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**Weather**  
Rain or Thundershower likely to occur at isolated places. Max & Mini temperature will be around 30°C and 23°C respectively on Wednesday 17/01/2018  
Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 30.4  
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 22.8  
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST 070  
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST 074  
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0544  
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1715  
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 18 86.2 Air Conditioners to be kept at 25 °C

**NEWS IN BRIEF**

**Youth parl. will be organized in every district**

Greater Noida, Jan 16 Youth Affairs and Sports Minister, Col Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore has said that youth parliament will be organized in every district of the country this year. Addressing the valedictory ceremony of 22nd National Youth Festival at Greater Noida in Uttar Pradesh today, Col. Rathore said, the youth of the country will sit together in the Youth Parliament and discuss ideas to build a New India.

**TCS signs deal worth over 690 mn dollars with M&G**

Mumbai, Jan 16 India's largest IT services firm, Tata Consultancy Services has signed a deal worth over 690 million dollars with M&G Prudential, savings and investments business of Prudential plc. in the UK and Europe.

**Vivekananda Jayanti celebrated by VKNV**

Port Blair, Jan.16 Vivekananda Kendra Nagarpalika Vidhyalaya (VKNV), Ranchi Tekri celebrated Vivekananda Jayanti and National Youth Day on Jan.12 at Ambedkar Auditorium. The Chairperson PBMC Shri Indra Pal Singh was the chief guest while, Ward Councillor Shri C.H. Babu was the guest of honor. Shri Hanumanta Rao, All India Treasurer, Vivekananda Kendra Kanyakumari presented keynote address. Earlier, headmistress, Smti Sreekala welcomed the gathering. The students presented a colourful cultural programme.

**Group patriotic song competition**

Port Blair, Jan 16 Surupanjali, a Cultural Art Forum here will be organizing a group patriotic song competition for students of VI to IX standard on Jan.23, 2018 at RGT School, here from 5 pm onwards. Each group must consist of 6-8 members. The names may be registered by Jan.21, 2018, over mobile number-9933265792.

**New Association formed**

Port Blair, Jan.16 'Petroleum and Natural Gas Transporters Association' has been constituted with Shri Mohd. Jadwet as President, Shri K. Paramasivam and Shri Sheikh Farooq Alam as two Gen. Secretaries and Shri Wasim Ahmed as treasurer. Two other office bearers and six executive members have also been elected.

## LG inaugurates SAKSHAM campaign in Isles Calls upon people to create awareness & inculcate habit of fuel conservation

Port Blair, Jan 16

The Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA) and Oil & Gas Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs), under the aegis of Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (MoPNG) launched a month long awareness campaign named 'Sanrakshan Kshamata Mahotsav' (SAKSHAM)-2018, throughout India today to sensitize the masses about conservation and efficient use of petroleum products. Accordingly, the state level awareness campaign is being organised by the PCRA, in association with the Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Port Blair.

The Lt Governor, A&N Islands, Admiral DK Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd) inaugurated the campaign in the Isles by lighting the traditional oil lamp in the presence of Secretary (CS&CA/ IP&T), Shri Sandip J. Jacques, Dy. Commissioner, SA, Shri Udit Prakash Rai, other senior officials of the A&N Administration, IOCL officials and students present in good numbers, in the conference hall of Megapode Resort here this morning.

In his address on the occasion, the Lt. Governor said that our Country has now become the 3rd largest oil consumer in the world with oil & gas constituting nearly 35% of our total energy consumption. "Since we are largely dependent on fossil fuels, which is fast depleting, it is imperative that we all create awareness among the people and inculcate the habit of conserving this precious product for future generations", he said.

The Lt. Governor also complimented the Union Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan for launching the massive campaign of generating awareness among the masses on the importance of fuel conservation with the larger objective of making the country self-reliant in this sector. Mentioning about power generation in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands which is largely through diesel generating sets, the Lt Governor said, power generation through diesel is not only costly but also causes environmental pollution. In this context, the Administration has been making consistent efforts towards exploiting conventional and non-conventional energy sources to make these Islands self-sufficient in the production of power. It has been made mandatory that new Govt. and private buildings install roof top power panels to tap power, for which the Administration will provide



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## CS launches portal for online application, processing & issue of Fire Clearance Certificates



Port Blair, Jan 16 As part of providing efficient service to the citizens, the portal for online application, processing and issue of Fire Clearance Certificates by the A&N Fire Service was launched by the Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Anindo Majumdar during a programme organized by the A&N Police at GO's Mess, Police Head Quarters here this afternoon. The programme was also attended by Senior Officers of Administration, A&N Command, Coast Guard, Forest and Police Departments.

