit Institutions (CIs) on a monthly basis to facilitate improvement in the quality of data submitted by CIs," he added. In his concluding remark, Rao further said India stands on the cusp of a transformative financial era where technology, policy, and innovation converge to democratise credit access. "Various initiatives, collaborative partnerships and sustained regulatory support are laying the foundation for a more inclusive, resilient, and sustainable economy. But at the heart of a sustainable credit landscape lies an empowered consumer, which is enabled when we have a financially aware and literate customer. While regulations mandate transparency and awareness, the responsibility needs to be fulfilled by all of us. Financial literacy cannot be achieved through a one-time campaign; it has to be a sustained commitment for all the institutions and entities involved," Rao added.

EDITORIAL

Digital India challenge: Build on the gains, address shortcomings



The Digital India initiative was launched by the Narendra Modi government in 2015 with the aim of using technology to make life easier for every Indian. Over the past decade, the flagship project has played a key role in empowering citizens in more ways than one. Digital payments, in particular, have become virtually indispensable across the country. The numbers are staggering: in April this year, more than 1,860 crore UPI transactions worth around Rs 25 lakh crore were made; in 2023, India handled 49 per cent of the global real-time transactions; nearly 46 crore people and 6.5 crore merchants are using UPI.

Election Commission faces the heat again in Bihar

Chief Election Commissioner Gyanesh Kumar's strong defence of the 'special intensive revision' of electoral rolls in Bihar just ahead of the October-November Assembly elections has failed to weaken the political storm. The Election Commission (EC) has also clarified that 4.96 crore of the 7.89 crore electors — those enrolled during the last such revision in 2003 or born to them — just have to submit the enumeration form. A fierce debate still rages over the timing of the move as well as its potential to disenfranchise the poor and marginalised. According to Kumar, the objective is to ensure that no eligible voter is left out, and no ineligible voter is included in the rolls. The Opposition maintains that the document requirements could lead to exclusion of genuine voters. West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee has gone a step further.



Iron out flaws in new criminal laws

The new criminal laws (NCLs) came into force on July 1, 2024, with the hope that the criminal justice system (CJS) of British vintage would transform into a people-centric, progressive and potent institution to deliver justice (Nyaya) and guarantee security (Suraksha) to the people (Nagrik). Though one year in the life of a statute is not enough to draw a conclusion about its success or failure in meeting people's expectations, it is vital to take note of the early warning signs. Before the rollout of the NCLs, many law professionals expressed apprehension about their workability and adoptability. It is commendable that all wings of the CJS have made the transition from the old laws to the new ones without noticeable problems from the outset. Throughout the country, first information reports (FIRs) are being registered and investigated as per the new laws. This became possible thanks to the massive training campaign that was planned by the Ministry of Home Affairs and executed zealously by various stakeholders. Even law colleges have adopted the changes in the academic curriculum without much difficulty. Strengthening and according highest priority to the provisions relating to safety and protection of women and children are among the key features of the new penal law. They are being put to use in right earnest. Rationalisation of punishment, keeping in view the nature and gravity of the offences, was a much-awaited exercise; its impact would be visible in due course. Concern for sovereignty, unity and integrity of India is of paramount importance and its singularly exhibited in Section 48 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS), 2023, which provides for the registration of cases against anti-national elements abetting crimes in India while operating from abroad. The trial in such cases — and those against proclaimed offenders — can be held in absentia as per Section 356 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023. It is, however, a harsh reality that these sections remain underutilised against terrorists and gangsters who make ransom calls and incite terrorism in India



from foreign lands. At the same time, the application of Section 152 of the BNS, criminalising acts endangering sovereignty, unity and integrity of India, has been a subject of controversy. It has come under scrutiny of the Supreme Court for its alleged misuse to curb freedom of expression. Since the NCLs provide for digitalisation of criminal investigations and mandatory use of forensic tools to bring in transparency, a large-scale computerisation is the need of the hour. It is regrettable that progress on this front is not only slow but also suffers from lack of technical knowhow. Most of the states are not able to generate sufficient financial resources to purchase hardware and software required for scientific and digital investigations. The Central Government has launched several schemes to provide financial assistance to the states, including 'Cyber Crime Prevention against Women and Children', setting up of cyber forensic cum-training laboratories and 'Assistance to States & UTs for Modernisation of Police'. It is up to the states to use these schemes for resource augmentation and capacity-building. Recruiting an adequate number of cyber-literate and digitally trained manpower to transform the traditional lathi-wielding constabulary into a tech-savvy police force is a big challenge due to financial crunch and reluctance on the part of political masters. Hitherto, the police department is the main source of employment for less-educated rural youth,

and any change in the recruitment policy is going to meet stiff resistance from legislators. Framing of new rules and protocols and the software required to interlink the functioning of the constituents of the CJS, which are essential to make the NCLs fully operational, are still in a nascent stage. It is a monumental task which cannot be undertaken without reviewing and tweaking the Rules of Business of the Home Department, Rules and Orders of high courts, Police Rules, Prison Manuals and the charter of duties of the prosecution agency. It would require the meeting of minds of all stakeholders to finalise these regulations under a unified command. Tinkering with the existing rules by various wings of the CJS to fit them into the new mould would not suffice as they are bound to come in conflict with operational demands of other domain areas. While introducing the NCLs, it was declared that these laws were people-centric and justice-oriented, especially for the victims of crimes. Concepts like witness protection, victim compensation and the right to active participation of victims in investigation and prosecution proceedings were introduced. However, the practicability and utility of these provisions is yet to be tested for want of application in most of the jurisdictions. The plight of victims of cyber frauds and digital arrests is visible in the failure to recover their money, with no immediate solution in sight. The NCLs envisaged speedy justice as timelines for some of the proceedings in courts were fixed; these limits are hardly adhered to, being advisory in nature. Speedy justice would remain a distant dream unless the number of courts are increased manifold and procedures simplified to address core issues. Steps have been taken in the right direction. Normally, it takes decades for a law to mature and find its purposeful application. It's time to undertake a review of the NCLs to rectify drafting mistakes, iron out faultlines and address emergent public concerns with an open mind to enhance the utility of these laws.

ENTERTAINMENT

World Chocolate Day: Sony SAB artists reveal their sweetest chocolate cravings and their everlasting love for the treat



Mumbai 2 July: There's something undeniably magical about chocolates — they're comforting, nostalgic, and often remind us of the most joyful moments in life. Many consider it a life cure for a bad day. As everyone across the globe celebrates World Chocolate Day, Sony SAB actors Ashi Singh, Karuna Pandey, Sayli Salunkhe, Aditya Redji, and Pariva Pranati share their fondest memories associated with chocolates and reveal their go-to desserts when those cravings strike! Ashi Singh, known for her role as Kairi Sharma in Uff... Yeh Love Hai Mushkil, said, "I think chocolate is my forever weakness! As a kid, I used to sneak into the fridge, especially during the night, to nibble on whatever chocolate I could find. That habit hasn't changed much, to be honest! Even now, I find myself reliving the good old days with a pack of little chocolates — picking out my favourite colours, slowly sucking on them, and then enjoying the chocolate inside. I love eating them in layers. I love all things chocolate, but if I had to pick one ultimate favorite, it would be a warm chocolate lava cake with vanilla ice cream on the side — the contrast is just heavenly. Chocolates are also my go-to fix on hectic shoot days; just a cube can instantly lift my energy and mood." Sayli Salunkhe, who plays the role of Anjani Maata in Veer Hanuman, said, "I've always had a massive sweet tooth, and chocolate brownie tops that list. As a kid, my mom would reward me with a chocolate milkshake every time I scored well in exams — and that tradition continues! Now, whenever I want to reward myself, I opt for a rich, gooey chocolate brownie or just a simple bar of dark chocolate after lunch. It's my therapy! There's something about the slightly bitter, slightly sweet taste that feels very grown-up, yet very comforting. It's a tradition I've made for myself — a small treat in the middle of a busy day." Karuna Pandey, who essays the role of Pushpa in Pushpa Impossible, said, "For me, chocolate has always been a symbol of happiness. I remember when I was younger, my father would bring chocolates, and I would love unwrapping those little bars and sharing them with my cousins during family get-togethers. Even now, every time I eat a piece of chocolate, I'm transported back to those childhood moments. Now, whenever I'm pulling a long shift or rehearsing late at night, I keep a bar of dark chocolate in my bag. It's a healthier pick and gives me the boost I need. I'm not big on sweets otherwise, but this one's a must." Aditya Redji, who essays the role of King Krishnadevaraya in Tenali Rama, said, "Chocolates remind me of simpler times of school days, where we'd eagerly wait for birthday chocolates to be passed around in class. I still remember how we used to carefully save and savor those small bites! Today, my preferences have evolved — I've grown to appreciate the richness of dark chocolate, especially the ones with sea salt or almonds."

