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Mahatma Gandhi

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Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 23.9
Relative Humidity(%) at 0830 IST: 064
Relative Humidity(%) at 1730 IST: 077
Sunrise Time for tomorrow (in IST): 0508
Sunset Time for tomorrow (in IST): 1708

Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs) in mm: 000.0
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.0
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PM Modi, Mauritian counterpart jointly inaugurate projects



New Delhi, Oct 3 Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and Mauritian Prime Minister Mr Pravind Jugnauth today jointly inaugurated two landmark projects in Mauritius through video conferencing. These are Phase-1 of the Metro Express and a new

ENT Hospital. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Modi said, both these projects will serve the people of Mauritius and they are symbols of India's strong commitment to the development of the Island nation. He said, both India and Mauritius are diverse and

vibrant democracies, committed to working for the prosperity of our peoples, as well as for peace in the region and the world. He said, today's inauguration of projects herald a new chapter in the shared history, heritage

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150 birth anniv. of Mahatma Gandhi celebrated in Isles

LG leads Islanders in paying rich tributes to Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi



Port Blair, Oct 3 Together with the rest of the Country, the 150th birth anniversary of the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi was celebrated in these Islands too in a befitting manner on Oct 2. The main function was held at the Gandhi Statue at Gandhi Chowk, Mohanpura wherein the Lt. Governor, A&N Islands, Admiral DK Joshi PVS, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM

(Retd) offered floral tributes at the Statue of Mahatma Gandhi. This was followed by offering of floral tributes by the First Lady of these Islands, Smt. Chitra Joshi, the Member of Parliament, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, the Chief Secretary, I/C, Shri Vikram Dev Dutt, the Director General of Police, Shri Dependra Pathak, the Adhyaksh Zila Parishad South Andaman, Shri

Sanjib Kumar Mandal, the Chairperson, PBMC, Shri N.K. Udhaya Kumar, the Ex-Member of Parliament, Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, the BJP State President, Shri Vishal Jolly, Senior Officers of the A&N Administration, public representatives, prominent citizens and general public. A two minutes' silence was also observed on the occasion to pay respect to the Father of the Nation.

The Lt. Governor also released manuals on Swachh Campus, Jal Shakti and Jal Shakti Gram on the occasion, brought out by the Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education. The Lt. Governor accompanied by the First Lady witnessed the spinning of Khadi demonstrated by the staff of KVIB at the programme venue. An all religion prayer was also held by

different religious groups. Students & teachers of Education Department presented Gandhiji's favorite Bhajans on the occasion. The function at Mohanpura concluded with National Anthem. Before arriving at the main function at Gandhi Chowk, Mohanpura, the Lt. Governor and the First Lady also offered floral tributes at the statue of Mahatma Gandhi at Gandhi Park.

150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi befitting celebrated at N&M Andaman

Mayabunder, Oct 3 The 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi was celebrated with great fervour in the North & Middle Andaman district. The occasion was marked by Swachhata Hi Sewa campaign by all the Panchayats, Government Departments and the general public of the district. Various rallies, prabhat pherries and cleanliness campaigns were undertaken to raise awareness about the ills of single use plastic wherein the people pledged to make the Islands plastic free and observe cleanliness and hygiene in



their homes, surroundings, offices, etc. In Mayabunder, the Deputy Commissioner, Shri Awanish Kumar, along with officers of various departments, staff and students of DBRAIT, fishermen of the locality and PRI members participated in the

cleanliness drive conducted in the Fishermen Colony, Mayabunder. Later, a programme was organised in the auditorium of M.G. College, Mayabunder to commemorate the occasion. It was attended

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Goodbye polythene bags More than 28,000 cloth bags distributed by DBRAIT

Port Blair, Oct 3 As part of the National Campaign against 'Single-Use Plastic' called by the Prime Minister of India, the trainees of Fashion & Apparel Design and Garment Making Courses under Skill Development Programme of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, distributed more than 28,000 handmade cloth bags, free of cost to the general public on 2nd October, 2019, 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The distribution of cloth bags was done from different locations across Andaman &



Nicobar Islands under the slogan 'Goodbye Polythene Bags'. These cloth bags were stitched by the trainees from the old clothes collected from door to door. The cloth bags distribution functions were held at 11 different locations spread across

the Islands. Shri N.K. Udhaya Kumar, Chairperson, PBMC was the chief guest and Shri Dharmendra Narayan, Ward Counselor, was guest of honour at the Cloth Bags distribution venues at FCI Dollygunj and Bhatubasti Market.

