

## BULLS EYE

### The mystery behind 25 percent tariff

We call US President Donald Trump a Tughlaq like ruler. He has attacked India yet again. He claims that it is a grave crime to buy crude oil from Russia, and according to him, it may be true to a certain extent as well. According to his own opinion, he has claimed that he stopped India-Pakistan war more than three dozen times. Now, he alleges that the crude oil we buy from Russia means that we are helping war-mongering Russia achieve its nefarious designs, and he claims that he has imposed a 25% penalty due to the same reason. Whatever this creature called Donald Trump may be, let us now think about how much India benefits from the Indian policy of buying crude oil from Russia. That is, many exporters in the country will be affected by Trump's 25% tariff hike, so they will also face difficult times. Thousands of employees may end up becoming unemployed. Our Prime Minister says that I can bear my personal loss for sake of benefit of the people of our country. What this personal loss means should also be clarified in the relevant context. The war between Russia and Ukraine that has been going on since February 25, 2022 is still going on unabated. Before the war, we were importing crude oil from Russia at the same price as per the global oil prices. Our imports from Russia were 0.22% of our total imports. After that, Russia gave us a concessional facility to import at a lower rate of 20% to 30%. Russia may have given such a concession because it needed funds for sake of running its military operations. Till then, we were buying oil in large quantities only from oil-rich Muslim countries. Now look at the irony of this purchase, our government owns three companies. One of them is Indian Oil Corporation, the second is BPCL and the third is another important company, along with which it is said that one company still does this work. These companies were importing only 25% of the total crude oil imports. Out of these, two companies were important from the point of view of importing 75% of crude oil from Russia. One of them is Naira and the other is Reliance. These two Gujarati companies bought 75% of the crude oil and refined it and supplied it in turn to European companies and countries. A few days ago, America banned Naira because some Russian directors were involved in it. Ambani's Reliance had a free run until now. Whatever the current situation may be, Ambani's companies alone have benefited from these exports to the tune of Rs 600 billion. We do not have detailed figures for the other Gujarati company. That is, a 25% tariff has been imposed on our entire country for the so-called fault of merely two Gujarati companies. Now Gujarati is also a part and parcel of our country. The prosperity of these four Gujarati companies should be considered as the prosperity of the country and we should be happy therefore. Because these three poor government companies have not given a single penny to any class of the country, whether it is the super rich, the rich middle class or the common people, that is, they have only increased their own profits and that of their kin. As we said above, it is better not to guess how many companies will be adversely affected by this move in the near future. This is the crude story of the mysterious import of Russian crude oil. Jai Gujarat! Jai Bharat!!

nagpurpost@gmail.com  
Mob. No. 9922970023

### BJP's local body election planning meeting held



**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** A planning meeting for the local body elections 2025 was organised by the Bharatiya Janata Party, Yavatmal City (North) at the Navjeevan Mangal Karyalaya. Former Minister Madan Yerawar guided the attendees in the meeting. He said, "In the backdrop of the elections, the activists should increase public relations at the booth level and build a relationship of trust with the voters by emphasizing on developmental works." The meeting was chaired by BJP District President Adv Praful Chauhan. He expressed confidence in achieving success in the elections on the discipline, unity and strength of the party organization. District Coordinator Nitin Bhutada, District General Secretary and Meeting In-charge Raju Padgilwar, BJP District Vice President Pravin Prajapati, Former District Vice President Vijay Rai, City President (North) Yogesh Patil were present. In this meeting, discussed in detail about booth level preparations, voter registration, campaign planning, voter contact campaign, and use of social media regarding the upcoming elections. Many people joined the party in this meeting. A special highlight was that the booth chiefs, Shakti Kendra chiefs and newly appointed district and city office bearers who have been working continuously for the party were felicitated with certificates of appreciation and medals. The programme was conducted by City General Secretary Sujit Rai. The vote of thanks was presented by Kartik Tajne. Ashwin Bopche, Prathamesh Battalwar, Umesh Rathod, Yash, Shubham Chormale, Sham Thackeray, Akash Thombre worked hard. The program was attended by a large number of current and former office bearers, councilors and activists.

### BJP's bid for a Congress-free India ends up making BJP Congress-phobic: Harshvardhan Sapkal

**Pune 11 August:** The Congress is the oldest and most experienced political party in the country, committed to the Congress ideology. Congress has strong and capable leadership and dedicated workers. In contrast, BJP is like a witch that devours members from other parties. If you look at the Chief Minister's circle or the cabinet, you will see mostly

Congress people. They claim to have one crore members and a leader like Modi, but that leadership is hollow and weak. That's why they are forced to induct Congress workers — a tragedy in itself. In their obsession with creating a Congress-free India, the BJP has itself become Congress-filled, said Maharashtra Pradesh Congress Committee

## INDIA bloc MPs march to ECI office from Parliament House

**New Delhi, Aug 11 (UNI)** Members of Parliament from INDIA bloc, led by Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, marched from the Parliament House complex to the Nirvachan Sadan at 11:30 am on Monday morning. The march covering about a km is intended as a show of unity and a symbolic assertion of democratic rights, sources said. Meanwhile, the Opposition has already sought time for the meeting with the Election Commissioners. Later today, Congress president



Mallikarjun Kharge also hosted a crucial dinner meeting for INDIA alliance leaders. The gathering focused on discussions on several key issues, including the alleged "vote theft" by the Election Commission, the revision of the voters' list in Bihar, and

other pressing political concerns. According to Congress sources, leaders from all parties of the INDIA alliance in both the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha, along with other prominent opposition alliance leaders, were invited to the dinner hosted by Kharge. The meeting also include strategy related discussions on the Election Commission's role in different parts of the country.

## CM unveils statue of Late Gopinath Munde

**Latur 11 August:** Maharashtra state Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis on Monday unveiled the 14 feet high and made of bronze metal and weighs 900 kg full-length statue of public leader Late Gopinathraoji Munde, erected in the Latur Zilla Parishad area. The event was attended by the State Public Works Minister and Guardian Minister of Latur District, Shivendrasinh Rajee Bhosale, Environment and Climate Change and Animal Husbandry Minister, Pankaja Munde, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister, Jayakumar Gore,

Chairman of the State Agricultural Prices Commission, Pasha Patel, MLA Vikram Kale, MLA Sambhaji Patil Nilangekar, MLA Dhananjay Munde, MLA Sanjay Bansode, MLA Abhimanyu Pawar, MLA Ramesh Karad, MLA Sanjay Kenekar, Deputy Inspector General of Police Shahaji Umap, District Collector Varsha Thakur-Ghughe, Superintendent of Police Amol Tambe, Chief Executive Officer of Zilla Parishad Rahul Kumar Meena, Latur City Municipal Commissioner Smt. Mansi. Initially, Chief Minister Fadnavis was welcomed at the venue by giving a copy of the Indian

Constitution. On the occasion of the unveiling of the statue of Late Munde, the Chief Minister offered flowers to the statue and paid homage. He also unveiled the nameplate of the statue. Chief Minister Fadnavis also paid tribute to the statue of Former Chief Minister Late Vilasrao Deshmukh in the Zilla Parishad premises by offering flowers. The statue has been erected in an area of 3451.56 sq.m. The area has been beautified and attractively lit. Sculptor Vijay Bondar and Ambadas Paighan created the statue. Officers, employees and citizens were present on the occasion.

## Priority should be given to locals for employment in railway bogie factory: CM

**Latur 11 August:** Maharashtra State Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis on Monday said that, a railway bogie factory has been set up in Latur district to increase employment opportunities. The production of Vande Bharat Railway bogies will soon start in this factory, which will create about ten thousand jobs. Chief Minister Fadnavis also directed that priority should be given to local youth in this. He was speaking at a review meeting of development works in the district held at the Government Rest House. Guardian Minister Shivendrasinhraje Bhosale, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister



Jayakumar Gore, MLA Vikram Kale, MLA Sambhaji Patil Nilangekar, MLA Sanjay Bansode, MLA Abhimanyu Pawar, MLA Ramesh Karad, former MLA Shivaji Patil Kavekar among others including top brass concern officials were present. Under the Maharashtra Suvarna Jayanti Nagarothan Mahaabhiyan, Latur City Increased Water Supply Scheme, District Hospital

were reviewed on this occasion. To provide skilled manpower at the local level for the railway bogie factory, necessary trades should be started in ITI and polytechnic institutions in the district and training should be provided to the youth. Chief Minister Fadnavis said that the state government will provide all possible cooperation for this. The Chief Minister clarified that a solution will be found in coordination with the Railway Administration regarding the transfer of railway land to Vilasrao Deshmukh Government Medical College. Efforts will be made to restart the government milk powder project at Udgir. A proposal should be submitted to reactivate this project in

collaboration with Mother Dairy, and a positive decision will be taken in this regard, he said. To increase the irrigation capacity of the district, the repair work of old irrigation projects should be completed at the earliest. He said that the feasibility of distributing water for irrigation through water channels from Gharani, Tiru and Deorjan projects should be examined and a proposal should be submitted. Also, the repair work of Hadga and Masalga irrigation projects should be completed immediately. Electric poles have been installed on Pandan roads in some places. The Chief Minister directed to remove these poles immediately and remove obstacles on the roads.

## Tension mounts over closure of Dadar Kabutar Khana

**Mumbai, Aug 11 (UNI)** The issue surrounding the closure of Dadar Kabutar Khana following directives from the Bombay High Court has sparked tensions. Earlier, the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC) had covered and sealed the Kabutar Khana with tarpaulin sheets. However, members of the Jain community staged a sudden protest, tearing off the tarpaulin recently. During the protest, the gathered crowd of Jain community members in the Dadar area became highly aggressive. Bamboo poles

used by the BMC to secure the tarpaulin were broken, and some women from the community reportedly carried knives to cut ropes and cords. Following the incident, Jain monk Nileschandra Vijay made a strong statement, declaring, "We will not even obey the court if it comes in the way of our religion". His remarks triggered widespread criticism. In response, the Marathi Ekikaran Samiti today announced it would oppose the Jain community's actions. The organisation demanded strict action against those who defy law.

## PM speaks with Ukrainian Prez Zelenskyy

**New Delhi, Aug 11 (UNI)** Prime Minister Narendra Modi spoke with Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy today and conveyed India's consistent position on the need for an early and peaceful resolution of the conflict. The Prime Minister wrote on X "Glad to speak with President Zelenskyy and hear his perspectives on recent developments. I conveyed India's consistent position on the need for an early and peaceful resolution of the 3 year long conflict."

## Maharashtra tops in corruption, lags in development: Uddhav Thackeray slams Govt

**Mumbai, Aug 11 (UNI)** Shiv Sena (UBT) chief Uddhav Thackeray today launched a scathing attack on the Mahayuti government, alleging that Maharashtra now ranks first in corruption but sits at the bottom in development and integrity. "This is a matter of great shame," said Uddhav Thackeray. Demanding the dismissal of corrupt and arrogant ministers from the state cabinet, the Thackeray faction



staged protests across the state in front of district collector's offices. Thackeray himself led the protest in Mumbai today. "In the past, if allegations were made against a minister, they would resign. An inquiry would be conducted, and if the charges were proven, action would be taken. That was the tradition. But today, that tradition has been vanished," Thackeray said.

## State Govt employees protest in front of collectorate for pending demands

**Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar 11 August:** The State Government Employees Association on Monday held a strong protest in front of the District Collector office for the pending demands of government, semi-government, teachers and non-teaching, municipal, municipal council, municipal panchayat, health workers. Their demands are, the old pension scheme should be implemented for all, the services of contractual employees should be regularized, vacant posts should be filled on priority, the posts of class IV employees should not be abolished, and the benefits of the Assured Progress Scheme should be given to teachers and non-teaching employees in the service. The State Government Employees Association held a meeting with the government and submitted a memorandum for the pending demands, but the government did not take any notice of the demand. The 17 lakh employees of the state held this protest in the state to draw the attention of the government on the occasion of today's Chetna Diwas, said the state vice-president of the State Government Employees Association, Devidas Jarare. He warned that, if the government does not take a decision on the pending demands, then in September a strike would be called. A large number of state government employees including Indumati Thorat Talathi Sangh State President Anil Suryavanshi S. B. Karpe Vajinath Vigholkar Rameshwar Mohite N. S. Kamble Ashok Vadhai Paresh Khosre Satish Bhadane Rajesh Bhusari Bhai Chandrakant Chavan Santosh Tathe were present.

## Model Govt Solar District Competition organised in state: Save

**Mumbai 11 August:** Non-Conventional Energy Minister Atul Save on Monday informed that a 'Model Government Solar District' competition has been organized for the effective implementation of solar power projects on government buildings in the state under the Central Government's PM Suryaghar, Mufti Bijli Yojana. The Non-Conventional Energy Department has taken the initiative to implement solar power projects on all government offices in the state. The district in which government buildings are solarized at the fastest pace will be declared as a 'Model Government Solar District'. A competition will



be held for this and to participate in this, a letter in the prescribed format will have to be sent to the concerned District Collector and General Manager (Maha Energy) after being certified, said Save. After scrutinizing the letters through Mahaurja, the districts in which the

maximum number of solar power projects are installed will be declared as model government districts. This competition will be held from August 1 to December 31, 2025. The first winner will be given Rs. 5 lakh, a certificate and a memento. The second prize will be Rs. 3 lakh and the third prize will be given Rs. 1 lakh. The awards will be distributed to the concerned District Collectors by Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis on Civil Services Day April 21, 2026. Save added and appealed to all districts to actively participate in the effective implementation of this scheme.

## Opposition march against EC: BJP calls it false agenda

**New Delhi, Aug 11 (UNI)** The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) today termed as an "attempt to create chaos in the country" the noisy march taken out by the Opposition parties, including Congress and the INDI alliance, from the Parliament House to the Election Commission office in Delhi against the ongoing Bihar's electoral revision process. At a press conference here, Union Minister Dharmendra Pradhan hit back at the opposition, accusing Congress and Rahul Gandhi of having an "anti-constitutional attitude". He also dismissed the march as a "false agenda". Targeting

Congress, he said their language resembled that of "anti-national elements". He said SIR (Systematic Voter's List Revision) is not a new process and has been conducted before. "However, the Opposition is using it as a pretext to spread falsehoods and create chaos in the country," he said. Pradhan said, "The country is watching those who work against the Constitution, led by Rahul Gandhi. The Opposition repeatedly raises doubts over EVMs, spreads lies, and tries to undermine faith in the election process. This is a deliberate strategy to spread unrest in the country."



MP Amar Kale from Wardha Lok Sabha Constituency participated in protest organised by India coalition in New Delhi on Monday



## Police crackdown in Anjangaon Surji results in arrest of 12 gamblers



**Anjangaon Surji 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Nagpur police have launched an intensive campaign against illegal gambling activities and habitual offenders, resulting in the arrest of 12 gamblers and the externment of a notorious criminal from Amravati district for six months. Action was taken against Azhar Khan alias Shera Mazhar Khan (31), resident of Salim Nagar, Anjangaon Surji. The accused has several criminal cases registered against him, including possession of illegal weapons, theft, robbery, grievous assault, issuing death threats, and other offences. Although preventive action had

previously been taken against him and a good behaviour bond was obtained by the Executive Magistrate, he continued his criminal activities and maintained an atmosphere of fear in the community. On the proposal of Anjangaon Surji police, the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Daryapur, externed him from Amravati district for six months under Section 56 of the Maharashtra Police Act. Acting on a tip-off, police raided the Shahanoor riverbed near Navgaji Plot, where seven persons were found playing the card game "Ekka Badshah" using a 52-card deck, placing bets with cash. Police surrounded the spot and apprehended the gamblers on the spot in the

presence of panch witnesses. In a separate operation, police raided a room near Jaylaxmi Khanaval, Weekly Market, Anjangaon Surji, where three persons were found playing "Online Chakki" and betting games on Worli Matka. Electrical equipment used for the gambling operations was seized. In both raids, police seized gambling-related items including an iron table, iron stools, an LED television (Takai company), CPU (Essel company), fibre cooler, a Honda Shine motorcycle (MH-30-BH-4099), and cash. The total value of the seized property amounted to Rs 1,80,510. A total of 15 accused, including the following

gamblers, were arrested: Sheikh Sadiq Sheikh Rahman (43), Mohammad Tausif Sheikh Rahim (30), Mohammad Imran Mohammad Sufan (38), Mohammad Ansar Sheikh Ismail (27), Salman Beg Salim Beg (26), Abdul Rashid Sheikh Rahim (50), Ilyas Khan Ahmed Khan (58) - all residents of Anjangaon Surji, Vaibhav Vinod Khedkar (26), Suresh Madhukarrao Rajurkar (40), Suraj Ashok Lokhande, Pintu Pashare, and Satish Farkade. The operation was conducted under the guidance of Superintendent of Police (Rural) Vishal Anand (IPS), Additional SP Pankaj Kumawat (IPS), and Assistant SP Shubham Kumar, Anjangaon Surji Sub-Division. The raids were led by Police Inspector Suraj Bonde, assisted by API Suraj Telgote, API Prashali Kale, PSI Anil Sawale, and staff members Jaysing Chavan, Shyam Raut, Pramod Chavan, Ravi Rathod, Amit Ghate, Akash Rangari, Vishal Thorat, Sheikh Mohsin, Kishor Nimborkar, Ankush Sayam, Suhas Dahake, Sagar Dutonde, driver Kamlesh Pachpor, and Iqbal Khan.