Pushpa's presentation derails amid shocking allegations of paper leak in Sony SAB's 'Pushpa Impossible'

Mumbai 2 July: Sony SAB's Pushpa Impossible continues to strike a chord with viewers through its heartfelt and relevant storytelling. The show now embarks on an inspiring new chapter as Pushpa (Karuna Pandey) stands at a transformative stage in her life, one that sees her chasing a cherished dream of studying law. With determination and grit, Pushpa clears her law entrance exam and gains admission to the esteemed law college led by Professor Rajveer Shastri (Gaurav Chopra). In the recent episodes, the viewers witnessed how the chawl is abuzz with joy as the residents come together to celebrate Aarav's birthday. Pushpa too joins the celebration before heading

out for her big day. However, just as the celebrations are underway, Dilip (Jayesh More) brings with him the person responsible for stealing the entrance exam papers. He intends to expose Kadambari (Brinda Trivedi) as the one responsible for leaking the papers. In the upcoming episodes, viewers will witness intense drama as the situation takes a shocking twist when Dilip brings forth the person, who falsely accuses Pushpa of instructing him to steal the exam question papers. As the neighbours are left stunned and bewildered by the accusation, Professor Shastri, who has been mentoring Pushpa for her upcoming presentation, arrives unexpectedly to check on her delirium, only to

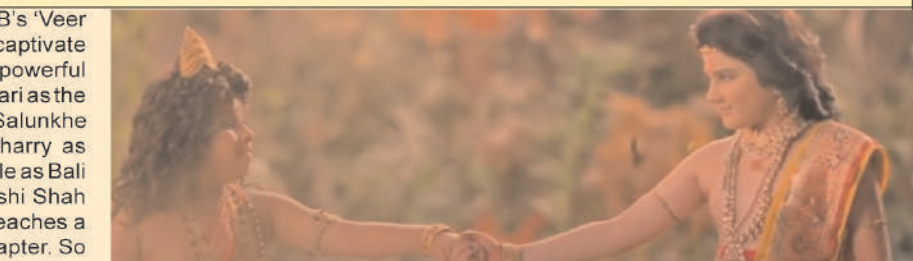


find himself caught amid this storm of allegations. Will this twist shatter Pushpa's college dream? Or will her truth speak louder than the chaos? Karuna Pandey, who plays the role of Pushpa in Pushpa Impossible, said, "Just when she takes a bold step toward her dreams and begins to carve a new path for herself, she's hit with an accusation that threatens to undo all her hard work. As an actor, portraying this phase is incredibly challenging and

equally rewarding. There's a heartbreak, betrayal, helplessness, but also that glimmer of inner strength that Pushpa always holds onto. The false accusation shakes her world, especially because it comes at a time when she's finally being seen and respected for her intellect and determination. This track is a reminder of how life often throws unexpected challenges our way and tests our ability to stand tall through it all."

Lord Hanuman becomes Sankat Mochak for Shree Ram in Sony SAB's 'Veer Hanuman'

Mumbai 2 July: Sony SAB's 'Veer Hanuman' continues to captivate audiences with its emotionally powerful storytelling. Featuring Aan Tiwari as the young Lord Hanuman, Sayli Salunkhe as Mata Anjani, Arav Chowdhary as Kesar, Mahir Pandhi in dual role as Bali and Sugreev, and Tanmay Rishi Shah as Lord Ram, the show now reaches a dramatic and heartfelt new chapter. So far, audiences have witnessed Ayodhya under threat as a fierce storm sent by Lord Indra (Meer Ali) approaches the kingdom. Lord Ram rises to protect his people, joined by the ever-loyal Lord Hanuman. In a powerful moment, Lord Ram witnesses Hanuman's divine strength and devotion for the first time, marking the beginning of their eternal bond of faith and courage. In the coming episodes, Lord Hanuman confronts



Lord Indra for endangering Ayodhya, but his determination angers Agni Dev, who misreads it as ego. In a fiery response, Agni Dev unleashes a volcanic eruption that traps Lord Ram and Lakshman (Daniksh Dadhich), only for Lord Hanuman to save them heroically. Aan Tiwari, who plays the role of Lord Hanuman in Veer Hanuman, said, "I really liked doing these scenes

because Hanuman ji gets to save Lord Ram and Lakshman! It felt like a big adventure. When Ram ji gets trapped, Hanuman ji doesn't give up and helps him."

I think that's what being brave means, helping the people you love no matter what." Tune in to Veer Hanuman, Monday to Saturday at 7.30 PM, only on Sony SAB.

What's in Their Dabba?

Mumbai 2 July: Long hours on set demand more than just talent and stamina—nourishing food becomes an essential co-star, helping actors stay energized, grounded, and connected. But for many actors, their lunchboxes are more than meals; they are packed with warmth, tradition, and moments of bonding. &TV Actors Sapna Sikarwar (Bimlesh, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan) and Shubhangini Atre (Angoori Bhabhi, Bhabhiji Ghar Par Hai) give us a delightful peek into their on-set dabbas. Sapna Sikarwar, who plays Bimlesh in



Happu Ki Ultan Paltan, shares, "Food is my ultimate mood fixer on set! No matter how busy or chaotic the shoot is, my lunch break is something I truly look forward to. My

dabba is filled with comforting homemade dishes, roti-sabzi, dal-chawal, or sometimes chilla made of besan or suji. I also carry small snack boxes for the evening: poha, upma, or masala peanuts are great fillers. On the days when I am fasting, sabudana khichdi, fruits like banana and apple, and a bit of curd are my go-to. But one thing that always makes it to my tiffin is aachaar—whether it's mango, lemon, or mixed, that tangy bite adds magic to the meal. What truly makes lunchtime special is the company."

Former MP Ashok Nete felicitates newly appointed BJP Taluka President Dnyaneshwar Patil Diwate

Brahmapuri 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Recently, newly appointed BJP District President Harishbhaiyya Sharma has announced the list of Taluka Presidents in the district as per which Dnyaneshwar Patil Diwate has been selected as the Taluka President of Brahmapuri Taluka.

On July 1, former MP Ashok Bhaui Nete was approached by former legislator of Brahmapuri assembly constituency, Prof. Atul Bhaui Deshkar, on behalf of Brahmapuri Taluka activists, to wish former MP Ashok Nete a happy birthday and seek blessings for successfully



fulfilling the responsibility of the selecting the post of Taluka President. As per the suggestion, the BJP office bearers' delegation went to Gadchiroli to pay a goodwill visit to former MP Ashok Nete. Former MP Ashok Nete felicitated the newly appointed BJP Taluka

President Dnyaneshwar Patil Diwate by giving him a shawl, garland and a bouquet. Also on the occasion, senior BJP leader of Saoli Taluka, Devidas Banabale, and former taluka president of Saoli Taluka BJP, Daulatji Bhopye, also felicitated and honoured newly appointed BJP taluka president, Dnyaneshwar Patil Diwate. Former chairman and BJP taluka general secretary, Prof. Ramlal Mahadev Donadkar, former sarpanch, Dnyaneshwar Bhoir, and former sarpanch, Sujit Balpande, were present on the occasion.

CMC Health Centres will focus on providing better services to patients: Commissioner Vipin Paliwal

Healthcare services will be provided as per National Quality Assurance Standards

Chandrapur 2 July: Efforts are being made through CMC hospitals to provide better healthcare services to citizens. In this concern, more emphasis is being laid on cleanliness and patient satisfaction. While addressing the National Doctors' Day programme, CMC Commissioner Vipin Paliwal said that the Chandrapur Municipal Corporation's goal is to provide all the services required as per 'NQAS' specifications.

On the occasion of Doctors' Day, all the medical officers of the civic body were honoured on behalf of the Chandrapur Municipal Corporation. On the occasion, it was discussed how the services of CMC health centres can be provided as per NQAS specifications. NQAS (National Quality Assurance Standards) specifications are prepared by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare in order to provide better services as far as public healthcare facilities are concerned. The main



Civic chief Vipin Paliwal addressing the doctor's day programme as other officials look on

objective of NQAS is to improve the quality of health services in public healthcare facilities.

NQAS sets standards for various areas such as service provision, hygiene, patient rights, input, patient satisfaction, patient care, ancillary services, clinical care, infection control and quality management. Healthcare facilities are assessed from the point of view of whether they are performing as per these standards or not. If they perform well, they are

awarded NQAS certification. If an Urban Primary Health Centre (UPHC) gets NQAS certification, it gets more funding from the government. Adhering to NQAS standards ensures improvement in the quality of healthcare services being imparted, patients get access to state of the art healthcare and health workers become more motivated while rendering services.

Therefore, from now on, efforts will be made to provide facilities and services as per National Quality Assurance

Standards specifications through the medical officers and staff of the 7 private health centres and 21 health extension centres of the Chandrapur Municipal Corporation. CMC Deputy Commissioner Sandeep Chidrawar, Chief Medical Health Officer Dr. Nayana Uttwarwar, Dr. Ashwini Bharat, Dr. Jayashree Wade, Dr. Yogeshwari Gadge, Dr. Arva Lahiri, Dr. Sharayu Gawande, Dr. Alfiya Khan, Dr. Neha Vaidya and medical officers and staff were present on the occasion.

Goon carrying sword nabbed, weapon seized

Chandrapur city police's decisive action

Chandrapur 2 July (NAGPUR POST/DC): Chandrapur city police on Tuesday (July 1) arrested a criminal who was terrorising the residents of Chandrapur city.

The accused has been identified as Ganpat Shankar Bhujoo (aged 41 years,

resident of Mahatma Phule Ward). Chandrapur city police had received a tip off that Ganpat Shankar Bhujoo, a history sheeter, was terrorising the citizens passing by at Mahatma Phule square under Babupeth Over Bridge in Chandrapur city with a sharp weapon in his

hand. On receiving information about the incident, the police personnel immediately reached Babupeth, detained Ganpat Bhujoo and searched him physically. A sharp iron sickle was seized from his possession. Accused Ganpat Shankar

Bhujoo was arrested after being booked under the Indian Arms Act.

