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Weather
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Max & Mini temperature will be around 31°C and 24°C respectively on Friday 02/03/2018
Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 31.4
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 24.1
Relative Humidity(%) at 0830 IST 067
Relative Humidity(%) at 1730 IST 067
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0534
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1729
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 000.0
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.0
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm 159.2 **Air Conditioners to be kept at 25 °C**

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Fight against terrorism not against any religion: PM Modi

New Delhi, Mar 1
Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi today said the fight against terrorism and radicalisation is not against any religion, but against a mindset that misguides the youth. Addressing an event on the theme 'Islamic Heritage: Promoting Understanding and Moderation' in New Delhi today, Shri Modi said, every religion promotes human values. He said that challenges like violence and terrorism can be tackled through strengths of the heritage and values, message of the religion and their principles. The Prime Minister said, no religion teaches people to



India has nurtured all religions and faiths and diversity and plurality of culture is the identity of India. He said, Indian democracy is a celebration of India's age-old plurality. The Prime Minister said, India is spreading the

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be intolerant and violent and those who carry barbaric attacks against innocent people can never belong to any religion. He said, the soul of religion can never be inhuman as every tradition and sects

are meant for promoting human values. He said, the most urgent need is that the youth should be linked to humanitarian Islam on the one hand and on the other hand, can use modern science for progress.

Shri Modi said, India is leaving no stone unturned in empowering the Muslim youth. He said, the government wants that the Muslim youth should have the Quran in one hand and computer in the other. Shri Modi said, the soil of

Circuit Court from March 5

Port Blair, March 1
Justice Arindam Sinha and Justice Ashis Kumar Chakraborty, Judges of the Calcutta High Court shall be sitting/ holding Circuit Court at Port Blair on and from March 5 to 19, 2018, a communication said.

MP lays foundation stone for construction of road at Tappu Basti

Port Blair, Mar. 1
The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray laid the foundation stone for construction road from Ranchi Basti Community Hall to Matha Temple of Tappu Basti for a length of 210 mtrs under the MPLAD Scheme in the presence of Smti P. Aysha, Pradhan Stewertgunj Gram Panchayat, Miss. Maiam Bibi, Zilla Parishad Member, APWD Officials and prominent inhabitant of the entire Stewertgunj Panchayat yesterday. The estimated cost for the construction of road was 59,02,560/-. Since tendering process was on line, the work has been awarded to



the lowest bidder M/s Jas Contractor for an amount of Rs.48,93,945/-Which saving of net Rs. 10.00 lakhs. This unspent amount will be utilized for other development work of this UT Islands.

This was a long pending demand of the inhabitant of the area. The villagers residing in that area were

facing difficulties to approach the main road. Consequent upon fulfillment of their long pending demand, the villagers assembled at the ceremony have expressed their gratitude to the MP for extending benefit of MPLAD scheme for development of the area, a communication from MP Bhawan said.

Special dispensation under NFSA Eligible beneficiaries asked to submit application with necessary documents

Port Blair, Mar 1
The Govt of India is taking several reform measures to bring about greater efficiency and transparency in the functioning of TPDS since inception of NFSA 2013 to ensure regular supply of food grains to the beneficiaries in a smooth and hassle free manner. In this regard, GoI has decided that the NFSA beneficiaries who are above 65 years of age, or who are differently-abled, and have no other adult member (16 to 65 years) listed in the ration cards, and are not in a position to visit the Fair Price Shops themselves, would be eligible to be covered under special dispensation. Such NFSA beneficiaries should apply for special dispensation,

to the Director, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, A & N Administration at Port Blair and to the Circle Officers/Asst. Director (CS&CA) of the respective areas alongwith their details and AADHAR number of their nominee for receiving the entitled foodgrains on their behalf. Such nominee must fulfill certain conditions viz:-
1) The nominee must be a NFSA beneficiary tagged to the same FPS.
2) Foodgrains shall be issued to the nominee only after proper authentication/identification as in the case

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Observance of World Hearing Day on March 3

Port Blair, Mar. 1
The WHO will be celebrating 'World Hearing Day' on March 3 with the theme 'Hear the future and prepare for it' throughout the world. In this connection, the National Programme for Prevention and Control of Deafness, NHM, A&N Islands will be organizing