## Navodaya and scholarship examination teachers' workshop held at Nandgaon Khandeshwar



**Nandgaon Khandeshwar 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Under the Panchayat Samiti Nandgaon Khandeshwar, a special guidance workshop was organised today for teachers of Classes 5 and 8 to prepare students for the Navodaya and Scholarship examinations. The event, conceptualised by Group Education Officer (GEO) Prasad Sankpal, was held in the Tehsil Office meeting hall. The workshop featured expert sessions from subject teachers of Bharat Ratna Atal Bihari Vajpayee International School, Sakhar, Zilla Parishad, Washim. Subject teacher

Meenatai Mapari provided guidance on the NMMS examination, while Vinod Jhank offered detailed training on Navodaya Mathematics and Scholarship Mathematics. Vijay Giri, from ZP School, Kanheri (Panchayat Samiti Risod, District Washim), guided teachers on Navodaya and Scholarship topics. Additionally, Umakant Kashte delivered in-depth guidance on Navodaya and Scholarship examinations. The programme was inaugurated by Tehsildar Ashwini Jadhav, who stressed the importance of

such workshops for enabling students to remain competitive in the future. Presiding over the workshop, Panchayat Samiti Group Development Officer Sanjay Jhanchad commended the education department for organising the event. Chief guest and concept initiator Prasad Sankpal informed that, under the vision of District Collector Ashish Yerekar and Chief Executive Officer Sanjita Mahapatra, the mission is aimed at making students aware of the informal importance of competitive examinations from a young age. He urged all teachers to ensure 100% participation of their school's students in these exams, asserting that the Navodaya and Scholarship examinations will significantly benefit rural students in building competitiveness. Extension Officer Vilas Babre described the workshop as "a ray of light" for the children's future. The programme was organised by all centre heads and subject experts of the Group Resource Centre. The workshop began with an introduction by GEO Prasad

Sankpal, was compered by Vaishali Dahikar, and concluded with a vote of thanks by Vaishali Mahajan. Significant contributions to the event's success were made by Centre Head Vilas Rathod, Pravin Mehre, Balasaheb Munde, Anil Kolhe, Bhushan Bagde, Baldev Ghughe, Avinash Adhav, teachers Suraj Mande, Subhash Giri, Sameer Rahase, MIS Coordinator Sandeep Deshmukh, Vaishali Dahikar, Archana Meshram, Kiran Gaikwad, Savita Jumle, and Rangari.

## Survey report sufficient; pay compensation: Yavatmal Consumer Commission hits out at SBI Insurance



**PUSAD / NAGPUR POST:** The Yavatmal District Consumer Commission has given an important order that although there is no document, there is a survey report, so compensation should be paid on that basis. This decision has hit SBI General Insurance Company hard and the Commission has directed it to pay the insurance cover amount of Rs 8 lakh 41 thousand 760. Archana Satish Rahangdale of Pusad had an accident in her vehicle. She filed a claim for compensation with SBI General Insurance Company Ltd. Nagpur. However, the company denied the compensation on the grounds that the documents sought were not submitted and closed the case. However, the Commission stated that the survey report was sufficient and ordered the insurance company to pay the full compensation. Archana Rahangdale approached the Yavatmal District Consumer Commission after SBI General Insurance Company rejected her claim. The complaint was heard in the presence of President Ravindra Ulhas Marathe, member Amrita Vaidya. During the hearing, the company did not submit any documents while presenting its case. It was argued that the insurance claim was closed due to technical reasons. The Commission stated that this constitutes unfair trade practice. After inspecting the accident-affected vehicle, the surveyors of SBI General Insurance had prepared an interim report and it was necessary to pay the amount due. But the opposite party did not do anything like that. The Commission stated in its verdict that they had rejected their insurance claim and failed to provide service as a customer. The company had stated that the repair cost of the accident-affected four-wheeler was Rs. 24 lakh 45 thousand 864. However, the covered amount is Rs. 8 lakh 41 thousand 760. The Commission has ordered the SBI General Insurance Company to pay this entire amount to Archana Rahangdale. The order also states that it would not be appropriate to award compensation for physical and mental distress to the complainants as the company did not provide the requested documents.

## Accomplishment of Chikhaldara PS recognised at district level

**Warud 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Chikhaldara taluka has achieved remarkable success in the ambitious 'Sampurnata Abhiyan' jointly implemented by the Amravati District Administration and NITI Aayog, New Delhi. The taluka met targets in six key indicators — health, nutrition, agriculture, and social development — leaving a strong mark at the district level. On August 8, 2025, at a district-level function, then Extension Officer Amol Gedam was felicitated with a memento by MLC Sanjay Khodke. Chikhaldara Panchayat Samiti's (Panchayat Department) invitation to the event highlighted the taluka's outstanding contribution. This performance has brought glory to Amravati district at the state level. The Chief Minister and Guardian Minister presented a special honour to the district, while District and taluka officials, public representatives, and frontline workers who excelled were also recognised. The honour reflects the transformative work done in aspirational districts and strengthens public confidence in the administration. District CEO Sangeeta Mahapatra, Achalpur MLA Praveen Tayal, MLA Sanjay Khodke, and several Zilla Parishad officials were present in large numbers.

## Demand to provide MBBS doctor at Awagad Health Sub-Centre until PHC building is constructed

**Churni 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Although a Primary Health Centre (PHC) has been sanctioned at Awagad in Melghat, construction work is delayed due to the unavailability of land. Until the building is ready, the facilities of a PHC along with an MBBS doctor should be provided at the existing sub-centre, demanded Shiv Sena (Shinde group) Chikhaldara Taluka President Nilesh Malviya in a memorandum to District Health Officer Dr. Suresh Asolay. Awagad Sub-Centre, under Katkumb

Health Centre in Chikhaldara taluka, was granted PHC status two years ago. However, due to the absence of an allotted site, construction has not commenced, affecting health services for residents of Awagad and surrounding villages. As per government norms, there should be one PHC per 20,000 population in hilly areas. Currently, Katkumb PHC is burdened with over 35,000 people. Malviya stated that it is necessary to divide its jurisdiction to provide dedicated health services to

Awagad and 22 nearby villages. Malviya further insisted that from August 15, PHC-equivalent facilities, including a laboratory and an MBBS doctor, must be made available at the sub-centre. Meanwhile, the Additional Director of the Mumbai Health Department has sanctioned Rs 16 lakh to provide laboratory facilities at Awagad and resolve the PHC building issue. The order copy has been handed over to Malviya. The people of Melghat are now keenly watching the health department's further actions.

## Singing 'Garja Maharashtra Majha' state anthem now mandatory in all schools

**Amravati 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Singing of the state song 'Garja Maharashtra Majha' immediately after the national anthem has been made compulsory in all schools of all mediums across Maharashtra. Schools failing to comply will face action, warned State School Education Minister Dada Bhuse. Previously, this rule applied only to Marathi-medium schools, but it now covers all institutions. Bhuse emphasised that both the national and state

songs should be sung with due respect to instil patriotism and pride in Maharashtra among students. The minister also announced changes to scholarship exams — now to be held for students of Classes 4, 5, 7, and 8, expanding from the earlier limited classes. Additionally, he said detailed health check-ups of students will now be conducted in the presence of parents by a health team, with each student receiving a 'Health Card' for future reference.

## Traffic cops take action on 547 riders flouting norms

**Nagpur 11 August:** Traffic cops took action against a total of 547 riders under various sections of the Motor Vehicles Act and collected a total fine of Rs 2.71 lakh from the erring riders. Under the Bombay Liquor Prohibition Act, 26 suspects have been arrested in 26 cases and material worth Rs 52 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.

## 'Donate Tulsi, Earn Merit' initiative undertaken by Sankalp Krida Mandal



**Darwha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The Tulsi (Holy Basil) plant holds a revered place in Indian culture, Vedic scriptures, and Vastu Shastra, being recognised both for its religious significance and medicinal value. Known as an eco-friendly plant beneficial against various ailments, Tulsi is regarded as a symbol of auspiciousness and purity in Hindu tradition. It is commonly planted in Tulsi Vrindavan, pots, or courtyards in Hindu households, and is even treated as a family member, with ceremonial weddings performed for it. Many devotees worship Tulsi daily, circumambulating it in the morning and lighting a lamp in the evening. In the Warkari sect, Tulsi holds special significance, with devotees wearing Tulsi bead necklaces. During funeral rites, Tulsi leaves are placed on the body of the deceased, symbolising total renunciation. In line with this tradition, the Sankalp Krida Mandal in Darwha recently organised the distribution of Tulsi saplings. Recipients included Pallavi Prashant Wakode, Monika Shyam

Nimbe, Madhavi Joshi, Anita Sherekar, Durga Dudhe, Baby Jogdand, Reshma Jogdand, Sonu Dongre, Nisha Wankhade, and Shital Rathod. They were urged to gift Tulsi saplings to 10 other women each, pledging to nurture the plants. Present at the event were Tarun Bharat correspondent and Sankalp Krida Mandal president Shyam Pandey, former corporate secretary Prashant Wakode, secretary and centre head Vijay Kale, members Anil Palskar and Milind Pandey. The organisers have pledged to distribute 200 Tulsi plants. Speaking on the occasion, Vijay Kale highlighted Tulsi's medicinal properties, stating that the plant repels insects and mosquitoes, with black Tulsi being particularly beneficial. Its juice aids digestion, helps relieve heat-related discomfort, and provides relief from bee stings when Tulsi soil is applied. Tulsi also releases significant amounts of oxygen, contributing to good health when circumambulated in the morning and evening. "Tulsi is beneficial in almost all ailments," Kale emphasised.

## Bori-Talegaon Zilla Parishad circle awaits development as election mood builds up



**Darwha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** For years, residents of Bori and Talegaon Zilla Parishad Circle have been deprived of basic facilities, leading to growing public discontent. Development work in the area has been hampered, and the situation has worsened over the last three years due to delays in local self-government elections. With the Supreme Court clearing the way for these elections and the Election Commission signalling readiness, political activity in the circle has intensified. Aspiring candidates from various parties have begun extensive outreach in villages, creating a noticeable election atmosphere. Despite the implementation of the Jal Jeevan Mission, many villagers reportedly do not have access to clean drinking water. Locals have raised concerns about negligence in the scheme's execution. Road conditions are also

poor, with several stretches remaining unpaved and others suffering from low-quality cement concrete or asphalt work. Additionally, the absence of proper drainage or the lack of cleaning of existing drains continues to trouble residents. As the Zilla Parishad polls approach, candidates from the ruling party as well as opposition parties are expected to enter the fray. The big question is whether the villagers' discontent will translate into a change in representation, or whether the same faces will return to power. The entire taluka is watching closely.

## Shivaji High School students propagate social & environment conservation related messages on Rakshabandhan

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Shivaji High School celebrated Raksha Bandhan with a focus on social awareness and environmental conservation, jointly organized by the NCC and Guides departments. Students crafted handmade rakhis, selling them to raise funds for social causes. They also tied rakhi to trees, pledging to protect them, and visited Morshi Police Station to tie rakhi to officers, receiving their blessings. The celebration, presided over by Principal Shrikant Deshmukh, was attended by Vice-Principal Milind Dhakulkar, Supervisor Vitthal Navre, Teacher Representative Ashok Chaudhary, and other staff. Students' message of brotherhood, environmental protection, and community service was widely appreciated.

## BJP Service Week: Free mega health camp benefits 2,200 persons in Khanapur

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** As part of the BJP Service Week marking the birthdays of MP Dr. Anil Bonde, BJP District President Raviraj Deshmukh, and Vice-President Prashant Raut, a mega free health check-up camp was held on August 6 in Khanapur, organized by Asha Charitable Trust founder and MLA Chandu Yawalkar. A total of 2,200 patients were examined, 900 received free spectacles, and all were given free medicines. Sixty-four patients diagnosed with various ailments and 35

cataract patients will undergo free surgeries in Nagpur with support from Shalinaiti Meghe Hospital and Dr. Mahatme Eye Hospital. Meritorious Class 10 and 12 students and newly appointed Electrical Assistant Subodh More were felicitated. The event was inaugurated by BJP City President Rahul Chaudhary, with several dignitaries present. Free transportation for surgery patients to and from Nagpur has been arranged. Dedicated volunteers worked tirelessly for the camp's success.

## Cultural activities mark Rakshabandhan celebrations at Vivekanand English Convent

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Vivekanand English Convent in Lehegav celebrated Raksha Bandhan with enthusiasm, emphasizing cultural values and traditions. Under the leadership of Principal Neetu Jitendra Tatte, a handmade rakhi competition was organized for nursery, KG1, and KG2 students. Lessons on the

significance of Raksha Bandhan, August 9 Kranti Diwas, and World Tribal Day were delivered. Teachers Tejaswini Chango le, Manju Wankhade, and Shweta Khode explained the festival's meaning, tied rakhis, and extended greetings. The event concluded with students joyfully celebrating the bond of siblings. Extension Officer Hemlata Deshmukh. The initiative drew enthusiastic support from villagers, who purchased rakhis priced between Rs 5 and Rs 20. The exercise not only encouraged creativity but also imparted lessons in product presentation, sales, and teamwork. With an investment of Rs 1,000, the students managed to earn Rs 1,700 in just two days. Teachers noted that group sales sparked healthy competition among the students. The inauguration was attended by

Sarpanch Vinatai Nihatkar, Cluster Head Subhash Sahare, School Management Committee Chairman Dinesh Ingle, Vice-Chairperson Kunda Khanzode, guide Sadiq Abdul Rashid, prominent parent Rupesh Mohite, teachers, parents, and other community members. The success was credited to the dedicated efforts of the entire teaching staff, including Vaishali Dhakulkar, Pramod Ghatol, Sangeeta Deshbratar (Meshram), Prabha Patankar, Pooja Gujar, Vaishali Kahale, and Archana Dange.

## Five arrested for threatening Navneet Rana on Instagram

**Amravati 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The Amravati Crime Branch has busted a gang that allegedly abused and issued death threats to former MP Navneet Rana on Instagram. Five people, including the main accused, have been arrested, while two others remain absconding. On August 6, around 8:30 p.m., a video containing obscene abuse and threats was posted from an account named "Isa Bhais." A case was registered the next day at

Rajapeth Police Station under IPC Sections 296, 351(3), 79, and Section 67 of the IT Act. Acting under the guidance of Police Commissioner Shivind Chawaria, Unit No. 02 PI Sandeep Chavan's team traced and arrested the main accused, Sheikh Issa Sheikh Musa (28), Pathrot, Anjangaon), from Bhilai, Chhattisgarh. His brother Sheikh Mustaq, relative Mohammad Zakir, Aijaz Khan, and Jubair Sultan were also apprehended. Two

others — Abdul Malik Sheikh Hasan, who helped Isa escape, and Jaffer Khan alias Dadu, who sheltered him in Bhilai — are absconding. During interrogation, Isa admitted that he had made the video under the influence of alcohol while living at his in-laws' home. He had earlier threatened Minister Nitish Rane. Police Commissioner Chawaria warned that strict action will be taken against anyone posting obscene, defamatory, or threatening videos on social media.

## Students get acquainted with practical skills through Rakhi making activity

**Chandur Railway 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Students of Zilla Parishad School in Dhanora Mhali showcased creativity and business sense through a special rakhi-making activity ahead of Raksha Bandhan. Under the guidance of Headmistress Mohana Chokhatkar and teachers Vaishali Dhakulkar and others, students from Class 1 to 4, along with Scout and Guide members, crafted decorative rakhis. These were later sold at a stall set up in the school premises, inaugurated by Education

Extension Officer Hemlata Deshmukh. The initiative drew enthusiastic support from villagers, who purchased rakhis priced between Rs 5 and Rs 20. The exercise not only encouraged creativity but also imparted lessons in product presentation, sales, and teamwork. With an investment of Rs 1,000, the students managed to earn Rs 1,700 in just two days. Teachers noted that group sales sparked healthy competition among the students. The inauguration was attended by

Sarpanch Vinatai Nihatkar, Cluster Head Subhash Sahare, School Management Committee Chairman Dinesh Ingle, Vice-Chairperson Kunda Khanzode, guide Sadiq Abdul Rashid, prominent parent Rupesh Mohite, teachers, parents, and other community members. The success was credited to the dedicated efforts of the entire teaching staff, including Vaishali Dhakulkar, Pramod Ghatol, Sangeeta Deshbratar (Meshram), Prabha Patankar, Pooja Gujar, Vaishali Kahale, and Archana Dange.