The successful action was carried out by Police Inspector Nishikant Ramteke, Assistant Police Inspector Rajendra Sonawane, PSI Dattatray Kolte, PSI Vilas Nikode and personnel from the Criminal Investigation Squad.

Investigate causes of power supply disruptions: Director Sachin Talewar

Chandrapur 2 July: It is the responsibility of MSEDCL officials to provide uninterrupted power to consumers. Therefore, authorities should find out the reasons for frequent power supply interruptions, if the length of the feeder is long, it should be divided. Install new DTC equipment, install Sabin AB switches wherever necessary. In order to ensure uninterrupted power supply, power can be supplied through alternative systems as well. Permanent plans should be chalked out in this regard, directed Sachin Talewar, Director of MSEDCL.

He was speaking at a review meet held at Chandrapur Circle on Sunday (June 29). On the occasion, Chandrapur Circle Chief Engineer Harish Gajbe, Chandrapur Circle Superintendent Engineer Sandhya Chivande, Gadchiroli Circle Superintendent Engineer Prakash Khandekar, Executive Engineer Vikas Shahade, Vilas Naoghare, Chandrashekhar Darghekar, Satyadev Rakesh Boriwar, Executive



Director Sachin Talewar giving instructions as MSEDCL officials look on

Engineer Ragit, Executive Engineer Bharat Bhushan Awghad, Executive Engineer Gadchiroli Parekh, Executive Engineer Wagmare were prominently present. On the occasion, Talewar reviewed the feeder-wise power supply disruptions. Executive engineers should control the maintenance and repair work activities. Also, to avoid customer complaints, power supply should be stopped for maintenance and repair only with the permission of the competent authority and by giving prior notice to the electricity consumer. The role of

industrial consumers is important in the development of the district. Keeping in mind the importance of electricity for industrial consumers, along with providing them smooth electricity service, understanding their electricity service related problems should also be prioritised.

He directed the Superintending Engineer and Executive Engineer to convene a meeting with industrialists of the district once a month and take the initiative to resolve the issues related to sustained electricity supply.

Donation to Vruddhashram and Gorakshan



DIGRAS / NAGPUR POST: Social activist and former Municipal Councillor Ketan Ratnaparkhi from Digras recently passed away due to a severe heart attack. His Teravi (thirteen day programme) was on June 28. Instead of doing Teravi, the Ratnaparkhi family implemented a commendable initiative by donating to Gorakshan and Vruddhashram in Ketan's name at the expense of Teravi. Continuing the legacy of former councillor and social

activist Late Ketan Ratnaparkhi, who was always ready to serve the poor, the suffering, the sick, the elderly and the needy, his family skipped his Teravi and donated food at Dola Maharaj Vruddhashram Umri Pathar. Late Ketan Ratnaparkhi was also famous as a Gosevak. To continue his cow service, the family also donated fodder at Gaurakshan. All the members of Ketan's family and relatives were present on this occasion.

Godavari Mohite Educational Institute felicitates Imran Rahi

Borgaon Meghe 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Wardha's senior social worker Imran Rahi is associated with many sports, social, literary, educational and cultural organisations. He discharges various responsibilities with a sense of social commitment. For the past many years, he has been organizing health camps, eye donation, body donation, blood donation camps, de-addiction camps in rural areas, promoting the spirit of brotherhood and fraternity, social activities with leprosy patients, blind, handicapped, deaf and mute brothers as well as in old age homes, distributing literature to school students, distributing blankets, grains and grocery kits to the blind, handicapped and destitute, distributing animal feed for animals in summer season, personality development camps, karate camps, debate competitions, and painting competitions "To achieve something in life, you have to set a goal. And for that, hard work and preparation for struggle from time to time are necessary. God gives the opportunity of struggle only to those who have the ability. Imran Rahi's struggling life is



Noted Social Worker and poet Imran Rahi being felicitated

an example in front of us, said Mohan Mohite, President of Godavari Mohite Educational Institute, expressing that Rahi's commitment to social work should be an example of how it should be done. He was speaking while honouring senior social worker Imran Rahi at the Karate Training Centre run by the Sports Karate Association at Golden Kids Convent School in Borgaon (Meghe) on June 30. On this occasion, former Sub-Divisional Engineer Vijay Nakhle, National President of Sports Shotokan Karate-Do Association Shihan Mangesh Bhongade, social worker Mrs. Pushpa Tapase, and Ankush

Girde were mainly present on the stage.

Imran Rahi was honoured by all the dignitaries present on the stage by giving him a shawl, a garland, a certificate, a trophy and a bouquet.

The program was conducted by Mrs. Kalyani Bhongade and a vote of thanks was given by Sensei Tejas Nival. Rujan Baghmole, Bhargav Khewale, Aayushi Kuratkar, Neha Golhar, Manasi Gomse, Kritika Chek, Avantika Chek, Pratik Kannake, Sameer Thackeray, Hansika Mandlik and others worked tirelessly for the success of the event.

Christian community's protest march today

Pastors Association Secretary Gungantiwar informs during press conference

Chandrapur 2 July: Chandrapur District Pastors Association Secretary Raju Gungantiwar informed in a press conference that a protest march will be taken out in the city today against the provocative statement made by legislator Gopichand Padalkar about the religious community. Legislator Gopichand Padalkar had made an objectionable and divisive statement about a religious leader of the Christian community on June

17. Due to this, the sentiments of the community brethren have been hurt. A protest march will be taken out in Chandrapur city against his statement today.

Chandrapur District Pastors Association Secretary Raju Gungantiwar has appealed to the Christian community brethren to participate in the protest march being organised from St. Andrea Church in the vicinity of Jayant Talkies in large numbers through a press conference.



Raju Gungantiwar and other office bearers of Chandrapur District Pastors Association addressing the press conference

Prepare to contest on your own: MP Deshmukh

BABHULGAON / NAGPUR POST: Shivsainiks should prepare to contest on their own in the upcoming local body elections, increase party organization, work in a united and disciplined manner, advised Shiv Sena Thackeray group's MP Sanjay Deshmukh. Regarding the upcoming local body elections, a meeting of the Shiv Sena Thackeray group was held at a local rest house under the chairmanship of MP Deshmukh. He was speaking at the time. At this time, a statement was given to the MP to follow up on the government's demand for 3

Zilla Parishad constituencies in Babhulgaon taluka. The chief guests of the meeting were District Chief Kishor Ingle and Upazila Chief Vinod Kakade. On this occasion, taluka chief Gajanan Pande, taluka organizer Sagar Dhavane, city chief Sachin Matode, women's taluka chief Vandana Dodge, publicity chief Shallesh Bhagat, Yuva Sena chief Ajay Junnake, sub-taluka chief Anil Gawande, Gajanan Kolankar, Dinesh Ingle, Chandrashekhar Khar Kelatkar, Dilip Gawande, Pranit Yewatkar, Ankush Lande, Rameshwar Perkunde, Kunal Gawande,



Rishabh Gawande, Kiran Gode, Irfan Tayyab Khan, Sajid Sheikh, Shubham Gawande and other Shiv Sainiks were present.

AVBRH wins prestigious award for excellence in CSSD services

Wardha 2 July (NAGPUR POST/DC): Acharya Vinoba Bhave Rural Hospital has been honoured with the Runner-Award for Awareness Compliance and Excellence in CSSD (Central Sterile Services Department) for the year 2024. The award was presented in the West Zone/Large Healthcare Organizations category at a ceremony held in New Delhi on behalf of AVBR Hospital, Dr. Chandrashekhar Mahakalkar has received the award. This recognition highlights AVBRH's commitment to maintaining high standards of infection control and sterile services, ultimately enhancing patient care and safety. The institution's dedication to excellence in healthcare has earned it a notable place

among large healthcare organization category in the west zone. AVBRH hospital has secured over 80% in the physical audit conducted as a part of ACE 2024 and is one of the top scorers in the West Zone/Large Healthcare Organizations category. The vision of AVBR Hospital is to provide safe and the best quality care to the patients. Preventing nosocomial infections has become the biggest challenge in providing safe care. The crucial role that CSSD plays in lowering the infection rate within the hospital cannot be over



Dr. Chandrasekhar Mahakalkar receiving the award

emphasized and yet it does not get the attention that it deserves. The team of AVBRH that contributed to

this achievement Dr. Shivani Kshirsagar, Ms. Deepa Chugh. Dr. Rupali K. Kshirsagar,

Mrs. Rama Moon, Ms. Toshi Diwan, Dr. Shweta Bhide, Ms. Bhagyashree Junghare, OT & CSSD Staff under the expert guidance of Dr. Chandrashekhar Mahakalkar.

CHANGED OF NAME AND DATE OF BIRTH

I Antakala, Mother of Dudande Manoj Sahebrao, Resident of Address At-Lasur Post Dhamoli Ta Dapaypur Dist Amaravati State - Maharashtra pin 444803, have changed my name from Anita to, Antakala Sahebrao Dudande and my Date of birth from 7 November 1967 to 3 Aug 1965 Vide Affidavit Dated-30 June 2025, become Nayk Tahsildar Ta- Daryapup Dist Amravati (Maharashtra).

