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PM assures full support to Bangladesh in its fight against terrorism



New Delhi, Jul 29 Prime Minister Narendra Modi extended full support to Bangladesh in its fight against terrorism in the wake of several terror attacks in the neighboring country. Shri Modi assured this to visiting Bangladesh Home Minister Mr. Asaduzzaman Khan, who called on him in New Delhi yesterday. An official release said, Mr Khan briefed the Prime Minister on the situation in Bangladesh and thanked him for India's support and solidarity. Mr Khan also met Union Home Minister Shri Rajnath Singh for delegation level talks where both sides agreed to enhance cooperation on anti-terror efforts. Both leaders emphasized the need to immediately operationalise the agreement on combating terrorism, organized crime and illicit drug trafficking.

MP invites PM to 'Kamal Sakhi Manch' programme



Port Blair, July 29 The Member of Parliament Shri Bishnu Pada Ray and his wife Smti Rupa Ray met the Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi in New Delhi today and invited him for the Kamal Sakhi Manch programme, which will be hosted by Smti Rupa Ray this time in the first week of August in New Delhi. In the program Smti Ray will present the historical background, places of tourist interest and rich bio-diversity of the Islands through posters, videos and literature etc. 'Kamal Sakhi Manch' is an association of the wives of the BJP MPs and lady MPs of BJP. The Manch conducts programme every month on a particular theme and it is hosted by one member, a communication from the Office of the MP said here today.

MP to hold 'Aap Ki Adaalat'

Port Blair, July 29 The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray will hold 'Aap Ki Adaalat' at Panchayat Bhawan, Wimberlygunj at 9 am on July 31, 2016 and also at Panchayat Bhawan, Mannarghat at 11 am on the same day. During the proposed Adaalat, the MP will respond to the queries raised by the people on different issues.



A farewell was accorded to Smt. Omana Johnikutty, Senior Private Secretary who will be retiring from govt. service w.e.f Aug 1, 2016, in the conference hall of Secretariat this evening. The Principal Secretary, Shri Raajiv Yaduvanshi, Senior Officers of the Administration and staff members were present on the occasion.

Tree planting ceremony held at District Prison

Port Blair, July 29 As a part of 67th Van Mahotsav celebration, a mass tree plantation programme was organized by the Prison Department of A & N Administration recently. Smti Geeta Rani Verma, Inspector General, Prisons was the chief guest on this occasion. She expressed her happiness that even the prisoners are well oriented towards plantation activities, safe guarding the environment and conservation issues. About 250 plants of various indigenous, ornamental, shade providing and fruit bearing trees were planted all around the road side of New District Prison by the officials and staff of Prison Department.



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Effective communication is backbone for change management: I&B Minister

New Delhi, Jul 29 Information and Broadcasting Minister Shri Venkaiah Naidu has said that principal objective of public communication is to make people informed participants and enthusiastic partners in the task of nation building. Addressing officers of the Ministry and Media Units of Ministry of Information and Broadcasting in New Delhi on Friday, Shri Naidu said, effective public communication is the backbone for change management and all officials of Ministry and its Media Units are important stakeholders in this process as change agents. He said, the Government priorities are clear in the context of expectations from officials which included focus on results, transparency, accountability, discipline and enabling work environment. For effective public communication, Shri Naidu said, there is a vast scope for improvement of effective functional linkages among different media units of the Ministry including PIB, Publications Division, Directorate of Field Publicity, DAVP, Films Division, All India Radio and Doordarshan. He said, it will ensure a comprehensive and integrated outreach of the Government initiatives. Regarding the changing communication paradigm, the Minister said, technological advances has revolutionized the way of communication and there is a need to fully harness Social Media platforms like Twitter, Facebook for effective communication and participatory development. He also mentioned that it is imperative to realize the importance of

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Govt forms 'Disha' for timely implementation of Central Schemes

New Delhi, Jul 29 The Centre has announced the formation of District Development Coordination and Monitoring Committee, DDCMC to be named 'Disha' for effective development and coordination of Central Government's programme. Minister for Rural Development, Panchayati Raj, Drinking Water and Sanitation, Shri Narendra Singh Tomar made a suo-motu statement on this in the Lok Sabha. He said, 'Disha' will monitor the implementation of 28 schemes and programmes of Ministry of Rural Development and other Ministries to promote synergy and convergence for greater impact. The main purpose of the committee is to coordinate with Central and State and local Panchayat Governments. Efforts will be made to ensure the participation of people's representative at all levels and successful implementation of flagship programme of central government. Instruction has been issued to hold the first meeting of DISHA on 13th of next month. The meeting of the committee once in every quarter has been made mandatory.

