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Govt is focused towards providing good governance: PM



New Delhi, Mar 10 'Motion of Thanks' for Modi thanked Opposition Replying to the discussion President's Address, Prime Minister Shri Narendra function normally. Prime

Minister also expressed happiness over the fact that the Question Hour of Parliament is running smoothly in the current session.

Prime Minister also said that almost 300 projects which were stalled for around 10-20 years have now been re-started. Prime Minister said that the focus of the government has been on providing good governance which is based on policy driven initiatives.

Quoting Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Prime Minister said that the coordination between Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha is necessary for the growth of the country. Prime Minister also said that the largest beneficiaries of MUDRA Yojna are SC/ST, OBC and women. Prime Minister also said that there is a need to shift from incremental improvements to a Quantum jump. Prime Minister also stressed upon the need for enhancing the literacy rate, especially among women, which can solve many problems faced by the people in the country.

ISRO puts India's 6th exclusive navigation satellite 'IRNSS 1F' into space

Sriharikotta, Mar 10 The Indian Space Research Organization ISRO in yet another successful launch, has put the nation's sixth exclusive navigation satellite IRNSS 1F into space using the rocket PSLV C32. The trusted and versatile polar satellite launch vehicle with the satellite on board lifted off at one minute past 4 in the evening today from the second launch pad of the Satish Dhawan Space Centre at Sriharikotta.

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has congratulated ISRO scientists on the achievement. In a tweet, Shri Modi said the successful launch of the navigation satellite is an accomplishment and the country takes immense pride in it.

The lift off was delayed by one minute to avoid space debris, as said by ISRO scientists. In less than 20 minutes and 15 seconds after lift-off, the rocket placed the payload at an altitude of 489 kilometers. ISRO



chairman AS Kirankumar after congratulating his scientists said, the next and the final launch in the current series will be made next month.

The Indian Regional Navigation Satellite System is aimed at providing accurate positional information to aid terrestrial, aerial and maritime traffic, fleet management, mapping services and disaster management. It is being established with a constellation of seven identical satellites in geostationary orbits at a cost

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Islanders pay homage to freedom fighters

Staff Reporter
 Port Blair, Mar 10

The Chief Secretary (i/c) A&N Administration, Shri Raajiv Yaduvanshi today led the Islanders in paying homage to the heroes of the First War of Independence, who arrived in the Islands on this day in 1858. In a solemn function held at the Chatham Memorial, the Chief Secretary laid wreath to commemorate the arrival of the first batch of freedom fighters. The PBMC, Chairperson, Smt. Sheela Singh, Secretary, Art & Culture, Smti Ankita Mishra Bundela, Secretary Education, Smti Tanvi Garg, Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman, Shri Vijay Kumar



Bidhuri, Secretary (GA) Shri Rakesh Bali, Senior Officers of the Administration, descendants of the first batch of freedom fighters, eminent Senior Citizens, PRI members and others also paid floral tributes to the freedom fighters.

A two minute silence was also observed as a mark of respect to those freedom fighters who laid down their lives for the cause of the nation. The programme was organized by the Directorate of Art & Culture.

Andaman Day celebrated at JNRM



Port Blair, Mar 10 The Department of Historical Studies, JNRM, Port Blair organized a commemorative program to mark the arrival of first batch of freedom fighters to Andaman Islands on March 10, which is remembered as Andaman Day. The Principal Secretary (Higher Education) Shri Raajiv Yaduvanshi, while



speaking on the occasion, appreciated the efforts of the college in organizing such events and emphasized the importance of historical processes in the formation of modern cosmopolitan Andaman society. The guest of honour Padmashri Naresh Chandra Lal lauded the artistic endeavours of the staff and students, particularly the play depicting the arrival of freedom fighters. Dr N Francis Xavier, Principal, JNRM highlighted the historical importance of Andaman Day and its implications in the present context.

The program began with the inaugural address of Dr K Chandereep Singh, HoD, Historical Studies.

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State Level Vendor Development prog. for facilitating marketing of products

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Branch Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Development Institute, Port Blair is planning to organize a one day State Level Vendor Development Programme for facilitating marketing of products/services of Micro and Small Enterprises(MSEs) through Public Sector

Undertakings, Government Departments and Large Scale Industrial establishments on 22nd March, 2016 here.