Now consumers can register solar agricultural pump related issues & complaints through mobile

Nagpur 2 July: Around 5.65 lakh solar agricultural pumps have been installed in various schemes in the state and after installation of the solar pumps, MSEDCL has provided the facility to the farmers to register complaints regarding their malfunctions through the mobile app. Earlier, MSEDCL had provided three options to the beneficiary farmers as far as registration of their complaints about the malfunctioning of the solar agricultural pumps is concerned. One can complain through the website and as part of the same process, one can complain on the website of the concerned supplier company or call the toll free number of MSEDCL. Now, the facility to complain through the MSEDCL app on the mobile phone has been provided.

MSEDCL's mobile app has become popular and electricity consumers are using it for various tasks such as getting acquainted with their electricity bill related data, paying the bill, registering meter reading, reporting electricity theft, reporting information about faulty transformers. Similarly, now farmers can file a complaint about their solar agricultural pump by clicking on 'Solar Pump Complaint' in this mobile app. While registering a complaint in this concern, the farmer needs to write the beneficiary number or registered mobile number of the solar agricultural pump. After installing the solar agricultural pump, farmers can file various complaints such as pump not working, solar panel damage, solar power set not working, theft of solar panels or pump or low

pressure water coming from the pump. The solar agricultural pump set should be insured. The solar company is responsible for maintaining and repairing the solar agricultural pump for 5 years after installing it in the farm. It has been made mandatory for farmers to resolve the complaint within 3 days of registering the complaint.

All contractors have been made mandated to set up a service centre in the district where they have installed the pump.

Once the farmers' complaint is resolved, they will receive a message on their mobile. The Superintending Engineers of each division of MSEDCL will monitor the work of the contractor companies regarding the farmers' complaints and their resolution.

Traffic cops take action on 2875 riders flouting norms



Nagpur 2 July: Traffic cops took action against a total of 2875 riders under various sections of the Motor Vehicles Act and collected a total fine of Rs 4.15 lakh from the erring riders. Under the Bombay Liquor Prohibition Act, 9 suspects have been arrested in 9 cases and material worth Rs 9 thousand was seized from their possession. The Traffic Department has called upon the citizens to keep all the documents related to the vehicle with them while driving. Citizens and commuters have also been advised to abide by traffic rules, failing which fines and other penal action can be imposed upon them.

Devotees offer chadar at Ajmer Sharif Dargah



Nagpur 2 July: President of Orange City Welfare Association, Zulfikar Ahmed Shanu recently presented a chadar at the Darbar Sharif on the occasion of Chhath Sharif of Shahenshah Hindawali Ata-e-Rasool Hazrat Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti Rahmatullah Alaihi, through the hands of Khwaja Saheb's Khadim Syed Masood Mian Saheb and offered prayers for peace & prosperity in the country.

MNS District President Shekhar Dunde felicitates PI Mankar



Ramtek 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): On Wednesday, Police Inspector Ravindra Mankar, who has recently been transferred from Nagpur Rural Cyber Cell, was felicitated by Maharashtra Navnirman Sena's District President Shekhar Dunde with a bouquet of flowers at Ramtek Police Station. MNS activists Ruchik Date, Akash, Upesh Gadhave and other office bearers were present on the occasion.

Centre Head Pramod Raut felicitated upon retirement



Wadi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): The retirement ceremony of Centre Head Pramod Raut was held at Sonagaon (Bori) Zilla Parishad Higher Primary School in Nagpur taluka. Pramod Raut was felicitated on the occasion of his retirement by giving a shawl, shirwal, and a bouquet. Centre Head Anil Rude presided over the programme. Centre Head Prakash Sawwalakhe and Hiranman Telang were present

as the chief guests. The introductory speech was given by headmistress Sangita Agarkar. Krishna Timode conducted the proceedings of the programme. Kalpana Vyas proposed the vote of thanks. On the occasion, Damodar Gadhe, Civilment Principal Shubhangi Milmile, teacher Snehal Bode, Anganwadi worker Rohini Chikankar and all the students of the school were prominently present.

HC orders B.Sc degree for student without Maths



Nagpur 2 July: The Nagpur bench of the Bombay High Court has ordered Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University to grant a B.Sc. Computer Science degree to a student who was mistakenly admitted to the course without having studied Mathematics in her HSC (Higher Secondary Certificate) exams. The student, Adibalsam Mohd. Shuja Rizvi (22) from Akola, had enrolled at Shivaji College of Arts, Commerce and Science, Akola, and successfully completed all six semesters of the B.Sc. programme. However, after finishing her final semester, her result was unexpectedly withheld, leading her to approach the court for relief. A division bench comprising Justice Mukulika Jawalkar and Justice Pravin Patil ruled in favour of the petitioner, stating that the student alone could not be held responsible, as both the college and the university were at fault. The Court observed that the college had granted admission without proper verification, and the university subsequently issued her hall tickets and allowed her to appear for all six semesters without raising any objections. The bench strongly objected to the use of WhatsApp messages between the University and College officials about the petitioner's ineligibility. It said that such informal communication cannot be treated as valid or official, especially in serious matters like cancelling a student's admission. The Court called this practice "highly condemnable" and stressed that decisions affecting a student's academic future must be made in a "proper and official manner." The university argued that the student's admission was invalid because she hadn't studied Mathematics in her HSC subjects. However, the Court ruled that since the University had already issued her admit card and allowed her to complete the entire course, it could not later withhold her result. "It is not a case of any fraud or misrepresentation on the part of the petitioner: She has successfully completed her course and was made a scapegoat due to administrative negligence," the bench observed. The Court directed the University to issue her B.Sc (Computer Science) degree and all related certificates without delay.

Rajat Gajbihiye appointed as Ramtek BJP city president



Ramtek 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): Elections for Bharatiya Janata Party Ramtek city were held recently. This election was held in a democratic manner. General Secretary Rinkesh Chavare, Manoj Chaware and Gajendra Yadav were present from the district for this election. Initially the names were selected after discussing with the key office bearers and activists. With the consent of all, Rajat Gajbihiye was selected as the Ramtek city BJP president here. On the occasion, Bharatiya Janata Party leaders, former legislator D Mallikarjuna Reddy, former Mayor Dilip Deshmukh, Sanjay Moolmule, Rahul Kirpan, Dnyaneshwar Dhok, Umesh Patle, Karim Malthari, Sanjay Bismogare, Hussain Malthari, Ramanand Adame, Chandrakant Bais, Vanmala Chauragade, Adama Gawade, Kavita Moolmule, Chitra Dhurai, Ujjwala Dhagayade, Padma Thengri, Lata Kamle and other Bharatiya Janata Party activists and office bearers were present on the occasion.

Dr. Pradeep Borkar felicitated on Doctors' Day



Ramtek 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): On the occasion of National Doctors' Day, Rashtriya Nammo Nammo Morcha and Santaji Brigade activists felicitated the doctors providing medical services in the city. On the occasion, foodstuffs and fruits were donated to the inmates at the old age home in Mansar on the birthday of Nammo Nammo Morcha National President Vijay Hatwar. On the occasion, Nammo Nammo Morcha National President Vijay Hatwar, Maharashtra Navnirman Mohan Vairagade, Nagpur Youth wing President Pratik Bavankar, Pranay Gulhane and Ramtek office bearers and activists were prominently present.

Car meets with accident due to tyre burst on National Highway 3 People seriously injured in road mishap

Ramtek 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): An unfortunate incident occurred on Nagpur-Jabalpur National Highway No. 44, where a car travelling at high speed lost control and overturned in a filmy manner due to a bursting tyre. The incident came to light at around 11.30 am on Wednesday morning, and 3 people travelling in the vehicle were seriously injured in the mishap. According to the information received, while the car with registration number MP 22 CA 6070 was going from Jabalpur to Nagpur on Nagpur-Jabalpur National Highway No. 44, the front tyre of the car suddenly burst as soon as it reached the area in the vicinity of Chorbahuli and Mararwadi villages. Since the car was being driven at a breakneck speed, the driver lost control of the vehicle and the vehicle overturned in a movie like manner and fell



down the highway. As soon as information about the incident was received at Oriental Toll Plaza Khumari, employees Kibhujal Singh, Ganesh Bagmare and Tribhujal Tumdam reached the spot and took the driver Nandkishor Rahangdale (55), Vijay Sharanagat (30) and Dolly Nandkishor Rahangdale (17), all residents of Shivni MP, out of the vehicle and admitted them to the Primary Health Centre in Mansar through ambulance. Deolapur Police is investigating the incident further.

Rally and tree plantation on the occasion of Agriculture Day in Chicholi

Wadi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): On the occasion of Agriculture Day, a public awareness rally and tree plantation programme was organised under the 'Rave' initiative of Agriculture College, Nagpur at Chicholi in Nagpur taluka under the leadership of Sarpanch Gunwant Ghormade in the presence of Police Patil Narendra Ghormade, Zilla Parishad School teachers Raut and Deshbhratar. The students took out a rally in the village and disseminated awareness about agriculture and the importance of the



environment. They also planted various types of trees in the village and propagated the message of environmental conservation. The villagers also actively participated in this initiative and appreciated the students. On the occasion, Prof. Dr. Pushkar Wankhede and Dr. Seema Thakre of Agriculture College Nagpur imparted guidance to them.

