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- President Droupadi Murmu says speaking truth makes legal fraternity more powerful.
- Ayushman Bharat Health Check-Up Camp organized at Kohima Village marking 6th anniversary of AB-PMJAY.
- Lok Sabha MP from Nagaland S. Supongmeren Jamir appointed as Member of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Communications and Information Technology.

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Narcotic Police Station along with other Police stations in Nagaland, has seized narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances worth over 30 crores rupees, during the period of July to September. According to a Press Brief issued by the Nagaland Police, the Narcotic Police station has registered four cases under Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 and arrested 23 persons, including 17 male and six female in this connection. Nagaland Police has also been able to provide vital assistance and inputs to Karnataka Police leading to successful interception of commercial quantities of drug consignments

and arrests of wanted drug smugglers en-route. The drugs were being trafficked from Manipur to Karnataka by air and one such module has been cracked. In another major development, on the request of West Bengal police, Nagaland Police has apprehended a notorious trafficker who is involved in trafficking of 'Yaba and 'World is Yours' tablets from Nagaland to various parts of West Bengal. The Nagaland Police stated that numerous people have come forward to help police with inputs to help catch drugs and traffickers and asserted that efforts are being made to seize the properties and assets of drug traffickers and their associates. It further appealed to the general public and Civil Society Organizations to provide information regarding sale of any form of narcotic drugs to the nearest police station or the Narcotic Police Station, Police Headquarters or through the 'MADEIN' mobile App. The Nagaland Police assured that identity of the informant would be kept confidential.

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President Droupadi Murmu said that speaking truth makes legal fraternity more powerful. While addressing the 21 convocation of NALSAR University in Hyderabad, President Murmu underlined for the need to work for social justice to marginalized sections. Expressing concern over atrocities against women, She said that all must work together against atrocities. The President also gave away Gold medals to the Students who performed excellence in academics.

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Office of the Chief Medical Officer, Kohima today organized the Ayushman Bharat Health Check-Up Camp at Kohima Village Primary Health Centre. The Camp was held in collaboration with the District Implementation Unit of Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) and all empanelled hospitals under Kohima districts. The event was part of the AYUSHMAN PAKHWADA celebration, marking the 6th anniversary of the AB-PMJAY. Addressing

the program, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Imchatoshi encouraged all beneficiaries to take full advantage of the healthcare services provided under the scheme. The Village Chairman and other colleagues were present to witness the camp, which offered a range of services including general health check-ups, screenings for diabetes and hypertension, obstetrics and gynecology, ophthalmology, dental procedures, AYUSH consultations and enrolment in the AB-PMJAY and CMHIS schemes. More than 58 beneficiaries availed themselves of the health services offered during the event.

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Lok Sabha MP from Nagaland, S. Supongmeren Jamir has been appointed as Member of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Communications and Information Technology for the year 2024-25. Informing this in a Press Statement, the Nagaland Pradesh Congress Committee (NPCC) said, Jamir is a visionary leader whose commitment to the welfare of his constituents and the State is truly commendable. The Statement said, since his election as MP, he has tirelessly worked on various initiatives to uplift and empower the people he represents. Congratulating Jamir, the NPCC expressed confidence that his expertise and dedication will further advanced the interests of our community and enhanced the landscape of our State.

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Nagaland's Advisor for CAWD and Taxes, Kudecho Khamo emphasized that that learning alone is useless unless one put their knowledge into practice. He was speaking at the 29th General Session cum Freshers' Day of the Phüsachodümi Students' Union Kohima today at the Auditorium Hall of Baptist High in Kohima. Khamo encouraged the students to strive for success and become assets to their village, church, and society. He also cautioned the students to think rationally and not be easily swayed by social media. Khamo also spoke about the cultural influence from other countries, noting how food and clothing

have been adopted, but the hard-working ethos has not been fully embraced. Expressing concern over the frustration and obsession with government jobs, he encouraged students to change this attitude and explore their potentials in other sectors. Khamo further called the students to stand firm in their culture and reiterated the importance of maintaining a strong Christian identity besides the culture of honesty, hard work and integrity. On the occasion, the Phüsachodümi Students' Union Kohima also honored its members who had successfully completed their Ph.D. and cleared competitive examinations.

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Nagaland Advisor for Urban Development & Municipal Affairs, Zhaleo Rio today called for fostering peaceful co-existence amongst the Naga community. He was speaking at the one-day seminar organized in commemoration of the 150th year of formation of Chakhroma Public Organization, at CHumoukedima. Zaleo mentioned that in the past, the plains of Dimapur were dominated by the Chakhroma Angamis, but today many Naga villages have been established in the plains. He clarified that Chümoukedima district was created purely considering the administrative convenience and there should be no misconception regarding the creation.

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Union Minister for Textiles Giriraj Singh today said that his department has set a target of exporting handloom and handicrafts from the country, amounting to 60 thousand crore rupees. He said presently the volume of export of handloom and handicrafts is 45 thousand crore rupees, which further needed to be increased by promotion, monetary help and training. Addressing a function at Patna after the inauguration of the first office of the Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts at Upendra Maharathi Shilp Sansthan, Singh said to make success for handicrafts from rural areas, adoption of new technologies

like AI and 3D is needed. The Union Minister said we have to increase the number of GI-certified products if we have to increase the export of products of artisans.

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi will share his thoughts with the people of the country and abroad in the 'Mann Ki Baat' programme on Akashvani at 11:00 AM tomorrow. It will be the 114th episode of the monthly radio programme. The programme will be broadcast on the entire network of Akashvani and Doordarshan, AIR News website and newsonair mobile app. It will also be live streamed on the YouTube channels of the AIR News, DD News, PMO and Information and Broadcasting Ministry. Akashwani will broadcast the programme in regional languages immediately after the Hindi broadcast.

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