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Durga Puja celebration

Port Blair, Oct 3 The Atul Smriti Samity here will be celebrating 75th year of Sarbajanin Durga Puja this year. The Puja will start tomorrow, Shashthi, with 'Debir Bodhan' at 6.30 pm. The Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman, Shri Abhishek Dev will be the chief guest on this occasion. Durga Puja is also being celebrated at Brahmaananda Advaita Ashram, Bird Line. Maha Shashthi will be celebrated on Oct 4, followed by Maha Saptami on Oct 5, Maha Ashtami on Oct 6, Maha Navami on Oct 7 and Vijay Dashmi on Oct 8, 2019.

AATO delegation meets Vice-Chairman of Aceh Chamber



Port Blair, Oct 3 A delegation of AATO led by its President Shri M. Vinod met Shri Radhi Darmansyah, Vice Chairman, Aceh Chamber of Commerce & Industry at Hotel Blu Horizon here and discussed various tourism related issues.

AATO will soon send a delegation to Banda Aceh to see the prospects of developing tourism relations between the two countries. AATO President thanked the Vice Chairman for meeting the AATO delegation, a communication said.

Electors Verification Programme Special camp at all Polling Stations of Port Blair on Oct 5 & 6

Port Blair, Oct 3 The Election Commission of India has launched Electors Verification Programme (EVP) from 1st Sept 2019 wherein the detail of all the electors registered in the voter list shall be verified in a time bound manner. The voters can check and update their details online through the portal nvsp.in or through Voters Helpline App for mistakes, if any, or otherwise. The facility is also available at Common Service Centres (CSCs) or Voters Facilitation Centres. In addition to verification of elector details, an elector can tag their family members to group them in electoral roll. Further, BLOs are already engaged for collection of data / information by visiting door to door. Every electors need to provide document for authentication/ verification to the BLOs. In addition to this, 2 days Special

Supplementary Nutrition Programme by DSW in 720 Anganwadi Centers in Isles

Port Blair, Oct 3 The Department of Social Welfare has been implementing Anganwadi Services under Umbrella Integrated Child Development Services through Supplementary Nutrition Programme in 720 Anganwadi Centers across the Islands. Mal-nutrition in young children continues to be a major health problem in this UT. To combat this, Department is now additionally providing milk @ 200 ml per child per day in addition to SNP to the beneficiaries (minimum 25 days in a month) in Anganwadi Centres. In this connection, Directorate of Social Welfare has invited application from cattle rearing farmers of these Islands who can provide Cow Milk to Anganwadi Centers. Interested farmers have been requested to submit their willingness / application to the office of CDPO - ICDS Rangat, Ferrargunj, Diglipur, Car-Nicobar and Urban Project, Directorate of Social Welfare by not later than 14/10/2019, a communication from Director (SW) said here.

PBMC conducts various activities under 'Jal Shakti Abhiyan' campaign

Port Blair, Oct 3 'Jal Shakti Abhiyan' campaign initiated by Prime Minister of India, nation wide, primarily focuses on five main areas viz water conservation, rain water harvesting, renovation of traditional and other water bodies, reuse of water and re-charging structures, water shed development and intensive afforestation. This campaign was launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs under AMRUT to create awareness among all stakeholders and active public participation. The Port Blair Municipal Council conducted 85. of activities

in the Urban area which includes rejuvenation of 40 Japanese wells, 5 wells provided with ground water recharge pits and 80 buildings were approved with rain water harvesting system. Apart from these a massive campaign was organized tirelessly among colleges, market associations, vendor associations, public partners and general public. This resulted in creating a massive awareness among Port Blairians to use water judiciously, minimize its use to an extent possible, explore alternative sources of water and water bodies rejuvenation.

