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On the first anniversary of Pahalgam terror attack that happened in Jammu and Kashmir, last year, the people of Tajang Village in Ziro, Lower Subansiri district of Arunachal Pradesh, today, gathered to commemorate the first death anniversary of Corporal Tage Hailyang. He was among the 26 innocent people who lost their lives during the terror attack. Tage Tade, the Corporal's father, unveiled a bust statue of his son at the Rake memory site. The tribute continued at the Tage Dollo Jubilee Hall, where a large number of village elders and residents gathered in a powerful display of solidarity, and observed a two-minute silence. Further, father of Late Corporal Hailyang spoke of the "enlightenment of the heart" that comes from seeing his son's life inspire the local youth. While his son cannot return, his story ensures that his sacrifice was not in vain, he noted.

The study visit of the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Education, Women, Children, Youth and Sports, was held at Itanagar, yesterday. The Parliamentary Standing Committee Chairperson, Digvijay Singh, Member Parliament and veteran Congress leader and 9 other members are on the visit to the state. Earlier, the committee visited the National Centre of Excellence under the Sports Authority of India at Sangey Lhaden Sports Academy, Chimpu, Itanagar. Later in the afternoon, the standing committee had a meeting with departments related to various stakeholders from Education, Women, Children, Youth and Sports.

The Kurung Kumey District Police on Tuesday apprehended escaped prisoner Birju Bhumij, a known hardcore criminal within 24 hours, following a remarkable operation in which ordinary women farmers played the decisive role in cracking the case. Women farmers working in the fields of Nikja village, spotted the escaped accused and immediately raised the alarm. Recognising the danger he posed, the villagers did not stop at alerting the authorities, local residents physically helped secure Bhumij on the spot, preventing his escape until the police arrived. Acting swiftly, a police team under the command of Officer-in-Charge, Police Station, Gemo Jini rushed to the location and took the accused into custody without further incident.

Arunachal's Nyeman Wangsu secured three silver medals in changquan, daoshu, and gunshu, while Mercy Ngaimong clinched two silver medals in jianshu and qiangshu at the International Wushu Championship, Moscow Wushu Star, held in Moscow, Russia. Both athletes have also successfully cleared the preliminary trials for the upcoming Asian Games in Japan to be held from September 19 to October 4, 2026.

The Golden Jubilee Model School Building at Govt. Higher Secondary School, Koyu, Lower Siang District, was inaugurated on Tuesday, by Education Minister Pasang Dorjee Sona. Minister Sona emphasized that infrastructure development alone cannot ensure quality education and that public participation is equally crucial for improving scholastic outcomes. He urged the community to take collective responsibility and enrol their children in government schools. Further, the education minister assured that the hostel building would be renovated and that necessary funds would be provided. He remarked that when education fails, society fails, emphasizing that education is the key to overall development.

Newly posted District Information & Public Relation Officer (DIPRO) of East Siang, Bingam Gamlin has taken over charge and assumed the office on Tuesday. Gamlin has replaced earlier DIPRO Deepali Dodum, who was serving the office for the last few years and recently transferred to Itanagar. Gamlin is a graduate in B. Tech (Civil Engineering) and newly recruited through the State's Public Service Commission (APPSC) Examination (25-batch).

Under the chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner Oli Perme, the District Level Telecom Monitoring Committee Meeting of Lower Subansiri was convened today to fast-track regional connectivity and infrastructure safety. The meeting focused on the 4G/5G Tower Installation Project and addressed critical coverage gaps in vulnerable areas such as the Medical Line, SSB Colony, and St. Claret's College. Central to the discussions was the mandatory adoption of the "Call Before You Dig" (CBuD) mobile application to coordinate excavation works and protect underground assets, alongside a push for providers to resolve land allocation hurdles.

An Awareness Camp cum Distribution of Welfare Kits for building and other construction workers was successfully organised today at Government Secondary School, Kyidphel by the Arunachal Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board, Tawang. During the session, Registering Officer Phurpa Tsering shared detailed information

about the welfare schemes and benefits provided by the State Government for registered labourers. He urged all workers to register with APB&OCWWB to avail these important benefits.

Meteorological Centre Itanagar has issued Yellow Alert of thunderstorm and lightning with heavy rain at isolated places for Papumpare, Anjaw, Lohit, Namsai, Changlang, and Longding districts of Arunachal Pradesh.

That is all in this News Bulletin, Namaskar.