The Government Departments, Central Public Sector Undertakings and large scale industrial establishments etc. capable of promoting the purchase of products manufactured/

Serviced by MSMEs are requested to co-operate and actively participate in the above programme and make it a success.

The interested Micro & Small Enterprises have been requested to obtain the application form from the Br. MSME-DI, Dollygunj

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Essay Competition on Water Conservation

Port Blair, Mar 10 The CGWB, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Govt. of India, is organizing 1st National Essay Competition on Water Conservation and Technical Paper Competition under Jal Kranti Abhiyan 2015-16. The competition aims at making the youth aware of the need for conservation and prevention of pollution of water. (Details on page 2).

Multispecialty health camp held at JNRM Ladies Hostel

Port Blair, Mar 10 A multispecialty health camp was held at JNRM Ladies Hostel, Port Blair on the International Women's Day yesterday. Dr. Francis Xavier, Principal, JNRM was the chief guest on the occasion. Dr. R. K. Halder, State Family Welfare Officer, Directorate of Health Services in his key note address spoke on various welfare measures of the government of India that are meant for girls and ladies. He

talked about empowerment of women at various fields level e.g. education, government service, Panchayat Raj System, etc. He also spoke about health & disease and importance of maintenance of personal hygiene in regard to girls and ladies.

Dr. Francis Xavier reminded various contributions of girls at international and national level. He congratulated the girls and ladies for bringing

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ACCI to organise 'Bay of Bengal Business Forum' on Mar 12

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Andaman Chamber of Commerce & Industry will be organizing a "Bay of Bengal Business Forum" at Sinclair's Bay View from 9.30 am to 5 pm on March 12, 2016. The programme has been initiated by the US Consulate of Chennai (Department of Commerce).

The "Bay of Bengal Business Forum" is being initiated with a view to promote US exports and to discover/explore new markets for US Companies and also simultaneously match local companies demands/interests with US Companies with the theme of "business beyond borders".

The aim is to showcase opportunities available on

the Bay of Bengal coast such as Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Malaysia, Myanmar and Thailand to the US Companies. A total of 15 delegates from US Companies and representatives from the participating countries will attend this seminar.

This high profile business forum which is the first of its kind being held in

Andaman & Nicobar Islands, will be inaugurated by the Chief Secretary, A&N Administration who will also deliver a key note address highlighting the role which the Andaman & Nicobar can play in developing business with the countries of the Bay of Bengal Region, a communication from the ACCI President said here today.

Gandhi Global Family members felicitate Pr. Secretary

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Member of Gandhi Global Family and Clean City paid a visit to Shri Raajiv Yaduvanshi, Principal Secretary (Edu/Rev/UD/DM&RR) in his chamber yesterday and felicitated him with UN India Connect Pin, memento from UN, portrait of Mahatma Gandhi and cotton thread from Gandhi Ashram.

The Vice President, GGF,

Legal awareness prog at Chouldari

Port Blair, Mar 10 A two-day legal awareness programme about women related laws will be organised by Department of Home Science, JNRM in association with National Commission for Women (NCW), GoI, New Delhi at 10 am at Community hall, Chouldari Gram

New Delhi led the delegation and interacted regarding initiating programmes for students, youth women and elderly people of these Islands. The Secretary (Education), Smt. Tanvi Garg, other prominent members viz. Dr. Rohinder Lall, Smt. Anuradha Rohinder Lall and Smt. Mehwash Jadwet were also present on the occasion, a communication said.

Panchayat on March 11, 2016. The Adhyaksha, Zilla Parishad, South Andaman, Smt. Minati Biswas will be the chief guest while the Pradhan, Chouldari Gram Panchayat, Shri Mohan Halder will be the guest of honour on the occasion, a communication said.

Chairperson & Women Councillors of PBMC visit GB Pant Hospital

Port Blair, Mar 10 As part of International Women's Day, the Chairperson, Port Blair Municipal Council, Smti Sheela Singh alongwith Smti S. Usha, Sr.Vice Chairperson, and Councillors Smti E.Rani, Smti S.Selvi, Smti Protima Banerjee, Smti Anusia Devi, Smti Vinita Malhotra, Smti Rubana Aziz and Smti Vishali Rani Dayal visited Maternity Ward of G.B.Pant Hospital.