Port Blair Municipal Council was acknowledged by the Ministry of Housing And Urban Affairs, Govt. of India and PBMC was declared 1st rank amongst all UTs and North East Hilly regions. PBMC has expressed gratitude to all participants and general public who extended their cooperation to achieve the desired goal. The PBMC has also appealed to all to conserve, re-use, plant adequate number of trees in various places apart from constructing rain water harvesting structures at their residential premises, a communication from Secretary, PBMC said here.

'Nukkad Natak' on 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' presented

Port Blair, Oct 3 On the occasion of 'Gandhi Jayanti' Kala Kendra - a Society under Department of Art & Culture organized Nukkad Natak on Swachh Bharat Abhiyan on Oct 2, 2019 at Mohanpura. The students of Ummat Public School, Austinabad presented a skit through 'Nukkad Natak' highlighting varied unhygienic practices prevalent in general public,



causing a number of diseases by such practices and how it sends across an awful image of our country.

Children concluded the natak by urging the masses to maintain cleanliness &

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F I T N E S S I N D I A

Health benefit of Spinach

It is a bright and vibrant green leafy vegetable which is native to central and southwest Asia. It is said to have originated in Persia. It is sold loose, bunched, canned or frozen. Fresh spinach is preferred over canned spinach due to loss of nutrients. It is mostly used to make savory dishes consumed for main course. It is considered to be one of the best green leaf vegetable for consumption.

Usage
You can either make a vegetable dish out of it or use it to make burgers, sandwiches and rolls. It may be used in salads. It finds mentions among the world's healthiest vegetables and is known for its nutrient richness. It is commonly used in a variety of pastas. Steamed spinach may be used in lasagna recipes. Spinach soup is often consumed during sickness, for the strength it provides.

Types
Savoy spinach is dark green and has curly leaves; flat leaf spinach has smooth leaves and is easier to clean. This is the variety that is canned or frozen. Semi-savoy spinach is a hybrid that has a savoy like structure and is not difficult to clean.

Nutritional Value

1. It is an excellent source of beta carotene which is a precursor of vitamin A, which is good for a healthy immune system, vision, skin and mucus membrane.
2. Spinach contains almost 200% of the daily value of vitamin K and is considered very good to maintain bone health.
3. Spinach is very rich in Iron that plays a vital role in the production of



red blood cells. It is therefore very helpful to prevent anemia. 4. It is very rich in antioxidants like vitamin C, vitamin E, beta carotene and manganese. Thus it helps the body keep away from the damage caused by the free radicals.

5. Due to the presence of phytonutrients, it has anti-inflammatory properties. It also reduces the risk of prostate cancer.

How to Choose:

Spinach is available all year round. Choose leaves which are crisp and dark green in shade. Avoid leaves which are turning yellow. Thick stems indicate that the spinach has been overgrown, thin stems are preferable.

How to Store:

It must be wrapped in a plastic bag for storage. It can be refrigerated for up to 3 days.

Source: NDTV food

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INTER ISLAND SECTOR

MV Chowra will sail for Car Nicobar via Hut Bay on 08.10.2019 (Tue) at 0630 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 09.10.2019 (Wed) at 1200 Hrs directly from Car Nicobar. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 1000 Hrs from STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly, booking of cargo will commence from 05.10.2019 (Fri) onwards between 0900 Hrs to 1200 Hrs at Commercial Wing. Excess baggage other than declared quantity will not be allowed.

MV Campbell Bay will sail for Campbell Bay via Nancowry on 09.10.2019 (Wed) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on 11.10.2019 (Fri) at 0900 Hrs from Campbell Bay via same route. Passenger tickets for the above sailing will be issued to the general public from 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 1000 Hrs from STARS Ticketing Counters. Similarly, booking of cargo will commence from 05.10.2019 (Sat) onwards between 0900 Hrs to 1200 Hrs at Commercial Wing. Excess baggage other than declared quantity will not be allowed.