National Doctor's Day celebrated at Drugdhamna

Wadi 2 July (NAGPUR POST/TC): National Doctor's Day was celebrated with enthusiasm at Uday Physiotherapy Medical College at Drugdhamna. On the occasion, Dr. BO Tayade, Surgeon and former Superintendent of Government Medical College and Hospital Nagpur, Director of the institution Uday Tekade, Dr. Anita Tekade, Principal Dr. Rashmi Mahulkar, Prof. Dr. Supriya Tambe were prominently present. Dr. BO Tayade said that the Government of India has started celebrating this day as National Doctor's Day since 1991 in honour of Bharat Ratna recipient and accomplished doctor & politician Dr. Bidhan Chandra



Roy. On the occasion, a free health check-up camp was organised for students and employees in the physiotherapy department. Pranay Khaire and Riya Kohale conducted the proceedings of the programme. Sakshi Madankar proposed the vote

of thanks. The event was organised by Himanshi Dhole, Priyadarshini Gore, Parineeti Ambore, Satyam Madane, Shrutika Wankhade, Tanushree Shetty, Omkar Madavi, Gokadesh Sonole, Dhruv Chhangani, Garishma Lonare and others.

'Career Sansad' constituted at Shri Niketan College



Nagpur 2 July: Under the 'Career Katta' initiative, which is being run jointly by the Maharashtra State Higher and Technical Education Department and Maharashtra Information Technology Support Centre, various activities are being implemented for the overall development of students, and one of them is 'Career Parliament'. Under this student-oriented initiative, a Career Parliament has been formed in Shri Niketan College for the academic session 2025-26. Active students from among the students admitted to the college have been selected

for it through interviews and the ceremony was held by Career Parliament Coordinator Prof. Sarika Vikrant Patil in the presence of Principal Dr. Medha Kanetkar, Vice Principal Dr. Rajendra Malokar, IQSC Coordinator Dr. Kanchan Joshi.

The Career Parliament will have a total of ten office bearers and three members. All these parliamentary office bearers will be entrusted responsibility of their posts and provided with appointment letters by the principals on the occasion of World Youth Skills Day, which is coming up on July 15.

जाहीर सूचना

मेरे पक्षकार AU Small Finance Bank द्वारा राजकुमार हासमन्द पृथ्वी (प्रिन्सिपल), निवासी : फुलपुर टोल, आशीर्वाद कॉलोनी, गोंदिया, तह. व जि. गोंदिया को उनकी निम्नलिखित संयोजित गणाय रखकर कर्ज प्रदान किया जा रहा है।

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उपरोक्त संयोजित निम्नलिखित अन्य मूल ४ दस्तावेज (अभिप्राय/संयोजित/विक्री/वर्गमान में गुप्त हो चुके हैं।

१. खरीदी खात क्र. ग.ड.प. २८४५/२०११ दि. १६/०४/२०११, जिसमें खरीददार श्रीमती श्री. मिनादेवी पति सुरेशकुमार पृथ्वी और विक्रेता श्री. लालचंद पति नेतराम अग्रवाल एवं श्री सुरेन्द्रकुमार पति नेतराम अग्रवाल हैं।

२. खरीदी खात क्र. ग.ड.प. २८४५/२०१२ दि. १६/०४/२०११, जिसमें खरीददार श्रीमती श्री. राजकुमारी पति विजयकुमार पृथ्वी और विक्रेता श्री सुरेन्द्रकुमार पति नेतराम अग्रवाल हैं।

३. खरीदी खात क्र. ग.ड.प. २०३८/२०११ दि. २५/०४/२०११, जिसमें खरीददार हरेश टोकराम आडगा और विक्रेता श्रीमती श्री. मिनादेवी पति सुरेशकुमार पृथ्वी हैं।

४. खरीदी खात क्र. ग.ड.प. २०३८/२०११ दि. २५/०४/२०११, जिसमें खरीददार हरेश टोकराम आडगा और विक्रेता श्रीमती श्री. राजकुमारी पति विजयकुमार पृथ्वी हैं।

चूंकि किसी व्यक्ति को उपरोक्त दस्तावेज प्राप्त हो, तो वह कृपया इसे तुरंत मेरे पक्षकार अथवा मुझे सौंप दें।

साथ ही, यदि किसी व्यक्ति, संस्था या बैंक का उपरोक्त दस्तावेज अथवा संयोजित से संबंधित कोई दवा, आपत्ति या लेन-देन हो, तो वह इस सूचना के प्रकाशन होने के तुरंत बाद अथवा जानकारी प्राप्त होने पर हमसे संपर्क करें।

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सिक्का

Shepherd mauled to death by tiger in Deolapar forest range, Rs 10 lakh compensation granted to family



Ramtek 2 July: In a tragic human-wildlife conflict incident, a shepherd was mauled to death by a tiger in the Deolapar forest range near Lodha village. The deceased has been identified as Balkaram Krushnaji Dhole, a resident of Lodha. According to forest officials, Dhole had taken his cattle into the jungle for grazing on June 30, 2025, but failed to return by 5 PM. Concerned villagers and forest staff immediately launched a search operation in Compartment No. 475 of

the Lodha Reserved Forest (RF). Despite extensive patrolling until midnight, Dhole could not be located due to dense forest cover and onset of darkness. The search resumed early on July 1 at 5 AM, with the help of forest officials and police personnel. Around 12:30 PM, the team discovered Dhole's mutilated body in the same forest compartment. Tiger pugmarks were clearly visible near the scene, suggesting a tiger attack. Forest officials immediately

installed trap cameras in the vicinity to monitor the big cat's movement. The deceased's body was shifted to Deolapar Rural Hospital for postmortem examination. After completion of formalities, the remains were handed over to the family for the last rites. As per compensation norms under the Wildlife Protection guidelines, the next of kin of the deceased were handed a cheque of Rs 10 lakh by Dr. Vinita Vyas (IFS), Deputy Conservator of Forests, Nagpur (Territorial Division). The compensation was officially presented by local representatives, including former Panchayat Samiti President Chandrakant Kodwate, ex-Zilla Parishad Member Shantatai Kumre, and Wadamba Gram Panchayat Sarpanch Mukesh Dubey. Dr. Vyas has directed increased patrolling and monitoring in the area to prevent further human-wildlife conflict and to track the movement of the suspected tiger.

Mankapur Police foil child abduction attempt, accused arrested



Nagpur 2 July: In a swift and strategic operation, Manakapur Police arrested a 24-year-old man who allegedly attempted to abduct a 4-year-old girl from her home late at night on June 27. According to the FIR, the complainant—a 46-year-old woman—was asleep at her residence in the Manakapur area when an unidentified man, aged around 30–35, reached inside the closed door, unlocked it, and entered the house. He tried to flee with her granddaughter, aged 4 years and 11 months. However, the complainant woke up and raised an alarm, prompting the accused to abandon the child and escape. Acting swiftly, Manakapur Police launched an intensive investigation and reviewed 55 CCTV camera feeds from the surrounding area. They identified and apprehended the suspect, Shrivankumar Shivram Yadav (24), a resident of Kolte Layout, Godhni Railway, Manakapur. During interrogation, Yadav confessed to the crime. A case has been registered under relevant sections of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (Sections 74, 331(4), 137(2), 62) and Sections 7 & 8 of the POCSO Act. Further investigation is ongoing under the guidance of Police Commissioner Ravinder Kumar Singal and senior city police officials including PI Harish Kalsekar.

Crackdown on illegal e-cigarette and hookah sale in Dharampeth

Goods worth Rs 3.36 lakh seized from Mehfil Smoke Shop



Nagpur 2 July: In a significant action against the illegal sale of e-cigarettes and hookah-related products, the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Unit of Nagpur Police conducted a raid at Mehfil Smoke Shop, located opposite Children's Traffic Park on Mata Mandir

Road, Dharampeth on Tuesday. The operation was carried out under the jurisdiction of Sitabuldi Police Station between 7:00 pm and 9:05 pm on July 1, 2025. Accused Identified: Vaibhav Vikas Kamble (27), Shubham Vikas Kamble (31), both residents of Baba Buddha Nagar, Pachpauli, Nagpur.

Seized Items: 17 Web e-cigarettes, 17 packets of foreign prohibited cigarettes, Multiple hookah pots, pipes, and flavored tobacco products; Two-wheeler vehicle, 4 mobile phones, DVR system, Cash. Total value of seized material is Rs 3,36,070. Following a tip-off about the illegal sale of e-cigarettes and hookah paraphernalia at the said establishment, officers conducted a targeted raid, uncovering a substantial quantity of prohibited items. A panchnama was prepared on the spot, and a case has been registered under Sections 4, 5, 7, and 8 of the Prohibition of Electronic Cigarette Act along with the COTPA (Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products Act). Further investigation is underway.