She along with other Councillors met the mothers who gave birth to girl children on Mar 8, the day of International Women's Day and extended their warm greetings and good wishes to all the mothers.

Appreciating motherhood, small gift hampers were presented on behalf of Port Blair Municipal Council to all the female children born on that day. Sharing her thoughts

with the proud mothers, the PBMC Chairperson emphasized that there is always a woman behind every successful man. The Medical Superintendent Dr. M.K.Saha, Dr. R. Katpalia, HOD and other medical staffs were also present. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Saha, MS appreciated the innovative gesture taken by the women Councillors of PBMC, a communication said.

'Job Fair' 2016' at ITF Ground from today

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Directorate of Employment, A&N Administration shall be conducting 'Job Fair-2016' at ITF Ground from Mar 11 to 13, 2016, from 2 pm to 8 pm. The Chief Secretary (i/c), Shri Raajiv Yaduvanshi will be chief guest of the inaugural ceremony to be held at 6 pm on Mar 11. The aim of the event is to facilitate the placement of jobseekers in private sectors.

There are more than 600 vacancies to be filled in the sectors of hospitality, civil construction, aviation, ACCI, private shops, private schools, shipping, private hospitals, automobiles, tourism, security agencies and insurance.

The Job Fair will witness the local private employers conducting interviews for interested jobseekers during the course of three days. All interested jobseekers have been requested to participate in the event.

Summer Vacation of JNV announced

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Arong, Car Nicobar will remain closed for Summer Vacation from April 1 to May 31, 2016 for the academic year 2015-16 and re-open on June 1, 2016. For further enquiry, parents can contact over ph. No.03192-292804 during working hours/days, a communication said.

also been requested to participate in the event. A separate room shall be provided sector wise for the conduct of recruitment process.

Fake calls or SMS? Don't fall prey to scamsters

Port Blair, Mar 10 The A&N Police has cautioned people against falling prey to scamsters. In a press release received here today, the Superintendent of Police (CID), A&N Islands has said the cybercriminals have adopted a new tactic to deceive the customers of State Bank of India and other leading banks by making phone calls and impersonating as Bank Managers. They make up

BJP to help people reap benefits of PMMY scheme of Govt.

Port Blair, Mar 10 A scheme has been launched by NDA Govt. viz. 'Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojna' (Sishu, Kishore and Tarun) to provide funding to the unfunded, to start various small businesses or to improve/upgrade the present business of the person.

But, it has been observed by Bharatiya Janata Party, Andaman Nicobar Unit that this scheme has not reached to poor and needy youths up to the grass root level or up to the mark or where it should be, due to various communication gaps and lack of publicity. In this

matter, the President, BJP, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Shri Vishal Jolly has appointed Shri Nand Kishore Singh, as a help line person to provide any assistance to apply or to solve the difficulty or filling up the forms or to fill the communication gap between the nearby bank and the needy Islander.

The Islanders, the unemployed youths or the

villagers can contact the Incharge of the Party, Shri Nand Kishore Singh, for Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojna, implementation of Scheme Shishu, Yuva and Tarun under Mudra Bank in Andaman Nicobar Islands. Interested person have been requested to contact him through phone Number: 9434263728 and 9733405196, a BJP release said here today.

Special coaching classes for JEE & Medical Entrance Test

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Department of Education will organise special coaching classes for Joint Entrance Examination (JEE- Mains) and Medical Entrance Test - 2016. The coaching classes will be organised from March 16 to April 1, 2016 for JEE (Mains) and April 4 to 30 for Medical Entrance at Govt. Rabindra Bangla Vidyalaya (RBV), Port Blair.

The candidates who wish to enrol for coaching classes for JEE (Main) & Medical Entrance have been advised to bring their confirmation sheet of JEE (Main) and Medical Entrance Test on Mar 16 & April 4, 2016 respectively at RBV, Pot Blair. The classes will be held 9 am to 1 pm (except Sundays), a communication from the Dy. Director Education (Science) said here today.