## Warm welcome for Vande Bharat Express at Badnera

**Amravati 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** The Ajni-Pune Vande Bharat Express received an enthusiastic welcome at Badnera Railway Station, where dignitaries flagged off the train. MP Dr. Anil Bonde, Balwant Wankhede, MLA Ravi Rana, Divisional Commissioner Shweta Singhal, District Collector Ashish Yerekar, and railway officials were present for the occasion. The arrival of Vidarbha's first Vande Bharat Express at Badnera station drew considerable public attention, with the train decked in garlands. Speaking at the event, Dr. Bonde said that the train would benefit passengers travelling to Pune, especially those who earlier faced travel inconveniences. He added that the Vande Bharat Express will provide safe and well-equipped travel and welcomed the stop at Shegaon as a positive step. Wankhede stated that the current afternoon departure was inconvenient for passengers and suggested a shift to an evening schedule, promising to pursue the matter with the railway authorities.



## Collector, ZP CEO pledge to donate organs

2114 People across the district vow to donate organs



**Chandrapur 11 August:** As per the instructions of the government, an organ donation awareness campaign is being implemented across the entire state from 3 August to 13 August. Organ donation is the biggest humanitarian service of today and it can give a new lease of life to many. According to the concept, in a meeting organised by the District Health Department on Monday (11 August), the District Collector-in-charge Dr. Nitin Vyavahare and ZP Chief Executive Officer Pulkrit Singh have decided to donate organs and they have completed registration formalities online for the same. The meeting held at the District Collectorate was attended by Resident Deputy Collector Dagdu Kumbhar, Dean of GMC Dr. Milind Kamble, District Surgeon Dr. Mahadev Chinchole, District Health Officer Dr. Ashok Katore, Resident Medical Officer Dr. Hemchand Kulkarni and other officials. Speaking on the occasion, District Collector-in-charge Dr. Vyavahare said that during this campaign, misconceptions about organ donation will be cleared.

## Dr. Abhijit and Manisha - Beggars Messiah



Today we find depreciation of human values everywhere. Children abandon parents, compel them to stay in old age homes. Brother is killing brother for petty issues. Graph of human values came down at its lowest. Contrary to this dismal scenario, Dr. Abhijit and Dr. Manisha Sonawane from Pune with their humane behaviour and dedication towards the beggars and homeless poor people have risen this graph to its amazingly high. This has given them the identity as the 'Doctors for the Beggars.'

Beggars Doctor Born: Dr. Abhijit and Manisha did their BAMS. Dr. Abhijit after passing his few years of depression in profession was now working in an international company and drawing a lucrative salary. Although Dr. Abhijit was comfortably settled, the thought of the beggar Baba who boosted his morale during bad days, was haunting him relentlessly. He at once leaves for Khedakwasla to see him. However, the Baba and his wife were not there at the temple where he meets them when he was in despondency. He finds that the old man is dead. Dr. Abhijit sadden by this, determines to repay his debt and vows to devote remaining life in service of beggars.

Mission Begins: Beggar Baba helped him in his bad days. Even Baba paid him money from his alms collected in his bowl. Despite this he could do nothing for him and he had to die begging. Dr. Abhijit thinks that only thing left for him is to plunge into the service of beggars to correct the omission. He resigns his job for the mission. In search of beggars: Dr. Abhijit begins making rounds at temples, mosques and churches on specific day of the deity where he finds beggars waiting for help. For helping them he used to leave home every day in the morning with his bags on bike loaded with medicines. During his visit he makes inquiry of their difficulties and illnesses. Cleans their wounds, gives them medicines. If anyone of them needs surgery, he also admits him in hospital for surgery. Also gives them bath. If necessary cuts their hair and shave too. He used to carry razor etc. for this.

Beggars start believing: In the beginning they were suspecting him as police informer because they knew that begging is a crime. Now they have started believing him. Dr. Abhijit's sincerity and service matter. Gradually Dr. Abhijit's contacts with beggars widened. Today he is in touch with 1100 beggars around him. Day by day expenses on beggars grew. It was getting difficult to help them. He then appealed people to come forward to help. Created Soham Trust to pool help from people. In this task his wife Dr. Manisha's support was notable. She was maintaining the family

- Dr. Abhijit's achievements at a glance:
- 285 beggars doing their own businesses.
- 52 children adopted to educate them. Some of them have now good jobs.
- 30 needy people given hearing-aids.
- 144 patients underwent major surgeries successfully.
- 2000 eyes teamed done.
- 100 beggars team formed to carry cleanliness drive in Pune who are paid remuneration from the trust.
- 2500 awards received by him. Lokmanya Tilak, Sant Gadge Baba and Mother Teresa Awards are prominent among them.
- Note: Desirous persons may contact on following number for more information Mob.9422866931.
- By Ranjit Chandel

## State govt initiatives bringing relief to people: Guardian Minister Dr. Pankaj Bhoyar

**Wardha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** Under the leadership of Chief Minister Devendra Fadnis, several welfare schemes have been launched to provide facilities and relief to poor and needy people by the State government Health department is taking special efforts to receive free treatment and surgeries in both government and private hospitals to the patients in Wardha District, said Guardian Minister Dr. Pankaj Bhoyar. He was speaking at the inauguration of a taluka-level camp under the Cataract-Free Campaign at Vidya Vikas College, Samudrapur on 10th August. MLA Samir Kunawar, CEO Parag Soman, District Civil Surgeon Dr. Sumanth Wagh, District Health Officer Dr. Swapnil Bele, and other dignitaries were present on this occasion. Dr. Bhoyar praised the efforts of the health department, ASHA



workers, Anganwadi workers, and social activists for spreading awareness of the campaign. He also announced that Rs 421 crore has been sanctioned for irrigation projects like Dham and Bor which will benefit farmers in Wardha, Samudrapur, and Hinganghat. MLA Samir Kunawar lauded the initiative, highlighting that cataract screening camps are bringing joy to people's lives by

restoring their vision. On the occasion, tricycles, wheelchairs, and Kisan Vikas Patra worth Rs 25,000 were distributed to differently-abled students, while certificates for sanctioned irrigation wells were also handed over to the farmers. The camp deployed 39 expert teams for patient check-ups, spectacles distribution, registration, and free medicines, attracting a large turnout from the community.

## Triennial convention of ZP Abhiyanta Sanghatana on August 17



**Kuhi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The triennial convention of Nagpur Zilla Parishad Abhiyanta Sanghatana, a state level convention, has been organised in Nagpur on August 17. In this concern, Nagpur District President Er. Rahul Raghorte informed the state president about the preparations made. He also disseminated information about all the ongoing facilities and preparations. This is the only active and government recognised organisation of engineers and technical staff which is concerned with the construction, irrigation and rural water supply departments of the Zilla Parishad. This organisation has a total of 4 thousand members. The Abhiyanta Sanghatana has been recognised by the Industrial Court, Kolhapur. The state level convention is being organised in Nagpur. The convention will reflect on the service/establishment related problems of the organisation across the state and the work done by the state executive committee in the last three months or a year for the benefit of the members at the government and administrative level. Also, Zilla Parishad engineers and technical staff are coming from all over the state for this meeting, the Nagpur district branch is working round the clock in

order to ensure the smooth conduct of the convention, including the stay of the members on August 16 and the entire planning of the session. Sources informed that some serious and urgent issues will be discussed during the convention. Graduate junior engineers throughout Maharashtra are given promotion to Assistant Engineer Grade II as per the date of appointment, taking into account the confidential report of the last 3 years. However, it has been pointed out that the Nagpur Zilla Parishad administration is wasting unnecessary time and resources by seeking guidance from the government to provide the concerned benefits. Similarly, it has been pointed out that the engineers have not received the true copy of the confidential report of the last 5 years and the department in turn is also reluctant to provide this copy. It is seen that the administration is in turn reluctant to answer this pressing issue. As the current state executive committee has completed three years, the selection process for the new executive committee will be carried out immediately after the meeting. In order to ensure the success of the meeting, the state president of the state organisation, Er. Suhas Dharasurkar, reviewed the meeting. On the occasion, the working

president, Er. Sachin Chavan, Treasurer, Kalidas Dhawale, Vikrant Meshram, executive committee member advisor, Sanjay Kohade, Prakash Tamboli, District president, Wardha, Avinash Gohad, Parbhani, Prasanna Dange, Shiramwar, Venkatesh, Gadchiroli treasurer, Mayur Raipure, Abhi. Naveen Sorate were prominently present. The state president visited the venue of the meeting, issued instructions and expressed satisfaction. Since the meeting is being held in Nagpur after a gap of many years, all the existing members of the Abhiyanta Sanghatana, those who have been promoted and those who have retired, have appealed to the district president, Er. Rahul Raghorte and all his executive committee members to be present at VANAMATI hall on August 17.

## M-Sand policy to end sand mafia in 3 years, says Bawankule

**Nagpur/Buldhana 11 August:** Natural sand is not a long-term solution. To eliminate the sand mafia from the State, we are focusing on the M-Sand (artificial sand) policy. Within three years, the sand mafia will be under control, said revenue minister Chandrashekhra Bawankule at a press conference on Saturday (August 9). Labour minister Akash Fundkar, MLAs Shweta Mahale and Sanjay Gaikwad, and district collector Dr. Kiran Patil were also present on the occasion. Bawankule was in Buldhana for a revenue department review meeting. Later, addressing the media, he stated that the sand policy was framed after studying various states. Artificial sand is used in Maharashtra not across Maharashtra? Sand scams in districts like Buldhana, Jalna, Gondia, and Bhandara are before us. Without active administrative support, this will not stop, he said. The movements of the sand mafia can now be tracked via cyber systems, and their locations traced within minutes. He urged district collectors and SPs to work in coordination. Stating that this model has succeeded in Bhandara and Nagpur. Joint powers have now been given to the Revenue and Police Departments, he ordered immediate joint action to apply pressure.

## Biodiversity park to be developed at Mahatma Gandhi Ayurved College with Rotary Club, Nagpur support

Project begins with tree plantation drive



**Wardha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** Mahatma Gandhi Ayurved College, Hospital & Research Centre, Salod (Hirapur), in collaboration with Rotary Club of Nagpur Elite, has embarked on the creation of a Biodiversity Park. The project commenced with a tree plantation drive in the college's medicinal garden area, inaugurated by Special Officer Sanjay Ingle Tigavkar. Present on the occasion were Rotary Club President Jyotsna Pandit, Secretary Pramod Misal, Director Arvind Patil, Sonali Jichkar, Manisha Choudhary, Dean Dr. Bharat Rathi, Vice Dean Dr. Gaurav Savarkar, Medical Superintendent Dr. Vaishali Kuchewar, Deputy Director of Research Dr. Manish Deshmukh, Dr. Rishikesh Thakre, and several Rotary members.

The Rotary Club gifted 110 saplings, including medicinal, fruit-bearing, and ornamental plants. Species such as catechu, Indian coral tree, mahogany, neem, white and red sandalwood, ashla, behada, ritha, rudraksha, kadamba, bakul, mango, jamun, jackfruit, and various flowering plants like hibiscus, jasmine, champa, and roses will enrich the park. The initiative also includes organic fertilizer production, tree care, and soil rejuvenation with active Rotary participation. The park aims to conserve useful and rare plant species, create habitats for birds and butterflies, preserve biodiversity from beneficial insects to fossils, and promote pollution-friendly environments. Under the "Green Living" theme, Jyotsna Pandit emphasized minimizing plastic usage, even in kitchens, and praised the project as a joint venture between both institutions. Agricultural expert Arvind Patil highlighted that the park would boost crop yield and quality in surrounding farms through traditional methods. Dr. Savarkar noted its role as a natural laboratory for student

training and research in medicinal plant conservation. The event saw contributions from Dravyaguna Department Head Dr. Jaymala Jadhav, Prof. Dr. Sneha Vidhate, Dr. Akshay

Pargaonkar, Dr. Mayuri Dhok, and postgraduate students. Plans include future collaborations for agricultural research, technology transfer, and fostering student interest in herbal conservation. Visitor program concluded with a tour of the college's Prakruti Herbal Garden and Rasshala, calling the park a harmonious blend of Ayurveda and environmental stewardship.

### Change Of Name

MY OLD NAME WAS KHAN SAMIYANJUM MOHAMMAD SABIR. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SAMIYA SAHRUKH SHEIKH. ADD : SALVE COLONY, TADOBA ROAD, NEAR MADINA MASJID, TUKUM, CHANDRAPUR MS. 442401

MY OLD NAME WAS SUMITRA DEVI AGRAWAL BANSAL. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SUMITRA DEVI AGRAWAL. ADD : GEETA - VATIKA, PLOT: 12 & 13, SURYANAGAR, NAGPUR - 440035

MY OLD NAME WAS RAMA KALYANRAM. NOW MY NEW NAME IS RAMA K RAMAN. ADD : PLOT: 4-A, KUSHAL SMRITI APTS. GANDHINAGPUR, NAGPUR - 440010

MY OLD PASSPORT NO. J1110479. MY OLD NAME WAS TASNIM BANO SADIQ HUSAIN BURHANI. NOW MY NEW NAME IS TASNEEM SADIQ BURHANI. ADD : HOUSE NO. 370 GOLIBAR CHOWK NAGPUR 440018

MY OLD NAME WAS SK ADIL RAZA. NOW MY NEW NAME IS ADIL RAZA SHEIKH GAFAR. ADD : PATEL HOSIERI HADRI ROAD MOMINPURA NAGPUR 440018

MY OLD NAME WAS NIKHAT PARVEEN MOHAMMAD SALEEM. NOW MY NEW NAME IS NIKHAT RAHIL ANSARI. ADD : P.NO.65, HARGOBIND

GURUDWARA, NEAR AMAN LAWN, DEEPAK NAGAR, UPPALWADI - 440026

MY OLD NAME WAS IEFAT PARVEEN / IFAT PARVEEN MUJAHIDUL HAQ. NOW MY NEW NAME IS IFFAT PARVEEN ASIM SHAFZAD KHAN. ADD : PLOT NO 2/A TOWER LINE, GODHNI ROAD, ZINGABAI TAKLI, MANKAPUR NAGPUR- 440030

MY OLD NAME WAS WASIM. NOW MY NEW NAME IS WASEEM ABDUL SATTAR SHEIKH. ADD : HOUSE NO 445, SHIRKE ROAD, INFRONT OF ASLAM PATANG WALE, GUJARPURA MAHAL, NAGPUR - 440032

MY OLD NAME WAS RASHID KHAN. NOW MY NEW NAME IS RASHEED KHAN. ADD : RAJE SAHAB NERDI MANDAI ITWARA NANDEDI 431604

MY OLD NAME WAS GOPALKRISHNA AGRAWAL BANSAL. NOW MY NEW NAME IS GOPAL KRISHNA AGRAWAL. ADD : GEETA - VATIKA, PLOT: 12 & 13, SURYANAGAR, NAGPUR - 440035

MY OLD PASSPORT NO. J1110064. MY OLD NAME WAS SADIQ HUSAIN HUSAINBHAI BURHANI. NOW MY NEW NAME IS SADIQ HUSAIN BURHANI. ADD : HOUSE NO. 370 BURHANI MANZIL GOLIBAR CHOWK NAGPUR 440018

NAGPUR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION		
E-Tender Notice		
Commissioner, NMC invite E-Tender for the following work. These e-tenders can be downloaded by the registered contractors at Govt. of Maharashtra's portal. The terms and condition of e-tenders and other details/terms and conditions are available on e-tenders portal ( <a href="http://www.mahatenders.gov.in">www.mahatenders.gov.in</a> ). The sale and purchase of e-tenders can be done through internet.		
Tender No.	Name of Work	Estimate Cost In Rs.
1	Providing laying and Jointing 200 mm dia HDPE pipe line for SRA building at Wanjra Uppalawadi	18,56,686/-
<b>Note – 1)</b> Tender sales End Date / Submission End date : 12.08.2025 up to 18.08.2025 up to 3.00 p.m. <b>2)</b> Date of Opening for e-tender (if possible) : On 19.08.2025 at 5.00 p.m.		
Advt No 367 PR Date 11.08.2025		Executive Engineer, PHE (WW) N.M.C. Nagpur

## ई-टेंडर निविदा सुचना क्रमांक १०/२०२५-२०२६

सार्वजनिक बांधकाम खाते.  
कार्यकारी अभियंता, एकात्मिक घटक (वैद्यकीय),  
सार्वजनिक बांधकाम, क्षय रुग्णालय परिसर, नागपूर - ४४०००३  
email:- [contactednagpur.ee@mahapwd.gov.in](mailto:contactednagpur.ee@mahapwd.gov.in)  
Web site:- [www.mahapwd.com](http://www.mahapwd.com)


कार्यकारी अभियंता एकात्मिक घटक (वैद्यकीय), सार्वजनिक बांधकाम, नागपूर- ४४०००३ (दुरध्वनी क्रमांक ०७९२-२९८५७३७ हे खालील कामाकरीत महाराष्ट्र शासनाकडे योग्य रत्या वर्गत पंजिबद्ध असलेल्या सल्लागाराकडून आरएफटी प्रपत्राद्वारे शासनाकडे निविदा ई-टेंडरिंग पद्धतीने आमंत्रित करीत आहेत. ई निविदा क्रमांक १०/२०२५-२०२६ खालील कामाची ऑनलाईन निविदा माहाराष्ट्र शासनाच्या ई-टेंडरिंग पोर्टल [www.mahapwd.com](http://www.mahapwd.com) वर व उप-पोर्टल सार्वजनिक बांधकाम विभाग <https://mahatenders.gov.in> वर पाहण्यासाठी व डाऊनलोड करण्यासाठी उपलब्ध राहील.