Centre asks States not to issue liquor licenses along NH

New Delhi, July 29 Centre has requested all States and Union Territories to ensure no license is issued to liquor vendors along National Highways, in the wake of increasing number of road accidents due to drunken driving. This information was given by Minister of State for Road Transport

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Multi specialty medical camp & health awareness drive by ANC at Kamorta & Kakana Village

Port Blair, July 29 The Andaman and Nicobar Command has been conducting outreach programmes for the local population in distant Islands regularly, under the guidance of Vice Admiral Bimal Verma, Commander-in-Chief, A & N Command. Accordingly, a multi-specialty medical camp and health awareness drive were conducted at CHC Kamorta recently. The medical team comprised of an ENT specialist and a Dental Officer from INHS Dhanvantari, a Dermatologist from INHS Asvini and Officer Commanding Station Health Organisation Port Blair besides two general physicians were present during the camp. During the medical outreach program, a multi-specialty counselling at



CHC Kamorta, medical camp at Kakana village and a lecture on 'Adolescent Health' were held at Kamorta Island.

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NCS wins Navy Education Society Rolling Trophy

Port Blair, July 29 The Navy Children School, Port Blair added another feather to its cap by being adjudged as the winner of the Navy Education Society Rolling Trophy for best performance in Std. XII (Science) in the examination conducted by CBSE 2015-16 amongst all the Navy Children Schools in various parts of the country functioning under the Indian Navy. The School was recipient of this prestigious trophy earlier in the years 2009-10 and 2013-14.

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Trng. on breeding of exotic carps at ICAR-CIARI

Port Blair, July 29 A three day training programme on 'breeding of exotic carps' was inaugurated at ICAR-CIARI by Dr. S. Dam Roy, Director, ICAR-CIARI yesterday. The training programme organised by Fisheries Science Division of the institute is designed for the staffs deputed from Department of Fisheries, A&N Administration. In the inaugural lecture, Dr. Dam Roy gave an overview of global and Indian aquaculture sector. He also stressed that this capacity building programme will improve the skills for breeding of exotic carps. He emphasized the need for self-sufficiency in fish seed production by utilizing the available resources of these Islands. In-Charge, Fisheries Science Division and all scientists of the Division were present during the function.

ZPSA Adhyaksha expresses solidarity

Port Blair, July 29 The Adhyaksha, Zilla Parishad, South Andaman, Smt. Minati Biswas expressed her solidarity to the family members of Shri Raghuvir Verma, 22, Airman, R/o Bahadur Line, Port Blair and all other crew members & personnel on board the IAF Air Craft AN-32, which went missing on July 22, 2016 in between Chennai and Port Blair and prayed for their safe return, a communication said.



Port Blair, July 29 The staff and Officers of Directorate of Industries bid a warm farewell to the outgoing Joint Secretary & Director of Industries, Shri M.N. Murali today. He will attain superannuation on 31st July 2016. He joined the Department as Director of Industries on 4/09/2008 and serves in the same capacity as Joint Secretary & Director of Industries till 31st July 2016, a communication said.

Annual day celebration of Surupanjali

Port Blair, July 29 The 18th Annual Day celebration of Surupanjali, a Cultural Art Forum will be held on July 31, 2016 at 5 pm at Chinmaya Mission, Police Line. Padmashree Awardee, Shri Nareesh Chander Lall will be the chief guest while the Patron winners will be rewarded Rs

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LG to inaugurate new building of ANCOL today

Port Blair, July 29 The Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Lt. Gen AK Singh (Retd) will inaugurate the newly constructed building of Andaman College (ANCOL) at Chakkargaon at 11 am tomorrow (July 30) as chief guest. The Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray will be the guest of honour on the occasion. The Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Shri Anindo Majumdar will also grace the function, a communication from the Principal, ANCOL said.