International Women's Day celebrated by NYK

Port Blair, Mar 10 The Nehru Yuva Kendra and Andaman Mahila Mandal jointly celebrated 'International Women's Day' in a befitting manner on Mar 8 in the PBMC Community hall at Ranchi Tikry, School Line. About 160 women including elderly ladies and girls from Ranchi Tikry, Jawahar Colony, Dairy Farm and adjoining areas

participated. The Secretary (Industries, Civil Supplies & Labour), Smti Rashmi Krishnan was the chief guest on the occasion. She spoke about the need of unity among the women on various issues relating to women empowerment. Shri CH Babu, Ward Councillor, Ward No - 15, PBMC

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SPORTS

All England Championship:

Sai Praneeth stuns Lee Chong Wei; Saina Nehwal, Kidambi Srikanth reach 2nd round

Unheralded Indian shuttler B Sai Praneeth scripted one of the biggest wins of his career, stunning two-time Olympic silver medalist and former World No. 1 Lee Chong Wei of Malaysia in the opening round of the prestigious All England Championship here.



In a match that lasted 50 minutes, Praneeth punched way above his weight as he eked out a 24-22 22-20 win over three-time champion and second seed Lee Chong Wei in a men's singles match late last night. He will next take on Denmark's Hans-Kristian Vittinghus, ranked 26th in the world. The Indian had retired midway in their only meeting in 2013 French Open. Besides, ace Indian shuttlers Saina Nehwal, Kidambi Srikanth and Sameer Verma too entered the second round of the USD 550,000 tournament at the Barclaycard Arena here. World No. 2 Saina, who is making a comeback after a long injury lay-off, dispatched Commonwealth Games

champion Michelle Li of Canada 21-17 21-12 to set up a clash with Thailand's Busanan Ongbumrungphan. World No. 10 Srikanth too showed the door to England's Rajiv Ouseph, a silver medallist at the 2010 Commonwealth Games, 21-17 21-12. The Guntur lad will meet Japan's Kento Momota, seeded fourth, here.

Young Sameer also dished out a superb performance as he dismantled Hong Kong's Hu Yun 21-10 21-14 in another men's singles match and will meet Chinese eight seed Tian Houwei next. For two-time bronze medallist at World Championship, P V

Sindhu, it turned out to be yet another disappointing tournament as she lost 21-18 17-21 12-21 to Porntip Buranaprasertsuk of Thailand. But the star of the day for India was Praneeth as he Indian stunned fans around the world into silence, dumping Lee Chong Wei in the first round. The Malaysian legend inexplicably squandered huge leads of 11-3 and 15-7 in the opening game and 16-10 and 17-12 in the second game to succumb to a humiliating defeat at the hands of an unheralded Indian.

"This is a big shock to me. I am very happy. I have been waiting for a big result like this.

I got more confidence when I levelled the score 15-15 in the first game and I just kept playing my shots," said the 23-year-old Indian after snapping Lee Chong Wei's 21-match winning streak.

World No. 2 Lee Chong Wei, who has been in good form in recent months with three World Superseries titles and one Grand Prix Gold title to his name, said: "This is totally unexpected for me. I came here to win. Praneeth has improved a lot since we played in the Canada Open last year. I think he has a great future," said the 33-year-old.

Hong Kong, Mar 10 Mohun Bagan notched up their second consecutive victory with a 4-0 thrashing of a 10-man South China of Hong Kong in an away match of the AFC Cup football tournament on Wednesday.

The I-League champions, who had drubbed Maldives side Maziya Sports and Recreation 5-2 in their home match in Guwahati last month, scored through Lenny Rodrigues (15th minute), Sony Norde (39th), Cornell Glen (45th) and Jey Lalpekhlua (82nd) in a Group G match at Mongkok Stadium here.

After their second consecutive at the continental second tier

Taskin Ahmed, Arafat Sunny under scanner for suspect action

Dubai, Mar 10

Bangladesh's World T20 campaign has plunged into a spot of bother with the bowling actions of pacer Taskin Ahmed and Arafat Sunny coming under the scanner.

Andy Pycroft, the match referee, in his official report after the game against Netherlands has raised concerns about the bowling action of the duo following Bangladesh's eight-run victory on March 9 in Dharamsala.

Chandika Hathurasinghe, the coach, did not seem too pleased with the timing of the decision. In a press conference, he was asked if the timing of the decision to question the bowling action was a cause of concern.

