

## **REGIONAL NEWS UNIT, ITANAGAR**

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President Droupadi Murmu today appointed new Governors in Haryana and Goa and new Lieutenant Governor in Ladakh. Former Civil Aviation Minister Pusapati Ashok Gajapathi Raju has been appointed as Governor of Goa while Prof. Ashim Kumar Ghosh will be the Governor of Haryana. Kavinder Gupta has been appointed as Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh. The President also accepted the resignation of Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, Brigadier Retired Dr B. D. Mishra.

External Affairs Minister, Dr. S. Jaishankar has underlined the importance of open exchange of views and perspectives between India and China amid the complex international situation. Dr Jaishankar held a meeting with Vice President of China, Han Zheng, in Beijing today. He highlighted that continued normalisation of ties between the two countries can produce mutually beneficial outcomes. The Minister also expressed confidence that his discussions in this visit will maintain that positive trajectory. He is on a two-day visit to China to attend the SCO Foreign Ministers' meeting in Tianjin city tomorrow.

Chandrayaan-3, a historic achievement of India's science and determination has completed two years today. The primary objective of this mission was to place a lander and rover in the highlands near the Moon's south pole and to demonstrate end-to-end landing and roving capabilities. On this day in 2023, LVM3 M4 rocket developed by Indian Space Research Organization successfully launched Chandrayaan-3 into orbit.

The return journey of Indian astronaut Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla and three other crew members of the Axiom-4 mission began today. SpaceX, in a social media post, confirmed that Dragon, the crew capsule, has separated from the International Space Station. It added that Dragon will re enter the Earth's atmosphere and splash down in around 22.5 hours off the coast of California tomorrow.

Governor Lt. General KT Parnaik (Retd.) joined over one hundred children from the Oju Welfare Association Mission and Raj Bhavan families for a special screening of the film 'Sitaare Zameen Par' in Itanagar today. The event was a maiden effort to create a

shared cultural experience for children from diverse and often challenging backgrounds, including orphans and children who have endured difficult circumstances. The initiative was part of Raj Bhavan's continued outreach to connect with and uplift the lives of children in need, reinforcing a message of hope, equality, and care.

The Press Information Bureau, Itanagar today organized a 'Vartalap' on the theme "Role of Media in Tackling Misinformation and Disinformation". The interactive session brought together key stakeholders from the media, government, and civil society to deliberate on the growing challenges posed by fake news and misleading content, and to explore collective solutions. On the occasion, a report on the 2024 media workshop organized under the Vartalap initiative was also released.

Deputy Commissioner, Papumpare Vishakha Yadav today convened a crucial review meeting for the District Water and Sanitation Mission, Papum Pare. The review meeting aimed to assess the progress and implementation strategy for the Jal Jeevan Mission-2025 focusing on the left-out and emerging rural households. As per the preliminary reports submitted by the Executive Engineers of Yupia, Sagalee, Naharlagun, and Itanagar divisions, a total of 219 habitations have been identified as left-out under the JJM framework.

The District Disaster Management Authority, Papumpare in collaboration with the National Disaster Management Authority, New Delhi will be conducting the first-of-its-kind multi-hazard mock exercise at the Pare Hydropower Station, NEEPCO on Wednesday. The exercise is designed to assess preparedness and enhance coordination among key stakeholders during multi-hazard disaster scenarios, particularly focusing on hydropower installations and surrounding settlements. In the meantime, DC Papum Pare, Vishakha Yadav has urged the public not to panic and requested all the citizens to cooperate fully and perform the basic safety protocol.

Deputy Commissioner, Tawang, Namgyal Angmo held a coordination meeting for the upcoming 79th Independence Day 2025 celebrations at Tawang today. The DC emphasized on celebrating this year's Independence Day in an eco-friendly manner, calling on all departments to minimize the use of conventional plastic and synthetic materials for decoration. The meeting was also attended by key district officials including Superintendent of Police,

D.W. Thongon, DFO Tawang, Piyush Gaikwad, representatives from the Indian Army and other stakeholders.

The Indian Army has officially dedicated an Open Gym to the residents of Namsing village under Ruksin –Sub Division in East Siang district. The project has been executed under Operation Sadbhavna. Operation Sadbhavna, is a flagship initiative of the Indian Army designed to foster trust, harmony and constructive engagement with local communities, particularly in border and remote areas.

The India Meteorological Department has issued a yellow alert for West Kameng, East Kameng, Lower Subansiri, Papumpare, Upper Siang, Anjaw, Namsai, Changlang, Tirap and Longding district in Arunachal Pradesh. IMD has predicted thunderstorm with lightning very likely at isolated places.