LITTLE ANDAMAN

MV Campbell Bay will sail for Hut Bay on 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 2100 Hrs from Hut Bay.

MV Wandoor will sail for Hut Bay on 06.10.2019 (Sun) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Hut Bay.

Note : Passenger ticket for the Little Andaman vessels scheduled on 5th & 6th , October 2019 will be issued to the general public from 04.10.2019 (Fri) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counter & CSC's.

MV North Passage will sail for Hut Bay on 07.10.2019 (Mon) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Hut Bay.

MV Bambooka will sail for Hut Bay on 08.10.2019 (Tue) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Hut Bay.

Note : Passenger ticket for the Little Andaman vessels scheduled on 7th & 8th , October 2019 will be issued to the general public from 05.10.2019 (Thu) from 0900 Hrs onwards at STARS Ticketing Counter & CSC's.

MAYABUNDER

Due to administrative reason the schedule sailing of MV Campbell Bay for Mayabunder on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1000 Hrs from Haddo Wharf and return to Port Blair on the same day at 2100 Hrs from Mayabunder has been cancelled. Passenger holding the tickets for the above sailing is hereby requested to cancel their tickets and get full refunded from STARS Ticketing Counter.

04.10.2019 (FRIDAY)

SWARAJ DWEEP & SHAHEED DWEEP

MV Bambooka will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

MV Katchal will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 0900 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1130 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

MV North Passage will sail for Shaheed Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0845 Hrs from Shaheed Dweep.

MV North Passage will sail for Shaheed Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1100 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Shaheed Dweep.

MV North Passage will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1300 Hrs from Shaheed Dweep Jetty and will sail back to Shaheed Dweep on the same day at 1430 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

MV Bambooka will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1630 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

MV Rani Changa will sail for Shaheed Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1400 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1600 Hrs from Shaheed Dweep (Special Trip).

MV Katchal will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 1800 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 0500 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

RANGAT

MV Wandoor will sail for Rangat via Swaraj Dweep and Long Island on 04.10.2019 (Fri) at 0630 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Rangat via same route.

05.10.2019 (SATURDAY)

SWARAJ DWEEP & SHAHEED DWEEP

MV North Passage will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 0620 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on the same day at 0900 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

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MV Katchal will sail for Swaraj Dweep on 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 1800 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 06.10.2019 (Sun) at 0500 Hrs from Swaraj Dweep.

RANGAT

MV Rani Changa will sail for Rangat via Shaheed Dweep, Swaraj Dweep, Strait Island and Long Island on 05.10.2019 (Sat) at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and will sail for Port Blair on 06.10.2019 (Sun) at 0615 Hrs from Rangat via same route.

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Mud Volcano at Baratang**

The Mud Volcano at Baratang is approachable by road from Nilambur jetty. One has to reach up to Jarawa creek by vehicle. From Jarawa Creek Mud volcano is at a walkable distance of 250-300 meters. A mud volcano is created by natural gases emitted by decaying organic matter underground. As the mud is pushed upwards by the gas, it deposits and hardens above the ground. As more mud oozes out and spills over the edge it grows in size, gradually forming a miniature volcano with rich, creamy mud crater at the top.



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**Women Power: Work is Worship
Women should recognize their self worth and embrace it: Vibha**

Smti. Vibha Sethi, the Vice Principal & acting Principal, GMSSS, Hut Bay & Zonal in-charge, Little Andaman Zone has completed 37 years of service in the field of Education. Her job role is to facilitate and monitor education in all the schools of this zone. Talking to 'The Daily Telegrams' here recently, Smti. Sethi said strong and independent women are not defined by their circumstances; an independent woman can find the best in their situation and work hard at improving it while retaining her sense of inner strength and ethical values. Her message to women is that they should recognize their self worth and uniqueness and embrace it. She said, women need education to build a healthy outlook towards life and to be able to support themselves, in case life puts them in challenging situations.