"No I haven't spoken to them (ICC) but that's a concern," he said. "If they have a concern about my bowlers, I have a concern about their actions as well. I don't see anything wrong. They have bowled the same way as the last 12 months. As you said if they have officiated the matches they have been playing, they must have seen something different yesterday. That's all I can say." The officials for the game included S Ravi and Rod Tucker the on-field umpires, Chris Gaffaney, the third umpire, and Pycroft. The last series to feature the same players and officials was in 2014 when India toured Bangladesh for a three-match ODI series.

Mohun Bagan thrash South China 4-0 in AFC Cup

They had lost to Yangon United of Myanmar 1-2 in an away match last month. The initial minutes saw both the sides trying to gauge each others' strength with Mohun Bagan making some attempts at the South China goal though without much purpose. Mohun Bagan took the lead in the 15th minute from a set-piece as an unmarked Rodrigues headed into the net after the goalkeeper parried off a Katsumi Yusa freekick. Just a minute later, Che Runqi of South China was sent off for his second bookable offence in the match, giving Mohun Bagan the numerical superiority.

Gender gap in jobs, wages remain unchanged in 20 years: ILO report

Geneva, Mar 10

In Geneva, the International Labor Organization reports gender equality in the workplace remains elusive. On International Women's Day, a new ILO report, Women at Work: Trends 2016, finds millions of women worldwide are not getting the same kind of quality, well-paying jobs as men.

New data in 178 countries present a gloomy picture of the current state of working women. The report shows the gender gap in employment, wages and social protection has changed little in 20 years. The report also noted that women are overrepresented in clerical service and sales work, which are among the lowest paying jobs.

Special 3d show at Science Centre

Port Blair, Mar 10

The Science Centre at Goodwill Estate, Corbyn's Cove Road is arranging a continuous 3D Show of 35 minutes duration from 5 pm to 7 pm on Mar 11 & 12, 2016 with entry fee of Rs.20/- per head.

Further, there shall be a Light & Sound programme titled Jurassic Park at 6 pm (in Hindi) & 7 pm (in English) with entry fee of Rs.20/- per head, a communication said.

De-addiction counselling camp

Port Blair, Mar 10

Bharat Sevashram Sandha (BSS), Deen Street Housing Colony will organise a counselling camp on Mar 13, 2016 for de-addiction of alcohol and other drugs. Dr. M.K. Mahato, an expert in de-addiction trained from Sydney (Australia) will provide the counselling.

Willing persons may contact over ph. No.9474200757 for participation, a communication said.

General body meeting of NNGOA held

Port Blair, Mar 10

The General Body Meeting of the Rural Development Sub-Committee of the Non-Gazetted Govt. Officers' Association was held on Mar 6 at Crusade House, Phoenix Bay here under the Chairmanship of Shri S K Pandey. Employees of the Rural Development Department posted at South Andaman area and N&M Andaman attended the meeting. Addressing the meeting Shri T S Sreekumar, General Secretary of the Association assured the employees that their demands and issues will be taken up with the authorities concerned for solution. The meeting also re-elected Shri S.K. Pandey as Vice President and Shri Bikash Mondal as Secretary of the Sub-Committee for 2016-17, a communication said.

WEATHER

Partly cloudy sky. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 32°C and 24°C respectively on Friday 11/03/2016
Observational data for Port Blair in last 24 hours
Maximum Temperature (°C): 32.5
Minimum Temperature (°C): 24.4
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 076
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 070
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0529
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1730
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 16: 71.0 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

CINEMA

DIVIYUM TALKIES
Following is the Schedule for Week Mar 11 - 17
Jai Gangaajal - (Hindi UA) - 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM
Neerja - (Hindi U) - 3:30 PM
Terraar Surroor - (Hindi UA) - 1:30 PM & 4:30 PM
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SEVA SUCHNAYEIN

MV North Passage will now sail for Neil Island in place of MV Kamorta on 11.03.2016 (Fri) at 0630 Hrs. from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island. Due to technical reasons the scheduled sailing of MV Kamorta for Neil Island on 11.03.2016 (Fri) at 1300 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and back on the same day at 1515 Hrs from Neil Island has been cancelled. Passengers those who have already purchased their tickets for the above sailing are advised to cancel their tickets and get refund from STARS Counter. MV Jolly Buoy will now sail for Diglipur in place of MV Kamorta on 12.03.2016 (Sat) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2100 Hrs from Diglipur. MV North Passage will now sail for Neil Island in place of MV Kamorta on 13.03.2016 (Sun) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island. Due to technical reasons the scheduled sailing of MV Jolly Buoy for Neil Island on 13.03.2016 (Sun) at 1300 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and back on the same day at 1515 Hrs from Neil Island has been cancelled. Passengers those who have already purchased their tickets for the above sailing are advised to cancel their tickets and get refund from STARS Counter.

