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Prime Minister Narendra Modi has said that India has stepped out of its comfort zone, embracing innovation and creating new pathways for progress, which have become hallmark of its identity. Addressing the Indian diaspora in the Nigerian capital Abuja, Mr Modi said that India has embarked on a new journey, and the goal is – to build a "Viksit Bharat". Highlighting the achievements of his government, Prime Minister said that India has more than 1.5 lakh registered Start-ups. The Prime Minister added that India has emerged as a new hope for the world, embodying growth, peace, prosperity, and democracy.

The newly launched Ayushman Vay Vandana Card has achieved a significant milestone by enrolling more than 10 lakh senior citizens aged 70 and above. The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare said that this milestone was achieved within three weeks of its launch by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 29th of October. This card enables elderly citizens to access free healthcare benefits under the Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana.

Union Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports, Mansukh Mandaviya, has announced a transformative re-imagining of the National Youth Festival 2025. The Minister made the announcement while addressing a press briefing in New Delhi today. Echoing the Prime Minister's vision for heightened youth participation in shaping India's future, the reimagined festival will be called the "Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue". This dynamic platform will empower young Indians to contribute their ideas and perspectives towards fulfilling the vision of Viksit Bharat.

Union Minister of State for Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (GOI) Nimuben Jayantibhai Bambhaniya is on a two day visit to Lower Dibang Valley district. The Minister visited the Community Health Centre and Dibang Multi-Purpose Hydro Power project site at Dambuk yesterday. She interacted with ASHA

workers, heard their problems and grievances and encouraged them to work towards bettering the health of their communities. The Union MoS also inspected the FCI, Godown at Roing, 3F Oil Palm Factory at Jia, RIWATCH Museum at Khinjili and interacted with the Ahito Producer Group at Roing. During a Review Meeting on November 16, Bambhaniya encouraged all to work together taking the motto 'Sabka Sath, Sabka Vikas' forward, making it a part of their work culture and way of life.

Governor Lt. General KT Parnaik (Retd.), visited Community Health Centre, Mechukha today. During the visit, he interacted with the medical officers, nursing officials, and patients in the indoor wards. He also reviewed the availability of health facilities for the border villagers. The Governor emphasized streamlining the supply of lifesaving medicines through quarterly indents by the concerned health centers. Committed to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision of "Tuberculosis Mukt Bharat" the Governor adopted one TB patient from Shi Yomi District and handed over a food package to the adopted patient on the occasion. He appealed to the officials, business community and well-to-do individuals to adopt TB patients, wherein they have to provide monthly food packages for a short duration of six months only.

The Minister for Agriculture and allied sectors, Gabriel D. Wangsu underscored the need for comprehensive reforms to improve agricultural practices and provide sustainable livelihoods to the farmers, adding that activities of these departments are immediately connected with common people. Addressing a review meeting at Roing, yesterday, the minister called upon the officers to focus on creating opportunities for youths in farm sectors and ensuring remunerative prices for the farmers. The minister urged officers to identify potential progressive farmers and real farming enthusiasts, stressing the need for targeted support to those with the resources and passion to succeed.

The Indian Army remembered the 62nd anniversary of the historic Battle of Nyukmadung at the Nyukmadung War Memorial in West Kameng District today. The memorial honoured the indomitable bravery of the 62 Infantry Brigade, led by Brigadier Hoshiar Singh, who fought valiantly against Chinese forces on 18 November 1962. The programme started with the wreath-laying ceremony, attended by dignitaries, veterans, soldiers, and families of martyrs. It was followed by vibrant cultural performances including patriotic songs, traditional dances and others.

In a landmark moment for Arunachal Pradesh, Ginjing Tari from Siang District has achieved a historic feat by winning a gold medal in the Youth Boys category at the National Track Cycling Championship held in Chennai, Tamil Nadu yesterday. This remarkable achievement marks the first time an athlete from Arunachal has secured gold in cycling at the national level. The Rama Krishna Mission, Aalo, conducted a Winter Relief Camp at Yigi Kaum and Lipu Bagra villages yesterday. During the camp, the Mission imparted medical assistance to 19 patients. Free medicines along with free blood sugar check-up and blankets were distributed to 151 beneficiaries of the village.

That's all, in this news bulletin, Namaskar