Govt committed to control Hepatitis by increasing coverage of vaccination: Minister

Mumbai, Jul 29 Union Minister of State for Health, Ms. Anupriya Patel has said that the government is committed to control Hepatitis by increasing the coverage of vaccination. Addressing the World Hepatitis Day 2016 Symposium by the World Health Organization and Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, in Mumbai yesterday. The Minister said that due to lack of awareness about Hepatitis, the number of people getting affected with the disease are rising. Assuring government support to control the disease, Ms. Patel said that the government would leave no stone unturned to fight against Hepatitis. She added that efforts would be made to minimize transmission of Hepatitis through blood transfusion. She also said that the government plans to vaccinate all the children by 2020. She also stated that the government is serious about increasing its budget towards health sector. Superstar Amitabh Bachchan and officials from WHO were present on the occasion.

DC Nicobar refutes news item regarding denial of mid-day meal to Nicobarese students

Port Blair, July 29 With reference to a news item published in a local newspaper regarding denial of mid-day meal to Nicobarese students, the matter has been enquired into by Deputy Commissioner Nicobar &

Asst. Commissioner Nancowry. The Dy Commissioner Nicobar has stated that as per the information received from the Assistant Education Officer, Nancowry, no instances of irregular supply of mid-day meals to the students in the Sub-Division have been reported. She further stated that the Administration has made efforts to ensure uninterrupted supply of mid-day meals to the students as per the norms.

Green India Initiative Solar street light installed at Katchal Island

Port Blair, July 29 Solar street lights, a non pollution source of electricity, has been installed and made operational at Katchal as a part of 'Green India Initiative'. 15 solar street lights, out of the total 200 purchased for Nicobar group of Islands have been installed and made operational at Katchal Island. Rest of the solar

street lights are under the installation at other Islands. Solar street lights are raised light sources, powered by photo voltaic panels, which charge on a rechargeable battery that powers a lamp during the night. The installation of such lights essentially require shadow free area and are independent of utility grid, a communication from the Superintendent Engineer, Electricity Department said.

'Freedom with Responsibility'

A&N Police to celebrate week long programme from Aug 8

Port Blair, July 29 The Andaman & Nicobar Police is going to celebrate "Freedom with Responsibility" week from August 8 to 15, 2016. In this connection, various events such as essay, debate, painting, patriotic song and rally will be organized by A & N Police. Meanwhile, the entries regarding essay competition on 'Freedom with Responsibilities' should reach office of Dy.SP (HQ), Police Headquarters, Atlanta Point by July 30, 2016. Entries have been invited in both English and Hindi language. The essay should contain approx 2000 words. The entries will be evaluated by Independent committee of Judges and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd winners will be rewarded Rs

FCI to develop online procurement system

New Delhi, July 29 Food Corporation of India (FCI) has decided to develop an online procurement system for registration of farmers and procurement of foodgrains. This system will send alerts through SMS to the registered farmers on date of procurement, location of procurement center, weight of foodgrains procured and details of online payment made to the farmer for his

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Let's feel proud for the mighty rain forests of Andamans.

SPORTS

3rd Inter Zonal State Level School Football Knockout Tournery gets underway

Hutbay defeats Mayabunder by 14-0 in inaugural match

Staff Reporter
Port Blair, Jul 29

The 3rd Inter Zonal State Level School Football Knockout Tournament 2016 (Subroto Mukherjee Football Development Programme) for U-14 (Boys) and U-17 (Boys & Girls), organised by the Directorate of Education in collaboration with Dept. of Sports & Youth Affairs and SAI, got underway this evening at Netaji Stadium. The Principal Secretary (Edn.), A & N Administration, Shri. Raajiv Yaduvanshi was the chief guest and declared the tournament open by hoisting the flag on the occasion. The Commissioner-Secretary, Shipping, Shri Sanjiv Khirwar, Secretary (Edn.), Smti Tanvi Garg and Director (Sports), Shri Ingit Pratap were also present on the occasion.