अ.क्र.	कामाचे नाव	अंदाजित किंमत रु.	इसारा रक्कम रु.	काम पूर्ण करण्याचा कालावधी
१	Providing Consultancy services for "Preparation of DPR for the construction of Nursing Hostel in the premises of GMCH, Nagpur."	६९,५८,६९९/-	७०,०००/-	१२ महिने

नोट:- १) या कामाची निविदा फॉर्म विक्री करिता 1) <https://mahapwd.com> 2) <https://mahatenders.gov.in> या संकेत स्थळाला भेट द्यावी. सदर निविदा सुचनेची प्रत या कार्यालयातील सुचना फलकावर पाहावयास मिळेल.  
२) निविदेच्या अटी / शर्ती प्रारुपात दर्शविल्याप्रमाणे राहिल.  
३) या निविदा सुचनेत काही बदल होत असल्यास वरील वेबसाईट वरील शुध्दीपत्रक प्रकाशित होतील.  
४) कोणतेही कारण न दर्शविता अंशतः किंवा संपूर्ण निविदा रद्द अथवा फेरफार करण्याचा अधिकार सक्षम अधिका-याने राखून ठेवलेला आहे.

कार्यकारी अभियंता,  
एकात्मिक घटक (वैद्यकीय),  
सार्वजनिक बांधकाम, नागपूर

क्र. संभावज/नाग/२९८/२०२५



**THE YAVATMAL URBAN CO-OP. BANK LTD.YAVATMAL**  
(Regd. No.YML/BNK / 114) Head Office: Garden Road, L.I.C. Chowk, Yavatmal. Authorize officer head quarter branch-Pandharkawda - pandharkawda zone

O.W.No.YUCBL/...../2025-2026

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

Whereas,

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of 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 to repay 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. 180/767 Branch – Ghatanji 1) Shri. Rajan Yashwant Lonkar (Borrower & Morgagor) At Po. Near Dr. kothole Hospital Tilakwadi yavataml Ta Dist.Yavatmal 2) Shri Vilas shyamrao Bendre (Guarantor) At,Po balaji society mahadev nagar yavatmal Ta Dist yavatmal 3)Shri Naresh Gulabrao Raut (Guarantor) At Hanuman nagar aarni road yavatmal Dist Yavataml	Demand Notice dt 24/04/2025 Symbolic possession dt. 07/08/2025 at 12.50 pm. to 1.00 pm.	Principal Rs.135307 /- + Interest Rs.32547 /- + Further Interest	Immovable Property Of shri Rajan Yashwant Lonkar (Borrower & Morgagor) mauja Tivasala Ta ghatanji Dist yavatmal Ward kra n 2 , gram p asiment nakkal plot n / malmatta 102/2 area 618.03, sq mtr ft .( 6650.00 sq mtr open plot ) built of area 81.32 sq mtr (875.00 sq fit) with building and structure standing thereon East – Gram p.road, West- Shri chandu rathod his house North – Shri Arvind Lonkar his house, South –Shri Vatakar his house

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 Narayanram Gahukar) Authorised Officer The Yavatmal Urban Co-op. Bank Ltd, Yavatmal. Branch - Pandharkawda (Secured Creditor) Mo. 8308424556

DT:- 07/08/2025



BUSINESS

TRANSLINE TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED FILES DRHP WITH SEBI

**Mumbai 11 August:** Transline Technologies Limited ("the Company"), a specialized technology-solutions provider with a focus on designing, developing, and deploying integrated security and surveillance systems, biometric authentication platforms, and artificial intelligence-driven software products, has filed its Draft Red Herring Prospectus ("DRHP") with market regulator Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"). The Company plans to raise funds through equity share capital via initial public offering. The total offer size of initial public offer comprises of 'Offer for Sale' of up to 16,191,500 equity shares with face value Rs.2 each share. Transline Technologies' business model generates revenue from multiple streams, including project-based system integration contracts, Software as a Service ("SaaS") subscriptions, sale of hardware and software products, and technical services such as annual maintenance and managed support. Company has developed a portfolio of proprietary software—StorePulse, an AI-powered video analytics platform; CamStore, a real-time video compression and storage optimization solution; and CheckCam, a CCTV network health monitoring system—which are offered as standalone cloud-deployed SaaS solutions or as part of integrated turnkey deployments

In India, Trump's tariffs spark calls to boycott US goods

**New Delhi 11 August:** From McDonald's and Coca-Cola to Amazon and Apple, US-based multinationals are facing calls for a boycott in India as business executives and Prime Minister Narendra Modi's supporters stoke anti-American sentiment to protest against US tariffs. India, the world's most populous nation, is a key market for American brands that have rapidly expanded to target a growing base of affluent consumers, many of whom remain infatuated with international labels seen as symbols of moving up in life. India, for example, is the biggest market by users for Meta's WhatsApp and Domino's has more restaurants than any other brand in the country. Beverages like Pepsi and Coca-Cola often dominate store shelves, and people still queue up when a new Apple store opens or a Starbucks cafe does out of business. Although there was no immediate indication of sales being hit, there's a growing chorus both on social media and offline to buy local and ditch American products after Donald Trump imposed a 50% tariff on goods from India, rattling exporters and damaging ties between New Delhi and Washington. McDonald's, Coca-Cola, Amazon and Apple did not immediately respond to Reuters queries. Manish Chowdhary, co-founder of India's Wow Skin Science, took to LinkedIn with a video message urging support for farmers and to start from South Korea whose food and beauty products are famous worldwide. "We have lined up for products from thousands of miles away. We have proudly spent on brands that we don't own, while our own makers fight for attention in their own country," he said.

Khan Academy & Maha Govt to Empower 62,000+ Schools with Free Digital Tools



**Nagpur 11 August:** Driven by a shared commitment to Maharashtra, Khan Academy India and the Government of Maharashtra have joined forces to bring free, high-quality, curriculum-aligned learning resources to government school students across the state. The 5-year MoU was signed in the presence of the Hon'ble Chief Minister Devendra Fadnis, Hon'ble Education Minister Dadaji Bhuse, and Hon'ble Minister of State Mr. Pankaj Bhoyar, marking a strategic step toward transforming public education through technology. Under the Dr. Jayant Naralikar Learning Enhancement Program for Math and Science, Khan Academy's digital resources will be implemented across 62,000+ government schools. Under this program, students across the state will have free, lifetime access to Khan Academy's world-class content for maths and science in Marathi and English, fully aligned with the state curriculum. Khan Academy India will work closely with the School Education and Sports Department to ensure this digital content reaches all schools, teachers, and students across the state. Further, the department and Khan Academy intend to actively engage parents to enable the continuation of learning at home using the Khan Academy platform. Speaking at the event, Hon'ble Chief Minister Devendra Fadnis shared that the partnership marks a crucial step toward making education more engaging, inclusive, and effective for students across Maharashtra. He went on to share, "this partnership will play a vital role in nurturing curiosity, strengthening foundational learning, and unlocking the full potential of every young learner". Echoing this vision, Shri Ranjit Singh Deol, Principal Secretary, School Education and Sports Department, added, "This collaboration is a milestone on our efforts to advance STEM education through technology. By working closely with Khan Academy, we aim to empower teachers, engage parents, and ensure that every student has access to high-quality learning resources — both in classrooms and at home." "Our journey to Maharashtra began with 488 schools, and we are now set to scale across the entire state. This partnership is a testament to our shared belief that education is the foundation of growth and transformation, not just for individuals, but for entire communities," said Swati Vasudevan, Managing Director, Khan Academy India. "It makes me incredibly proud to witness this rapid growth as we work together with our partners in Maharashtra to build a future where every child, regardless of their background, can access world-class education and thrive." "With students at the heart of our mission, this partnership is a bold step toward reimagining what's possible in public education. By offering free, world-class learning resources through Khan Academy's platform, designed to support both self-paced learning and classroom teaching, we aim to unlock every child's potential. Together with the state, we are equipping teachers with the tools, training, and support they need, and also nurturing a generation of learners ready to shape a brighter, more equitable future. Khan Academy's program in Maharashtra is supported by Shell India Markets Private Limited and Cognizant Foundation.

EDITORIAL

Clear the air on 'vote theft'



Led by Rahul Gandhi, the Opposition is sticking its neck out in a bid to corner the Election Commission of India (ECI). Even as the Congress and other parties continue to oppose the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls in Bihar, Rahul has accused the poll panel of committing vote theft in league with the BJP during the 2024 Lok Sabha elections. He has given the example of Karnataka's Mahadevapura Assembly constituency, where around one lakh votes were allegedly stolen, leading to an 'unexpected' defeat for the grand old party. Rahul has also mentioned the modus operandi — duplicate voters, fake or invalid addresses, 50-60 people recorded as living at a single address, etc.

Op Sindoor losses must be counted, too

Operation Sindoor was a demonstration of the Indian Air Force's reach and precision. In a coordinated campaign, it downed five Pakistani fighter jets and a large military aircraft. The IAF also struck hangars in Jacobabad and Bholari inside Pakistan. Reports are that some US-made F-16s, which were under maintenance at a hangar, may have been damaged. In Bholari, another AEW&C aircraft, or a spy plane, is also believed to have been damaged. These were significant blows to Pakistan's air capability — the kind that should inspire national pride. But amid these victories, there is a missing chapter in the story. The Chief of Defence Staff, Gen Anil Chauhan, has earlier acknowledged that the IAF suffered aircraft losses during the operation. But no figures have been made public. Why?

ENTERTAINMENT

Srishti Jain & Amandeep Sidhu seek blessings at Jyotirlinga Kashi Vishwanath

**Mumbai 11 August:** Having brought to life several powerful stories, Zee TV continues to present narratives that reflect the strength and spirit of modern India. In line with its refreshed brand philosophy, Aapka Apna Zee TV, the channel is all set to launch a soul-stirring new show, Ganga Mai Ki Betiyan. Featuring strong performances from Shubhangi Latkar as Ganga Mai, Srishti Jain as Sahana, and Amandeep Sidhu as Sneha, the show explores the inspiring journey of a woman who, after being abandoned by her husband for not bearing a son, chooses to raise her daughters with strength, grace, and unwavering dignity. Set against the deeply spiritual and culturally rich backdrop of Varanasi, Ganga Mai Ki Betiyan was shot amidst the bustling ghats and sacred lanes of the city. The makers have stayed true to the city's energy and aura, capturing real moments that reflect the essence of the show. During their schedule, actors Srishti Jain and Amandeep Sidhu visited the revered Jyotirlinga - Kashi Vishwanath Temple. Seeking blessings for their upcoming show, the visit was not just a ritual; it was a deeply spiritual experience that grounded



both actors as they stepped into their emotionally layered characters. While soaking in the city's timeless charm, Srishti and Amandeep also took the opportunity to experience the deeper rhythms of Varanasi, from attending the serene Ganga aarti to boat rides that offered a moment of reflection and quiet time spent with the locals. Every moment in the city adds a deeper emotional layer to their characters and performances. Speaking about it, Srishti Jain said, "I feel deeply grateful to be part of Ganga Mai Ki Betiyan, a show that carries such a powerful emotional heartbeat. Shooting in Varanasi has been a journey unlike anything I've ever experienced, almost otherworldly.

Sanskrit is more than a language, say the Actors!

**Mumbai 11 August:** Sanskrit, often referred to as the "mother of all languages," is a timeless treasure of India's knowledge, values, and traditions. This World Sanskrit Day, & TV actors share how learning the language can help the generations connect with their roots, appreciate classic literature, and embrace moral values that remain relevant even today. These include Paras Arora (Jeetu, Gharwali Pedwali), Himani Shivpuri (Katori Amma, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan), and Rohitashv Gour (Manmohan Tiwari, Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai). Paras Arora, aka Jeetu from the upcoming show Gharwali Pedwali, says, "Sanskrit is not just a

language; it is a gateway to our rich cultural heritage. My journey with Sanskrit has been deeply enriching, helping me understand Indian philosophy, literature, and values. It has taught me discipline, precision, and clarity in thought. As an actor, Sanskrit has been invaluable, especially in my previous shows where the characters demanded a strong command of the language. Delivering Sanskrit dialogues gave me a deep sense of pride and connection to our history. I truly believe that our generation should strive to learn Sanskrit so that we can carry forward our roots, wisdom, and identity, ensuring this priceless legacy

India must find a way to deal with Trump

On July 8, 1853, Commodore Matthew Perry sailed into Tokyo Bay with two steam ships and two sloops with sails. He refused when ordered to move to Nagasaki, the port allowed for foreign ships. Likewise, he would not allow local officials to board his ships, insisting that he had a message from the US President for the Japanese Emperor. Perry's bullying forced Japan to open up on trade, to allow US ships to refuel in Japanese ports, and make other concessions. More importantly, it made Japan (which had only wooden sailing ships) realise the superiority of Western technology. There was confusion and disagreement over what was to be done. There were people who argued against change, some suggested throwing out all foreigners. Eventually, the forces of change won and more than a decade later, under the new and young Emperor Meiji, the country launched root-and-branch reform — of the feudal system, land ownership, the education system and the military, among other changes. The shogunate gave way to what would become known as the Meiji Restoration that began in 1867. Within a generation, Japan became an industrial power and defeated stronger Chinese forces in battle. A decade after that, it defeated imperial Russia. Both those countries were to see their regimes collapse in the wake of the military defeats, while the change that Commodore Perry forced on Japan was to ensure it became part of the front rank of nations. There are lessons in this for India as it confronts its own Perry



moment of US bullying. This is not to defend President Trump's actions, which remain indefensible. India is right to decry his imposition of forbidding tariffs as unfair, unjustified and indeed hypocritical. But our task is not to win the argument, it is to win the economic war. Our weaknesses have been exposed, in as much as we are not able to stand up to Trump as China has done. There is also truth in what Trump says. Cheap Russian oil has been used by refiners to earn extra profits, while the retail consumer has seen no benefit. And our tariffs have been moving in the wrong direction, exposing us to being dubbed the "tariff king". The broader reality is that we have long been an outlier on trade, unable or unwilling to be a part of regional Asian trading arrangements. And despite more than three decades of 6-plus per cent annual economic growth, and a near-quadrupling of per capita income, 90 per cent of our employment is still in the informal sector. That limits both productivity growth and technological progress. While we may have found it diplomatically useful to propagate that this

is now a multi-polar world, and our foreign minister has revelled in highlighting Western double standards, the hard fact is that the world has two primary poles. One of them is adversarial, if not hostile; it has pressured us militarily and squeezed us economically on critical supplies, and might do more of the same. If we now adopt a reflexively hostile stance with the US, we will box ourselves into a corner. We have to find a way to deal with Trump's America, just as we have to find a way to use China's manufacturing prowess for our own purposes. Turning away from both is simply not an option. We have much — too much — at stake with the US. It is our biggest export market for merchandise, the primary market for our services exports, and the leading source of foreign remittances. The technological competence of our engineers has encouraged dozens of large US companies to set up capability centres here, earning us dollars and providing large-scale, high-quality employment. There is also a developing strategic relationship, and an undeniable people-to-people relationship since some five million people of

Indian origin live in the US. We have been the largest beneficiaries of the H1B visa programme, while US universities are the primary target of our students who wish to study abroad. Trump would like to turn the clock back on some of this, and strands of American opinion have turned hostile to work visas and outsourcing/offshoring. Also, Trump has turned on US allies and friends more than on its adversaries (eg attacking India, but not China, on Russian oil creating a trust deficit that will outlast him. Still, what Manmohan Singh once remarked privately remains largely true, that the world opens up to you if you are seen as America's friend. There is simply no country that can take the space that the US occupies. Russia is a useful partner for defence, but the talk of using BRICS and the Global South as alternatives is plainly delusional. So where are we in relation to the 'Restoration' that we need? The Modi government has done well to establish economic stability, build economic infrastructure, radically improve the provision of basic goods and services (tap water, cooking gas, toilets, housing, etc), and create a unique digital infrastructure, but it has not done as well in other areas. The 1991 reforms were half-done, and the so-called second-generation reforms have been fitful and inadequate. We have to ask, for instance, why China has moved from being a large-scale importer of fertiliser to becoming an exporter, while we remain a large importer which now buys from China.

