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Prime Minister Narendra Modi has said that the strength of youth will soon make India a developed nation. Speaking on the occasion of the Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue 2025 at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi today, Mr Modi said, India's Yuva Shakti is driving remarkable transformations. He said, his faith lies in the new generation and the young generation will find solutions to all problems. Prime Minister Modi said, achieving ambitious goals requires the active participation and collective effort of every citizen of the nation. He highlighted that India is accomplishing its goals in numerous sectors ahead of time. The three-day Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue, which began on Friday, provided a unique platform for youth to present innovative solutions for Viksit Bharat. During the event Mr. Modi engaged with three thousand dynamic young leaders from across the country.

Chief Minister Pema Khandu said that his government's next big reform will be to ensure decentralization of power. He said it will ensure the implementation of the 'bottom to top' planning in sanctioning of developmental projects. Speaking at the 'Sankalp Samaroh' at Sangram in Kurung Kumey district yesterday, Mr. Khandu informed that the 'old way' of planning will have to be replaced by a new process that would incorporate schemes and projects prioritized and recommended by people at the ground. He said, for this 'Guardian Ministers' and 'Mentor Secretaries' have been appointed for each district of the state. He said that this planning process of 'bottom to top' will ensure government funds are not wasted and each district gets what it wants on priority.

Deputy Chief Minister Chowna Mein said that the Dibang Multipurpose Project marks a significant step forward in the efforts to harness Arunachal Pradesh's vast hydropower potential. Mr. Mein said this during his visit to the project site yesterday. He also deliberated on infrastructure improvements associated with the project and maritime boating from the dam site towards Anini. Mr. Mein informed that the bypass road for Roing, Pasighat and Gerakamukh has been proposed with the Central Govt as it will ease movement of the heavy vehicles carrying construction materials. Later, the Deputy Chief Minister inaugurated the newly constructed building of Dambuk police station and laid the foundation stone for

the "Conservation of Bongal Yapgo War Memorial Heritage-a historic site commemorates the 1894 Anglo-Abor War" project at Dambuk.

Arunachal Pradesh's Minister for Agriculture Gabriel D. Wangsu said that the bond between Assam and Arunachal Pradesh extends far beyond geographical proximity. He said this while participating in the prestigious Charaideo Mahotsav in Assam yesterday. He said that it is deeply rooted in shared histories, intertwined cultures and enduring relationships between the two states. While congratulating the people of Assam for the Charaideo Maidams' UNESCO World Heritage status, he described it as a momentous achievement and applauded the festival's role in raising awareness about these sacred burial sites and their historical significance. The festival, which celebrates the rich history of the Charaideo Maidams, saw the attendance of several international diplomats, including the Ambassador of Myanmar, Mr. Zaw Oo.

The District Handloom Expo christened "Tana Bana 2025" was inaugurated at Tezu on Friday. The event was attended by MLA Dr. Mohesh Chai as the Chief Guest, with Deputy Commissioner Lohit, KN Damo, attending as the Guest of Honour. Addressing the gathering, Chief Guest Dr. Mohesh Chai underscored the government's commitment to the "Vocal for Local" agenda. He elaborated on initiatives like "One District, One Product," designed to support local entrepreneurs and artisans. This facility aims to address the dual needs of effective skill training and accommodation for aspiring artisans. The "Tana Bana 2025" Expo promises to be a vibrant platform for showcasing the rich handloom heritage of the region while empowering local artisans and entrepreneurs.

A mass drug awareness rally-cum-campaign was organized in Lungla Sub-Division to address the growing concerns of drug abuse in the region yesterday. Sponsored by the local MLA, Tsering Lhamu, the event was collaboratively organized by the NGO Dhagpa Mirror, the Sub-Divisional Administration, and the District Health Society, Tawang. Students from various schools led awareness rallies from their respective institutions.

The Arunachal Sociological Forum convened a meeting yesterday with the Director of Higher & Technical Education, Dr. Milorai Modi to advocate for the introduction of Sociology as a core subject in government colleges across Arunachal Pradesh. The forum highlighted the critical need to include Sociology in the curriculum, citing its relevance to understanding and addressing the

unique social, cultural, and developmental challenges of the state. In response to the representation, the Director of Higher Education acknowledged the significance of Sociology and expressed a willingness to consider the proposal.

The India Meteorological Department has forecast yellow alert over nineteen districts of Arunachal Pradesh including Papumpare. These places are very likely to receive thunderstorm with lightening at isolated places over the next 24 hours.