## Community Sanitary Complexes inaugurated at Diglipur



Diglipur, Jan 16 Two Community Sanitary Complexes (CSC) constructed under SBM (G) with an estimated cost of Rs. 5, 99,355/- & Rs.5, 68,265/- were inaugurated yesterday by Smti. Kriti Garg, Deputy Commissioner N&M Andaman at Talbagan under Gram Panchayat Paschimsagar and at Shayamnagar under Radhanagar Gram Panchayat, Diglipur in the presence of the Assistant Commissioner, Diglipur, Executive Engineer (PRIs), Diglipur, Assistant Engineer (PRIs), Block Development Officer, Diglipur, Pradhan Gram Panchayat Paschimsagar and other Govt. Officials. (Contd. on last page)



of the portal. He said, as far as ease of doing business is concerned, the A&N Islands' ranking has improved considerably over the years; however, he said, there is still a long way to go. Recalling the prompt action taken by the Fire Department towards averting a major fire mishap, which occurred at Babu Line in Dec. 1996, the Chief Secretary lauded the Fire Department for the commendable service rendered. He also urged the Police Department to automate all the online processes involved and to re-engineer it for faster and easier service delivery. The Chief Secretary also stated that it is the responsibility (Contd. on last page)

## Special talks by Swami Swaroopananda Saraswati

Port Blair, Jan 16 The world wide Head of the Chinmaya Mission, Swami Swaroopananda Saraswati will be delivering the special talks 'Real answers to real problem' from Jan.17 to 21, 2018 in the auditorium of Chinmaya Mission here. The talks will be held from 6 pm to 7.30 pm. Smti Rashmi Singh, Secretary A & N Administration will be the chief guest during the inaugural function to be held at 6 pm on Jan.17. Swamijee will be speaking on managing stress on Jan.17, managing wealth on Jan.18, managing love and relationship on (Contd. on last page)

## Brahmavidya Gyan Yaga Festival at Maharashtra Mandal

Port Blair, Jan.16 Maharashtra Mandal premises w.e.f Jan.17 to 21, 2018, followed by Hari Path, Geeta Path and bhajan programme daily from 6 pm to 8 pm, for 5 days. About 150 Warkari Samaj Devotees from Maharashtra State are reaching Port Blair to attend (Contd. on last page)

## Centre & State Govts to identify number of children out of school: Minister

New Delhi, Jan 16 Union Minister for Human Resources Development Shri Prakash Javadekar has said that the Centre and State Governments have resolved to identify the number of children out of school in the country. He was speaking at the 65th Central Advisory Board of Education meeting in New Delhi yesterday. Shri Javadekar said the Centre and State Governments have resolved to launch 'Operation Digital Board' and also initiate a scheme to identify out of school children from September this year. A sub-committee on out of school children will submit its final report on January 31. However, the panel recommended the need to have a standardised definition of out of school children and that states should conduct joint surveys to identify such children. During the meeting, district-wise findings of the National Achievement Survey (NAS) for classes III, V and VIII were tabled. A number of CABE sub- (Contd. on last page)

## UIDAI to enable face authentication in fusion mode on registered devices by 1st July

New Delhi, Jan 16 Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) has decided to enable face authentication in fusion mode on registered devices by 1st July this year to make it easier for people facing difficulty in authentication through fingerprint and Iris. In a statement, UIDAI said, this facility will help in inclusive authentication of those who are not able to biometrically authenticate due to their worn out fingerprints, old age or hard work conditions. The Face Authentication will provide additional option for all residents to have inclusive authentication. It will be allowed only in fusion mode along with one more authentication factor combined with either fingerprint or iris or OTP. Face Authentication shall also be allowed on need basis. It said, face authentication with liveness detection can be used as an additional factor to increase security. To facilitate this authentication service, UIDAI will work with biometric device providers to integrate face modality (Contd. on last page)