INTER ISLAND SECTOR:-

MV Chowra will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 12.03.2016 (Sat) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 13.03.2016 (Sun) at 1400 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 12.03.2016 (Thu) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 10.03.2016 (Thu) 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 Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Nancowry on 12.03.2016 (Sat) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 13.03.2016 (Sun) at 2000 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 10.03.2016 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 10.03.2016 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 Chowra will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 15.03.2016 (Tue) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 16.03.2016 (Wed) at 1200 Hrs directly from Car Nicobar. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 12.03.2016 (Sat) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 12.03.2016 (Sat) 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 Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay & Nancowry on 16.03.2016 (Wed) at 0800 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 18.03.2016 (Fri) at 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 14.03.2016 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 14.03.2016 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 Chowra will sail for Campbell Bay via Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa, Katchal & Nancowry on 20.03.2016 (Sun) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 24.03.2016 (Thu) at 2000 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 17.03.2016 (Thu) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 17.03.2016 (Thu) 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 Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Nancowry on 21.03.2016 (Mon) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 22.03.2016 (Tue) at 2000 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 17.03.2016 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 17.03.2016 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 Chowra will sail for Campbell Bay via Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa, Katchal & Nancowry on 29.03.2016 (Tue) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 02.04.2016 (Sat) at 2000 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 26.03.2016 (Sat) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 26.03.2016 (Sat) 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.

HUT BAY SECTOR

MV Dering will sail for Hut Bay on 15.03.2016 (Tue) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2000 Hrs from Hut Bay. Due to administrative reasons the scheduled sailing of MV Chowra for Hut Bay on 23.03.2016 has been cancelled.

11.03.2016 (FRIDAY) HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 11.03.2016 (Fri) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock. MV Kamorta will sail for Neil Island on 11.03.2016 (Fri) at 0630 Hrs. from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.

State Level Vendor

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Industrial Area, Port Blair and submit the same to the office of the Br. MSME-DI, Port Blair, latest by Mar 17, 2016. Sufficient number of participating Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, as also the Public Sector Undertakings, Government Departments and Large scale Industrial establishments etc. capable of promoting the sale/purchase of products manufacture/service will be required to conduct the programme. For more details, one can contact Br. MSME-DI, Port Blair over Ph. No. Tel 252308, M-9474200645, a communication said.

Hyundai in 4-yr sponsorship pact with BCCI

New Delhi, Mar 10

Hyundai Motor India Ltd (HML) has entered into a four-year partnership with the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) as an associate sponsor for all international matches at home. As per the agreement, HML would be the official partner of BCCI for all formats and a Hyundai fleet of premium cars would be used for transporting various stakeholders of the game throughout the event. Besides, the South Korean auto major would get rights for putting three logos on the pitch floor, space at perimeter boards, stadium display. It would also conduct trophy tours. "This partnership is a part of Hyundai's efforts to expand its presence in global sporting

activities like Cricket, Football, Golf and World Rally Championship across worldwide markets. Hyundai sees this cricket partnership as a core element of its strategy, playing a vital role in connecting global customers to our brand," said HML MD and CEO Y K Koo. Besides title sponsor, BCCI has created space for three official associate sponsors from which the cricket body would get Rs 150 crore in the next four years.

Last week, BCCI announced its association with beverage major PepsiCo as its first official associate sponsor for around 80 matches which would be played in four years. Mobile commerce platform Paytm is the official title sponsor of BCCI. "With more money coming in

BCCI's coffers, we would like to spend it on betterment of cricket infrastructure, having a better performance and nurturing talent at ground level," said BCCI Secretary Anurag Thakur. He further said the name of the third sponsor would be announced shortly. HML would pay BCCI for matches played in every financial year, said HML General Manager & Group Head Marketing Puneet Anand.