Fawn of spotted deer rescued at Mayabunder



Port Blair, March 1
In a successful effort made towards saving the wildlife, the Mayabunder Forest Division recently rescued a 4 months old fawn of spotted deer from Kharanallah. The entire operation of rescue and rehabilitation of this wild animal was done under the close supervision and guidance of the Divisional Forest Officer, Mayabunder. The deer fawn which was found separated in the civic locality of Kharanallah at Mayabunder during the late afternoon of Feb. 23 was safely rescued by the team of Anti-Forest Encroachment & Vigilance Squad of Mayabunder led by the Range Officer, Smti. Monideepa Chowdhury. (Contd. on last page)

Coast Guard conducts workshop on International Humanitarian Law

Port Blair, March 1
Indian Coast Guard conducted a workshop on International Humanitarian Law by International Committee of Red Cross team consisting of Wing Commander Praful Bakshi, Shri Fahad Ahmed and Shri Tulsi Das from Feb.22 to 24 at Port Blair. The three days workshop provided an overview of International Humanitarian Law, Laws of Naval warfare, and Laws of Maritime security while dealing with migrants. The workshop during the course of its conduct dabbled upon various subjects like ethical means and methods of



warfare, proper usage of weapons and sensible way of conducting operations at sea. The course deliberated upon the basic rules of target discrimination, which is most essential while conducting operations.

Inspector General KR Suresh TM, Commander, Coast Guard Region (A&N)

addressed the participants on the closing ceremony and encouraged them to implement the knowledge gained from the workshop, a communication said.

Vertical learning prog. for ICDS functionaries held

Port Blair, March 1
The Department of Social Welfare in collaboration with National Institute of Public Cooperation Child Development (Ministry of Women & Child Development, GOI) organized a five days Vertical Learning Programme for the ICDS Functionaries from Feb 19 to 23, 2018 in the conference hall of Directorate of Industries. The programme was attended by 42 ICDS functionaries which included CDPOs, Supervisors, Training Instructor and AWWs. The valedictory session of the programme was chaired

by Smt. Rashmi Singh, Secretary (SW) recently. In her address, she urged ICDS functionaries to work beyond their regular responsibilities and reach-out to the community for better implementation of the scheme. She also suggested participants to focus more on Pre-School Education (PSE) and interact with parents and motivate them to send their children to AWCs for holistic development of the child. She also appreciated the inputs given by the faculty members of the NIPCCD in the training programme which had various cadres of ICDS functionaries.

JNRM celebrates youth festival-'UDAAN'

Port Blair, Mar. 1
The two-day culture extravaganza of JNRM 'UDAAN'-2018 concluded in the college premises yesterday. Students from various faculties participated in the events which enthralled the audience. During the valedictory function, the chief guest, Chairman, PBMC, Shri Indra Pal Singh while addressing the gathering congratulated the students for their excellent performance and urged

them to fix a goal in life and work hard to achieve it. Earlier, in his welcome address, the Principal, JNRM, Dr. N. Francis Xavier highlighted the achievements of JNRM during the Golden Jubilee Year. Students who won Gold medals in various disciplines in the Pondicherry University Exams were felicitated during the valedictory function. Prizes were given to all the winners of the events, a communication said.

GREETINGS



On the joyous occasion of 'Holi', the festival of colour, I extend my warm greetings to the people of A & N Islands. Holi is one of the colourful events in the cultural fabric of our country. This colourful festival also encourages mutual love and unity among the people. On this festive occasion, let us all come together and spread the message of peace, brotherhood and harmony in the society. May the colours of Holi bring happiness and prosperity to the people of the Islands. (Admiral D K Joshi) PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.) Lieutenant Governor Andaman & Nicobar Islands

'Holi' to be celebrated in Isles with traditional fervour today; Islanders greeted

Port Blair, Mar 1
'Holi', the Festival of Colours, will be celebrated with pomp and gaiety in these Islands tomorrow (Mar 2). The Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), has greeted the Islanders on the joyous occasion of 'Holi'. In his message on the occasion, he said, "Holi is one of the colourful events in the cultural fabric of our country and this colourful festival also encourages mutual love and unity among the people". The Adhyaksh Zilla Parishad, South Andaman, Smti Baby Fareeda has



extended her warm greetings to the people of Andaman and Nicobar Islands and also wished them prosperity, joy and happiness. The State President of BJP, A&N Islands, Shri. Vishal Jolly and all leaders & workers of BJP have extended their greetings to

the people of the Islands on the occasion of "Holi". In his message, Shri Vishal Jolly wished that this unique festival strengthen

brotherhood and harmony and also herald beginning of a new phase of peace and prosperity in the Isles. The PCC President, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma and all leaders of Congress party have extended their greetings and well wishes to all the people of these Islands.