## Impressive parade marks Raising Day of A&N Police DGP motivates Police personnel to render better service to people

Port Blair, Jan.16 The Andaman and Nicobar Police celebrated its Raising Day today with great enthusiasm and sense of pride. An impressive ceremonial parade with 6 contingents comprising of one platoon each of Executive Police (Men), Executive Police (Ladies), IRBN, Fire Service, Home Guard, Traffic and 2 platoons of A&N Police Band, headed by Shri Naveen Kumar, Assistant Commandant/IRBN as Parade Commander, was held at Parade ground, (Contd. on last page)



Police Lines. The Director General of Police, A&N Islands, Ms. Nuzhat Hassan, took the salute on this occasion. All senior officers of A&N Police and around 300 upper and lower subordinates of A&N Police/IRBN and Home Guards personnel witnessed this grand event. The history of A&N Police dates back to the year 1875, when an organized police force was established in Andaman and Nicobar (Contd. on last page)

## Production oriented Theatre Workshop by NSD gets underway

Port Blair, Jan.16 'Kala Kendra' - A & N Islands Society for Promotion of Art & Culture under Department of Art & Culture, A & N Administration is organizing month long production oriented theatre workshop in collaboration with National School of Drama, New Delhi at Andaman Club here. The workshop began today with an informal function organized in Andaman Club in the presence of eminent theatre personalities and aspiring theatre artists. The month-long production oriented theatre workshop will deal with a whole range of subjects related to and with theatre such as acting, (Contd. on last page)



movement, light, make-up, costume, speech and theatre history etc. Shri Surinder Sharma, eminent Actor and Director is the Camp Director. Shri Avinash Deshpande, eminent Actor and Shri Partho Banerjee, a popular Mime Artist are other resource persons deputed by National School of Drama to conduct the workshop. Shri Naresh Chandra Lall, Padmashree Awardee and an eminent Theatre and Film Director was present as the special guest on the occasion. He encouraged all participants to come forward and learn the art of theatre under the guidance of eminent theatre personalities from the National School of Drama. Shri Lall, while narrating his days of struggle assured to extend his full support and (Contd. on last page)



## World Cup Qualifiers to get underway from March 4

Dubai, Jan 16  
Hosts Zimbabwe will be one of the teams playing on the opening Day of the World Cup Qualifiers, which gets underway on March 4, the ICC announced on Monday (January 15). Two time World Cup holders Windies, who failed to earn a direct qualification for the main event in 2019, will be playing their opening qualification game on March 6. Apart from Windies and Zimbabwe, Afghanistan and Ireland were the other teams with full ODI status that failed to earn a direct berth on account of finishing outside the top eight in the ICC ODI rankings at the 30 September 2017 cut-off date. World Cricket League champions Netherlands and runners-up

Papua New Guinea were joined by Hong Kong and Scotland in the qualifiers after finishing as the top four teams in the WCL. The outcome of the WCL Division 2 is awaited to determine the two other sides that will complete the 10-team line up for the World Cup Qualifiers. The finalists of the six-team tournament to be held in Namibia from February 8-15, which involves Canada, Kenya, Namibia, Nepal, Oman and the United Arab Emirates, will make it through to the Qualifiers. The ten teams in the Qualifiers are split into two groups - Windies, Ireland, the Netherlands, Papua New Guinea and winners of WCL Div. 2 make up Group A while Zimbabwe, Afghanistan,

Scotland, Hong Kong and the runners-up of WCL Div. 2 are part of Group B. After facing each other once in their respective groups, the top three from each group will qualify for the Super 6 stage. During the Super Sixes, the teams will play three games each and play against those teams they didn't face in the group phase. The teams will carry over points from the group stage, apart from those earned against the bottom two teams. The teams that finish in the top two at the end of the Super Sixes will qualify for the World Cup apart from playing the final, which is scheduled on March 25. Meanwhile, the three highest finishing Associate sides will join Netherlands in gaining ODI status until 2022.

## Viswanathan Anand crushes Fabiano Caruana to join Anish Giri in lead

New Delhi, Jan 16  
Five-time world champion Viswanathan Anand crushed USA's Fabiano Caruana in the third round to join Dutchman Anish Giri in lead on 2.5 points at the Tata Steel Masters Chess tournament.



