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HEADLINES:-

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- Under the "Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram" programme, an initiative is being taken to construct the second Abul Kalam Azad Guest House near Shiksha Bhavan in Agartala.
- Centre issues an advisory to all States and Union Territories on the rational use of cough syrups in the paediatric population.
- Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh, Pema Khandu inaugurates the new Administrative Training Institute building at Naharlagun.
- Mizoram Chief Minister Lalduhoma urges youth to embrace education, stay away from Drugs at Buangpui YMA 50th Anniversary.
- Mizoram Chief Minister Lalduhoma says Kaladan Multi-Modal Transit Transport Project is set to be completed by 2027.

NEWS IN ORDER:-

PM:

Prime Minister Narendra Modi's monthly radio program, Mann Ki Baat, has completed its 11th year yesterday. On the same day in 2014, the first episode of 'Mann Ki Baat' was broadcast on Akashvani, on the occasion of Vijayadashami. Recently, Prime Minister Narendra Modi has addressed the nation in 126 episodes of the program. Mann ki baat is not just a radio show, but a symbol of cultural and social transformation, which has reached every corner of the country. In the eleven-year journey of the programme, the Prime Minister has touched significant social, cultural, environmental and behavioural issues which have created a positive impact in the country. Mann Ki Baat has become an important platform for interaction between the Prime Minister and the citizens.

GH:

Under the "Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram" of the Government of India, an initiative has been taken to construct the second Abul Kalam Azad Guest House near Shiksha Bhavan in Agartala. For this purpose, a proposal of 17.60 crore rupees has been submitted to the Union Ministry of Minority Affairs. He further stated that steps have also been taken to renovate the existing Abul Kalam Azad Panthashala located at Office Lane, Agartala. The allocation for the State Waqf Board, which was 66 lakh rupees in the last financial year, has been increased to 1.20 crore rupees this year.

MEDICATION:

The Centre has issued an advisory to all States and Union Territories on the rational use of cough syrups in the paediatric population. The Union Health Ministry has advised that Cough and cold medications should not be prescribed or dispensed to children below two years. The Ministry has written a letter to the Director of Health Services of all States and Union Territories in this regard. It said that most acute cough illnesses in children are self-limiting and often resolve without pharmacological intervention. The Ministry has requested that all State and UT Health Departments, District Health Authorities, and all Clinical Establishments implement and disseminate this advisory across government dispensaries, district hospitals, and medical institutions.

CONFERENCE:

Home Minister of Arunachal Pradesh, Mama Natung yesterday inaugurated the first Monpa Youth Educational Conference at Kalawangpo Convention Hall, Tawang. Speaking on the occasion Minister Natung highlighted the importance of the conference, and stressed that such platforms foster knowledge-sharing and provide direction for social development. He urged the youth to remain rooted in their age-old traditions, preserve local dialects and culture, and take pride in the Himalayan region's Buddhist heritage, which has flourished for thousands of years. The 3-day event is being jointly organized by the Monpa Youth Educational Conference, the International Tibetan College Students Association in collaboration with various NGOs of Tawang district and supported by Chief Minister Pema Khandu.

PROJECT:

Mizoram Chief Minister Lalduhoma said the Kaladan Multi-Modal Transit Transport Project, across-border road connecting Mizoram's southern region to the Bay of Bengal via Myanmar is set to be completed by 2027. Addressing Tlanglut Kut, an important festival of ethnic Bawm tribe and International Bawm cultural meet at Khawmawi village in south Mizoram's Lunglei district, Lalduhoma said during his meeting with officials of the company, which executed the Kaladan project recently, he was informed that the bilateral project will be completed by 2027. He also said the Centre is taking steps to extend the railway line up to Hmawngbuchhuah, the southern tip of the state in Lawngtlai district on the Mizoram-Myanmar border. Railway line has been extended upto Sairang near Aizawl, which links state capital Aizawl with the rest of the country through Assam's Silchar town.

URGE:

Mizoram Chief Minister Lalduhoma has urged Youth to Embrace Education, Stay Away from Drugs at Buangpui YMA 50th Anniversary. The Chief Minister Pu Lalduhoma has emphasized the importance of education and moral integrity among the youth, urging them to stay away from drugs and remain open to development and positive change. Speaking at the 50th anniversary celebration of the Buangpui YMA Branch, held at Buangpui Community Hall, the Chief Minister congratulated the residents and praised the Young Mizo Association as a respected and inclusive organization. He reiterated that youth must prioritize their education, avoid substance abuse, and adapt to the changes happening around them.