From fasting to festivities: Sony SAB's artists honor the divine birth of Lord Krishna on Janmashtami



**Mumbai 11 August:** As the nation gears up to celebrate the birth of Lord Krishna, Sony SAB's beloved artists Karuna Pandey, Abhishek Verma, Brinda Trivedi, Garima Parihar and Arshi Singh come together to share how Janmashtami continues to hold a special place in their hearts. Known for its vibrant celebrations, traditional rituals, and playful matki phod events, the festival brings with it cherished memories and a spirit of togetherness. The actors open up about the significance of this festival in their lives and how they plan to celebrate it this year. Karuna Pandey, who essays the role of Pushpa in Pushpa Impossible, said, "Janmashtami holds a very special place in my heart. Being a Krishn bhakt, I've always felt a deep spiritual connection with Lord Krishna. Every year, I

observe a fast and perform a simple yet heartfelt pooja at home. There's a beautiful sense of peace and devotion that fills the atmosphere on this day. It's not just about rituals, but about feeling closer to the divine and reflecting on his teachings of love, truth, and righteousness. Celebrating Janmashtami brings immense joy to my soul." Abhishek Verma, who essays the role of Shaurya Sinha in Uff... Yeh Love Hai Mushkil, said, "My mom is a devoted follower of Lord Krishna Bhagwan. She often visits Mathura and Vrindavan, and her faith has always inspired me. As a child, she would dress me up as Krishna, and I still remember going around with her. This festival reminds us of the different roles we play in life and how each one adds to its beauty. Whenever I get the chance, I try to visit Vrindavan with my mom. Janmashtami is a very meaningful festival for me." Brinda Trivedi, who plays the role of Kadambari in Pushpa Impossible, said, "I usually celebrate Janmashtami with my family back home, and it's

always a very special time for us. The preparations begin two days in advance with Randhan Chhath, when my mom cooks a variety of traditional dishes that we eat the next day on Shitala Saptami, setting the perfect festive mood. On Janmashtami, our home is beautifully decorated with flowers, lights, and Krishna idols, and there's a joyful buzz with visitors coming throughout the day. The highlight is the midnight Krishna Janna Pooja, when we all gather to sing bhajans, offer prayers, and welcome the divine birth with devotion. This year, though, I'll miss the celebrations at home as I'll be working. But it's still a meaningful day, I'll be doing what I love most, acting, and we're also completing 1000 episodes of Pushpa Impossible on Janmashtami. So while I won't be with my family, I'll be celebrating with my on-screen family, which is a blessing in itself." Garima Parihar, who plays the role of Deepti in Pushpa Impossible, said, "Growing up, I used to love dressing up as Radha and taking part in little skits at school or in our society. Even now, I make it a point to decorate the temple at home and spend some quiet time with Krishna ji, reflecting on his teachings. For me, this festival is a gentle reminder of love, mischief, and the magic of devotion that keeps us

grounded in the middle of life's chaos." Arshi Singh, who plays the role of Kai Sharma in Uff... Yeh Love Hai Mushkil, said, "Janmashtami is one of the most joyful festivals I look forward to every year! From decorating my home with little jhankis to listening to Krishna bhajans, the energy is so pure and positive. I also keep a fast and stay up for the midnight pooja — that moment when the bells ring and we welcome Krishna ji's birth always gives me goosebumps. It's a day that fills me with peace, hope, and childlike excitement all at once." Watch Uff... Yeh Love Hai Mushkil and Pushpa Impossible every Monday to Saturday, only on Sony SAB.

Soma Rathod strikes a chord with the audience through her comic brilliance in Tummm Se Tummm Tak



**Mumbai 11 August:** Amid the emotional highs and layered storytelling of Zee TV's Tummm Se Tummm Tak, seasoned actress Soma Rathod as Pushpa is emerging as the heart of the show. She is every middle-class mother, who is loving, traditional, and a fiercely protective mose, who not only adds a dose of warmth and laughter but also serves as one of the emotional anchors of the narrative. As Anu's (Niharika Chouksey) ever-watchful mother, Pushpa's world revolves around her daughter's happiness. Whether she's delivering a witty quip or standing as a pillar of strength during tense family moments, her balance of humour and heart resonates strongly with audiences. Known for her impeccable craft, Soma Rathod brings an effortless charm and authenticity to her character, Pushpa. Soma consistently elevates every scene she's in.



## 'Work being done keeping in mind the interests of organisation and members'

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** The board of directors of Yavatmal Zilla Parishad Karmachari Sahakari Patsanstha gave been working to protect the best interests of the organization and its members for the last three years. Meanwhile, the opponents are trying to defame the organization for selfish reasons. Mahesh Sonekar, the president of the organization, informed that he will soon give a concrete answer to their allegations. He was speaking at a press conference organised in Yavatmal. The organization has earned a profit of seven crore thirty-three lakh rupees by making all the necessary provisions as per the government rules. The previous board of directors had passed a resolution in the general meeting held at Mukutban in 2018 and granted the status of general members of the organization to non-employee depositors. And the way was paved for non-employees to be elected to the board of directors of the credit organization and privatized the organization. For this reason, the general members of the organization defeated the previous board of directors in the elections and elected twenty-one directors of Parivartan. In the elections, we had promised the members to amend the bye-laws. Accordingly, immediately after being elected, we have amended the bye-laws to the effect that members of the organization cannot remain members of the organization after retirement, preventing the privatization of the organization. After coming to power, we have made savings by cutting expenses on the same head during the period of three years. During



the previous board of directors, the NPA of the organization was almost 25 crores and it is because they distributed more loans than the norm and the norm during the election period that the NPA of the organization has increased today. After investigating the distribution of loans made according to the norm, it has been revealed that they distributed regular loans to about 177 members even when they were close to retirement. In this matter, we have made a formal complaint to the District Registrar, Cooperative Society, Yavatmal and the allegation that the NPA of the organization is 40 crores is completely false. Due to high retirement rate and lack of new recruitment under the Z.P., the share capital of the organization has partially decreased due to the decrease in members, and it is wrong for the opposition to say that the share capital of the organization has decreased by 6 crores. The previous board of directors had defaulted on a loan of 24 crores, which created financial stress on the credit institution. However, as per the assurance given by the new board of directors, efforts have been made to recover the arrears by doing a hard work. On the contrary, the former chairman and board of

directors had secretly increased the interest rate by one percent during their time and looted the members for almost a year. They should put their hands on their chest and tell all the members of the district what the interest rate of the credit institution 1651, which is under the control of the opposition. The credit institution has increased the accident insurance amount from 20 lakhs to 30 lakhs. Without charging an additional premium, an insurance of three lakhs has been taken out for only 900 rupees. Similarly, keeping in mind the demand of depositors, the interest rate on deposits has been increased by one percent and the maximum interest rate is up to 10 percent. The organization has invested Rs. 167 crore in other banks and for the convenience of the members, it has started branches at Pandharkawada and Arni on rent without doing any construction. It has increased the income of the cooperative building by making an office and painting it at a low cost. It has created locker facilities in its organization and has worked to connect about 400 depositors. The board of directors has worked to provide justice to the backward class employees of the organization by promoting them.

Out of the cases filed under Section 91 during the previous board of directors, it has recovered in about 242 cases and also tried to reduce the NPA by compromising in old cases that had become NPA and the loan has been complied with on the same day the application was made. The press conference was attended by Directors Popeshwar Bhoir, Sharad Ghosh, Mukesh Bhoir, Vinod Kumar Kadam, Ashok Chatap, Pradeep Mohte, Gajanan Poyam, Tupar Atram, Nadeem Patel, Abhijit Thakare, Swapnil Phulmali, Vilas Tonge, Sachin Thakare, Tejas Tiwari, Sunita Gudhane, Vijaya Raut and General Manager Maroti Rajgadkar.

The false news that the institution's deposits are decreasing is being deliberately spread by the former president of the institution and his close aide Asaram Chavan. Today, the institution has deposits of 337 crores and investments of 167 crores.

Therefore, the depositors should not worry in any way. The president of the institution, Mahesh Sonekar, vice president Sanjay Gawande, secretary Sanjay Bihade have appealed to the institution to ensure that their deposits in the institution are very safe and not to fall prey to false promises.

## Maregaon to Mardi road dug, but no construction yet

MAREGAON /

**NAGPUR POST:** The works of repairing the Maregaon to Mardi road was started two months ago by the people's representatives with the foundation stone laying ceremony. But only a few meters of the side strip of this road has been dug. Since further work has not been done, it has become difficult to travel on this road at present. As a result, there is displeasure among the citizens traveling on this route. There is heavy traffic on the Maregaon to Mardi road; but since the road repair work is not getting any momentum, the citizens have to struggle a bit while traveling. There are potholes on the road in many places, and puddles have formed due to accumulation of rainwater. Due to this, students and citizens have to face difficulties while traveling, and the number of



accidents has also increased. A protest was also held on behalf of a political party against this. But displeasure is being expressed due to the system's continued neglect. Drivers are asking questions like why the concerned department rushed to do the foundation stone laying ceremony and digging the side strip when the work on the relevant road was taking time to start.

## Duo arrested for beating businessman and robbing him

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** Two people have been arrested for beating up a businessman and robbing him. The names of the arrested accused are Namdev Chavan, Santosh Chavan, both of Gadad, Parbhani. The accused confessed to the robbery. On July 31, a businessman selling biscuits along with a driver, had beaten up within the city police station limits. After that, they had looted a gold ring weighing 5 grams and cash worth Rs 28,000 from them and fled. A case was registered against the robbers at the city police station and an investigation was started in this case. Meanwhile, the local crime branch team received information while patrolling that the robbers were coming towards Vadad village. Based on this information, the police laid a trap and arrested the robbers Hiran Chavan and his brother Santosh Chavan.

As soon as the police showed their strength, Santosh Chavan confessed to committing the robbery with the help of other accomplices at Palodi in Pusad taluka. A total of 84 thousand worth of valuables, including a two-wheeler used in the crime, four thousand rupees from the house burglary, and two mobile phones, were seized from the accused. Both the accused were handed over to Pusad city police for further investigation. This operation was carried out by a team of Cyber Cell including Dheeraj Bande, Sharad Lohkare, Munna Aade, Santosh Bhorge, Tejab Rankhamb, Subhash Jadhav, Kuna Mundokar, Ramesh Rathod, Sunil Pandage, Ravindra Shiram, Rajagale Jadhav under the guidance of Superintendent of Police Kumar Chinta, Additional Superintendent of Police Ashok Thorat, LCB Police Inspector Satish Chavare.

## One Rakhi of Gratitude: Tree Rakshabandhan programme evokes enthusiastic response

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:

On the occasion of Rakshabandhan festival, a 'One Rakhi of Gratitude.. Tree Rakshabandhan' programme and tree plantation program was organised by the school's Eco Club under the Rashtriya Harit Sena Club at Late Devrao Patil Vidyalaya, Wadgaon Road. In this program organised by the school's Eco Club, students of classes 5 to 10 of the school made environmentally friendly Rakhis and tied Rakhis to the trees in the school premises, trying to convey the message of the importance of trees in the environment and the conservation of trees through this programme. On this occasion, in the presence of the Forest Guard of the Social Forestry Department, Sonal Taksande, tying Rakhis to the trees in the school premises and planting trees in the school premises. Principal Asha Giri gave information about the school's 'Eco Club'

activities

under the Rashtriya Harit Sena program. The school's senior teacher Vidya Chaudhary convinced the students about the importance of trees through lines of poetry and short poems. At the end of the program, mango saplings gifted to the school by the tree-loving couple Prashant Jinnewar and Bhagyalakshmi Jinnewar were planted by dignitaries in the school premises and the message of tree plantation was conveyed. For the success of this entire program, Shrikrishna Bhatkar, Sujata Gedam, Kirti Koshtwar, Vilas Khandare, Vijay Salve, students of Eco Club got



their cooperation. Also, Eco Club members Dhanashree Ingole, Samyak Bhaware, Devyani Ghosalkar, Prashant Savarkar, Purvi Deshmukh, Palak Shirbhate, Anurav Fender, Purva Kadav worked hard for the programme. Students Anushka Hande, Srushti Paturkar, Nainika Chavan, Shrawani Sidam welcomed the guests. Nirmalkumar Khadse, coordinator of the Rashtriya Harit Sena conducted the programme.

## Spectacles distributed at Vidyanketan School



MAREGAON / NAGPUR

**POST:** Under the Mahatma Government National Blindness and Visual Impairment Control Programme, the eyes of the visually impaired girls were examined and spectacles were distributed by the Rural Hospital at Vidyanketan English Medium School and Junior College of Science here.

The spectacles were distributed to the beneficiary students Swara Raksh Bodhankar, Bhagyashree Raju Balki, Payal Vijay Kalaskar, Sanskruthi Sanjay Chaudhary, Shreya Pramod Wandhar, Krish Shaillesh Mubarak, Anushka Vinod Gedam by the hands of Principal Jyotsna Lahuji Bonde. Employee Praveen Aswale cooperated.

## Sisters tied Rakhi to Guardian Minister



YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** Hundreds of beloved sisters from the district gathered to tie Rakhi to the state's Soil and Water Conservation Minister and Guardian Minister of the district, Sanjay Rathod, on the occasion of Raksha Bandhan. The Raksha Bandhan programme was held on Saturday (August 9)

afternoon at the Bachat Bhavan, Baliraja Chetna Abhiyan Hall.

On this occasion, a large number of sisters from across the district tied Rakhi to Guardian Minister Sanjay Rathod. Sanjay Rathod has been celebrating Raksha Bandhan for the last 25 years. Every year, hundreds of sisters come from across the

district to tie Rakhi to him.

After these sisters tied Rakhi, Guardian Minister Sanjay Rathod gave a saree to all the sisters. On this occasion, Shiv Sena's Western Vidarbha Coordinator Parag Pingle, Liaison Chief Harihar Linganwar, Shridhar Mohod, District Chief Gajanan Domale, Rajudas Jadhav, Yashwant Pawar, Mahila Aghadi Liaison Chief Kalinda Pawar, Sanghika Vaishali Masal, etc., along with all Shiv Sena office bearers, Shiv Sainiks and Mahila Aghadi activists were present in large numbers.

## Sanskrit Day celebrated at Vedadharini Vidyalaya



YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** The Sanskrit Day programme was held with enthusiasm at Vedadharini Vidyalaya in Pimpalgaon. On this occasion, Sanidhya Suryavanshi, a student of class VIII, presented the fifteenth chapter of the Shri Bhagavad Geeta.

Vaishnavi Vasekar, Purva Binod presented Ganapati Stotra while Sanket Tarone, Shantanu Tale, Unnati Tikele gave speeches on the occasion of Sanskrit Day. Students of class IX presented Ganesh Vandana, Sanskrit sanwad, Sanskrit speech, Ram Stuti Geet, as well as a welcome note in Sanskrit.

The programme was presided over by the secretary of the organization, Neeraj Dafle.

The programme was conducted under the guidance of Sanskrit subject teacher Bharati Nemade. Palak Gadiya conducted the programme, while Samruddhi Pohdare proposed the vote of thanks.

## Foundation stone laying ceremony of new building organised

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** The Babaji Date Arts and Commerce College in Yavatmal has received a grant of Rs. 5 crore courtesy of the Prime Minister's Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM-USHA) and the Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) and the foundation stone laying ceremony of the new building to be constructed under it was held today on 11 August by the Chairman of the Yavatmal College Trust Vinayak Shrikrishna Date and Sushma Vinayak Date.



On this occasion, the Secretary of the Trust Vijay Kaslikar, Treasurer Mangesh Kelkar, Trustee of Vishuddha Vidyalaya Meera Mangesh Kelkar, Entrepreneur Shashank Deshmukh, Principal Dr. Rajesh Singaru, Vice Principal Dr. Tarachand Kanthale, Construction Contractor Hemant

Agarwal, Engineer Dr. Mahesh Nalamwar as well as Heads of Constituent Institutions Shrikant Parbat, Dr. Amol Deshmukh, Principal Prasad Kulkarni, Meenakshi Kale, Swati Joshi, Asmita Palsokar, Deshkar, Supervisor Devanand Bhise, Vivek Aloni, all the teachers and non-teaching staff of the senior and junior colleges were present. The foundation stone laying ceremony was performed by Ajit Jawalpur.

## Congress holds dharna against arrest of Rahul Gandhi and India Aghadi leaders

YAVATMAL / NAGPUR

**POST:** In protest against the arrest of Opposition Leader Rahul Gandhi in the Lok Sabha and many leaders of India Aghadi, a dharna and anti-government slogans were raised by the Taluka Congress Committee and the City Congress Committee at Samvidhan Chowk in Yavatmal city. On August 11, opposition party leaders were arrested in Delhi, and the Congress alleged that this action was undemocratic, vindictive and oppressive. After the protest, a representation was submitted to the President of India through the District Collector of Yavatmal. In this representation, it is demanded that the arrest of Rahul Gandhi and other leaders be withdrawn immediately.



It is also demanded that the questions raised by the opposition parties be answered through a democratic discussion and that there should be no attempt to suppress the voice

of the opposition in the future. Otherwise, a warning was also given to organise a widespread movement across the district and the state. In this protest, MLA of

Yavatmal constituency Balasaheb Mangulkar, City Congress President Prof. Dr. Bablu alias Anil Deshmukh, Taluka Congress Committee Ramesh

Bhisankar, Agricultural Produce Market Committee Chairman Ravi Dhok, Adv. Seema Telange, Adv. Jaishigh Chavan, Raju Virkhede, Com. Sachin Manwar, Vijay Devtale, Vicky Raut, Raju Chandekar, Zubair Syed, Shubham Shende, Rishabh Gulhane, Snehal Reche, Chhotu Sawai, Vishal Pawde, Datta Hadke, Om Tiwari, Asmat Khan, Jara Khan, Gangadhar Raut, Vasudev Mankar, Arvind Jadhav, Ashok Pusadkar, Kailash Sulbawar, Naeem Peilwan, Kishore Gajbhiye, Manoj Pachghare, Vijay Manekar, Shailesh Gulhane, Congress office bearers and activists were present.