The President of Jan Kranti Party, A&N, Shri J.N Biswa Karma and all the senior leaders has wished

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GREETINGS



On the occasion of colourful festival of 'HOLI', I extend my warm greeting & good wishes to the people of A & N Islands. Despite of diversity in terms of culture, language, social norms, traditions, caste & religious, the Islanders are living together and celebrating the festival which is an outstanding example of 'unity in diversity'. On this colourful occasion, I appeal to the people of this UT Islands to celebrate the Holi festival in peace and harmony. Sd/- (Bishnu Pada Ray) Member of Parliament (LS) A & N Islands

National Science Day observed by Education Department



Port Blair, March 1
The Science Wing of Department of Education observed National Science Day to commemorate the achievement of Nobel laureate Sir C.V. Raman in the conference hall of Shiksha Sadan here Feb.27. On this day in 1928 one of the greatest experimental

discoveries was made by group of Physicists led by Sir C.V.Raman in the laboratory of Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS) at Kolkata which was later named after him as 'Raman Effect'. The Director (Edn), (Contd. on last page)

Course on 'investigation of murder/homicide cases' held for Police Personnel

Port Blair, March 1
The Police Training School, A&N Islands organized a five days course recently, on 'Investigation of Murder/Homicide Cases' for in-service Police personnel from the rank of ASI to Inspector sponsored by BPR&D, to develop specialist investigators in every district. The main objective of the course is to improve the

investigation skills of the officers in murder/homicide cases and to impart knowledge regarding crime scene management and importance of protection of evidentiary material in Murder/Homicide cases. The training programme was inaugurated by Ms. Usha Rangnani, Principal, PTS. During the training programme, faculty members from various (Contd. on last page)

Never insert a stick, pin or oil into your ears.

SPORTS

Vinesh Phogat enters final of Asian Wrestling Championship

Kyrgyzstan, Mar 1
Vinesh Phogat assured herself and India of at least a silver medal at the Asian Wrestling Championship as the Commonwealth Games gold medallist entered the final of the 50kg category with the win over Japan's Yuki Irie. The 2014 CWG champion earned the win by taking a bigger point as she locked the score 4-4 with her move. The Asian Games bronze medal winner will now fight out with China's Chun Lei for the gold medal. Another Indian woman wrestler, who is in medal contention is Sangeeta, who will fight for a bronze with Korea's Jieun UM in the 59kg category. angeeta had lost her quarter-final 5-15 to Uzbekistan's Nabira Eesenbaeva. Lalita though had no luck going her way as she was outplayed 0-5 in the 55kg



quarterfinal against Mongolia's Davaachimeg Eekhembayar. Meanwhile, India's two Greco-Roman wrestlers have already won bronze medals. Harpreet Singh grabbed bronze in the 82kg when he outclassed Uzbekistan's Khashimbekov 11-3, winning on technical superiority. Rajendra Kumar had won bronze in the 55kg as he beat Uzbekistan's Mirakhmedov after declared winner. He also got the victory by points after leveling the score 3-3. To miss out on a bronze medal

was Kuldeep Maik (72kg), who lost the bronze medal bout 0-11 to Japan's Inoue Tomohiro and Manishm who was edged 4-6 by Uzbekistan's Rakhmatov Mirzobek. Naveen, competing in the 130kg, lost his bronze medal round 1-3 to China's Xiaoming Nie. Naveen had reached the medal round after winning his repechage round 10-0 against Sonoda Arata from Japan. Others who were ousted at earlier stages were Vikram Krushnath(63kg), Sunil Kumar (87kg), Hardeep Singh (97kg)

Harpreet Singh gives India second medal of Asian Wrestling Championships 2018

New Delhi, Mar 3
India wrestler Harpreet Singh on Wednesday beat Nurbek Khashimbekov to clinch bronze medal at the ongoing Asian Wrestling Championships in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. Harpreet came back after trailing 1-3 to record 11-3 win in the Greco-Roman 82kg category on Day 2 of the championships. With just two minutes remaining,

Harpreet was behind Khashimbekov. He then stunned his opponent with a perfect display of gut wrench technique to pocket the contest in the dying minutes to give India their second medal of the championships. Harpreet had lost his semi-final bout to local favourite Atabek Azizbekov 0-5. Rajender Kumar had won

India's first medal at the event earlier in the day when he beat Uzbekistan's Javokhir Mirakhmedov to win bronze in the 55-kg Greco-Roman category. Two more Indians Manish (67kg) and Kuldeep (72kg) were also in bronze medal contentions but both lost their respective bouts.