Civic body collects Rs 89 Crore property tax in first quarter



Nagpur 2 July: Approximately 22.98% of Nagpur's 8.36 lakh property owners paid their taxes in the first quarter of the 2025–26 financial year to avail the rebate scheme — 15% for online and 10% for offline payments — offered by the Nagpur Municipal Corporation (NMC) for the period. Between April 1 and June 30, as many as 1,92,324 taxpayers collectively paid Rs88.85 crore in property tax. Of the total, 96,993 property owners used online platforms like the NMC website, the My Nagpur mobile app, and the WhatsApp chatbot, paying a total of Rs49.92 crore. The remaining 95,331 taxpayers paid Rs35.97 crore at zonal offices and special camps. The trend signals both improved compliance and

a rising preference for digital modes of payment. NMC commissioner Abhijeet Chaudhari rolled out the rebate scheme to encourage early payments. The scheme, backed by an aggressive outreach strategy, was instrumental in improving the tax collection. In the light of early trends and collection patterns, Chaudhari has revised the revenue target to Rs400 crore from Rs350 crore set earlier. Compared to Rs73.13 crore collected in the same quarter last year, this year's tally marks a 20% increase — affirming the success of NMC's digital push and incentive-led model. Post the first quarter, the civic body is offering rebates of 10% for online and 5% for offline property tax payments made till Dec 31, 2025. For effective

implementation of the drive, Chaudhari chaired several review meetings with the tax department. Additional commissioner Vaishnavi B personally monitored zone-wise performance and visited properties to ensure ground level execution. Deputy commissioner Milind Meshram supervised the setting up of special tax camps in zonal offices, public gardens, housing societies, and schools. Taxpayers were encouraged to use their Unique Property Identification Number (UPIN) to quickly access their records and make payments online. Many preferred the convenience of paying from home, avoiding queues and travel. The civic body also ran creative awareness campaigns featuring characters like Sholay's Gabbar Singh to catch public attention. Slogans such as 'I Am a Responsible Taxpayer' were put up across the city and widely shared on social media, contributing to the enthusiastic public response. A last-minute rush on June 30, the final day for rebates, saw a record-breaking collection of Rs5.88 crore in a single day. Several zonal offices operated late into the night to handle the surge. Among the ten zones, Laxmi Nagar led with collections of Rs13.90 crore, followed by Hanuman Nagar (Rs11.37 crore) and Mangalwari (Rs10.81 crore).

Reliance Def ties up with US firm for military aircraft MRO

Nagpur 2 July: After the move to make Falcon 2000 business jet at Nagpur, Anil Ambani-led Reliance Infrastructure on Tuesday announced plans to set up a maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) depot for military aircraft and equipment at Mihan-SEZ here. If this plan works out, this would be the third MRO in Nagpur and first catering to defence sector. Reliance Defence — Reliance Infrastructure's wholly owned subsidiary — has tied up with the US's Coastal Mechanics Inc (CMI). It eyes massive business through life cycle extension orders for some of the ageing fleet of the Indian Air Force (IAF). Reliance pegs the volume of business at Rs20,000 crore. The tie-up will enable it to cater to building new platforms and upgrading whole gamut of aircraft from British-made Jaguar, Russian MiG-29s, the legacy L-70 anti-aircraft guns to even Apache attack helicopters. The proposed military aircraft equipment MRO will be part of the overall project. The plan is to first assess the market based on the Indian defence

forces' requirements. The company would step-by-step create facilities for various systems on the basis of what the armed forces need. The company's Nagpur unit is expected to entail an investment of Rs 500 crore and create close to 200 jobs as it opens. Reliance Defence has a land pool of over 180 acres in the Mihan-SEZ and earlier this month it announced plans to make Falcon business jet at Nagpur in collaboration with French aviation giant Dassault. Reliance Defence is also eyeing export market from its proposed unit here, said a source who is part of the development. The company aims to become one of the top three exporters of defence products. This would be the first-ever project where aircraft of multiple country origins would get an overhaul and life cycle extension. The MRO has a projected capacity to cater to over 100 Jaguar and MiG-29 or Bison each, both in service for more than three decades with the Indian Air Force (IAF). Other than the latest assets like the Rafale or the LCA, the IAF continues to

hold a sizeable fleet of older aircraft. These need obsolescence management through life cycle extension and the installation of the latest platforms. Reliance eyes a yearly business of Rs2,000 crore on this front, easily clocking Rs20,000 crore in a decade, said a source. This includes systems and aircraft with the IAF, as well as the Navy and Army, the source added. The plans are driven by a strategic shift of India from asset replacement to life cycle expansion. CMI has expertise in catering to old fleets and has successfully worked for the US department of defence. Managing the older fleet also has challenges. At times, even the original equipment manufacturers (OEM) stop certain sub-systems. This is where the Reliance facility aims to step in, the source said. As the MRO is proposed to take up regular overhaul, apart from providing a new lease of life, Reliance Defence does not see any direct competition with the IAF's existing setup — base repair depots (BRDs) spread across the country. It would only complement the existing

ecosystem and fill up the gaps wherever required, the source added. CMI is an active vendor of the US Army since 1975, supporting armament and defence obsolescence management. It has completed thousands of contractual engagements for the manufacture and supply of spare parts needed for the direct utilisation of the weapon systems. It also has access to critical data by virtue of the DD2345 agreement for over four decades, said a note shared by Reliance Defence. Reliance Defence, on the other hand, has made a series of announcements on the defence front. These include its plans to make 155 mm shells, a key artillery ammunition, based in India. It also makes parts of the Rafale aircraft. Given the current geopolitical situation, the company sees a sizeable scope for domestic players in the defence sector, the source said. The two major companies of the group, Reliance Infrastructure and Reliance Power, are debt-free with a net worth of Rs 33,000 crore, said a note shared by the company.

Merely saying 'I Love You' without any sexual intent is not sexual harassment: HC



Nagpur 2 July: Saying "I love you" does not amount to sexual harassment unless accompanied by conduct suggesting sexual intent, Bombay high court's Nagpur bench ruled Monday while overturning a 2017 conviction under the Pocco Act. Justice Urmila Joshi Phalke acquitted a 25-year-old man from Katol in Nagpur district, nearly eight years after he was sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment for harassing a 17-year-old girl. He appealed the session court verdict in HC and was out on bail. "If somebody says that he is in love with another person or expresses his feelings that in itself would not amount to an intent showing some sort of sexual intention" the judge said in her order. "Words expressed as 'I love you' would not by themselves amount to 'sexual intent' as contemplated by the legislature," she added. The case dated back to Oct 2015, when a class 11 student accused the man of stopping her and her cousin, grabbing her hand and saying: "I love you". Based on her complaint, police charged him under sections 354A (sexual harassment) and 354D (stalking) of IPC, along with Section 8 of Pocco Act. Two years later, the sessions court convicted him. His counsel Sonali Khobragade said his actions did not meet the legal threshold for sexual assault or stalking as there was no repeated contact or physical act indicating sexual intent. Justice Joshi-Phalke agreed. "There should be something more that must suggest the real intention to introduce the angle of sex..." she said. "The offence under Pocco Act is not made out as there is no allegation that the accused touched the girl with sexual intent."

Thakre reviews land title distribution status of 84 slums in West Nagpur

Nagpur 2 July: Vikas Thakre, MLA of West Nagpur and President of Nagpur City (District) Congress Committee, met Collector Dr. Vipin Itankar on Tuesday and took review of land title distribution for 84 slums located in West Nagpur Assembly Constituency. Responding to Thakre's request, Collector instructed the officials of Revenue Department, Nagpur Municipal Corporation (NMC), and Nagpur Improvement Trust (NIT) to initiate the process of issuing Patta to eligible slum dwellers residing on lands owned by their respective departments without delay. Thakre chaired a joint meeting with officials from Revenue Department, NMC, and NIT at Collector's Office. According to official data, West Nagpur constituency



has 84 slums. Of these, 11 slums already have full or partial Patta distribution, while NMC has completed

surveys for the remaining 73 slums. In most cases, Plain Table Surveys have also been conducted. In a

statement issued to the press, Thakre said that distribution of Patta to residents on government-owned land (under Revenue Dept, NMC, or NIT) would begin soon. He further added that a separate list of slums located on Zudpi Jungle land would be submitted to the State Government. Further action will be taken in accordance with a policy to be framed by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, as per the

directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court. NIT has been instructed to carry out detailed surveys to demarcate shanties on its land and distinguish them from that developed on Zudpi Jungle areas. In compliance, NIT has resumed surveys in several slums, including those in Mouza Ambazari and Pandharpur. Thakre also requested Collector to ensure rehabilitation of slum dwellers from Rajnagar and Sant Society in Mankapur. Acting on the request, Collector directed NMC and NIT to identify appropriate land for constructing housing schemes under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) and Slum Rehabilitation Authority (SRA)—not only for these slum dwellers but also for other economically weaker families across West Nagpur.

