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Arunachal Pradesh Chief Minister Pema Khandu called the first Sun Rise Festival at Dong valley of Anjaw district a magical experience. Mr Khandu said the 5-day long festival is expected to create meaningful opportunities for local entrepreneurs, encourage sustainable tourism, and help small businesses flourish. Further adding that a decade from now, the goal is to see this festival grow while strictly following the principle of 'leave no trash, leave no trace.'

Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan today said the Parliament has passed the Viksit Bharat – Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission (Gramin): Viksit Bharat – G RAM G Bill keeping present needs in mind and to remove shortcomings of the earlier MGNREGA scheme. He was addressing media at a press conference in Bhopal today. Mr. Chauhan said, Viksit Bharat – Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission (Gramin) has been linked with the Prime Minister's Gati Shakti initiative to make it more effective. The Minister said, the proposal being brought by the Punjab government in the state assembly against Viksit Bharat – Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission (Gramin) Act is against the federal structure of the country.

Former Bangladesh Prime Minister and BNP Chairperson Khaleda Zia passed away at a hospital in Dhaka this morning. She was 80. This was disclosed by BNP in a social media post. BNP's Media Cell said, Khaleda Zia breathed her last while receiving medical care at a private hospital. Khaleda Zia, a two-time prime minister, was one of the most prominent figures in Bangladesh's politics for decades and served as BNP chairperson for many years. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has expressed grief over her demise.

High Vision Thrift and Credit Cooperative Society Ltd., Ziro, in Lower Subansiri district has been conferred the Regional Award

for Cooperative Excellence and Merit 2025 by the National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) under the Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India, in recognition of its outstanding performance and significant contribution to cooperative development. The award was presented during an award distribution ceremony held at the Civil Secretariat, Itanagar, today. The leadership of the society expressing gratitude reiterated their commitment to continue working for the socio-economic upliftment of members and the community at large through cooperative principles.

The Himalayan Suraksha Manch, Arunachal Pradesh has expressed its deep anguish and strong condemnation over the brutal killing of Angel Chakma, a 24-year-old MBBS student from Tripura, who succumbed to injuries after being allegedly attacked in Dehradun for protesting racial abuse. The Himalayan Suraksha Manch, Arunachal Pradesh, also expressed appreciation for the humanitarian role played by the NGO Helping Hands for timely intervention, coordination with authorities, and assistance in airlifting the mortal remains of Angel Chakma to Agartala under its Akhri Ahuti scheme. Chakma, an MBA student, was attacked by a group of miscreants in Dehradun on 9th December and later died while undergoing treatment at a hospital.

The quarterly meeting of the District Consultative Committee and District Level Review Committee (DCC/DLRC) for the quarters ended March 2025, June 2025 and September 2025 was held yesterday at Yingkiong, Upper Siang District. During the meeting Banks were advised to expedite and strengthen their efforts in extending advances to improve the Credit-Deposit (CD) ratio in line with RBI norms. The meeting also reviewed bank-wise progress under the Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) as on 30 June 2025, along with the implementation status of various Government flagship schemes in the district.

Aaranyak, in collaboration with the Namsai Forest Division, with support from Arcus Foundation, has been running Hoolock gibbon conservation education and awareness programs in

Namsai district since 12 November 2025, beginning at Government Upper Primary School, Deobil. The initiative has reached 18 schools from upper primary to higher secondary levels, benefiting 1,092 students, 80 teachers, and local communities, especially in forest-fringe areas, to build awareness and inspire youth participation in long-term Hoolock gibbon conservation efforts.

Under Indian Army's Operation Sadhbhavana, Spear Corp has constructed a double-storey homestay at the remote border village of Taksing, Upper Subansiri district of Arunachal Pradesh and dedicated it to the local community under the Vibrant Village Programme. Strengthening community welfare, sustainable livelihoods & border tourism.

Mau (UP)-based National Bureau of Agriculturally Important Microorganisms, in collaboration with The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) Basar, Leparada, organized an awareness and skills program on microbial input benefits and applications, followed by a distribution campaign to encourage adoption.

The Tawang District Administration and Tawang Olympic Association accorded a warm welcome to the Tawang Team, which secured the Runner-Up Trophy in the recently concluded ASMITA (Achieving Sports Milestone by Inspiring Women Through Action) City League – Football held at Itanagar, recently. On this occasion, the dignitaries present expressed confidence that this remarkable achievement will inspire more youth, especially girls, to actively participate in sports and strive for excellence.

That's all, in this News Bulletin, Namaskar