Sultan Azlan Shah Cup hockey tournament 2018 to begin on March 3

New Delhi, Mar 1
The 2018 Sultan Azlan Shah Cup begins in Ipoh, Malaysia, on Saturday, where India will look to improve on their show from last year when they ended up with a bronze medal. India, the five-time winners, have overall won 14 medals at the tournament that is considered as the best international grooming ground for youngsters. The Indian team will be led by Sardar Singh, who has been handed over the captaincy reins since the Hockey India selectors decided to rest regular captain Manpreet Singh, along with senior pro PR Sreejesh, Rupinder Pal Singh and Akashdeep Singh. The six-team tournament will feature No. 1 Australia, Rio Olympics champions Argentina, defending champions England, Ireland and hosts Malaysia, besides India. The tournament is played in the round-robin format where each team plays the other once and the top two at the end of the league stage qualify for the final.

Para-swimmer records video of female swimmers, suspended

Bangalore, Mar 1
Bengaluru: Paralympic Committee of India (PCI) has suspended swimmer Prasanta Karmakar for three years after he was found recording video of female swimmers during an event in Jaipur last year. The incident took place during the National Para-Swimming Championship, which was held in Jaipur from March 31, 2017, to April 3, 2017. The PCI revealed that Karmakar has been suspended after a written complaint regarding acts of misconduct and misbehaviour.

Teams
Australia, Argentina, England, India, Ireland, Malaysia
Schedule:

- March 3, 2018
India vs Argentina - 1330 IST
Australia vs England - 1530 IST
Malaysia vs Ireland - 1800 IST
- March 4, 2018
India vs England - 1330 IST
Ireland vs Argentina - 1530 IST
Malaysia vs Australia - 1800 IST
- March 5, 2018
Rest Day
- March 6, 2018
England vs Ireland - 1330 IST
India vs Australia - 1530 IST
Malaysia vs Argentina - 1800 IST
- March 7, 2018
Australia vs Ireland - 1335 IST
Argentina vs England - 1535 IST
India vs Malaysia - 1805 IST
- March 8, 2018
Rest Day
- March 9, 2018
Argentina vs Australia - 1335 IST
India vs Ireland - 1535 IST
England vs Malaysia - 1805 IST
- March 10, 2018
5th-6th Place - 1300 IST
3rd-4th Place - 1530 IST
Final - 1800 IST

T 20 cricket tournament gets underway

Port Blair, Mar.1
The 5th VSI Airport Employee, Airport Terminal Manager, Shri K B Kannan, Deputy Operators and Service Commandant CISF, Shri Providers Cricket League T 20 Mohanty, Shri M Nadeem Tournament -2018, kick started Siddiqui, Director, Andaman Airways Pvt Ltd and Principal, KV 1, Smt C Rajji were the special invitees. Eleven teams viz. Air India, Indigo, Jet Deputy Commissioner (SA), Airways XI, Spice Jetters, Able Shri Udit Prakash Rai as the Aviators, and AAI etc are chief guest. Ward Councillor, participating in this tournament. Smt Protima Banerjee, The opening match was won Member UTCPCR, Smt by Indigo. The final will be held Rubina Siddiqui ,ex on 22nd March, a Councillor, Shri Niyamat Ali, communication said.

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ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS
INTER ISLAND SECTOR:
MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay, Chowra, Teressa & Nancowry on 05.03.2018 (Mon) at 1800 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 10.03.2018 (Sat) at 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 03.03.2018 (Sat) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (perishable items only) will commence from 03.03.2018 (Sat) between 0900 Hrs to 1200 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consigners are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.
MV Kalighat will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 06.03.2018 (Tue) at 1100 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 07.03.2018 (Wed) at 1200 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 03.03.2018 (Sat) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 03.03.2018 between 0900 Hrs to 1300 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consigners are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.
MV Kalighat will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay, Car Nicobar, Katchal & Nancowry on 09.03.2018 (Fri) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 12.03.2018 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 06.03.2018 (Tue) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's.
MV Bharat Seema will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 13.03.2018 (Tue) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 14.03.2018 (Wed) at 0800 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 09.03.2018 (Fri) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's.
MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Nancowry on 14.03.2018 (Wed) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 16.03.2018 (Fri) at 0800 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 12.03.2018 (Mon) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (perishable items only) will commence from 12.03.2018 (Mon) between 0900 Hrs to 1200 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consigners are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.
MAYABUNDER & DIGLIPUR:
MV Coral Queen will sail for Diglipur on 03.03.2018 (Sat) at 1800 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 04.03.2018 at 0800 Hrs from Diglipur.
MV Coral Queen will sail for Diglipur via Mayabunder on 05.03.2018 (Mon) at 2100 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 06.03.2018 (Tue) at 1400 Hrs from Diglipur via Mayabunder.

