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Havelock is the face of tourism in A&N Islands: LG

Stresses on maintaining high quality standard

Port Blair, Dec. 28
A meeting was chaired by the Hon'ble Lt. Governor on 28.12.2015 at the Conference of Dolphin Yatri Niwas, Havelock. Deputy Commissioner, SA, Chief Port Administrator, PMB, Dy. Director, Shipping Services, Executive Engineer, ALHW, Executive Engineer, Electricity Department and other local officers were present. The Hon'ble Lt. Governor expressed his concern for not maintaining high quality standards in Havelock Island in all aspects, which is the face of tourism of A & N Islands. Detailed instructions were given regarding face lifting of the Jetty area, improvement in physical infrastructure and amenities for passengers and tourists. Strict action will be initiated against those



disturbing the cleanliness of the area. The Deputy Commissioner, SA has been nominated as Nodal Officer to oversee the implementation of the directions given by the Hon'ble Lt. Governor in a time bound manner. The issue of insufficient toilets was also discussed for which the

Administration will involve banks, private resorts, etc. in Havelock under their CSR activities. A weekly review has been mandated in the issue. The Electricity Department has been instructed to reduce the load shedding hours by expanding their existing capacity. The

APWD has been given time lines for completion of all major activities including roads.

Minister of Communication & IT to visit Isles

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Minister of Communication and Information Technology, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad will be arriving here on Dec. 30 on a five-day visit to the Islands. Soon after arrival, the Minister will visit National Memorial Cellular Jail and lay wreath at Martyrs' Column. Thereafter, he will inaugurate the serving GPRS Support Node (SGSN) equipments BSNL, Telephone Exchange near DAG Colony on Dec. 30 at 12.15 pm.

The Minister will lay the

foundation stone for new Telephone Exchange at Radhanagar, Havelock Island on Jan 1 at 11 am. The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray will also attend the function.
The Minister will hold meeting with BSNL, DOT, NIC, Postal, IT Department in the conference hall of Megapode Resort on Jan 3 at 11.30 am.
The Minister will also visit various places of tourist interest in and around the Islands before leaving for mainland on Jan 3.

Huge quantity of ganja seized by CID; one lady arrested

Port Blair, Dec. 28
On 26th December 2015, acting upon a credible information, a trap was laid at VSI Airport by a raiding team of CID under the supervision of Dy.SP(CID). The team intercepted a lady

namely Smti. Archana Gain, w/o Subir Gain R/o Rangat at arrival parking area of VSI Airport and recovered 5.500 kg of illicit ganja from her trolley suitcase. Subsequently she has been arrested under NDPS Act 1985.

Kerala Samajam to celebrate X-Mas & New Year

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Kerala Samajam, Port Blair will be celebrating X-Mas 2015 & New Year 2016 in a function to be organised on Dec. 30 at 6 pm at Kerala Samajam Hall. The Chairperson, PBMC, Smti.

Sheela Singh will be the chief guest on the occasion while Rev. Fr. Zakaria Mathew, Vicar St. Mary's Orthodox Cathedral and Rev. Anu Oommen, St. Thomas Marthoma Church will be the guests of honour.

Br. MSME-DI to organise state level vendor development prog.

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Branch Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Development Institute (BMSMEDDI), Port Blair is planning to organize a one day State Level Vendor Development Programme for promotion and development of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) for facilitating marketing to Public Sector Undertakings, Government Departments

and large scale industrial establishments, tentatively, on 7th January, 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 have been requested to actively participate in the programme. (Contd. on last page)

FANS to organise seminar at JNRM today; delegates from mainland to attend

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Forum for Awareness of National Security (FANS) will be having its third 'Shaheed, Swaraj Dweep Samooh Naman Yatra' from Dec. 29 to Jan 2, 2016 to hoist the tricolour on Dec. 30 to celebrate the flag hoisting done by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose on 30th December, 1943 - first ever tricolour on the Indian Territory. A team of 25 delegates will be visiting the Islands under the guidance and leadership of Shri Inderesh Kumarji, Marg Darshak, FANS.

As part of their visit, a seminar on 'Andaman and Nicobar - A fortress to a spring board for India's engagement with Asia Pacific' will be organised on Dec. 29 at 6 pm at JNRM auditorium. The Lt.

Governor, Lt. Gen A.K. Singh (Retd.) will be the chief guest on the occasion. The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray and Chief Secretary, Shri Anand Prakash will be the guests of honour. The

keynote address will be delivered by Shri Inderesh Kumarji, Marg Darshak, FANS and General Secretary, RSS.