Kumar Parvez Musharaf of Govt. Boys Sr. Sec. Schooled the team leaders from 9 educational zones in the oath taking ceremony. In an exciting inaugural match played today for U-17 (Boys), Hutbay defeated Mayabunder by 14-0. The match was witnessed by a large gathering of school students, teachers and principals of various schools.

In his inaugural address, the chief guest stated that football is a very popular game in the Islands and reiterated the need to improve the standard of football in Isles. He said 432 players and 54 officials from 9 educational zones, right from Diglipur to Campbell Bay, are participating in the tournament. Encouraging the players, he remarked, "winning or losing does not matter, but participation is what counts and it will go a long way". He also bestowed his best wishes on all the players and urged them to play fair.

The tournament which began today will be played at Netaji Stadium and JNRM Football Ground from July 29th to August 02nd, 2016. As many as 432 players, (144 girls) and (288 boys) and 54 officials from Nine Educational Zones from all over the Islands are participating in the Championship.

The chief guest also released the technical bulletin and unveiled the championship trophy and handed it over to the Director Sports on the occasion. This was followed by inspection of the team and handing over of the match ball to the referee by the chief guest.

Earlier, welcoming the gathering, the Secretary Education, Smti Tanvi Garg remarked that the next few days will witness exciting matches played between players from 9 educational zones. The

Rampant India favourites to extend domination over West Indies

Jamaica, July 29

India were expected to win, and continue winning. But to win having ticked off every box, setting up a perfect Test-match resume is something they wouldn't have expected. The Virat Kohli-Anil Kumble partnership started off on an emphatic note registering an innings defeat victory over West Indies in Antigua. And as Jamaica approaches, Kohli's desire of wanting to make winning a habit promises to be the likely outcome. Unless, West Indies put up a show that's been long expected of them. Antigua was India's biggest win outside the sub-continent, and one of West Indies' biggest losses. However, contrary to the first Test, Jamaica has always had some sort of assist for the fast bowlers. Hence, the possibility of the match being as one-sided as Antigua is dim. Outfields will not be that heavy and batting not as easy. West Indies can pull off the surprise of a green surface, but even without it, there is hope. Hope that Jason Holder, Shannon Gabriel and Carlos Brathwaite will have something better to show in the wickets column.

India
Probable XI: 1 Murali Vijay 2 Shikhar Dhawan/KL Rahul, 3 Cheteshwar Pujara, 4 Virat Kohli (capt), 5 Ajinkya Rahane, 6 Wriddhiman Saha (wk), 7 R Ashwin, 8 Amit Mishra, 9 Mohammad Shami, 10 Ishant Sharma, 11 Umesh Yadav

West Indies
Probable XI: 1 Kraigg Brathwaite, 2 Rajendra Chandrika, 3 Darren Bravo, 4 Marlon Samuels, 5 Jermaine Blackwood, 6 Aizzari Joseph/ Miguel Cummins, 7 Shane Dowrich (wk), 8 Jason Holder (capt), 9 Carlos Brathwaite, 10 Shannon Gabriel, 11 Devendra Bishoo

Venue: Sabina Park, Kingston, Jamaica



The inaugural tournament concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by DDE (Science) Shri Mammen Thomas.

Paes-Begemann storm into doubles semis in Italy

Rome, July 29

Indian Tennis star Leander Paes and his German pair Andre Begemann stormed into doubles semi-final in Thindown ATP Challenger tournament at Biella in Italy. Indo-German pair defeated Brazilian pair of

Schweinsteiger retires from Germany duty

Berlin, July 29

Germany captain Bastian Schweinsteiger on Friday announced his retirement from international duty with immediate effect. The 31-year-old Manchester United midfielder, who won his 120th and final cap in Germany's 2-0 defeat to France in the semifinals of Euro 2016, revealed the news on his official Twitter account. He retires from die Mannschaft with his Old Trafford future in the balance having reportedly been told by United's new coach Jose Mourinho that he is one of nine players free to leave the club. Schweinsteiger still has two years left to run on his United contract. A knee injury in January flared up again in March, restricting him to just a handful of matches before he played at the European championships, netting a goal on his return against Ukraine in Germany's opening pool game.