## Bhujalia festival celebrated at Katol with gusto

**Katol 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** On the occasion of Rakhi Purnima, Bhamati Samaj Mahila Mandal Katol organised the Bhujalia festival in the town on Sunday (August 10). The rally was started from the residence of Ganesh Chauhan at the Katol bus stand. The Bhujalia rally of women reached Hanuman lake from the main road stretch of the city with devotees dancing and singing amid the fireworks of band baja and firecrackers. The Bhujalia puja was performed in the pond, after which Rakshabandhan wishes were extended to each other by praying for good health and prosperity. On the occasion of Bhujalia festival, Bhamati Samaj Mahila Mandal Katol organised a cultural programme in Saraswati Nagar.

The programme was presided over by Uday Singh Parmal. President of Akhil Bharatiya Bhamati Samaj Nandkishor Khinchi was the chief guest. Ganesh Singh Chauhan, Gulab Singh Chauhan, Raju Parmal, Narendra Singh Chauhan, Jayeshbhai Desai, Pratap Parmar, Rajendra Parmar were prominently present on the occasion. Garba dance was organized under the leadership of Padma Parmal, Sunita Chauhan,

Mamta Parmar, President of Bhamati Mahila Mandal and Radha Chauhan, besides Madhavi Khinchi. Dance competition was organised under the leadership of Tara Bhardwaj. Debate competition was organised under the leadership of Kanta Parmal, Maya Khinchi, Chhaya Rathod, Chetna Parmal, Varsha Parmal. Shraddha Parmal oversaw the organisation of Rangoli and painting competition.

Running competition was organised under the leadership of Sunaina Chauhan, Parvati Parmal, Bhavana Kachhwaha and Pooja Parmal. Shobha Parmal, Sayali Chauhan, Ankita Khinchi, Poonam Khinchi, Dolly Chauhan, Poonam Parmal, Himanshi Chauhan and Dr. Kajal Chauhan presented a play.

The winners of various events included Ganesh Singh Chauhan and Uday Singh Parmal. The awards were distributed by Narendra Singh Chauhan and Nand Kishor Khinchi.

The programme's proceedings were conducted by Radha Chauhan. Himanshi Chauhan, made efforts for the successful organisation of various events.





## Media played an important role in Quit India Movement: Prof. Kripashankar Chaubey

**Wardha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** Prof. Kripashankar Chaubey, Head of the Department of Mass Communication, Mahatma Gandhi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha has said that media played a very important role in the Quit India Movement of 1942. Prof. Chaubey was addressing a webinar on Media and Quit India Movement organized by Communication Today this evening. He said that Usha Mehta and her colleagues established a secret radio station called Congress Radio in Mumbai during the Quit India Movement of 1942, and it continuously broadcasted the messages of Mahatma Gandhi, Lohia as well as news of the Quit India Movement, on 42.34 meter shortwave every day from 27 August 1942 to 12 November 1942. At that time, the British government had imposed strict censorship on the press, yet Congress Radio demonstrated courage, technical efficiency and patriotism in journalism. Prof. Chaubey said that journalists of print media also showed professional cleverness in the Quit India Movement. Quoting eminent editor Narayan Dutt, Prof. Chaubey



said that on the night of August 8, 1942, while supporting the Quit India resolution of the All India Congress General Assembly in Mumbai, Gandhiji gave the message of 'do or die' to the countrymen in his speech. The next morning, flag hoisting was to take place at the convention venue. Journalists of Mumbai feared that the British government would arrest Gandhiji and other Congress leaders in the darkness of the night. Gandhiji was staying at Birla House in Malabar Hill. Police guards were deployed on the way to Birla House. The journalists consulted among themselves and made a plan. One journalist sat or lay down at some distance on both slopes of Malabar Hill - some dressed up as milk sellers and some as newspaper sellers.

On the morning of 9th August at 4:30 am, as soon as the police arrested Gandhiji and police car along with Gandhiji left the gate of Birla House, the first journalist made a special hand gesture to the second journalist, the second to the third. In this way, in a few minutes, through a series of gestures, the news reached other side of the hill and from there to the offices of newspapers in the Fort area and from there it spread throughout the country. Prof. Chaubey said that newspapers and magazines like Indian Express, Aaj, Vishal Bharat, Harijan published the news of the Quit India Movement courageously. Prof. Sanjeev Bhanawat, editor of Communication Today, gave the introductory speech.

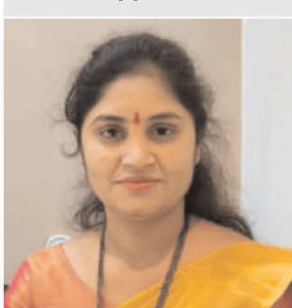
## Rally organised on World Tribal Day in Lava



**Wadi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** A grand rally was organised on the occasion of World Tribal Day on behalf of Jai Birs Adivasi Vikas Society in Lava. The programme began with garlanding the statue of Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar at Ambedkar Nagar. After that, garlanding and flag hoisting was carried out at the statue of Birs Munda. At Sonba Nagar, Kunwar Bhivsen Pen was worshipped and the statue of Birs Munda was garlanded. Also, the statue of Birs Munda was unveiled at Tekdi Wadi. A large number of tribal brethren including Sukhlal Bhalavi, Dinesh Uike, Sachin Salame, Vinod Karnake, Mahesh Dhurve, Shrawan Kulmate, Budharam Kovache, Wadhwa, Bhojraj Pusam, Ramesh Salame, Waril Pusam, Saurabh Wapathi, Rajkumar Borkar, Dhanpal,

Maraskolhe, Mahesh Kursange, Rekhlal Khandate, Pramod Werathi, Jagdish Markam, Manish Uike, Kathoteji, Yashoda Madavi, Sharda Indira Maraskolhe, Kursange, Rekha Kodape, Pendum, Durga Kursange, Lalita Kokonde, Shila Pusam, Shobha Salame were present at the programme venue.

## Jaishree Ingole selected to attend Independence Day parade



**Wadi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Khasala Gram Panchayat Sarpanch Jaishree Dhananjay Ingole has been selected as a special invitee for the Independence Day Parade ceremony to be held in New Delhi on August 15 by the Rural Development Department. She has received this honour for her remarkable work in the field of rural development. Her inclusion among the selected Sarpanches of the state is a matter of pride for Khasala Gram Panchayat and the people of Nagpur district. This honour was received in recognition of development works carried out in diverse fields such as water conservation, greenery, women empowerment, solid waste management, library, and memorial park construction. There is an atmosphere of pride prevailing in the Khasala area as she has got the opportunity to participate in this programme to be held in the presence of dignitaries from the Rashtrapati Bhavan and the Prime Minister's Office.

## Noble initiative undertaken by Yuva Shakti Sports Club

Educational material distributed to students, message of social awareness propagated

**Goregaon 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** An inspiring example of the work carried out by the youth together with the aim of bringing about a positive change in education and society is the makeawish programme being run by Yuva Shakti Sports Club for the last 10 years. As part of this initiative, like every year, this year too, essential educational materials were distributed to about 120 students of all 4 Zilla Parishad Primary Schools of Goregaon town recently. Under this initiative, baskets, notebooks, books, tiffin boxes, school bags and water bottles were provided to the students. Seeing the happiness and enthusiasm on the faces of the students during the distribution of the materials, the faces of the guests and dignitaries present also lit up with satisfaction and pride. This programme was not limited to only distribution of material it was also centred around encouraging education, increasing self-confidence in students and assisting them in building a bright future. It is particularly noteworthy that in making this work successful, continuous support is being received from many eminent people of the town, including Pravin Jain, Fatehsingh Saggi, Ajay Palewar, Arvind Jaiswal, Anil Raut, Nitin Bawar, Gopal Hattimare, Sachin Thakre, Anand Charje, Satish Bawankar, Mayur Korekar, Amol Bhandarikar, Amit Bawane. At the beginning of the programme, the office bearers of Yuva Shakti Sports Club were warmly welcomed by the School Management Committee by presenting them with a flower bouquet. On the occasion, former Mayor Ashish Barewar, Vikas



Barewar, Arvind Jaiswal, Kalavati Bai Jaiswal, Gulabdevi Jain, Pravin Jain, Ravi Thakur, Mayur Katre, Amol Bhendarkar, Ashwin Rukhmode, Fateh Singh Saggi, Amit Bavne, Yogesh Barewar, Om Parise, Gaurav Pardhote, Jai Channe, Samyak Jain, Chinmay Ambade, Pramay Jain, Piyush Barewar, Nitin Rahangdale and the school's Headmistress L. Bisen Madam, Assistant Teachers Suraj Koylare and Diksha Bopche besides other dignitaries were prominently present as special guests. Expressing his views, former Mayor Ashish Barewar said that this school has laid the foundation of my life and career. I received my primary education from here and then went on to pursue higher education. Today I am a skilled engineer, but this school has had a big contribution behind all these accomplishments. Education paves the way for laying the strong foundation of every student's future. If appropriate resources are available, then the student can definitely achieve his goal. Every section of the society should participate in such initiatives and help in shaping the future of children." In the programme, the services rendered by Yuva

Shakti Sports Club in the social, educational and sports sector in the last 10 years were also highlighted. For the last one decade or so, this club has been fulfilling its social responsibility through sports material distribution, educational assistance and carrying out social awareness campaigns. Other youth groups and social organisations of the village are also getting inspiration from their continuous work. The Headmistress of the school praised this initiative of the club and said that in today's time, such initiatives are very important not only for sake of education but also from the point of view of all-round development of students. This work carried out by Yuva Shakti Sports Club is really commendable, which will give new inspiration to the students. The programme was organised by the teachers of the school some of whom in turn conducted its proceedings. In the end, the students thanked all the guests and went home with enthusiasm and happiness with their new educational material. This initiative is being discussed in the entire village and school, due to which a beautiful message of social awareness has been propagated among every person in the society.

## World Tribal Day celebrated with enthusiasm

**Karanja Ghadge 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The World Indigenous and Tribal Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at the taluka level through the joint initiative of Gondwana Adivasi Vicharmanch, All India Employees Federation, and the entire tribal community. The program was chaired by Kusumbai Shyamrao Bhalavi and inaugurated by MLA Sumitdada Wankhede (Arvi Assembly Constituency). Sunitatai Sayam (Tumdam), a Koyapunem preacher and guide, was also present. The event was graced by prominent guests including Ganesh Iwanati (Caste Validity Certificate Committee, Nagpur), Nitatai Gajam (former Zilla Parishad Chairperson), Adv. Manisha Dhurve (Junior Civil and Criminal Court, Karanja Ghadge), Rina Iwanati, Pundalikrao Kumbhare (former Police Patil, Borkhedi), Ramdas Uike (Panchayat Samiti, Karanja Ghadge), and Marotrao Narpache (retired employee). The celebration began with a tree plantation drive at Gulmohar Colony, followed by a cultural rally. Various programs such as art exhibitions, traditional dances, musical performances, and displays highlighting the history of eminent

personalities and the Indigenous Tribal community were organized. Meritorious students from secondary and higher secondary examinations, as well as those successful in competitive exams, were felicitated. For their significant contributions in the social and cultural spheres, Vaishali Kirnake (Bangadapur), Bharatram Dhurve (Karanja Ghadge), Rajkanya Kurmeti, Diliprao Dhurve, Ravji Tulavi, Dasharath Dhurve (Ranwadi), and Babar Rao & Sunanda Kumre (Garpit) were honored. Competitive exam achievers Nikita Uike (PSI), Nandkishor Kumbhare (Prison Teacher), Pranali Karanake (Maharashtra Police), and Manisha Ude (Forest Guard) were also felicitated. In the field of academics, Ms. Suchita Parateki (Nara) secured third place in M.Sc. Botany at Nagpur University; Pranita Malgamb (Mahadapur) stood first in M.Sc. Botany from Nabir College, Katol; and Jaishree Karanake (Mahadapur) was specially honored for securing first division in B.Com and scoring a perfect 100/100 in Advanced Statistics. Cultural performances by the Rani Durgavati Gond Dance Group, Jango Lingo Gond Dance Group, Jai



Gondwana Dance Group, and Koyatur Dance Group added vibrancy to the event. The program was compered by Mangesh Malgamb, with the welcome address by Sudhakar Gajam and a vote of thanks by Nitatai Gajam. The event witnessed an impressive turnout of community members from across Karanja Ghadge taluka.

## Rakhis sent to soldiers deployed on the border; a gift of love, pride, and gratitude indeed

### Students from Kasturba Vidya Mandir salute valiant military personnel

**Sevagram 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** On the auspicious occasion of Raksha Bandhan, the students and Junior Wing NCC cadets of Kasturba Vidya Mandir, Sevagram, prepared rakhis with their own hands and sent them to the Indian soldiers posted on the nation's borders. These rakhis are not just colorful threads, but are woven with the selfless love of sisters, heartfelt prayers, and a deep wish for the safety of their brothers. The program was chaired by Principal Umesh Gaikwad, and the chief guests were Retired Subedar Rangari and Retired Havildar Mahesh Dhole. Also present were Program Coordinator Anjali Thakre and Teacher Representative Namrata Lakhe. Addressing the students, Principal and NCC Officer Umesh Gaikwad said, "Soldiers are the true guardians of the nation."



prepared the rakhis with great dedication and love. Each rakhi expressed their emotions. When the soldiers receive these, it will surely bring warmth to their hearts." Teacher Representative Namrata Lakhe added, "This initiative not only enhanced the creativity of the students but also gave them a true understanding of sacrifice, courage, and love for the nation. This small gift from sisters will be priceless for the soldiers." Retired Subedar Rangari and Retired Havildar Mahesh Dhole shared their views, saying that such initiatives instill respect and honor for soldiers and the nation in the minds of students. They added that

when society stands behind them, it gives soldiers the strength to fight. Both guests also inspired the students by narrating tales of soldiers' valor. School Captain Arya Bhandarkar was present while handing over the rakhis. While sending the rakhis to the soldiers on the border, the special presence of Retired Subedar Rangari and Retired Havildar Mahesh Dhole from the Mahar Regiment was notable. Students from the 21 Maharashtra Battalion NCC, Scouts & Guides, Eco Club, Green Army, and classes 1 to 10 participated enthusiastically. The success of the program was ensured by the dedicated efforts of teachers and staff members including Jayashree Zhade,

Sonal Gundsundare, Bharti Gedam, Vijaya Ghome, Trupti Jameenkar, Vaishali Vairagade, Priti Uike, Anita Sarve, Yogeshwari Turale, Priti Gaorkhede, Rekha Navhare, Sunanda Kalbande, Archana Babhulkar, Kiran Gaorkhede, Prashant Meshram, along with other teaching and non-teaching staff. Finally, the students prayed for the safety of the soldiers. The program was anchored by Scout Guide student Ku. Shiksha Ravindra Dhole, while the vote of thanks was delivered by NCC cadet Anushka Rashttrapal Thul.

## Painful sighs of small street vendors forces one to do soul searching

**Nagpur 11 August:** Small street vendors often suffer significant losses. People frequently pick peanuts or other items from their carts without paying, causing a daily loss estimated at around Rs 20-Rs 30. For vendors surviving on minimal daily sales, this loss shatters their income. Many can't tolerate this and sigh in pain, but all they can utter is a helpless "Sir!" because what else can a poor and struggling person say? From a moral perspective, no one has the

## Licenses of 4 Krushi Seva Kendras suspended

**Bhandara 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** Fertiliser licenses of 4 Krushi Seva Kendras in Bhandara district have been temporarily suspended due to non-compliance of stocks during a surprise inspection carried out by the district flying squad of the agriculture department. The action was taken under the leadership of In-charge District Superintendent of Agriculture Officer Kishor Patrikar.

The newly appointed quality inspectors in Bhandara district have conducted an extensive inspection and have completed the inspection of 137 retailers and 13 wholesalers. At the taluka level of Bhandara district, notices have also been issued by the quality inspectors to 31 Krushi Kendras and further action will be taken against them after gathering of further evidence. According to information received from the Department of Agriculture, it was clarified that it is the responsibility of the sellers to follow the appropriate government guidelines, and strict action will be taken if any stocking related irregularities or malpractices are found.

License revoking period and Krushi Seva Kendras on which action has been taken are as follows: Jai Bharat Krushi Kendra, Ganeshpur - 15 days, RM Krushi Kendra, Navargaon - 30 days, Parmatma Ek Krushi Kendra, Mohadur - 10 days, Pawan Krushi Kendra, Khapa - 15 days. After selling fertiliser, it is necessary to update the information in the POS machine as per the guidelines. If this information is not updated and the concerned seller is found to have a large stock of fertiliser accumulated, then there could be a question about how the demand came from the concerned district even after the central government also had provided fertilisers. Against this backdrop, appropriate action has been taken, said Kishor Patrikar, in-charge, District Superintendent Agriculture Officer, Bhandara.

right to take even a small amount of food from these vendors' carts without paying—even if it's just a radish, cucumber, bitter gourd, brinjal, or green peas. Senior citizen Dr. M.A. Rasheed suggests that vendors selling simple items like coconuts, sesame laddoos, puffed rice snacks, or papdi don't make significant profits, nor do ordinary vegetable sellers earn much. Hence, we should never take any items from their stalls without paying, nor should we even ask for them for free.