Meanwhile, the National Flag will be hoisted on Dec. 30 at 8 am at Andaman

Club. On Dec. 31 at 1845 hrs 'Samudra Pojan' will be conducted at Aberdeen Water Sports Complex, a communication received from Shri Girish Arora, President, FANS A&N Chapter said here today.

LG orders DSS to deploy additional boats for Havelock & Neil

Port Blair, Dec 28
Hon'ble Lt Governor has ordered the Director, Shipping Service to ensure that there is no disruption of tourist traffic to Havelock and Neil Islands. After

seeing media report that tourists are being greatly inconvenienced due to cessation of operations of a private cruise boat to these Islands, Hon'ble Lt Governor ordered the

Directorate of Shipping Services (DSS) to deploy an additional passenger boat immediately so as to cater to the rush of tourists for weekend/New Year holidays.

Commemoration of first flag hoisting by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose on Dec 30

Port Blair, Dec. 28
To commemorate the first flag hoisting by Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose in the year 1943 in Port Blair, the Lt. Governor, Andaman and Nicobar Islands will hoist the National Flag at the Memorial of 30th December, opposite Netaji Stadium on 30th December 2015 at 8.30 am followed by Guard of Honour.

Earlier, Chairperson, PBMC shall pay tribute at the Netaji Statue, 1857 Memorial and Battle of Aberdeen Memorial between 8.10 & 8.20 am. The Chief

Sitting of State Commission's Court

Port Blair, Dec. 28
Justice Asim Kumar Ray, President of State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission (State Commission), A&N Islands will hold sitting of the State Commission's Court with effect from Jan 4 to 16, 2016 at Port Blair in the State Commission's building, Directorate of Civil Supplies Complex, Port Blair. All the litigants whose matters are pending before the State Commission, A&N Islands have been informed to appear before the Commission, a communication said.

Secretary, A&N Administration will lay wreath at the Martyrs' Column, Cellular Jail at 8.20 am on 30th December 2015.

On this day in the year 1943, Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose as Head of the

Provisional Government of Azad Hind hoisted the National Flag for the first time at the Gymkhana Ground (present Netaji Stadium). All have been requested to attend the function, a communication said.

First Captain of Malacca village passes away

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Chairman and the Executive Committee Member of Tribal Council, Car Nicobar and the Chairman and Executive Committee Members of Elton Hinengo Ltd., Car Nicobar have condoled the sudden demise of Shri. Herbert Sen, Ist Captain, Malacca village, Car Nicobar who passed away at BJR Hospital, Car Nicobar today. He held two tenure as Malacca Village Captain for about 10 years. He was also the Director of Elton Hinengo Ltd. He was nominated as one of Director of Andaman & Nicobar State Cooperative Bank during 2013-14.

Shri Hebert Sen was a good football player and represented the country twice in the year 1986-1987. He was a provisional football player in the Dempo

Sport Club Goa for 20 years. He completed his NIS Dipolma in foot ball in 1989 from NIS, Kolkata. He is survived by his wife and a son, communications received here said.

New Year celebration at Waves Restaurant

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Waves Restaurant, Corbyn's Cove, a unique place in Port Blair will be organizing New Year celebration on 31st December 2015. There will be buffet dinner and live orchestra at the beach restaurant to entertain people awaiting the New Year bash.

The buffet dinner will have to be reserved in advance and dinner coupon will be available in the Reception counter of the Tourist Information Centre of the Directorate of Tourism @ (Contd. on last page)



Vice Admiral Satish Soni, PVSM, AVSM, NM, ADC, Flag Officer Commanding, Eastern Naval Command, who is on a visit to these Islands called on the Hon'ble Lt Governor, Lt Gen A K Singh (Retd), at Raj Niwas on 28.12.2015.