WEATHER

Rain/thundershower may occur at most places over A & N Islands. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 28°C and 23°C respectively on Saturday 30/07/2016

Observational data for Port Blair in last 24 hours
Maximum Temperature (°C): 26.9
Minimum Temperature (°C): 22.7
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 097
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 093
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0506
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1745
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 038.6
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 032.3
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 16: 1274.0 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm

CINEMA

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Following is the Schedule for Week July 29 - Aug 4
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ALL THE SAILINGS ARE SUBJECT TO WEATHER CONDITIONS

MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Nancowry on 03.08.2016 (Wed) at 1400 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 05.08.2016 (Fri) 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via Nancowry & Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 01.08.2016 (Mon) at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets (for perishable items only) will commence from 01.08.2016 (Mon) between 0900 Hrs to 1300 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consignors 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 03.08.2016 (Wed) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 04.08.2016 (Thu) at 1400 Hrs from Car Nicobar via Hut Bay. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 01.08.2016 (Mon) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 01.08.2016 (Mon) between 0900 Hrs to 1300 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consignors are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.

MV Sentinel will sail for Campbell Bay via Hut Bay. Car Nicobar, Chowra, Teressa, Katchal & Nancowry on 06.08.2016 (Sat) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 08.08.2016 (Wed) at 1700 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public on 05.08.2016 from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly booking of cargo tickets will commence from 05.08.2016 between 0900 Hrs to 1300 Hrs at Commercial Wing. All the consignors are advised to book actual quantity of cargo to be transhipped, as no excess cargo will be allowed.

HUT BAY SECTOR:-
MV Sentinel will sail for Hut Bay on 01.08.2016 (Mon) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2000 Hrs from Hut Bay.
MV Sentinel will sail for Hut Bay on 02.08.2016 (Tue) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 03.08.2016 (Wed) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.
Note: Passenger tickets for the above sailings i.e. for 1st & 2nd Aug., 2016 will be issued to the general public on 30.07.2016 from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters.
MV Sentinel will sail for Hut Bay on 04.08.2016 (Thu) at 0700 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2000 Hrs from Hut Bay.
MV Chowra will sail for Hut Bay on 06.08.2016 (Sat) at 2000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 07.08.2016 (Sun) at 0800 Hrs from Hut Bay.
Note: Passenger tickets for the above sailings i.e. for 4th & 6th Aug., 2016 will be issued to the general public on 03.08.2016 from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters.

FORESHORE SECTOR:-
Note: Passenger tickets for the Foreshore Sector vessels scheduled on 31st July, 1st & 2nd Aug., 2016 will be issued to the general public on 30.07.2016 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly, tickets for 3rd, 4th & 5th Aug., 2016 will be issued to the general public from 02.08.2016 onwards at STARS Ticketing Counters
30.07.2016 (SATURDAY)
HAVELOCK & NEIL ISLAND
MV Rani Lakshmi will sail for Havelock on 30.07.2016 (Sat) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Havelock.
MV Katchal will sail for Neil Island on 30.07.2016 (Sat) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV Katchal will sail for Neil Island on 30.07.2016 (Sat) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Neil Island.
MV Katchal will sail for Havelock on 30.07.2016 (Sat) at 1300 Hrs from Neil Island Jetty and will sail back to Neil Island on the same day at 1445 Hrs from Havelock.

Training programme of mainstreaming on HIV/AIDS



Port Blair, July 29

The Andaman and Nicobar AIDS Control Society, in association with Fire Service (HQ) organised training programme for mainstreaming HIV/AIDS, STDs, blood donation and its related issues today. More than 70 fire service

Heavy rain forecast; fishermen advised

Port Blair, July 29

Heavy rain (07-11 cm) or thundershower very likely to occur at most places over Andaman & Nicobar Islands for next 3 days. Fishermen have been advised to be cautious while venturing into the sea, as under the influence of moderate to strong Southwest monsoon current, strong Southwesterly wind speed between 30 and 35 kmph and gusting to 45 kmph and sea generally rough along and off Andaman & Nicobar coasts. The general public have been advised to take precautionary measures and in case of any emergency they may contact over phone numbers of State Control Room, District Control Room and Emergency Operation Centres viz. State Control Room: 03192-238880 (Tele-Fax), 1077(Helpline), District