FIH announces pools, match schedule for Odisha Hockey Men's World Cup

New Delhi, Mar 01
The International Hockey Federation (FIH) today announced the pools and match schedule for the men's Hockey World Cup to be held in Bhubaneswar from November 28 to December 16. The 19-day competition will see 16 teams fight it out for the coveted trophy.

The teams have been divided into four pools of four each. Pool A comprises Argentina, Spain, New Zealand and France. Pool B features Australia, England, Ireland and China. Hosts India are placed in Pool C with Belgium, Canada and South Africa. Pool D features the Netherlands, Germany, Malaysia and Pakistan.

Two matches will be played each day, one at 5 p.m. and the other at 7 p.m. The quarter-finals will be played on December 12 and 13 and the semi-finals on December 15. The final will be played on December 16. India will start their Hockey World Cup campaign on November 28 when they take on South Africa.

In-service PSTs advised

Port Blair, March 1
All the In-Service Primary School Teachers who got registered for online D.El.Ed programme of NIOS have been advised that they should submit their online examination fee for Course No.501, 502 & 503 @ Rs.250/- per course i.e Rs. 750/- without late fee by Mar 6, Mar 7 to 15, 2018 with late fee @ Rs. 100/- per course, a communication from TGCE said.

In-service untrained PSTs advised

Port Blair, March 1
The in-service untrained Primary School Teachers who got registered for D.El.Ed Course of NIOS and could not complete the Personal Contact Programme within 15 days have been directed to contact the Nodal Officer D.El.Ed. (NIOS) at Tagore Govt. College of Education by Mar 5, 2018. They are further directed to submit a formal application stating the reason for not attending the Personal Contact Programme conducted earlier in the month of December, 2017, a communication from TGCE said.

Career guidance prog. organized

Port Blair, March 1
A career guidance programme for the girl students of class IX was organized recently in which Shri. M.K. Hussain, Social Worker & Educationist and Shri Sudhir Kumar, Sub Inspector (PS Bamboo flat) motivated the students during the career counseling session. Shri Raj Kumar, SMC (PRI) was also present on the occasion, a communication said.

National prog. on prevention & control of deafness held

Port Blair, March 1
The PHC Manglutan celebrated National Programme on Prevention and Control of Deafness today. A speech competition was conducted between the school students of Govt. Middle School, Manglutan and ASHA workers. Miss Rakhi Biswas, of class VIII and Maryiam Lakra, ASHA Worker secured the first position in their category. Dr. Varun Parekh, M.O, I/c, PHC, Manglutan explained in detail the theme of the day. Dr. Supria Arangi, MO, (AYUSH) also expressed her views, a communication said.

Fight against... (Contd. from page 1)

message of peace and faith across the globe. In his address, King of Jordan Abdullah II said, India and Jordan have shared the responsibility to bring peace in the world. He said, there is a need to give the youth a future with prosperity and security. He stressed on the need to fight against hatred and violence. He lauded India's religious plurality in success against extremism. On the occasion, the Prime Minister presented an Urdu translation of the book 'A Thinking Person's Guide to Islam' to the Jordan King written by Prince Ghazi bin Muhammad.

Eligible beneficiaries ... (Contd. from page 1)

of any other NFSA beneficiary. 3) The FPS dealer or his/her family member cannot be allotted as nominee. Further, after approval, the nominee shall be added in the name of such beneficiary and would be entitled to receive the ration of such beneficiary on his/her behalf. The Vigilance Committee(s) are also advised to identify and recommend such beneficiary to be covered under special dispensation to the Directorate of CS&CA and respective Supply Unit, a communication from Deputy Director said.

National Science Day ... (Contd. from page 1)

Shri Shubhankar Ghosh garlanded the portrait of Sir C.V.Raman as the chief guest. Floral tributes were also offered by other guests, teachers and students. In his address, the chief guest stressed on instilling scientific temper, sustainable development for the future and to create awareness in society for conserving the natural resources. He also gave away prizes to the winners of various competition held earlier. Dr. Dheeraj Kumar, Deputy Director Education (Science) welcomed the gathering. In the painting competition, R.Rithish Kumar got first, Sadiyah & Jagrani Kachhap got second and Farheen Ashraf & Manoj got third prizes respectively. In the essay contest, Menaka got the first prize while in the elocution contest, Roshni Argar bagged the first prize. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Smti Geeta Naveen Bhatt, GTT (Science), a communication said.