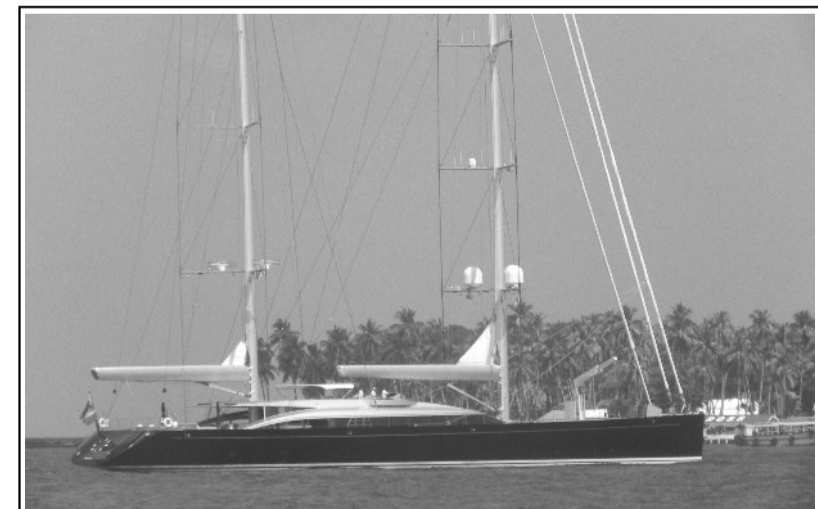
Jai Kisan Jai Vigyan week observed

Farmers motivated to take maximum benefit of agri. related schemes

Port Blair, Dec. 28
To strengthen and integrate the role of farmers as well as science to consolidate the benefits achieved under Green revolution into an evergreen revolution for the welfare of farmer, Jai Kisan Jai Vigyan week and Kisan Diwas which is being celebrated to mark the birth Anniversary of Shri. Atal Bihari Vajpayee and Late Chaudhary Charan Singh, the

Farmers was conducted today at the conference hall of Zonal Agriculture Office Goal Ghar. Addressing the gathering, Dr. GS. Pandey, Director of Agriculture briefed the participants about the importance of Jai Kisan Jai Vigyan week and Kisan Diwas which is being celebrated to mark the birth Anniversary of Shri. Atal Bihari Vajpayee and Late Chaudhary Charan Singh, the

two former Prime Ministers of India who had contributed a lot for the use of science for promotion of farmers. Shri. Apurva Chandra Roy, Pramukh Prothrapur was the chief guest while Shri Ramakrishna Biswas, Pradhan, Neil Kendra Panchayat was the guest of honour on this occasion. In their address, they motivated the farmers to take interest in (Contd. on last page)



It was a treat to watch the luxury sailing Yacht 'Vertigo'. The vessel which arrived here from Phuket, Thailand with foreign tourists a week back left the Island shores today. The design of the vessel was so splendid that it attracted the attention of people with Ross Island in its background.

SPORTS

Leander Paes to team up with Granollers in Chennai Open

Chennai, Dec 28
Veteran Indian tennis star Leander Paes will team up with Spaniard Marcel Granollers in the men's doubles at the upcoming ATP Chennai Open and the duo has been seeded second for the event starting, January 4 in Chennai.
The doubles draw at the 20th edition of the event will feature, along with Paes, Rajeev Ram, Benoit Paire and Borna Coric. In the previous edition Paes and Raven Klaasen had ended runners-up, losing to eventual champions Yen-Hsun Lu and Jonathan Marray.
Two pairs will be awarded wild cards to play.
Chennai Open will witness a line-up of top talent at the \$480,000 prize money tournament.
Cutting off at 98, the field for the tournament will see World No. 4 Stanislas Wawrinka vying for a hat-trick of titles, Chennai-debutant World No. 12 Kevin



Anderson, World No. 19 and ATP's Comeback Player of the Year 2015 Benoit Paire, World No. 25 Roberto Bautista-Agut, along with Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Gilles Muller, Vasek Pospisil, Borna Coric, and Aljaz Bedene representing nine players from amongst the top 50 in the world. The top-seeded doubles pair for this edition is that of South African

Raven Klaasen and American Rajeev Ram.

ANCA to organise cricket tourney

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The Andaman & Nicobar Cricket Association will be organising a 30 over league-cum-knockout tournament w.e.f 1st week of January, 2016. Interested club/ organization/departments have been requested to submit 15 players list with photographs and Rs.15000/- as entry fee by Jan 1 to Shri Sundaram at Netaji Stadium. The draw of fixture will be held on the same day at 4 pm, a communication said.