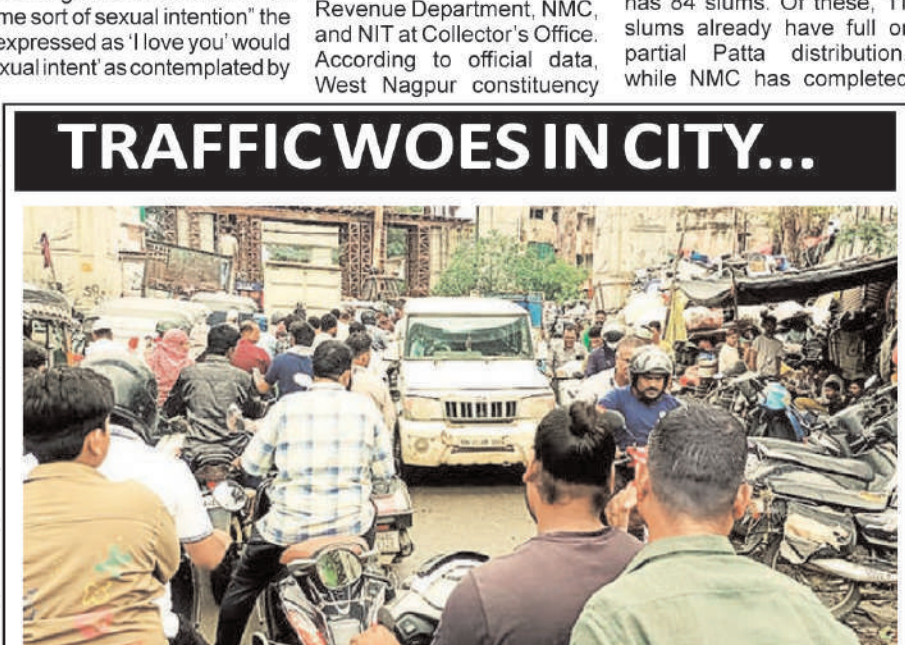
837 School buses in Nagpur operating without fitness certificates, High Court demands explanation

Nagpur 2 July: In a serious revelation that raises alarming concerns over students' safety, a total of 837 school buses in Nagpur city are reportedly plying without valid fitness certificates. Responding to the issue, the Nagpur bench of the Bombay High Court has directed the School Education Department and the Regional Transport Office (RTO) to file an affidavit by Thursday, July 10. The matter was heard on Tuesday by Justice Nitin Sambur and Justice Sachin Deshmukh, as part of a suo motu public interest litigation (PIL) that was initiated in 2012 following the tragic death of 8-year-old Virat Zade, who was run over by a school bus. During the hearing, Amicus Curiae Senior Advocate Firdos Mirza informed the bench that a recent inspection conducted in June identified 837 school buses as unfit. He expressed concern that these buses continue to operate without undergoing mandatory safety checks, thereby endangering the lives of thousands of students. Mirza further highlighted the failure of



school and district-level committees, the RTO, and local police in enforcing proper inspections and regulatory measures. He also drew the court's attention to the incomplete implementation of crucial safety features such as Vehicle Location Tracking (VLT) systems and Speed Limiting Governors (SLG). Taking cognizance of these lapses, the High Court has directed the authorities to provide detailed reports on the condition of school buses and the measures taken for the academic years 2023–24, 2024–25, and 2025–26.

TRAFFIC WOES IN CITY...



There is a traffic jam occurring in several areas of the city these days. Recently there was a massive traffic jam on the road stretch from Moti Bagh to Mominpura. The traffic jam issue has intensified due to encroachments, setting up of roadside shops by vendors and irregularly parked vehicles. Several commuters were stuck for hours and had to face difficulties.

Defamation of Minister Sanjay Rathod, Complaint filed in Police station

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

POST: On July 1, 2025, Ayodhya Paul (residing in Hingoli, currently residing in Mumbai), an activist of Shivsena UBT Party, while talking on the phone with an obscene and insulting remarks about Sanjay Rathod, the Soil and Water Conservation Minister of Maharashtra State and Guardian Minister of Yavatmal District, which hurt the feelings of females and disrupted law and order, and even killed him. The audio clip was made viral on social media with the intention of defaming him. In this case, Shiv Sena Mahila Aghadi District Chief Vaishali Prashant Masal (residing in



Ner) has filed a complaint at the Avadhootwadi Police Station in Yavatmal and has demanded that serious cases be registered against the said woman. Vaishali Masal has stated in her complaint that the Shiv Sena and Minister Sanjay Rathod is being defamed since the woman

has also reiterated that she against that woman to stop the above. Vaishali Masal has also warned that the administration will be responsible for the situation that arises in the future. Naresh Randhir, Thaneadar of Avadhootwadi Police Station, accepted the complaint.

While filing the complaint at the police station, Harihar Linganwar Liaison Chief, Shridhar Mohod Liaison Chief, District chief Rajudas Jadhao, Gajanan Domale, Vishal Ganatra Yuva Sena Liaison Chief, Mahesh Pawar Yuva Sena District Chief, Kalinda Pawar (Women's Front Liaison Chief), Vaishali Masal (District Chief), Sharda Thote (Sub-District Chief), Vandana Mukhare (Sub-District Chief), Vandana Rathod (Sub-District Chief), Durga Dudhe, Megha Mandavkar, Sushma Dhandare, Shobha Phunse, Sangeeta Puri, Jyoti Chikhalkar, Sanjeevani Shere, Pushpa Sasane and women from the district were present.

Criminal detained under MPDA Act

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

POST: Sheikh Mobin Alias Sheikh Moin Israel, age 27, resident of Bendakipura, Chamedia Nagar, Yavatmal, is a thief and was lodged under the MPDA Act in 2023. After 11 months, as per the order of the High Court, he came out of jail. He committed thefts again in Police Station Hinganghat, Dist. Wardha and Yavatmal city jurisdictions. A proposal under the MPDA Act was prepared by Police Inspector Ramkrishna Jadhav and submitted to the District Collector. On 24/06/2025, the District Collector passed an order to lodge the dangerous person Sheikh Mobin alias Sheikh Moin Israel in the Central Jail Yerawada, Pune. However, he had absconded, so the team of LCB Yavatmal and Police Station Yavatmal City took him into custody on 01/07/2025 and lodged him in



the Central Jail Yerawada, Pune.

The said guidance was carried under the guidance of Superintendent of Police Kumar Chinta, Additional Superintendent of Police Piyush Jagtap, Sub-Divisional Police Officer Dinesh Baisane, LCB Police Inspector Satish Chavare,

Police Station Yavatmal City Thaneadar Police Inspector Ramkrishna Jadhav by PSI Gajanan Rajmal, Police Anmaladar Sheikh Sajid, Rupesh Pali, Yogesh Dagwar, Ravindra Neware, Ankush Fender, Sunil Pathane, Rajkumar Kamble, Bharat Rathod, Devendra Hole, Akash Suryavanshi.

Samaka Hospital distributes fruits

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POST: On the occasion of the Doctor's Day, Vasantrao Naik Jayanti and Agriculture Day, fruits were distributed at DMM Ayurveda Hospital on Monday (1 July) in association with Devi Samaka Mahila Bahuuddeshiya Sanstha and Samaka Ayurveda Research and Hospital Center. In this programme, dietary fruits were distributed to the patients by the hands of the president of the institution, Vaidya Dr. Pankaj Pawar. At this time, a feeling of joy was visible on the faces of the patients. Dr. Pawar said on this occasion that patient service is the true service of God, and in Ayurveda, food is as important as medicine.



A healthy diet helps in the speedy recovery of the patient. In the program, the secretary of the institution Chanda Rathod, interacted with the patients and provided them with mental support. The medical and service staff as well as the entire team of Samaka Ayurveda Hospital participated with great sincerity and distributed fruits

to the patients. The program was planned in a disciplined manner. This initiative was implemented this year as every year with the aim of improving the health of patients and giving them mental strength. This highlighted the institutions that foster the spirit of service in the society.

Various programmes organised on Annasaheb Parvekar's birthday

PANDHARKAWADA /

NAGPUR POST: The birthday of Bharatiya Janata Party state executive member and former MLA Annasaheb Deshmukh Parvekar was celebrated by planting trees and distributing umbrellas and fruits in the hospital and old age home (Vrudhashram). Umbrellas and fruits were distributed to the patients undergoing treatment in the sub-district hospital at the hands of BJP Taluka President Anand Vaidya, former Zilla Parishad Construction Chairman Gajanan Bejankiwar, Prof. Mangesh Hote, social activist Rajubhau Boreile etc. Also fruits and biscuits were distributed in the late Indubai Boreile old age home. On this occasion, trees were planted

in the premises of the sub-district hospital and Kharedi Vikri Sangh. Similarly, Mahaprasad was also organised at the Gopalkrishna Temple here and the Jagdamba Temple in Kelapur. On this occasion, District Central Bank Director Prakash Mankar, President of Kharedi Vikri Sangh Jitendrasingh Kongharekar, President of Annasaheb Shetkari Cooperative Ginning Sambhareddy Yelthiwar, Vice President of the Kharedi Vikri Sangh Nilesh Thakare, BJP City President Bunt Juware, Former City President Kishor Deshtwar, Deepak Anna Kapartiwar, Sunil Bokilwar, Kishor Patil, Shridhar Bele, Narayan Bhanarkar, Mobin Patel, Pyare Bhai Chaudhary,



Pintu Koche, Thakare, Rajendra Chantawar, Mahesh Channawar Ashok Bele, etc. were mainly present. Umbrellas and fruits were

distributed to patients in government hospitals by Raju Borle, and a Mahaprasad program was organized by Professor Mangesh Hote at Jagdamba Kelapur and food was distributed at Rudra

Ashram. Mahaprasad program was organized by Sambhareddy Yelthiwar at Gopal Krishna Temple. Mahaarti program was also organized at Sankat Mochan Temple.