## Uniforms distributed to students at Lokmanya Tilak Higher Secondary School, Brahmapuri



### A student receives a uniform as dignitaries look on

**Brahmapuri 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** At Lokmanya Tilak Higher Secondary School, a uniform distribution programme was organised for the newly admitted students of classes V and VI on Monday (August 11). The programme began with the garlanding of the portrait of Goddess Saraswati by the dignitaries. On the occasion, the students of middle school presented the welcome song, Subhashit, Amritvachan, while Ram Dalal explained the significance of the uniform. The programme was presided over by the President of Swami Vivekanand Shikshan Sanstha, former legislator Prof. Atul Deshkar. The chief guests were the Secretary Prof. Satish Shinkhede and Dr. Mukul Roy Ayurvedic Expert, Brahmapuri, Principal Vilas Dongde Sir, Vice Principal Ravi Prashantwar Sir, Supervisor Prajakta Chinchalkar Madam and In-charge Teacher Vijay Sonkusare who were present on the stage.

Principal Vilas Dongde introduced the guests of the programme to the attendees. The presiding dignitary of the programme, Atul Deshkar, in his speech, told the students the importance of uniform and asked them to work hard. Dr. Mukul Roy told the students to take care of their health and emphasised before the students the importance of Ayurveda. Satish Shinkhede said that the school uniform of a student is the pride of the school.

He said that students' behavior must be as clean as their uniforms. A uniform creates a sense of team spirit. He explained the importance of uniform and emphasised before the students the need to follow a disciplined approach. Vijay Sonkusare conducted the proceedings of the programme. Vivek Bitpalliwar proposed the vote of thanks. The programme concluded with the singing of Vande Mataram. The uniform distribution programme was supported by teachers and non-teaching staff.



## Union Minister Nitin Gadkari launches ANTHE 2025 in Nagpur

**Nagpur 11 August:** Marking 16 successful years of transforming student aspirations into achievements, Aakash Educational Services Limited (AESL), the national leader in test preparatory services, proudly announces the launch of its flagship initiative—ANTHE 2025 (Aakash National Talent Hunt Exam).



The occasion was graced by Hon'ble Union Minister Shri Nitin Gadkari, Minister of Road Transport and Highways, Govt of India, adding significance to the milestone and reiterating the crucial role of education in nation-building. One of the most awaited annual events in the Indian academic calendar, ANTHE 2025 aims to empower students from Classes V to XII to rise above challenges and emerge as true problem solvers.

Other dignitaries present were Dr Mrunal Pathak, Dean (Academics), AIIMS Nagpur apart from senior officials from AESL.

Carrying forward its mission of democratizing access to quality education, ANTHE 2025 offers up to 100% scholarships worth Rs 250 Crore in total to Classroom, Aakash Digital and Invictus Courses, along with significant cash awards worth Rs 2.5 Crore helping students achieve their dreams of a successful career in medicine or engineering. The exam opens the door for students to avail the best coaching for competitive exams like NEET, JEE, State CETs, NTSE, and Olympiads, offered by Aakash's expert faculty.

Adding to this commitment, Aakash is also launching the Invictus Ace test, a scholarship exam for admission to the Aakash Invictus JEE Advanced preparation program for students from Classes 8 to 12 studying. The national-level eligibility-cum-scholarship test will be conducted on August 24, August 31, and September 7, 2025. The three-hour test (10:00 AM to 1:00 PM), available in both online and offline modes, carries a Rs 300 application fee. Those who perform exceptionally well will be rewarded with scholarships of up to 100% and exciting cash prizes. Aakash Invictus is available to students at exclusive Invictus Centres in Delhi-NCR, Chennai, Bengaluru, Lucknow, Meerut, Prayagraj, Dehradun, Bhopal, Jaipur, Indore, Ahmedabad, Chandigarh, Rohtak, Hyderabad, Namakkal, Coimbatore, Bhubaneswar, Ranchi, Trichy, Vizag, Mumbai, Kolkata, Durgapur & Patna.

Mr. Deepak Mehrotra, CEO and MD of Aakash Educational Services Limited (AESL), remarked, "ANTHE has become a symbol of possibility for students across India.

Over the past 16 years, we have enabled meritorious students to pursue their dreams, regardless of financial background or location. At Aakash, we believe every student has the potential to become a problem solver, someone who can think critically, face challenges head-on, and create impact. ANTHE 2025 continues this legacy by providing deserving students with the resources, support, and motivation to rise and shine. With our wide network and hybrid learning approach, we are making quality education truly inclusive and outcome-focused. From this year onwards, we are also launching the Invictus Ace Test for Scholarship & admission to the prestigious Aakash Invictus course for Advanced JEE preparation, that has been thoughtfully designed to evaluate students' understanding of core concepts and their preparedness for competitive exams."

ANTHE has been instrumental in nurturing several top achievers over the years. In 2025, more than one million students appeared for the exam, making it one of the largest scholarship tests in the country. Many of AESL's current toppers began their academic journey with ANTHE. Notably, this year 22 out of Top 100 in NEET and 10 out of Top 100 in JEE Advanced 2025 started their journey through ANTHE.

The examination will be conducted both online and offline, ensuring flexibility and reach for students across India. The online mode of ANTHE 2025 will be available from October 4 to 12, 2025, during which students can take the test at their convenience by selecting a one-hour slot. The offline exam will be conducted on 5th and 12th October 2025, at over 415 Aakash centres located in 26 states and union territories.

Registrations for ANTHE 2025 are now open. Students can register online at <https://anthe.aakash.ac.in/home> or visit their nearest Aakash centre. The examination fee is Rs 300 for both online and offline modes. A flat 50% discount is available for those who apply early. The last date to submit the application form is three days prior to the chosen online exam date and seven days before the selected offline exam date. Admit cards will be issued five days before the respective exam dates.

## Municipal Council contractual sanitation workers commence indefinite half-naked protest

**Washim 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** According to the tender dated June 6, 2025, the Ghandagadi sweeper workers, vehicle drivers and tractor sweeper workers who were previously working should be given priority and they should be employed as before and their hunger strike should be stopped. These workers have started an indefinite half-naked chain hunger strike in front of the Washim District Collectorate on Monday in order to demand that they be given priority and their hunger strike should be stopped.

The concerned memorandum states that in Washim city, about 90 drivers and sanitation workers were appointed by the Municipal Council of Washim to collect garbage through 'Ghandagadi' vehicles. All these workers had been doing their work faithfully for the last 10 to 12 years and their families were earning their livelihood on the basis of this work. However, from July 25, 2025, these workers were suddenly fired from their jobs and the contractors hired other workers in their place. However, when the old workers demanded minimum wages from the Municipal Council, the Municipal Council administration rejected their demand. However, all these 90 workers are ready to work as per old wages. These workers have performed their duty well even during the Coronavirus pandemic, risking their very lives. However, while implementing the new tender's guidelines, these old and experienced workers are being appointed without giving priority to these workers and new workers are being appointed. This is an instance of injustice being meted out to the old and experienced workers and this decision has adversely affected their rights and privileges. In addition, since the Municipal Council has fired them from their jobs, all the sanitation workers are visiting the municipal council office every day, complaining that their



families are on verge of starvation, but no one is ready to listen to their grievances. The sanitation inspectors are turning a blind eye to this issue, while the chief officer never comes to the office. Since the contractor concerned is from outside the village, he does not even visit the premises. Therefore, the question has arisen as to whom the workers should go to seek redressal of grievances and seek solution against the injustice being meted out to them. Considering this serious situation, the municipal council should give priority to the old and experienced workers in the new tender and ensure that they get back to work. This demand has been mentioned in the memorandum submitted during this protest demonstration. Arjun Nemade, Amar Chaudhary, Santosh Kale, Rahul Dhoke, Ravi Pathade, Manoj Ghatge, Ganesh Ingole, Yogesh Apte, Ganesh Gore, Altaf Chaudhary, Sudhir Borkar, Madhav Kuchekar, Jaydeep Dhoke, Krishna Nemade, Sheikh Salim Sheikh Gulab, Vilas Dhale, Raju Khandare, Nandu Jairav, Rama Bhongal, Akash Ingole, Yogesh Dhebdhe, Sanjay Chavan, Amol Samudre, Kedarnath Rankhamb, Bhima Girhe, Deepak Khandare, Vijay Gawli, Laxman Gawli, Rameshwar Sutare and others are participating in the half-naked protest demonstration.

## Farmers' issues resolved



**Washim 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** 'Vatsagulm Shetkari Samvad' was organised at Washim Tehsil Office on Monday in order to immediately resolve issues of farmers. Complaints regarding agricultural land distribution, farmsteads, counting and other aspects were resolved on the occasion and guidance on important issues was also imparted. Tehsildar Nilesh Palaskar, Assistant Police Inspector Sridevi Patil were present on the occasion. A platform for direct communication between the administration and farmers has been provided through this initiative, and more and more farmers in the district have been appealed to avail benefit of the initiative.

## Alertness of RPF Nagpur Division saves two minor children



**Nagpur 11 August:** In Nagpur Division, the Railway Protection Force (RPF) once again demonstrated its commitment to passenger safety, especially the protection of children, by promptly rescuing two minors in separate incidents. In the first case, the Nagpur Divisional Security Control Room received information that a minor girl was travelling alone in Train No. 19344 Panchvati Express. Acting immediately, the RPF Amla Post team reached the designated station and safely deboarded the girl. Upon inquiry, it was found that she was travelling alone due to family circumstances.

After completing the necessary documentation, she was handed over to the One Stop Centre at Betul, where her care was ensured in the presence of child protection officials. In the second case, while locking the empty rake of Train No. 12119 Intercity Express

stationed at Ajni Railway Yard, railway staff noticed a minor boy sleeping inside a coach. Upon waking him, it was learned that he had strayed from home and boarded the wrong train, reaching Nagpur.

Unable to contact his family, the RPF Ajni Post took care of the boy with sensitivity, got him medically examined, and sent him to the Government Juvenile Home, Nagpur. As per legal procedure, he will be presented before the Child Welfare Committee.

These incidents reflect the RPF Nagpur Division's alertness and humane approach, proving that the force is not only vigilant in preventing crime but also plays a crucial role in the safety and care of vulnerable and needy children. Passengers are urged to report any suspicious situations or unaccompanied children immediately to the RPF Helpline 139.

## Zilla Parishad Karmachhari Patsanstha members staged a sit-in protest



**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** The board of directors of the Yavatmal Zilla Parishad Karmachhari Sahakari Patsanstha have reached the peak of corrupt management and the board has started huge financial exploitation of the members. Hundreds of members of the district staged a sit-in protest today against the corrupt management of this board of directors. The statistics submitted by the Patsanstha is misleading the members and many NPA accounts have been hidden. Although the interest on the NPA accounts cannot be taken as income, it has been taken as income by charging interest in the name of many members. The share capital of the organization has

decreased, the deposits of the organization have decreased, the loan distribution of the organization has decreased, the members of the organization have decreased, but the expenses of the organization have increased tremendously. Overall, the fabrications being carried out by the board of directors will one day bring the credit society to a standstill, so the members have now awakened and taken up the weapon of agitation against these corrupt directors. Hundreds of members protesting in front of the Patsanstha demanding that the increased interest rates be reduced, compound interest be stopped and

## Narayani Shakti Foundation members celebrate Rakshabandhan with military personnel



**Nagpur 11 August:** All the members and office bearers of Narayani Shakti Foundation celebrated Raksha Bandhan with soldiers by tying Rakhi to military personnel brethren in the main office in front of Kasturchand Park. Raksha Bandhan was celebrated in the presence of senior officials Brigadier Walimbe and Colonel RK Tiwari.

The President of the organisation, Dr. Premalata Tiwari, while mentioning about the sacrifices and contributions of our brave soldiers, said that today we are breathing in peace under the opensky because of these brave armed forces personnel who protect us despite hostile conditions and being far away from their kin. Dr. Tiwari prayed for their long life, happiness, prosperity and robust health. Ekta Sharma gave a charming



presentation of her own self-composed beautiful Rakhi song, which brought tears on the eyes of the soldiers. Sushma Agrawal and Dr. Rupinder Chatwal too presented a beautiful patriotic poem. All brothers were given coconuts and sweets after tying Rakhi. All the members of Narayani Shakti Foundation in turn gave them their blessings. Manoj Ojha, Meenal Dehadrai, Ekta Sharma, Meera Kulkarni, Hemlata Tiwari, Mridul Kashyap, Vandana Gupta, Kiran Hatwar, Sushma Agrawal, Jassi Darodkar, Madhuri Tiwari, Kamini Chaturvedi, Sunita Dubey, Sujata Dubey, Chhaya Shrivastava, Shalini Upadhyay, Manjeet Kaur, Shalu Mishra, Vanita Bondre, Anita Gaikwad, Chandrakala Bharti, Lakshmi Verma, Varsha Palatkar, Santosh Budhraj, Amita Shah, Sushma Sharma and other members and office bearers were present on the occasion. The military personnel in turn extended best wishes to them on the occasion of Rakshabandhan.

## Fire affected young entrepreneurs of Shembalpimpri rebuild businesses with support from Sharad Maind



**Pusad 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The young tailoring entrepreneurs of Shembalpimpri, whose shops were completely gutted in a devastating fire caused by a short circuit on the night of July 17, have successfully resumed their businesses with timely assistance from Pusad Urban Bank President Sharad Maind. The fire had destroyed the shops of Gajanan Ragoji Dakhore, Kundalik Sambhaji Taske, Santosh Balaram Kagale, and Vijay Sambhaji Thorat, causing heavy losses. On July 19, Sharad Maind personally visited Shembalpimpri to meet the four affected shopkeepers and inspect the damage. To help them restart their businesses, Bharati Maind Credit Society provided each entrepreneur with an immediate loan of Rs 50,000 at a low interest rate, along with Rs 5,000 in direct financial aid. Thanks to this dual support, all four were able to rebuild their shops, which were inaugurated on August 4 by Sharad Maind himself. During the event, Sarpanch Ravindra Mahale praised Maind's generosity, describing him as a person who extends a helping hand to those in need. Prominent attendees included Bhau Wakde, Sangram Deshmukh, Matin Pahlwan, Imran Khan, Yashwantrao Chaudhary, Premrao Deshmukh, Dhut Kaka, Suryawansi, Lalit Chavan, Nandu Deshmukh, and Jayashri Deshmukh. The shopkeepers, speaking emotionally, criticised the absence of the local MLA and other village leaders during their time of distress. "When elections come, they beg for votes, but in this crisis, not even a representative came to meet us."

It was only Sharad Maind who stood by us in time, helping us restart our livelihoods," they said.

## Bags & notebooks distributed at Shri Vishwanath Baba High School



**Wadi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** At Shri Vishwanath Baba High School, an effort was made to distribute free notebooks to all students from classes VIII to X, and school bags to meritorious students, by the office bearers of Green City Samajik Sanstha.

The programme was attended by the president of the organisation Shyamkumar Jaiswal, CEO Jugalkishor Jaiswal, Principal Rajesh Bidwai, office bearers of Prayas Green City Samajik Sanstha, Vinod Kochar, Rajendra Soni, Bharat Mehta, Jagdish Soni, Anand Kochar, Ashok Savarkar, Kamal Agrawal, Gunwant Patel, Vasant Panchal, Ashok Bamb, Cyber Crime Branch, Nagpur officer Shradha Dhomne.

On the occasion, Jugalkishor Jaiswal, Principal Rajesh Bidwai and Shradha Dhomne imparted guidance to the students.

Sandeep Upase conducted the proceedings of the programme. Vijaya Borkute proposed the vote of thanks. On the occasion, teachers Indira Mohatkar, Chavan, Vijaya Borkute, Akhre, Khushi Ganvir, Kirti Chawake, teachers Jaykishor Jaiswal, Satish Jaiswal, Vijay Jaiswal, Umesh Dadmal, Swapnil Jaiswal, Ashok Jambhale, Vivek Chaudhary, Prof. Ashok Dongarkar, Prof. Sudhakar Ladke, Prof. Baldev Rathod, Dilip Talhade as well as teaching and non-teaching staff were prominently present.

## Mega Health Camp & Blood Donation Camp organised at Police Station Salekasa



**Gondia 11 August (NAGPUR POST/DC):** Under the 'Dadlora Khidki' scheme, the Gondia District Police continuously undertake various welfare and innovative initiatives for the benefit of the public, especially in the welfare of people from Naxal-affected areas. As part of this effort, under the vision of Mr. Gorakh Bhamre, Superintendent of Police, Gondia, and the guidance of Mr. Abhay Dongre, Additional Superintendent of Police, Gondia Camp Deori, and Mr. Pramod Mahame, Sub-Divisional Police Officer, Amgaon, a Mega Health Camp and Grand Blood Donation Camp was

organized for the citizens of Salekasa area as well as police officers/staff and their families.