Devvarman rises to World No.177

New Delhi, Dec 28
Somdev Devvarman moved up three places to be ranked No.177 in the latest Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP) men's singles rankings released on Monday. His compatriots Yuki Bhambri and Saketh Myneni stayed at Nos. 93 and 170 respectively. In men's doubles, Rohan Bopanna, Leander Paes and Purav Raja all maintained their spots at No.9, 41 and 93 respectively. In women's singles, Anika Raina was up a place to No. 263 but Prerna Bhambri slid a spot to 417. In women's doubles, reigning Wimbledon champion Sania Mirza continues to rule the standings at the top. Prarthana Thombare, however, saw her biggest rise, by climbing 32 positions to be ranked No. 265.

Lahiri rises to 40th in world rankings

Sentosa, Dec 28
Indian golfer Anirban Lahiri, who was crowned the Asian Tour Order of Merit winner this season, on Monday rose a rung to be 40th in the latest official world golf rankings. Asian Tour number one Lahiri, the only Indian featuring in top-100, had triumphed in Malaysia and India this year and also finished tied fifth at the PGA Championship to reinforce his stature as one of the game's rising young stars. The tenacious Indian will return to Augusta National Golf Club, venue of the year's opening Major, for the second straight season after making his debut last April.

Yuki Bhambri pulls out of Chennai Open with elbow injury

Chennai, Dec 28
India's top singles player Yuki Bhambri today withdrew from the Chennai Open as he is yet to recover from his elbow injury. Yuki had enjoyed a lot of success in the season 2015 as he broke into top-100, winning two Challenger level singles titles. After winning the Pune Challenger, he was forced to withdraw from his last event of the 2015 season due to the same injury. He had about six weeks to recover but could not and was advised more rest by his Delhi-based doctor.

MORE LOCAL/NATIONAL NEWS

No LPG subsidy for consumers with taxable income of more than Rs 10 lakh

New Delhi, Dec 28
LPG subsidy will not be available to consumers who had taxable income of more than ten lakh rupees in previous financial year. In a release Petroleum and Natural Gas Ministry said, this will be given effect to initially on self-declaration basis while booking cylinders from next month. At present, there are about 16.5 crore LPG consumers in the country.

While many of them have given up subsidy voluntarily, it is felt that consumers in the higher income bracket should get LPG cylinders at the market price. So far, 57.50 lakh LPG consumers have opted out of LPG subsidy voluntarily heeding to the Prime Minister's call to give up the subsidy. The subsidy saved from the 'Give it Up' campaign is being utilized for providing new connections to the BPL families under the 'Give back' campaign.

The objective of the scheme is to ensure that the subsidy benefits go to the targeted group. This enables provision of LPG, a clean

Tithi puja of Sri Sarada Devi

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The birthday tithi puja of Sri Sarada Devi will be celebrated on Jan 1, 2016, in the prayer hall of Ramakrishna Mission with special puja, havana, devotional songs, reading from the life and teachings of Sarada Devi and distribution of prasad, a communication said.

JEE mock test

Port Blair, Dec. 28
Port Blair Sahodaya and VelTech University, Chennai will be conducting a free JEE mock test on Jan 3, 2016 from 9 am to 1.30 pm. Exam centres will be Carmel Sr. Sec. School, VKV Lamba Line, Khalsa Public School, Ummat Public School Austinabad and Crescent Public School, Wimberlygunj. For more details contact 9679533702, 9679508842, a communication said.

Pooja at Police Temple

Port Blair, Dec. 28
On the occasion of New Year 2016, a pooja will be organised by Sri Shridi Sai Bhakt Mandal at the Police Temple premises, Aberdeen Bazar on Jan 1 from 10 am to 12 noon. Annadanam will be served at 12.45 pm, a communication said.

Firing practice

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The unit 282 (I) Fd Wksp Coy EME Pin-906282 C/o 99 APO Port Blair will utilize the Chinthe 200m long range Brichgunj on Dec. 29 for small arm firing from 0900 hrs to 1300 hrs. All concerned have been warned to keep themselves and their vehicle or livestock away from the firing range during the mentioned date and time, a communication said.



fuel, to poor households by replacing the conventional fuels such as kerosene, coal, fuel wood and cow dung. The Ministry said, the subsidy is being

transferred directly to the Bank Account of 14.78 crore LPG Consumers under the implementation of the PAHAL Scheme, DBTL.

Electronic - boarding facility could be extended to all major airports: Minister

Hyderabad, Dec 28
Union Civil Aviation Minister Shri Ashok Gajapathi Raju today said the electronic - boarding facility could be extended to all major airports in the country to improve passenger convenience. He inaugurated the E-boarding facility for passengers at the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport in Hyderabad this morning by enrolling his Aadhaar

Number. Speaking to media later, the Minister said the aim of the initiative was to provide better facilities to passengers and the launching e-boarding was a step ahead in the direction. The Government has the facility jointly with the GMR Hyderabad International Airport limited under the Digital-India programme. This will also be launched at Bengaluru Airport.

