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India, Paraguay agree to strengthen ties in clean energy, green hydrogen and biofuels sectors

Nagaland Police to conduct checks for Inner Line Permit across state

Viksit Krishi Sankalp Abhiyan reaches over 300 villages in Nagaland despite monsoon challenges

And, Flood and landslide situation remain grim across Northeast



India and Paraguay have decided to further strengthen their ties in sectors like clean energy, green hydrogen and biofuels. The decision was taken during the delegation level talk held between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Paraguay President Santiago Peña Palacios in New Delhi today. Both the countries also expressed their commitment to overcome the menace of cybercrime, organised crime, drug trafficking. Speaking on this occasion, Prime Minister Modi said, both the countries have lots of potential avenues in various sectors, and are together in the fight against terrorism.

Briefing media about the meeting, Secretary East in the Ministry of External Affairs, P Kumaran said that both countries are working to enhance cooperation in digitalisation, ICT, and People-to-People contact.

India and Paraguay have signed a Memorandum of Understanding for establishment of Joint Commission Mechanism between the two nations. Mr. Palacios, who is on a three day state visit to India, is also scheduled to meet President Droupadi Murmu, and Vice President Jagdeep Dhankar.



Nagaland Police have announced that they will be carrying out periodic checks for Inner Line Permit (ILP) across the state. An official press release emphasized that police personnel are not authorized to impose fines for non-possession of ILP documents. The statement said, any police

personnel found engaging in such practices should be reported to senior officials. The statement reiterated that only Magistrates have the authority to impose fines for ILP violations.

Despite challenges posed by the monsoon season, the nationwide Viksit Krishi Sankalp Abhiyan has been successfully taking place in Nagaland, since its officially launch on the 29th of last month. A total of 36 teams comprising scientists from ICAR, Central Agricultural University, Nagaland University School of Agricultural Sciences, Krishi Vigyan Kendras and officials from State Government departments are actively participating. Each team is visiting three villages daily, and engaging directly with farmers to disseminate improved agricultural technologies, and inform them of various government schemes. So far, the teams have covered 324 villages, interacting with over 30,000 farmers. The teams are also documenting village-specific problems, technology gaps and priorities of farmers for future research and government policies. Head of Regional Centre, ICAR, Medziphema and Chief Nodal officer Viksit Krishi Sankalp Abhiyan, Dr Homeswar Kalita has urged all village council chairmen and farmers to actively participate during the visits.

The campaign will continue till 12th of June.



Chümoukedima District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) has requested all citizens and media outlets to act responsibly and sensitively on matters involving children. This comes after a video involving a child being bullied had recently gone viral on social media platforms. The DCPU said sharing such content further harms the child and violates their right to privacy and dignity, and may lead to re-traumatization. The unit cautioned that recording and circulating videos of children in distress or involved in violence is a violation of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and can attract legal consequences. It appealed citizens to refrain from reposting, or distributing such videos, but report them to the authorities by contacting Childline 1098.



Flood and landslide situation across the Northeast continue to remain grim, triggered by relentless rainfall. In Nagaland, a massive landslide has completely cut off National Highway-2 at Phesama. The road section completely collapsed today, prompting authorities to shut down the route indefinitely, and severing the Nagaland-Manipur road link. In Sikkim, three people lost their lives, four sustained injuries, and several remain unaccounted for after a massive landslide, struck an Indian Army camp at Chaten in Sikkim's Lachen district. In Assam, heavy rainfall and rising river levels have led to flooding in at least 17 districts across the state, displacing lakhs of residents. In Manipur, Indian Army and Assam Rifles are continuing extensive rescue operations as flood has severely waterlogged several areas. India Meteorological Department has forecast heavy rainfall over Northeast during the next five days.

The Nagaland State Disaster Management Authority has issued a weather advisory warning that heavy to very heavy rainfall accompanied by thunderstorms, lightning, and gusty winds are expected to affect several parts of the state. It cautioned that this poses a risk of flash floods, particularly over watersheds and neighborhoods in low-lying, with potential of surface runoff and inundation in areas with fully saturated soil. In light of the expected extreme weather, all District Disaster Management Authorities have been advised to remain alert and issue necessary advisories to avoid mishaps in their respective districts. In case of emergency, citizens may contact the State Emergency Operations Centre at toll free number 1070; ERSS extension for Disaster Management at 112 and landline numbers 0370-2291120 or 0370-2291122.



As a run-up to International Day of Yoga 2025, Akashvani News Kohima brings you a special series -"Practice Yoga for Good Health and Wellness." Each day, we explore a new aspect of Yoga to help energize your body, calm your mind, and uplift your spirit. This evening, let us get to learn about Śatkarmas.

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Over three thousand nine hundred sixty active cases of Covid-19 have been reported across the country. According to the Health and Family Welfare Ministry, the highest number of fourteen hundred 35 cases have been recorded in Kerala followed by 506 cases in Maharashtra and 483 cases in Delhi.

Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur has announced the JEE Advanced Result 2025 today. Students can access their results on the website- result25.jeeadv.ac.in. The JEE Advanced is for admission to undergraduate courses at Indian Institutes of Technology and other participating institutions of technical education