The camp was jointly organized by the Gondia District Police, Rotary Club of Nagpur South East, and Shalini Tai Medhe Hospital & Research Center, Wanadongri, Nagpur, on 11 August 2025 at Police Station Salekasa. The aim was to ensure good health for the underprivileged and tribal residents of the remote and interior areas of Salekasa taluka. A total of 397 men and women availed health check-up services, while 25 male donors donated blood. Patients requiring further treatment were referred and

transported free of cost by ambulance to Shalini Tai Medhe Hospital, Nagpur. The event was graced by Police Inspector Bhushan Burade, Rotary Club of Nagpur South East Chairman Rajeev Varbhe, Director Praveen Dhole, and Hospital Administrative Officer Dr. Ashwin Radke as chief guests. The successful execution of the program was ensured by P. Bhushan Burade, HC Ritesh Agnihotri, PC Jitendra Pagarwar, WPC Kalpana Rahangdale, and from the Gondia Naxal Cell, PC Sanjay Katre and PC Umesh Gayachne. The anchoring of the event was done by PC Bhaskar Harinkhede.



## ZP Karmachari Sahakari Patsanstha's NPA is 40 crore!

**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** The NPA of Zilla Parishad Karmachari Sahakari Patsanstha has reached 40 crores. The organization has misled the members by showing bogus profits without making provisions as per the law in the gross profit. Asaram Chavan, a member of the organization, informed the press conference that the number of deposits has been increased by showing bogus deposits of 53 crores in the organization. The board of directors of the transformation panel has become controversial. In three years, the members have lost crores. Hundreds of the deposits of the organization have decreased by 50 crores. The share capital of the organization has decreased by 6 crores. The loans from the members have decreased by 50 crores. The number of members has decreased by 2 thousand. However, the NPA of the credit institution has gone from 17 to 40 crores in three years. Asaram Chavan said. During the tenure of the previous board of directors, 300 crores of loans were disbursed. At that time, there were 17 crores of NPAs, i.e. 5 percent NPA. Now there are 240 crores of loans and 40 crores of NPAs, i.e. 20 percent NPA. It is well known that an institution with 20 percent NPA is in



danger. In which an investment of 100 crores has been made. The same credit institution is heading towards financial decline due to taking deposits of 53 crores from the institution and inflating the deposit figures, spending Rs. 50 lakhs in the name of providing locker facilities, taking loans from Tirumala Credit Institution at 21 percent interest rate, showing bogus profits without making necessary provisions from profits, taking lakhs in advance, lending thousands of rupees to members' accounts in the name of recovery expenses, depositing money of many members, distributing loans outside the scope of the scheme to favored people, wasting lakhs in the name of travel expenses, petty expenses, office expenses and stationery expenses, etc. He also said. Asaram Chavan said that the complaint of illegal activities and arbitrariness in the credit society was made by the vigilant director of the ruling

board of directors, Nadeem Patel, to the district deputy registrar, which in a way sealed the corrupt management of the credit society.

Anit Sartabe, Shashikant Khadse, Praveen Darekar were present at the press conference.

It is completely false and misleading to say that illegal loan distribution increased by crores during the tenure of the previous board of directors. During our tenure, many outstanding loans have been recovered and cases have been filed against outstanding members.

The opposition should stop repeatedly misleading the members and depositors without any basis. The deposits of the organization are regular. The allegations made by the opposition are baseless, said Mahesh Sonekar, President, Yavatmal Zilla Parishad Karmachari Sahakari Patsanstha

## Farmer loses Rs 60 thousand in ATM card swap fraud

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Two unidentified youths tricked a farmer into swapping his ATM card, leading to a loss of nearly Rs 60,000 in an incident that occurred on June 16, 2025. CCTV footage of the incident was obtained on August 7, 2025, prompting

police to intensify their search for the culprits. According to the complaint lodged by Morshi Police Station by 68-year-old farmer Damodar Wamanrao Andhare of Dapori, the fraud took place between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on May 15, 2025. The victim had gone to

check his account balance when two strangers cleverly exchanged his ATM card. They then withdrew Rs 40,000 and Rs 20,300 from FUELS Morshi using the stolen card. A case under IPC Section 303(2) has been registered. CCTV footage shows two men, aged 30-35,

swapping the card from behind the victim. Police have released their photographs and appealed to the public to provide any leads. Contact numbers: PI Rahul Athawale - 9923403731, API Akash Shiwankar - 9405969330, Morshi Police Station - 7228222228.

## Govt contemplating flights from Belora Airport to Pune, Surat, and Bengaluru

**Dhamangaon Railway 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Following the launch of the Belora-Mumbai flight service on April 16, plans are underway to connect Belora Airport with Pune, Surat, and Bengaluru, according to Union Minister of State for Civil Aviation Murlidhar Mohol. MLA Pratap Adsad met Mohol in Delhi to discuss the matter and also requested that local youth be given priority for employment

at the upcoming pilot training centre, set to be the largest in Asia. Mohol assured Adsad that both demands would receive positive consideration and decisions would be taken in due course. During their meeting, Adsad and Mohol also discussed issues related to the co-operative sector. The Minister fondly recalled past memories from their days in the Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha.

## Sanskrit Bhushan Award conferred upon MLA Pratap Adsad



**Dhamangaon Railway 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** MLA Pratap Adsad has been honoured with the prestigious Sanskrit Bhushan Award by the Ramayana Research Council in Delhi. He received this recognition for taking his oath of office in Sanskrit upon being elected to the Maharashtra Legislative Assembly. The felicitation ceremony was presided over by Param Pujya Shri Shri 1008 Mahamandaleswar Paramhans Swami Sandipendra Maharaj. Among the chief guests were representatives from Maa Baglamukhi Temple, Nalkhed, Madhya Pradesh; programme convenor and Member of Parliament from Uttarakhand and former Union Minister Ajay Bhatt; Kumar Sushant; Param Pujya Yogi Satyam Maharaj; Swami Premanand; Mamata Das from Kolhapur; Swami Yatinand Giri Maharaj from Meerut; and Swami Yogi Arun Devdatt Sharma, Trustee.

## Swift action by newly appointed Morshi Tehsildar brings sand smuggling to a halt

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** In a decisive move against illegal minor mineral extraction and inter state smuggling, newly appointed Morshi Tehsildar Sagar Dhawale has launched an intensive crackdown, striking fear among sand smugglers. Under his guidance, a special flying squad has been formed to curb such activities.

On August 7, Tehsildar Dhawale, Naib Tehsildar Charudatt Patil, Mandal Officer Giripunje, Gram Revenue Officer Manohare, and Kum. Bhumika Vidhale intercepted an unregistered dumper transporting sand from Morshi towards

Amravati. The chase ended near Pawar Colony between Shirakhed and Lehegav, where the dumper driver offloaded the sand on the spot and fled towards Amravati. Following the orders of Tehsildar Dhawale, Gram Revenue Officer Vidhale distributed the seized sand free of cost to seven beneficiaries of the government housing scheme from Lehegav, Akhatwada, Laddibud, and Shirakhed, at the rate of one brass per beneficiary. Grateful recipients expressed thanks to the officials and staff. This bold action has sent a strong warning to those engaged in illegal smuggling.

## Rahul Gandhi's allegations stem from frustration: Legislator

**Dhamangaon Railway 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Reacting to recent statements by Congress leader and Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi, MLA Pratap Adsad accused Congress of targeting the BJP-led Mahayuti alliance, allies, and even the Election Commission out of political frustration following repeated defeats. Adsad said that Gandhi refrains from making such remarks when victorious, but after losing elections—such as the recent Assembly polls—he resorts to unfounded allegations. Adsad criticised Gandhi for acting as a

"puppet in the hands of extreme leftists" and undermining public trust in constitutional institutions, both domestically and internationally.

Highlighting the achievements of the Mahayuti government in the past three and a half years, Adsad said numerous welfare initiatives had benefited farmers, women, and unemployed youth, leading to electoral success for the alliance.

He claimed that Congress's "false narratives" had been exposed, resulting in their poor performance in the Assembly.

## Emotional musical tribute marks former Pusad Mayor's death anniversary observance

**Pusad 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** An emotional atmosphere prevailed at the memorial event held in honour of late Vidarbha leader and former Pusad Municipal Council President Vishwanathsingh "Bhaiyyaji" Bayas on his 21st death anniversary. The programme, organised jointly by the Vishwanathsingh Bayas Multipurpose Society and the Deshbhakt Shankarrao Sarnayak Public Library, was held at the Sudhakar Naik Auditorium of the library. The event began with former Pusad Deputy Mayor Dr. Akil Memon performing a floral tribute to Bhaiyyaji's portrait. Renowned devotional singer Deepak Nile from Digra, accompanied by tabla artists Prashant Atram and Rupak Atram, organist Mahesh Ingle, and singers Akshara Savarkar and

Nayan Londhe, rendered soulful Hindi and Marathi devotional songs. The performance of the iconic duet "Jate Jate Raste Mein Yaadein Chhod Jaata Hai" from the film Anapan, originally sung by Mohammed Rafi and Lata Mangeshkar, moved the audience to deep reflection.

The programme was attended by several dignitaries, including former MLA Adv. Nilay Naik, Pusad Urban Bank Chairman Sharad Maind, Krushibhushan awardee Deepak



Asegaonkar, former Principal Dr. Uttam Rudrawar, and many local leaders and citizens.

The audience responded with heartfelt applause to the devotional renditions, while organiser Prof. Narayan Khirsagar proposed the vote of thanks.

## Weavers' day celebrated with enthusiasm at Darwha



**Darwha 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** The Akhil Maharashtra Koshti Parishad, Darwha branch, celebrated Weavers' Day with great enthusiasm on August 7, 2025, under the chairmanship of branch president Vilas Bhade. Senior advisor Sanjay Thokade, in his address, elaborated on how handlooms underwent mechanization and the impact it had on traditional weaving. President Vilas Bhade highlighted the significance of the government's declaration of Weavers' Day and explained how this recognition is a matter of pride and importance for the Koshti community. The programme was compered by branch vice-president Ravi Lambhate, while branch member Sachin Lambhate proposed the vote of thanks. The event was attended by Raju Lambhate, Vinod Korde, Prashant Navre, Gajanan Lambhate, and several women members. For the success of the programme, Sachin Lambhate and Megha Sachin Lambhate made dedicated efforts.

## Pramiltai, an ideal of excellence and perfection: Bhagyashree Sathe



**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** In our country, 'how we lived is more important than how much we lived'. In the case of former Director of Rashtra Sevika Samiti Pramiltai Medhe, this sentence has to be taken in a different sense. She lived for 96 years; but spent every moment of her life with dedication to the country. Pramiltai, who loved neatness, tidiness and insisted on accuracy, was an ideal of excellence and perfection, asserted Bhagyashree Sathe, Akhil Bhartiya Executive Member of the Samiti and Akhil Bhartiya Women Co-Coordinator.

She was speaking at the Bhavanjali tribute programme organised by Rashtra Sevika Samiti, Tejaswini Seva Samiti and

Bharatiya Shri Vidyavardhini at Vivekananda Vidyalyaya. On this occasion, former provincial executive Sulabha Gaud, current provincial executive Rohini Athawale and city executive Dr. Kishori Kelapure were present. Bhagyashree Sathe, while sharing her memories of her travels and association with Pramiltai, further said, 'She was the chemistry of mother's heart and father's arrow of determination.'

Her speciality was the sensitivity to not only get upset by a piece of news while reading the newspaper every day but to give it action.' She also said that continuing to work for the society would be a true tribute to Pramiltai, who remains updated even at the age of 97. On this occasion, Sulabha Gaud, Rohini Athawale also reminisced.

Similarly, Lata Devaghere of the Samiti, Manjusha Dev of Bharatiya Shri Vidyavardhini, District Sanghchalak Vilas Deshmukh, City Sanghchalak Dhananjay Panchaghere, Neelima Patte of Vanvasi Kalyan Ashram, Vivek Kavathekar of Sanskar Bharati, Sanjay Dande of Saksham, Provincial Service Chief Manik Katre, Dr. Vrinda Deshmukh, Vijayanti Vadnerkar also paid tribute. The programme was conducted by Swati Sahastrabudhe. Dr. Manik Mehre sang a personal song.

On this occasion, Yavatmal Urban Bank President Dr. Nitin Kharke, Rajendra Kathale of Grahak Panchayat, along with Sangh, Committee and activists from various sectors and citizens were present.

## Civil Judge tied Rakhis to 'Nanddeep' brothers



**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** Asister who achieved the post of civil judge through hard work celebrated her success by fulfilling her social responsibility.

On the occasion of Raksha Bandhan, she tied rakhis to the mentally ill brothers of the Nanddeep Homeless Mental Health Shelter Center proposed by Sandeep and Nandini Shinde at Bodhodon Phata and donated Rs 21,000 in cash to their mental health service. The social responsibility she has maintained is being appreciated by the society. The name of this sister is Prajakta Ganeshras Jhalke. She succeeded in the civil

judge exam.

The joy of her appointment should not be personal but should be celebrated socially with this aim, she lived a social consciousness by tying rakhis to the mentally ill brothers of the Nanddeep Homeless Mental Health Shelter Center proposed by Sandeep and Nandini Shinde at Bodhodon Phata and giving Rs 21,000 in cash for their rehabilitation. In family life, the relationship between a brother and a sister is cherished. There is nothing special about it, but Prajakta made

homeless brothers feel at home by tying Rakhi, this is a role model for the society, said Sandeep Shinde of the center, praising him. The culture of giving to the causes of the society has been instilled.

Therefore, I will always maintain a sense of social responsibility, Prajakta said on this occasion.

On this occasion, along with her mother Jaya, brother Prasanna, sister-in-law Poonam, Pranav Kadukar, Anil Aahe, as well as Nandini Shinde, Harshali Shinde, Raju Ajankar etc. were present.

## Protan Sanghatna demands to provide membership of Patsanstha

**YAVATMAL / NAGPUR POST:** A demand was made to the administration that partially subsidized teachers and non-teaching employees should be given membership of the Yavatmal Zilla Shaleya Karmachari Sahakari Patsanstha. For this, Gajanan Ulhe, divisional president of Protan Teachers' Association, recently submitted a representation to the Patsanstha. In this credit society, teachers and non-teaching employees of 100 percent subsidized schools have also been approved for 80 percent subsidy and their salaries are higher than those of peons, clerks, primary teachers and other employees in 100 percent subsidized schools. In such a situation, Gajanan Ulhe drew the attention of the management to the fact that they should also get



membership of the credit society.

In this regard, he demanded that the board of directors of the credit society immediately call a meeting and give membership of the credit society to these teachers and non-teaching employees. Representatives of the organization Parag Patil, Nipun Kale, Vishwambhar Solanke were present while giving the statement. Despite repeated requests to the credit institution, why are partially subsidized teachers and non-

teaching employees not being given membership? Raising the question, he made a clear stand that if these employees do not get membership immediately even after this statement, the Protan Teachers' Association will launch an agitation of teachers and non-teaching employees across the district to get the partially subsidized teachers their rightful membership.

The statement has demanded that the administration take note of this.

## Hiwarkhed witnesses dedication of Rs 5 crore worth development in 2.5 years

### Additional works worth Rs 1.5 crore proposed

**Morshi 11 August (NAGPUR POST/TC):** Over the past two and a half years, development works worth Rs 5 crore have been completed in Hiwarkhed village, with additional projects worth Rs 1.5 crore proposed, announced elected Sarpanch Savita Gopal Malpe.

The largest village in Morshi Taluka, Hiwarkhed is known for celebrating Ganesh and Durga festivals in harmony across communities. Completed works include cement roads, drainage systems, and boundary walls for the Muslim cemetery. Proposed works include further road construction to key areas, to be completed in the coming months.

Hiwarkhed is also set to become the only "Model Solar Village" in the taluka, with solar panels approved for 12 Anganwadis and all government buildings.

Projects under MLA Umesh alias Chandu Yawalkar's fund include tribal cremation shed (Rs 5 lakh), Maroti Temple renovation (Rs 10 lakh), savings building (Rs 20 lakh), and Annabhau Sathe Hall (Rs 20 lakh).

MP Amarji Kale has proposed Rs 40 lakh works, and a Rs 25 crore four-laning of the road from Navodaya Vidyalaya to Dongaryawali has been submitted through the efforts of MP Dr. Anil Bonde and MLA Yawalkar.

## Stray animals on state highways proving detrimental to smooth passage of traffic

**MAREGAON / NAGPUR POST:** Stray animals on Wani Mardi Wadki state highways are obstructing traffic. If a vehicle comes at a high speed, there is a possibility of an accident and the relevant department needs to pay attention to this. On the Wani Mardi Wadki road, animals are seen standing on the road at Mardi every day. Stray animals sit right in the middle of these highways. Therefore, the possibility of a major accident cannot be ruled out at this place. If a vehicle comes at a high speed and the brakes are not applied, an accident is inevitable. Also, after the vehicle arrives, these animals move from here to there, due to which accidents cannot be ruled out. Many citizens feed animals. But they do not take proper care of them. They take the animals and release them to graze. After releasing them, these animals sit right in the middle of the road. If these animals get hit by a car, the owners of these animals do not hesitate to argue with the vehicle owners. They also demand compensation for the damage. There is a demand that these animals be immediately restrained.