For Anand, it was his second victory in three days as he looks for a record sixth title. Caruana went for the Petroff defense, an opening he had used in round one also. Anand went for a topical variation full of complexities and it was in the early middle game that Caruana reacted strongly on the 16th move.

adding, "I thought it didn't call for such extreme measures." In the moves that followed, Caruana gave up two minor pieces for a rook and a pawn and even though the position remained a bit unclear, the American clearly did not like what was happening. It was on the 28th move that Caruana shut his remaining

chances. A pawn capture led to a lost position. "Something went wrong in his calculation, he went down a very forced line and his calculation just missed the mark," Anand said. As it happened in the game, a pretty queen sacrifice on the 42nd move sealed the fate of the game.

## LG inaugurates SAKSHAM ...

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financial assistance. The Lt Governor further stated that it is also the responsibility of each and every citizen to ensure optimal use of electricity; and avoid wasteful consumption of electricity. "Every unit of energy saved enables a poor household to be illuminated", the Lt Governor remarked, urging everyone to work towards using alternative sources of energy.

The Lt. Governor further said that efforts have been initiated to boost the use of non-conventional energy sources in the Islands. Optimal mix of different energy sources is being explored to provide sustainable energy to all the Islanders. Under the Smart City concept, all conventional street lights in the city have been replaced with LED, he said. The Lt Governor concluded his speech by making a fervent appeal to each and every individual of the Islands to spread the message of fuel conservation for a better future.

The Lt Governor also flagged off a rally participated by students, to create awareness among the masses about securing availability of oil & gas for future generations.

Earlier, in his welcome address, the Chief Terminal Manager, IOC Shri Prakash Tiru said that SAKSHAM is being observed across the Country from Jan 16 to Feb 15 to create mass awareness on judicious use of energy resources and conservation of Petroleum & other fuels.

## CS launches portal ...

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of every citizen to take fire precautionary measures; adding that fire safety in all offices, establishments have to be put in place to prevent fire accidents.

Speaking about connectivity issue, being a challenge for the smooth implementation of online services here in the Islands, the Chief Secretary remarked that once the OFC project is completed, it will benefit the Islands to a great extent and in the years to come, we would be in a position to leverage IT in various platforms. The Chief Secretary also urged all the Departments to move online to deliver efficient services to people.

The Chief Secretary also handed over the Fire Clearance Certificates to Shri Girish Arora, Prop. Sea Shell Hotels & Resorts and Smti Khatija, Head Mistress, AI Ameen Public School on the occasion.

Earlier, welcoming the gathering, the DGP, A&N Islands, Smti. Nuzhat Hassan highlighted the efforts made by the Police Department towards ensuring efficient service delivery to the citizens by launching various online portals. She said, the online Portal for Fire Clearance Certificate is developed as an integral part of Single Window Clearance System and with the launch of this; enterprises in A&N Islands will be benefitted to a great extent. The Portal has been developed by NIC, Andaman for the Fire Service Department to provide online Fire Clearance Services for enterprises of A&N Islands, the DGP added.

Shri Narayanan from NIC through a power point presentation explained about the features and functions of the Portal for Fire Clearance Certificate. He also highlighted about the various initiatives undertaken by NIC towards ease of doing business.

The programme concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by the Superintendent of Police (Fire Brigade), Shri Deepak Yadav.

## UIDAI to enable...

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into the certified registered devices and also may provide standalone Registered Device service. UIDAI will provide Software Development Kits and Registered Device services in various operating systems which will have the ability to capture face image, check liveness, and create digitally signed and encrypted authentication input.

## Prithvi Shaw slams fifty to take India to 10 wicket win

Mount Maunganui, Jan 16  
Three-time champions India stormed into the ICC U-19 World Cup quarterfinals after inflicting a humiliating 10-wicket loss on minnows Papua New Guinea in a low-scoring group B clash here today. Skipper Prithvi Shaw slammed a strokeful fifty while spinner Anukul Roy claimed a maiden five-wicket haul to emerge as the architects of India's dominating victory. Roy was the wrecker-in-chief as he ran through the opposition, returning with impressive figures of 6.5-2-14-5 after skipper Shaw won the toss and elected to field first under overcast conditions.



PNG, who last appeared in the World Cup in 2014 in the United Arab Emirates, looked clueless against India's bowling unit and folded for 64 in 21.5 over, the tournament's lowest score so far. Ovia Sam (15), opener Simon Atai (13) and Sinaka Arua (12) were the notable contributors for Papua New Guinea, who

had qualified for their eighth World Cup after remaining unbeaten in the East Asia Pacific Qualifier in Samoa. India, who had inflicted a 100-run defeat on former champions Australian in their first match, then overhauled the target, reaching 67 for no loss in 8 overs, riding on Shaw's unconquered 39-ball 57.