Annual exhibition of KV-1 held

Port Blair, Dec. 28
The annual exhibition of Kendriya Vidyalaya No.1 showcasing the projects of students with the themes of alternate power resources, smart cities, green technology, digital technology, scientific phenomenon and Indian & international culture was held on Dec. 23 & 24. The Chairperson, PBMC, Smt. Sheela Singh who was the chief guest on the occasion released the e-Patrika and inaugurated the fully automated library of the

Vidyalaya. The Incharge of Port Blair Cluster of Kendriya Vidyalayas, Shri Biswanath Hansdah was the guest of honour. The exhibits put on display attracted accolades from the visiting dignitaries and alumni of the Vidyalaya. The chief guest appreciated the efforts taken by the teachers and students to prepare projects showing language enrichment, learning of Indian culture, technology updating, environmental concerns highlighting the need of the hour, a communication said.

Br. MSME-DI ...

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Around 40 participating MSMEs will be required to participate in the programme with a participation fee of Rs 500/- per MSE. The interested MSMEs have been requested to obtain the application form from the Br. MSME-DI, Dollygunj Industrial Area, Port Blair and submit the same with the requisite fee to the office of the Br. MSME-DI, Port Blair, latest by 5.1.2016.

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 details contact Br. MSME-DI, Port Blair. Tel 252308, M-9474200645/7063921843, a communication said.

Jai Kisan Jai ...

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all the activities and avail the benefits of the Schemes being implemented by the Department.

Dr. Shiv Kumar, Director of AH & VS and Shri. Chandrashekar, Director of Fisheries emphasized to come forward take the benefits of ongoing Departmental schemes.

During the technical session, Dr. K.A.Naveen, SVO, Department of AH & VS detailed about the Schemes of Animal Husbandary and Veterinary Services, Shri S.C. Dey, Assistant Director of Fisheries detailed the Schemes of Fisheries Department, Shri R.Y.Singh, Assistant Director (Agri), South Andaman detailed about the Plan Scheme, Shri Kamaljeet, Assistant Director, HQ detailed the Schemes of RKVY & PKVY, Shri. Ramesh Kumar, Deputy Project Director ATMA briefed about the ATMA schemes and Smti. Pitchammal Beevi, Agriculture Officer, HVADA briefed the schemes under High Value Agriculture Development Agency (HVADA) & Coconut Development Board of the Department of Agriculture.

WEATHER

Partly cloudy sky with possibility of early morning haze/mist. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 31°C and 26°C respectively on Tuesday 29/12/2015

Observational data for Port Blair in last 24 hours

Maximum Temperature (°C): 31.3
Minimum Temperature (°C): 26.2
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 077
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 080
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0538
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1706
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 000.3
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.0
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 15: 2887.9 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

CINEMA

DIVIYUM TALKIES

Following is the Schedule for Week Dec 18 - 24

Dilwale - (Hindi U A)
12:30 PM, 4:00 PM & 7:30 PM
Bajirao Mastani - (Hindi U)
12:00 PM, 3:30 PM & 7:00 PM
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SEVA SUCHNAYEIN

ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS

MV Sentinel will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 31.12.2015 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 01.01.2016 (Tue) at 0800 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 29.12.2015 (Tue) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 29.12.2015 (Tue) between 0900 Hrs to 1300 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consignees are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.

29.12.2015 (TUESDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 29.12.2015 (Tue) 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 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.

MV Rani Changa will sail for Neil Island on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.

MV Rani Changa will sail for Havelock on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 1300 Hrs from Neil Island Jetty and will sail back to Neil Island on the same day at 1445 Hrs from Havelock.

MV Kamorta will sail for Neil Island on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 1300 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1515 Hrs from Neil Island. (Additional Service).

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock.

MV Jolly Buoy will sail for Havelock on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock. (Additional Service). Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 28.12.2015 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters.

HUT BAY
MV Dering will sail for Hut Bay on 29.12.2015 (Tue) at 0700 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2000 Hrs from Hut Bay.