INSPECTION:

In Arunachal Pradesh, Electoral Registration Officer, Dani Rikang yesterday conducted the monthly inspection of the EVM-VVPAT warehouse at Yupia, Itanagar. The inspection is part of the routine exercise to ensure the proper upkeep and security of election materials in adherence to the guidelines of the Election Commission of India. The exercise underscores the continuous efforts of the Election Department to strengthen the trust and confidence of all stakeholders in the democratic process.

MSME:

Nagaland Advisor for Transport & Technical Education Temjenmenba inaugurated the Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises Promotion Council of India Dimapur branch office at Indisen village in Dimapur. Temjenmenba said that this initiative will serve as a crucial bridge connecting aspiring entrepreneurs, including youth and women from all corners of the state to avail various government schemes. He emphasized that without organizations like the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises Promotion council of India, the state government alone cannot meet the ambitions of its aspiring youth. The Advisor urged young people to use the MSME-PCI Dimapur as a resource to educate themselves on these programs, empowering them to launch self-sustaining ventures that create meaningful employment.

INAUGURATION:

Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh, Pema Khandu yesterday inaugurated the new Administrative Training Institute building at Naharlagun. The building consists of two major facilities; a G+4 Administrative and Academic block and a G+6 Hostel Block, each built at a cost of 20 crore rupees. While congratulating the Department of Administrative Reforms & Training, ATI, the PWD and other stakeholders, Khandu said that it is not only about the opening of a modern infrastructure but about reaffirming the government's collective commitment to build a responsive, efficient, and professional governance system in Arunachal Pradesh. Khandu also expressed hope that the 140 newly recruited Group-A and Group-B officers through the Arunachal Pradesh Public Service Combined Competitive Examination 2024-2025 batch, who will undergo a four-month Induction Training starting the 6th October in the new facility, will receive the best of trainings.

RELEASE:

The central government has released the second instalment of a grant amounting to 14 crore 40 lakh rupees under the Fifteenth Finance Commission for rural local bodies in Mizoram for 2025-26. Panchayati Raj Ministry said that these grants will benefit all 808 eligible Village Councils in the State. The grants will be used for basic services relating to sanitation and maintenance of ODF status, including management and treatment of household waste, supply of drinking water and rainwater harvesting.

MANIPUR:

District Administration of Hill Districts in Manipur joined the rest of the nation in observing "Aadi Karmyogi Abhiyan" – the World's largest tribal grassroot leadership programme under the Ministry of Tribal Affairs. A special Gram Sabha meeting was convened yesterday at Longmai Village in Noney District in connection with Adi Karmayogi Abhiyan – Responsive Governance Programme initiative. The Village Action Plan Longmai under the Tribal Village Vision 2030 Declaration was approved by the Gram Sabha during the meeting. The village plan includes detailed village wise scheduling to improve Housing for all, pucca houses for houseless families, clean water & sanitation, livelihood & security, education, road connectivity.

KENYE:

Nagaland Minister for Power and Parliamentary Affairs, K. G Kenye, recently released a book titled ‘The Leadership Legacy: A profile of the Chief Ministers of Nagaland’, published by the Department of Parliamentary Affairs, in Kohima. He lauded the Department for bringing out the Edition, honouring the lives and contributions of the state’s Chief Ministers. The Minister said the profile reflects on the leadership, unity and resilience that have defined Nagaland’s Political Path and the people-centric policies framed and enacted based on traditional and customary practices embedded in Article 371 (A) of the Indian Constitution.

DEMISE:

Renowned flute maestro of Tripura, Babul Debnath, passed away yesterday at his residence in Dharmanagar following a cardiac arrest. He was 64 years old at the time of his demise. Debnath was a regular artiste of All India Radio, Agartala, and Doordarshan Kendra. Over the years, he enriched numerous dramas, jatra performances, and musical compositions with his flute. His passing has cast a deep shadow of grief over the state’s cultural fraternity.

RECRUITMENT:

Recruiting Office (Headquarters), Shillong will be conducting the Army Recruitment Rally for all the district of Meghalaya for Agniveer (General Duty), Agniveer (Technical), Agniveer (Clerk), Agniveer Tradesman 10th Pass and Agniveer Tradesman 8th Pass) at 58 Gorkha Training Centre, Happy Valley, Shillong from 14th to 17th this month. Shortlisted candidates will be required to report at 58 Gorkha Training Centre at 3:00 AM on dates as mentioned in the Admit Card. Candidates should be in possession of Admit Card and other documents in Original as mentioned in the Rally Notification. The shortlisted candidates who have not yet received their Admit Cards or are unable to download Admit Cards are advised to approach the Recruiting Office (Headquarters), Shillong to obtain the same.