## Isles Kayaking & Canoeing team wins 8 medals in National Championship



Port Blair, Jan. 16  
The Andaman and Nicobar Kayaking and Canoeing team has won two Gold, four Silver and two Bronze medals in the 28th National Kayaking and Canoeing Championship held at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh from Jan 6 to 14, 2018. Sandhya Kistopa K-1 won Silver medal in 1000 m while,

Sandhya/ Ms. Ragina Kiro won Silver medal in K-2 1000 m. They also won Gold medal in K-2, 500 m. Ragina Kiro won Silver medal in K-1, Manisha Kumari won Bronze medal in C-1, 5000 m. Sandhya/ Ms. Ragina Kiro won Gold medal in K-2, 200 m while Ragina Kiro won Silver medal in K-1, 200 m. Sandhya/ Ms. Ragina Kiro/

Ms. NM Minj/ Ms. Arpita Roy won Bronze medal in K-4, 200 m. Meanwhile, the SAI officials, coaches, President and General Secretary of the Andaman & Nicobar Kayaking & Canoeing Association have congratulated the crew and team coached for winning medals, a communication said.

## Coast Guard conducts 'Swachh Sagar Abhiyan' at Havelock

Port Blair, Jan 16  
Indian Coast Guard Ships and Establishments in coordination with Municipal Council workers undertook an emphatic awareness campaign and handy cleanliness drive at Kalapathar beach, Havelock yesterday. The Coast Guard undertook the challenge to clean the entire beach, as Havelock is a top tourist destination in the itinerary of tourists visiting Andamans, and it is imperative that it stays clean at all times thus complimenting the pristine environment and attracting more excursions. During the event, local populace were sensitized



about the ill effects of pollution and to join hands towards promoting the Prime Minister's Flagship Programme and contribute towards a clean & green pollution free environment. Banners and placards were displayed to enhance the awareness campaign and to educate all, including tourists about the importance of cleaner

and greener surroundings. The efforts by the CG team were praised by all locals and tourists alike.

## Community Sanitary...

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The Deputy Commissioner, while speaking advised the people to use the CSC and keep themselves and the environment clean and hygienic, a communication said.

## Impressive parade marks ...

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Islands. In order to deal with crime and criminals, in the year 1924 the Civil Police Force was formed as a separate branch under the control of a Commandant. After national independence, it was on 16th January, 1953 that Shri Naushirwan Feroz Sauntook, the first IPS officer took over the charge of the Superintendent of Police from Shri M. Macfarland. This day is celebrated as the 'Raising Day' of the Andaman and Nicobar Police.

Speaking on the occasion, the Director General of Police lauded the services rendered by the A&N Police in maintaining law and order and highlighted the outstanding achievements made by the A&N Police in crime prevention, providing security to the islanders, curbing criminal activities, and in providing a safe & secure environment to the women, children and other weaker sections of the society. She further motivated everyone to render better services to the people and appealed to show greater professionalism, transparency and sensitivity in their functioning. She encouraged all to discharge their duties with dedication and sincerity so as to uphold the name of A & N Police to glorious heights. She also congratulated the parade participants for good turn out and excellent performance in the parade.

During the function, the Director General of Police congratulated the winners of the Water Sports Team, who had brought laurels to the A & N Police Force. She presented Commendation Certificates with cash rewards to PC/496 Navin Kujur, who had won one gold medal in the ISC National Rowing Championship-2017 held at Kolkata, PC/3011 Amlan Das for winning two silver medals and PC/353 S.K. Pandey for winning two silver medals and one bronze medal in the 17th All India Police Water Sports Championship-2017 held at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. The entire Ceremonial Parade function of the Raising Day Celebration was held under the supervision of Ms. Usha Rangnani, IPS, Superintendent of Police (AP).

The A&N Police Raising day 2018 concluded with Bada Khana in the evening.