30.12.2015 (WEDNESDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 30.12.2015 (Wed) 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 Havelock on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock. (Additional service)

MV Jolly Buoy will sail for Neil Island on 30.12.2015 (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 Jolly Buoy will sail for Neil Island on 30.12.2015 (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 Jolly Buoy will sail for Havelock on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 1300 Hrs from Neil Island Jetty and will sail back to Neil Island on the same day at 1445 Hrs from Havelock.

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock.

MV Kamorta will sail for Havelock on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Havelock. (Additional service)

HUT BAY
MV Dering will sail for Hut Bay on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 2000 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 31.12.2015 (Thu) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.

RANGAT & DIGLIPUR
MV Rani Changa will sail for Rangat via Neil, Havelock, Strait Island and Long Island on 30.12.2015 (Wed) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 31.12.2015 (Thu) at 0615 Hrs from Rangat via same route.

Due to administrative reasons the schedule sailing of MV Kamorta for Diglipur on 30.12.2015 has been cancelled. Passengers those who have already purchased their tickets for the above sailing are advised to cancel their tickets and get refunded from STARS Counters.

31.12.2015 (THURSDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND

MV Bambooka will sail for Havelock on 31.12.2015 (Thu) 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 Havelock on 31.12.2015 (Thu) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock. (Additional Service)

MV Jolly Buoy will sail for Neil Island on 31.12.2015 (Thu) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.

New Year celebration ...
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Rs.450/- per person (Liquor will be available on extra payment). For enquiry contact Reception counter over phone No. 03192-232694 or Manager (Waves Restaurant) Cell No. 9434285444, a communication said.

Guptill's 30-ball 93 helps NZ thrash Sri Lanka by 10 wickets

Christchurch, Dec 28
Martin Guptill scored the second-fastest half century in ODIs as New Zealand beat Sri Lanka by 10 wickets in an absurd mismatch Monday to take a 2-0 lead in the five-match series.
Guptill missed by one ball A.B. de Villiers' 16-ball record for the fastest one-day half century but matched Sanath Jayasuriya's mark for the second-fastest and beat by one ball Brendon McCullum's record for a New Zealander.
As Guptill flayed the Sri Lanka attack, a match which had already been lop-sided lurched towards farce. Sri Lanka had

been bowled out for 117 in only 27.3 overs after winning the toss and choosing to bat and Guptill made 93 to blast New Zealand to victory in only 8.2 overs and 40 minutes.

Guptill faced only 30 balls, hitting nine fours and eight sixes and following on from his 79 in the first match of the series which New Zealand won by seven wickets. Opening partner Tom Latham, who made an unbeaten 17 from 20 balls, was mainly a spectator as Guptill charged towards New Zealand's winning total. At his remarkable tempo, New Zealand reached 50 in only 2.4 overs.

Lionel Messi and Barcelona win big at Globe Soccer Awards



Dubai, Dec 28
Barcelona and star player Lionel Messi triumphed at the seventh edition of the Globe Soccer Awards in Dubai, taking home the prizes for best team and best player.
Messi had travelled from Argentina to attend the ceremony on Sunday.
"It's very nice to receive these awards, but I always say that the team makes it possible," said Messi. "It's been an extraordinary year."

Barcelona won five titles in 2015 — the Spanish league title, the Copa del Rey, Champions League, European Super Cup and the World Club Cup.
Only the Spanish Super Cup eluded them with a loss to Athletic Bilbao.

Belgian coach Marc Wilmots was named best manager while Benfica took the award for best club academy.
Italy's Andrea Pirlo and England's Frank Lampard were lauded for their long careers.

Masters Champions League to be telecast on Sony

New Delhi, Dec 28
Sony Pictures Networks India (SPN) has bagged the exclusive rights to the first edition of the Masters Champions League (MCL), a T20 cricket league which will start January 28 next year.
Further expanding its bouquet of international sporting events, Sony SIX, India's premier sports entertainment channel, will telecast all the 18 matches of the inaugural edition of the tournament live and exclusive from Dubai and Sharjah to across the Indian sub-continent.
The MCL has also secured, Mahendra Singh Dhoni, the

current captain of the Indian national cricket team as the brand ambassador. Six teams will take part in the tournament led by an Icon Player and each team has been named after zodiac signs, such as Libra, Gemini, Sagittarius, Virgo, Capricorn and Leo.

The first MCL match has been scheduled with two former teammates, Sourav Ganguly from Libra Legends and Virender Sehwag from Gemini Arabians, leading their teams to play against each other at the Dubai International Cricket Stadium (DICS).