MLA Vikas Thakre exposes Dabha Exhibition Centre Scam in legislative assembly

Demands probe into all MSIDC Projects



Nagpur 2 July: Vikas Thakre, MLA of West Nagpur and President of Nagpur City (District) Congress Committee, exposed Dabha Exhibition Centre Scam in Maharashtra Legislative Assembly during ongoing Monsoon Session in Mumbai today. He demanded a comprehensive inquiry into all projects undertaken by Maharashtra State Infrastructure Development Corporation (MSIDC), currently headed by Brijesh Dixit — a retired Railway Officer widely known for corrupt practices and gross violations of regulations during his previous tenure with MahaMetro. Thakre alleged that Dixit came from Railway and committed several illegal acts while serving as Managing Director of

MahaMetro and has continued the same pattern at MSIDC. At Dabha, Dixit floated a tender, issued a work order to a private firm — NCC Limited — and initiated construction without securing mandatory permissions such as deletion of reservations, Fire NOC, and building plan sanction. The land in question, identified as Khasra No. 175, Mouza Dabha, is reserved in Revenue Department's records as Zudpi Jungle and is meant for agroforestry education and research under Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth (PDKV). It is also part of catchment of Futala Lake. Thakre pointed out that tenders must be floated only after obtaining all required approvals, yet crores of rupees from the State exchequer are being spent illegally on the site by Dixit. Earlier, Thakre had lodged a complaint with Nagpur Improvement Trust (NIT), citing violations of MRTT Act and Maharashtra Fire Prevention and Life Safety Measures Act. However, no action was taken. He also sent formal objections to MSIDC and requested a halt to the ongoing illegal activities. Further, Thakre wrote to Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Headquarters Maintenance Command of Indian Air Force, urging strict action against MSIDC and NCC Limited for violating Ministry of Defence norms. The construction site

lies directly opposite the main gate of Indian Air Force's Maintenance Command, where any construction within 100 meters is prohibited under defence regulations. He also notified PDKV — the owner of land — and Public Works Department (PWD), which was sanctioned funds of Rs 228 Crore by the State Government. A letter was submitted to the Forest Department highlighting that the Social Forestry Department had carried out plantation on part of the land using government funds during 2020-21. Thakre demanded that the Forest Department take possession of the land in accordance with Supreme Court orders regarding Zudpi Jungle land. According to the Development Plan (DP) of Nagpur, the land is reserved for a burial ground, public service facilities/bus depot, a secondary school, road, and a golf club/playground. These reservations are still in force, as no official change has been notified by the State Government. The Bombay High Court (Nagpur Bench) has also passed multiple orders prohibiting non-sports-related use of playgrounds. In its order dated 26-02-2025 in PIL No. 16/2025, HC explicitly stated that land belonging to agricultural universities cannot be allotted for non-university use, referring to Government Resolutions dated 13-07-2004 and 31-05-2011.

The court restrained private parties from undertaking any construction until further orders, thereby making the ongoing construction a clear contempt of court. Additionally, MSIDC and NCC Limited have not obtained Consent to Establish from Maharashtra Pollution Control Board (MPCB) or environmental clearance from Environment Department. Originally, it was announced that an Agriculture Convention Centre would be built on the land, with an allocation of around Rs 228 crore. However, signage now displayed by MSIDC and NCC Limited reveals the construction of an International Exhibition Centre that will include various commercial activities — a significant deviation from the approved project. It is worth noting that Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) had earlier exposed scams worth over Rs 1,000 crore in Nagpur Metro Rail Project during Dixit's tenure. A majority of contracts in that project were awarded to NCC Limited — some without following due tender process — further indicating a close nexus between Dixit and NCC Limited, now being replicated under MSIDC. Thakre has also submitted complaints to Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis and Guardian Minister Chandrashekar Bawankule, informing them about these alleged illegal activities and violations by MSIDC and NCC Limited.

African Safari to soon become a reality at Gorewada Zoo in Nagpur

MoU signed between FDCM and NBCC in CM's presence

Nagpur 2 July: In

a major step toward positioning Nagpur as a leading wildlife tourism destination, a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed on Tuesday, July 1, between FDCM Gorewada Zoo Limited and National Buildings Construction Corporation (NBCC-India) for the development of a world-class African Safari at the Balasaheb Thackeray Gorewada International Zoo. The MoU was signed in the presence of Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis and Forest Minister Ganesh Naik at a formal ceremony held in the committee hall of Vidhan Bhavan, Mumbai. The agreement marks the official green light for the ambitious 7285-acre project that will transform 63 hectares of Gorewada Zoo into an African wildlife zone, complete with safari routes, an iconic entry plaza, and immersive animal exhibits. The signing was attended by NBCC Chairman and Managing Director K.P.M. Swamy, Executive Director Pravin Doiphode, Managing Director of Maharashtra Forest Development Corporation Naresh Zhurmure, and CEO of FDCM Gorewada Zoo Ltd. Chandrashekar Bala. Also present were Additional Chief Secretary (Forests) Milind Mahiskar and Chief Minister's Principal Secretary Vikas Kharage. The African Safari, which will showcase 22 African species, is designed to elevate Gorewada Zoo to global standards. The construction is to be



completed within 18 months, with NBCC handling project execution. CM Fadnavis had earlier instructed officials to fast-track the safari and plaza development as part of the zoo's expansion into a premier tourist and conservation center.

What to expect at the African Safari:
The safari will be divided into two zones:

*** Island Exhibits (Moated Enclosures) —** Visitors will get a close view of spotted hyenas, white rhinoceroses, pallas monkeys, red river hogs, African lions, chimpanzees, cheetahs, and hamadryas baboons.

*** Open-Range Exhibits —** A walk-through or ride-through experience featuring ostriches, hippos, impalas, gemsbok, common eland, blue wildebeest, giraffes, Burchell's zebras, and kudus.

Officials stated that once completed, the safari will boost eco-tourism, promote biodiversity awareness, and establish Nagpur as a central wildlife destination in India.

Youth possessing gun nabbed

Mul 2 July: Police personnel interrogated a suspicious youth while he was moving around with a weapon. An illegally possessed gun was found in his possession. A case was registered for illegal possession of firearms and he was taken into custody. This action took place on Monday (June 30) evening at 4.15 pm on Tadal road by officials & personnel from Mul police. The accused has been identified as Gaurav Nitin Narule (26). Gaurav from Mul was creating terror in the minds of people while riding a two-wheeler and was performing acts that would have endangered the lives of people. Meanwhile, when the Mul police were patrolling this road stretch, the youth was interrogated and an illegal gun, two live cartridges, and a magazine were found in his possession. A country-made gun worth Rs

40 thousand, 2 live cartridges worth Rs 1 thousand, and a magazine worth Rs 2 thousand, a mobile phone worth Rs 10 thousand, a motorcycle worth Rs 60 thousand, thus a total of Rs 1.13 lakh worth material has been seized. A case has been registered against the accused at Mul Police Station under Sections 3/25, 7/25 of the Indian Arms Act 1959. Further investigation is being conducted by API Amitkumar Atram, Police Sub-Inspector Bhaurao Borkar, under the guidance of Superintendent of Police Mumakkar Sudarshan, Sub-Divisional Police Officer Sudhakar Yadav, and Police Inspector in-charge Subodh Wanjari.



'Mahabodhi Mahavihara should be handed over to the Buddhist community'

Delegation strongly conveys demand before CM, Legislator Dr. Nitin Raut led group calls on Fadnavis

Nagpur 2 July: An official memorandum was submitted to Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis demanding that the world-famous Buddhist religious site Mahabodhi Mahavihara in Bihar should be managed in a transparent and secular manner under the guidance of the Buddhist Bhikkhu Sangh and the Buddhist community. Mahabodhi Mahavihara is not just a monastery, but it is rather a sacred place of global significance, a sight of worship for Buddhist brethren.

It is also a historical site included in the UNESCO list of world heritage sites. However, even today the participation of the Buddhist community and the Bhikkhu Sangh in the management of this holy site is very limited. This is not only a religious issue, but it is rather also a



question of the self-respect and cultural existence of the Buddhist community. Therefore, keeping in mind the sentiments of the Buddhist community, the government should

immediately take a decision to hand over the entire management of this site to the Buddhist community. This is a genuine and justified demand of all Buddhists, said Dr. Nitin

Raut. The community believes that the management of this place, which propagates peace, compassion and equality, should also be based on the same ideal values as the

fundamental principles of Buddhism.

It was also warned that if the government does not take an immediate decision on this demand, an awareness campaign and a movement will be launched across the country through democratic means.

The delegation members included representatives of the Akhil Bharatiya Bhikshu Sangh, Bhadrat Vinay Rakkhito, Bhadrat Gyanbodi Mahathero, Bhikshuni Dhamadamma and other Bhikshu Sanghs, Ashok Godghate, Bandopant Tembhumre, Anil Nagare, Suresh Patil, Ashok Kolhatkar, Aman Kamble, Bhimrao Vaidya, NT Meshram, Rajesh Lade, Umesh Borkar, Takshashila Wagdhare and other prominent members of the Buddhist community.

Dr Vivek Gadge elected as New President of Rotary Club of Nagpur Metro for 2025-26

Nagpur 2 July: The Rotary Club of Nagpur Metro recently held its installation ceremony at the Institute of Engineering Hall, North Ambazari Road. During the event, Dr Vivek Gadge officially took charge as president for the Rotary year 2025-26, while Bharat Mundale assumed responsibilities as honorary secretary. The ceremony also marked the induction of a new team of office

bearers. Distinguished personalities graced the event, including District Governor Nominee (DGN) Kishor Rathi as the chief guest and Umred MLA Sanjay Meshram as the guest of honour. Both leaders delivered encouraging speeches, urging members to strengthen their dedication to impactful community service and social welfare initiatives.