"It would be payable as on annual basis depending on the number of games which are happening whether its T20, one day or test matches. For each match there is a specific fee which we have frozen and the overall cost would culminate over a period of four years," said Anand.

INS Tabar to participate in Mauritius National Day celebrations



Mumbai, Mar 10 Indian Naval Ship, INS Tabar will participate in the Mauritius National Day celebrations. This will strengthen the existing bonds of friendship between the two nations. The Tabar, a stealth frigate of the Indian Navy has already reached Port Louis, Mauritius and will remain

there till 13th of this month. An official release said, on the occasion, the ship will take part in marching contingent in addition to fly-past by Chetak helicopter and performance by the Indian Naval Band. India and Mauritius have traditionally enjoyed close and friendly relations.

Panguni Uttaram Festival at Murugan Temple

Port Blair, Mar 10

Lord Subramaniaswamy Devasthanam will be celebrating its 49th year of the annual Panguni Uttaram Festival at Arulmigu Subramaniaswamy Devasthanam (Murugan Temple), Port Blair from Mar 13 to 23, 2016. Special puja will be performed daily in the night time on all days during the festival. Annadanam will be served from 11 am on all days from Mar 14 to 23. The Holy Fire Walking ceremony will be held on Mar 23, a communication said.

Death condoled

Port Blair, Mar 10

The State President of BJP, A&N Islands, Shri Vishal Jolly, Shri L. Moorthy, State Secretary, BJP and all Party workers have mourned the demise of Ravi Shankar Pandey, 54, R/o Aberdeen Bazaar, who died yesterday.

The PCC President, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma and all leaders of Congress Party have also mourned the death of Shri Ravi Shankar Pandey, S/o Gowri Shanar Pandey, communications said here today.

Firing practice

Port Blair, Mar 10

The Vice Principal, Police Training School, Prothrapur will be conducting firing practice by weapon and tactic trainees of PTS, Prothrapur at Bird Line, Police Firing Range Prothrapur on Mar 12 for firing practice from 5 am to 5 pm.

Meanwhile, the Sqn. Ldr. Stn. Sports Offr. 15 FBSU, AF, C/o 99 APO, Port Blair will utilize the firing range at

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said there should not be discrimination in the society. Smti Shanta Singh, Social Activist, Smti Ratna Kannan, Ex-Chairperson, Social Welfare Advisory Board and Smti Anis Begum, Social worker and senior citizens spoke on the occasion.

Earlier, Smt. Sarsamma Prabhakaran welcomed the gathering while Shri Kundan Lal, District Youth Coordinator proposed the vote of thanks, a communication said.

Multispecialty health camp...

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laurels to these Islands in the field of sports. He also requested the Department of Health Services to conduct health camp once in a month at the Ladies Hostel for the benefit of the inmates.

Dr. (Smt.) Tilagavathi, Warden of the Hostel proposed the vote of thanks.

Dr. Sonali, Gynaecologist, Dr. R.K. Halder, Dermatologist, Dr. Neena, Ayurvedic, Physician and Dr. Meena, Homeo-Physician treated about 300 inmates and dispensed medicines, a communication said.

ISRO puts India's...

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of Rs 1420 crore. The spatial resolution under the home-grown system is planned to be better than 20 metres. Today's launch is the 33rd continuously successful mission for the polar satellite launch vehicle PSLV C32. The rocket took the flight in its extended version with strap on motors incorporated, to give the needed extra thrust given the heavy satellite lift off mass of 1425 kilogram and the sub-geosynchronous orbit involved. The satellite consists of navigation and ranging equipment including a rubidium atomic clock to provide accurate time.

Fake calls or SMS...

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In view of this, general public have been advised not to pay heed to alluring messages like "WINNER!9495504389 is chosen for \$ 2500 CASH prize, call +43820956174 now"; do not respond to calls from numbers starting with +92; #90 or # 09.....; do not respond to e-mail seeking personal details; do not call back to unknown numbers starting from +375, +22455 or some few digits. Those who tried to call back on these numbers were charged a whopping Rs. 45 per minute; do not disclose PIN/OTP details of ATM to anyone.

No Bank official or authority will ask for your PIN or OTP for any purpose. Always cross check any such calls with your Bank and do not divulge ATM PIN or OTP to anyone, a communication from SP (CID), A&N Islands said.