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Prime Minister Narendra Modi today said that employment fairs have become a medium for fulfilling the dreams of the youth of the country. The Prime Minister said this in a video message at the 17th National Rozgar Mela in New Delhi. During the event, appointment letters were distributed to more than 51 thousand newly recruited youth in various Government departments and organisations under the Rozgar Mela initiative. Mr Modi said, through these employment fairs alone, more than 11 lakh appointment letters have been given to young people since the initiative began in October 2022. The Prime Minister also launched the 'Viksit Bharat Yojana' in the country, which aims to provide jobs to 3.5 crore youth. Mr Modi underscored that for the past 11 years, the country has been moving forward with the resolve to build a Viksit Bharat, and the youth have played the most significant role in this.

Defence Minister Rajnath Singh chaired the Army Commanders' Conference in Jaisalmer, Rajasthan today. The Army Commanders Conference is a high-level institutional forum for the Army's senior leadership to assess the security situation, deliberate on operational priorities, and make key policy decisions. Accompanied by Chief of Defence Staff, General Anil Chauhan, Mr. Singh reviewed the current security scenario and explored strategies to enhance the Indian Army's operational capabilities. During the conference, the Defence Minister launched the Naman Kendra, Sainik Yatri Mitra App, and Upkaran Help Line App, aimed at supporting soldiers and their families.

Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman said that a simplified GST registration scheme will come into effect from 1st of next month. Inaugurating the new CGST Bhawan in Ghaziabad today, the Minister said, automatic registration will be granted within three working days to those applicants whose monthly output tax liability does not exceed two lakh 50 thousand rupees. She said, this reform is expected to benefit nearly 96 per cent of new applicants. The Minister added, GST Seva Kendras to be well-staffed, accessible, and properly maintained, ensuring that taxpayers receive timely and quality assistance. She informed that the GST Council has approved measures to simplify the

GST registration process, making it easier, seamless, and more transparent.

Chief Minister, Pema Khandu concluded his official visit to Japan today. In a social media post, Khandu informed that he held a fruitful winding-up interaction with President of Sasakawa Peace Foundation, Dr. Atsushi Sunami and senior members at SPF Headquarters. During the interaction, key takeaways and a future roadmap for deeper engagement with Japan across various sectors were discussed. In the meantime, the CM has extended his appreciation to SPF for facilitating multiple meetings with policymakers, academia, journalists and business leaders all of which were immensely productive.

Deputy Chief Minister, Chowna Mein today flagged off the Walong Cycling Expedition commemorating the 63rd Walong Day from the premises of the Golden Pagoda in Namsai. While paying solemn tribute to the brave martyrs who made the supreme sacrifice defending the nation during the 1962 Indo-China War, DCM said that, "In the most challenging conditions, our soldiers courageously confronted the Chinese forces, scripting a glorious chapter in our military history,". Mein also saluted the unparalleled courage and patriotism of the Indian soldiers. The event was organized by the Indian Army in collaboration with the Government of Arunachal Pradesh. The Cycling Expedition saw enthusiastic participation of 100 cyclist, 50 Indian Army Personnel and 50 locals, reflecting the deep sense of patriotism and unity.

MLA Tawang, Namgey Tsering along with General Officer Commanding, Gajraj Corps, Lieutenant General Gambhir Singh flagged off the Tawang Marathon 3.0 at Tawang Monastery today. While addressing the gathering, Lieutenant General Gambhir lauded the participation and highlighted the importance of such initiatives in promoting fitness, adventure, and national integration in the Himalayan frontier. This year's marathon featured four categories — 42 km (Full Marathon), 21 km (Half Marathon), 10 km, and 5 km runs, offering challenges suited to runners of all levels. A total of more than 6,200 participants, including 1,200 women and girls and three international runners from Kenya, took part in the event.

To commemorate 'Infantry Day', Spear Corps under the aegis of the Indian Army in collaboration with Run Monks is organising the Infantry Adventure Run (5 km, 10 km & 21 km runs) at Aalo in West Siang district. Scheduled for 27th Oct next, the adventure run aims to symbolise unity, fitness, adventure and Nation Building. The Indian Army has hereby urged the public to register themselves and be a part of the Infantry Adventure Run.

The Meteorological Centre Itanagar (MCI) has forecast a yellow alert for West Kameng, Kurung Kumey, West Siang, Upper Subansiri, Shiyomi, East Siang, Lower Dibang Valley, Dibang Valley, Anjaw, Changlang, Tirap and Longding district. These districts are very likely to receive thunderstorm with lightning at isolated places.

That's all, in this news bulletin, Namaskar