Annual training camp for NCC Cadet from Oct 5

Port Blair, Oct 3
The Annual training Camp for the year 2019 for the Army and Air NCC Cadets of A&N Islands will be conducted by 1 (A&N) Indep Inf Coy NCC, Port Blair at No.1 KV School, Port Blair from Oct 5 to 14, 2019. Approximately 350 NCC Cadets along with ANOs/ Caretakers of Army and Air Wing from different schools and colleges of these Islands are going to attend the camp.

cleanliness drives will also be conducted by NCC cadets at various places of the city. Lectures on various important issues will be delivered by the resource persons from Govt. Departments, traffic managements, snake bite and fire fighting capsules will be conducted. During the Camp, the Unit Office will remain closed at Junglighat. The office will be temporarily shifted to the camp venue at No.1 KV School, Port Blair.

During the camp, cadets will be put through training modules on various aspects of Army and Air NCC. Social service activities and

Any official correspondence during the camp period may be delivered at the camp site, a communication said.

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and cooperation between India and Mauritius. Shri Modi said, the Metro will provide clean, efficient and time-saving transport and will contribute to economic activities and tourism. He said, the ENT Hospital will contribute to quality health care. The Prime Minister said, India is proud that it has partnered with Mauritius in these and other projects of direct public interest. In his address, Mr Jugnauth said, people of Mauritius will be ever grateful to India. He said, Mauritius needs the blessings of Mother India for development. India is already involved in a number of projects in Mauritius including Hospitals and Housing projects. In 2016, India provided a Special Economic Package of 353 million dollars for the execution of five projects in the Indian ocean country.

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all by the heads of the offices of various departments, PRI members, faculty and students of the college. Prayers of all the religions were played followed by the Ramdhun. Speaking on the occasion, the Deputy Commissioner, N&MA emphasized on the relevance of Gandhian Philosophy in today's world be it global peace, universal brotherhood, mutual co-existence, humanism and others and further urged all to adopt his teachings in our daily lives. The Deputy Commissioner lauded the effort of DBRAIT for distributing more than 3000 cloth bags in Mayabunder and requested all the stakeholders to participate actively in the pursuit of making these pristine Islands plastic-free. The Principal, MG College spoke on the life of Mahatama Gandhi. Later, pledges on cleanliness and non-violence were also administered to the gathering. Similar programmes were also organised in both the tehsils of Diglipur and Rangat under the guidance of respective Assistant Commissioners, a communication said.

Cycle Rally to mark 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi on Oct 5

Port Blair, Oct 3
Department of Transport in coordination with Department of Education and Sports & Youth Affairs is organizing a Cycle Rally for commemoration of 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The Cycle Rally will start from Netaji Stadium to Corbyn's Cove and back to Netaji Stadium at 6 am on Oct 5, 2019.

requested to register their names (through Head of the Institution) with the Statistical Officer, Directorate of Transport by Oct 4, 2019 to participate in the Cycle Rally to be held on Oct 5, 2019. The participants may have to bring their own bicycles. Transport Department will be provided a kit (Cap and T Shirt) for all registered participants of the Cycle Rally, a communication from Asst. Director (PE/ Sports) said here.

More than 28,000 cloth ...
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3500 Cloth Bags were distributed from these venues. Shri Suneel Anchipaka, Secretary, PBMC was the chief guest in the distribution point near Gandhi Statue at Mohanpura. Shri M. Murali Krishna, Chief General Manager, BSNL, Dr. Utpal Sharma, Principal were also present in the function.

The cloth bags distribution function at Mayabunder started with a rally against single-use plastic by the trainees of Skill Development Centre, Mayabunder, followed by distribution of cloth bags at Fisheries Colony, Mayabunder Bazaar, Mahatma Gandhi College, Vegetable Market and Mayabunder Panchayat. Shri Awanish Kumar, Deputy Commissioner, North & Middle District was the chief guest in the distribution venues at Mayabunder.

Shri K. Ganeshan, Ward Counsellor, kicked off the distribution at Delanipur venue. Around 2000 Cloth bags were distributed from the Delanipur venue.