Bubble Show at Science Centre

Port Blair, July 29

The Science Centre at Goodwill Estate, Corbyn's Cove Road will be organizing a 'Bubble Show' on July 30 & 31, 2016 from 6 pm to 6.30 pm. This is a fun filled show specially designed for all age group to enjoy with their kids. During the programme, the demonstrator shall prepare varieties of bubbles right from tiny bubble to Giant bubble, Children's most favourite Doraemon bubble to the cubic bubble caterpillar bubble, Fire bubble & many more. The entry fee for the bubble show is Rs.10/- per head. Further, there shall also be special 3D Show at 5.30 pm, 6.15 pm & 7 pm on July 30 & 31 with entry fee of Rs.20/- per head.

Power Break

Port Blair, July 29

The power supply will remain suspended in connection with repairing of underground power cable near Gandhi Park from 8 am to 1 pm on July 30, 2016. The areas to be affected are Nayagaon, Shadipur, Mazar Pahar, RGT Road, South Point, Govt. Press & JNRM College area, a communication said.

Centre asks States ... (Contd. from page 1)

and Highways, Shri Pon Radhakrishnan in a written reply in the Lok Sabha. He said, States have also been requested to review cases wherever license had already been given to liquor vendors along National Highways. The Minister said, Chairman of National Highways Authority of India has requested all the Chief Secretaries to remove liquor shops on the National Highways and not to allow new liquor vendor in future. He said, alcohol intake led to over six thousand deaths and around 18 thousand accidents last year.

Tree planting ceremony ... (Contd. from page 1)

The chief guest appreciated the efforts of Prison Department in association with Forests & Extension and Publicity Division of A&N Islands to create pollution free environment and also encouraged Prison Officials to adopt more eco-friendly measures.

The programme was attended by Shri Sanjay Mesheck, Councillor of PBMC, officials, besides Prison Staffs and Prison inmates. The programme was presided over by Shri O. Mohammed Haneefa, Deputy Jailor and concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Shri Mohammed Hanif, Jailor of Prison Department.

High wave warning

Port Blair, Jul 29

High waves in the range of 3.0 - 3.2 meters have been forecasted in Andaman till July 31, 2016 along the west coast of Andaman Islands between Ten Degree Channel to Coco Channel. Current speeds vary between 51 - 105 cm/sec. Fishermen have been advised to be cautious while venturing into the sea, a communication from the State Control Room, Dte. of Disaster Management said here today.

Multi speciality medical camp...

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As many as 153 patients received medical advice in the camp and 71 children attended the lecture which was appreciated by the local population. Similar Medical camp was also held at PHC Campbell Bay in which 180 patients benefitted from the camp.

Air Commodore RS Upadhyay, who recently took over as Chief Staff Officer (Medical), Andaman and Nicobar Command, stated that such programs would continue to be conducted in future for the benefit of the local and tribal population. He also appreciated the assistance from the local Administration in making the camp a success, a communication said.

NCS wins Navy ... (Contd. from page 1)

The school has achieved 100% pass result in All India Senior School Certificate Examination (AISSCE) 2015-16 conducted by CBSE. More than 25% students scored 90% and above in AISSCE 2015-16. Ankit Sarkar with 95.2% secured first position in Science. The school has also achieved commendable performance in AISSE 2015-16 conducted by CBSE wherein 100% students of the school have successfully passed and 16% students have scored 10 CGPA. Navy Children School, Port Blair has also been adjudged as the Best Senior Secondary School (Urban) in the Andaman & Nicobar Islands for five consecutive years since 2011.

Effective communication...

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communication in achieving the mission of making of a developed India and the celebration of India in its diverse and rich cultural traditions. Minister of State for Information and Broadcasting Col. Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore, Information and Broadcasting Secretary Shri Ajay Mittal and Media Heads were present on the occasion.

Annual day .. (Contd. from page 1)

of the Forum/Principal, DBRAIT, Dr. Utpal Sharma will be the guest of honour. The Resident Acharya, Chinmaya Mission, Port Blair, Swami Shuddhananda Sarawasti will preside over the function, a communication said.