Indian Premier League 2018: Full schedule and venues

Full schedule (all timings IST)

April 7 - MI vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Mumbai	May 1 - RCB vs MI - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru
April 8 - DD vs KXIP - 4 p.m. - Delhi	May 2 - DD vs RR - 8 p.m. - Delhi
April 8 - KKR vs RCB - 8 p.m. - Kolkata	May 3 - KKR vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Kolkata
April 9 - SRH vs RR - 8 p.m. - Hyderabad	May 4 - KXIP vs MI - 8 p.m. - Mohali
April 10 - CSK vs KKR - 8 p.m. - Chennai	May 5 - CSK vs RCB - 4 p.m. - Chennai
April 11 - RR vs DD 8 p.m. - Jaipur	May 5 - SRH vs DD - 8 p.m. - Hyderabad
April 12 - SRH vs MI - 8 p.m. - Hyderabad	May 6 - MI vs KKR - 4 p.m. - Mumbai
April 13 - RCB vs KXIP - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru	May 6 - KXIP vs RR - 8 p.m. - Mohali
April 14 - MI vs DD 4 p.m. - Mumbai	May 7 - SRH vs RCB - 8 p.m. - Hyderabad
April 14 - KKR vs SRH - 8 p.m. - Kolkata	May 8 - RR vs KXIP - 8 p.m. - Jaipur
April 15 - KXIP vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Indore	May 9 - KKR vs MI - 8 p.m. - Kolkata
April 16 - KKR vs DD - 8 p.m. - Kolkata	May 10 - DD vs SRH - 8 p.m. - Delhi
April 17 - MI vs RCB - 8 p.m. - Mumbai	May 11 - RR vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Jaipur
April 18 - RR vs KKR - 8 p.m. - Jaipur	May 12 - KXIP vs KKR - 4 p.m. - Mohali
April 19 - KXIP vs SRH - 8 p.m. - Indore	May 12 - RCB vs DD - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru
April 20 - CSK vs RR - 8 p.m. - Chennai	May 13 - MI vs RR - 8 p.m. - Mumbai
April 21 - KKR vs KXIP - 4 p.m. - Kolkata	May 14 - KXIP vs RCB - 8 p.m. - Mohali
April 21 - DD vs RCB - 8 p.m. - Delhi	May 15 - KKR vs RR - 8 p.m. - Kolkata
April 22 - SRH vs CSK - 4 p.m. - Hyderabad	May 16 - MI vs KXIP - 8 p.m. - Mumbai
April 22 - RR vs MI - 8 p.m. - Jaipur	May 17 - RCB vs SRH - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru
April 23 - KXIP vs DD - 8 p.m. - Indore	May 18 - DD vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Delhi
April 24 - MI vs SRH - 8 p.m. - Mumbai	May 19 - RR vs RCB - 4 p.m. - Jaipur
April 25 - RCB vs CSK - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru	May 20 - DD vs MI - 4 p.m. - Delhi
April 26 - SRH vs KXIP - 8 p.m. - Hyderabad	May 20 - CSK vs KXIP - 8 p.m. - Chennai
April 27 - DD vs KKR - 8 p.m. - Delhi	May 22 - Qualifier 1 - 8 p.m. - Mumbai
April 28 - CSK vs MI - 8 p.m. - Chennai	May 23 - Eliminator - 8 p.m. - TBC
April 29 - RR vs SRH - 4 p.m. - Jaipur	May 25 - Qualifier 2 - 8 p.m. - TBC
April 29 - RCB vs KKR - 8 p.m. - Bengaluru	May 27 - Final - 8 p.m. - Mumbai
April 30 - CSK vs DD - 8 p.m. - Chennai	

'Holi' to be ... (Contd. from page 1)

all residents of Andaman and Nicobar Islands a very Happy Holi. The National President of A&N Janta Party, Shri Santosh Prajapati has also wished the people on the occasion. Meanwhile, people of all ages have remained busy in preparing for the festival in the Isles. The market places, especially in the city are being thronged by huge number of people, accompanied by children, to buy colours for the day. Sale of traditional sweets like gujyas and mathris, besides other sweets are also at its peak today. Elaborate security arrangements have also been made by the Police to avoid any untoward incident.