The trainees of Skill Development Main Centre at BRAIT Campus displayed their bags at Junglighat School Gate. Shri T Krishna Moorthy, Chief Engineer & Administrator, ALHW was the chief guest in the event organized at Junglighat. The distribution of cloth bags was also carried out at Chouldhari, Tushnabad and Ferrargunj by the respective PRI Members as chief guests of the distribution venues. Dr. Aom Dhole, Assistant Commissioner, Rangat was the chief guest in the cloth bags distribution function at Rangat. Shri Sathish Kumar Singh, Pradhan, Rangat also grace the occasion. Dr. Mukesh Kumar, Assistant Commissioner, Campbell Bay distributed the cloth bags at Campbell Bay Market.

The cloth bags were also distributed from the distribution venues located at Diglipur, Kadamtala, Hutbay and Katchal by the PRI Members/ Govt. Officials.

The objective of the initiative taken by BRAIT 'Goodbye Polythene Bags' is to assist the nodal departments/agencies to make A&N Islands free from polythene bags, a communication from Project Officer (SDP), BRAIT said here.

Chinmaya Mission felicitates Super Senior; organises walkathon

Port Blair, Oct 3
Shri O.P.Sharma, Shri N.K. Dubey and Shri S.K. Jain stood first, second and third respectively in the walkathon organized by Chinmaya Mission on International Elders Day on October 1, 2019. The Walkathon was flagged off by Ex Member of Parliament Shri Bishnu Pada Ray. Prizes to the winners were given by Member of Parliament Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma and DGP Shri Dependra Pathak during the function organized at Mission

Auditorium to felicitate the senior citizens. Smt. Rajeshwari was awarded special prize in Walkathon.

The Super Senior Citizens felicitated on the occasion included Smti Annamma Abraham, Shri S.C. Adhikari, Shri Balraj Mariya, Shri M.K.Bal, Shri Bisheshar Lall Smti Draupadi, Smti A. Guruswamy Smt. Laxmi Bai, Shri N.C. Roy, Smt. Sumitra Devi Pandey, Shri Uma Charan, Shri Shubh Chandra Malhotra, Shri R.S. Sharma and Smt. Santosh Goel.

Closing ceremony of Hindi fortnight at DDK

Port Blair, Oct 3
The closing ceremony of Hindi Fort Night at Doordarshan Kendra, Port Blair will be held on October 4, 2019 at 11 am. Shri N.K. Udhaya Kumar, Chairperson, Port Blair Municipal Council will be the chief guest on the

occasion and will give prizes to the winners of various competitions held during the fortnight. The programme will be chaired by Shri M. Sundaram, Director (E)/ Head of Office and Smti Jolly Sarkar, PEX/ Head of Programme, a communication said.

SCDLTFC meeting held



Port Blair, Oct 3
The 87th meeting of SCDLTFC of PMEGP scheme of KVIC pertaining to Little Andaman was held in the Tehsil office, Hutbay under the Chairmanship of Shri S Joseph, Tehsildar, Hutbay today. Altogether, 18 applications were placed in the meeting out of which 17 loan applicants were

recommended, amounting to Rs 74,72,095. The recommended loan applications are being forwarded to the concerned banks for further processing, a communication from Assistant Director, Industries Department, Hutbay, Little Andaman said here.

'Nukkad Natak' on ...
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hygienic practices in the daily lives & adhere to the Swachh Bharat Mission. The Nukkad Natak was held near Gandhi statue, Mohanpura which was witness by a large gathering and was appreciated by one and all, a communication from Consultant, Kala Kendra said here.

Special camp at ...
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Camp is being setup at all the polling stations of Port Blair Tehsil on 05th & 6th October 2019. Electors can visit their respective polling station and verify entries in the electoral roll. Corrections, if any, may be reported to the BLO by submitting necessary document at the PS. All the electors must furnish any document listed viz. copy of Aadhar, Ration Card, Birth Certificate, School Certificate, Driving license, Passport etc. to the BLO for their authentication. All the electors have been advised to avail the facility provided at the camp for checking and reporting mistakes, if any, in electoral roll, a communication from the Electoral Registration Officer, ANIPC/Addl. District Magistrate (SA) said here today.