## Virat Kohli fined for breaching ICC code of conduct

Centurion, Jan 16  
India skipper Virat Kohli has been fined 25 per cent of his match fee for showing dissent against the umpire during the third day's play of second Test against South Africa here. "India captain Virat Kohli has been fined 25 per cent of his match fee and received one demerit point for breaching Level 1 of the ICC Code of Conduct during the third day's play in the second Test against South Africa at Centurion on Monday," ICC said in a statement.

The incident happened in the 25th over of South Africa's second innings yesterday when Kohli continuously complained to umpire Michael Gough about the ball being affected by a damp outfield following a rain delay, before throwing the ball into the ground in an aggressive manner. Kohli was found to have breached Article 2.1.1 of the ICC Code of Conduct for Players and Player Support Personnel, which relates to "conduct that is contrary to the spirit of the game."

## SEVA SUCHNAYEIN

ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS

### CARGO SERVICE:

MV Badam will sail for Hut Bay via Neil & Havelock on 18.01.2018 (Fri) at 1300 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair immediately after discharging/loading of Cargo at respective ports. Booking of cargo for the above sailing will be done on 17.01.2018 (Wed) from 0900 Hrs onwards at Commercial Wing. Similarly, loading of cargo will be done on 17.01.2018 at Haddo Wharf. All the consigners are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.

### INTER ISLAND SECTOR:

MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay, Chowra, Teressa & Nancowry on 20.01.2018 (Sat) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 22.01.2018 (Mon) at 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 17.01.2018 (Wed) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 17.01.2018 (Wed) 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 Bharat Seema will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 22.01.2018 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 23.01.2018 (Tue) at 1600 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 19.01.2018 (Fri) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 19.01.2018 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.

### HUT BAY SECTOR:

MV Coral Queen will sail for Hut Bay on 19.01.2018 (Fri) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2100 Hrs from Hut Bay.

MV Coral Queen will sail for Hut Bay on 20.01.2018 (Sat) at 2100 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 21.01.2018 (Thu) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.

MV Coral Queen will sail for Hut Bay on 22.01.2018 (Mon) at 2100 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 23.01.2018 (Tue) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.

Note: Passenger tickets for the above sailings for Hut Bay on 20th & 22nd Jan., 2018 will be issued to the general public from 18.01.2018 (Thu) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters & CSC's.

### 17.01.2018 (WEDNESDAY)

#### BARATANG

MV Strait Island will sail for Baratang on 17.01.2018 (Wed) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1515 Hrs from Baratang.

#### HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 17.01.2018 (Wed) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.

MV North Passage will sail for Neil Island on 17.01.2018 (Wed) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.

MV North Passage will sail for Neil Island on 17.01.2018 (Wed) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.

MV North Passage will sail for Havelock on 17.01.2018 (Wed) at 1300 Hrs from Neil Island Jetty and will sail back to Neil Island on the same day at 1445 Hrs from Havelock.

## Brahmavidya Gyan Yaga... (Contd. from page 1)

the function. Shri Jagtap Maharaj Aadgawkar, Dr. Dada Maharaj Manmadkar, Shri Vithal Nana Chowdhary will be the special guests and Orators. Shri Gorakhnath Patil, President, Maharashtra Mandal will be the chief guest on the occasion. All devotees are cordially invited.

## Special talks by... (Contd. from page 1)

Jan. 19, managing sorrow on Jan. 20 and managing health on Jan. 21, 2018. Swamijee is also the Chairman of Chinmaya Vishwavidhyapeeth Trust (University for Sanskrit and Indic traditions) and Director of Chinmaya International Residential School in Coimbatore.

## Production oriented ...

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guidance to Island artists to get admission in National School of Drama.

Shri Surinder Sharma while interacting with the participants emphasized that theatre is an art form that brings people together to celebrate, challenge and provoke through the telling of stories. Human beings naturally want to express themselves, and theatre is the most expressive art form. Altogether 30 artists are participating in the workshop. Earlier Dr. Rashida Iqbal, Assistant Director (Art & Culture) welcomed the gathering, a communication said.

## Centre & state govts ...

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committee of reports were also submitted. The recommendations also included providing Aadhaar cards to all out of school children and introduce pre-primary education in government schools.

Among the draft recommendations, the committee suggested a residential, English medium, CBSE school for girls on lines of Navodaya Vidyalayas in each district; extension of mid-day meal support up to Class XII; free education up to PG level; residential degree colleges and polytechnics for women in district headquarters and an exclusive women university in each state.