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Jarawa Facts

The local and international campaign for the Jarawa's rights has already had a huge impact. The authorities had planned to resettle the Jarawa in villages, but they now recognise the tribe's right to live on their land in the way they choose. Your help is needed to make sure the Jarawa's land is protected and their future secured.

Your Nature Guide

Coral Colonies: Many thousands of coral polyps are connected together to form a coral colony. These colonies are of many shapes and colours. On a visit to a nearby coral reef, you can discover the kinds of coral in your area.

Coral polyps produce eggs and sperm which fuse (join) to form a larva or the baby coral animals (planula- many planula are called planulae) that drifts in the sea till it finds a clean, hard surface (like dead coral) to settle on and grow. Reef animals like parrot fish, limpets, chitons, and sea urchins feed on plants and sponges that grow on dead coral, thus creating free space for new corals to settle and grow. Corals also reproduce by budding. Small buds appear on the body of the adult polyp grow larger, and break off from the parent body. They then move off to produce their own limestone and help the colony increase in size.

Treasured Islands - By Sunita Rao. Courtesy: Kalpavriksh, ANET (M CBT)

People's Voice

Sahi shuruwaat hua hai fir se Life ka Andaman mein. Kahi ye naya Variant rukaawat na daal de ...

- A Citizen



I will accept even bitcoin, sir!

District Administration in Collaboration with Civil Society Organisation Conducts Cleanliness Drive

People will have to shun the notion that cleanliness is somebody else's job: Anchipaka

Port Blair, Nov. 30: The District Administration alongwith Port Blair Municipal Council in collaboration with Walk for plastic, YBSSCT, True Vision Foundation, Ration Rasheed Foundation, ACCI & MES Builders Association held a Cleanliness drive at Dollygunj Industrial Estate today on 30th November, 2021, where the teams collected all the plastic sacks, wet cardboard, broken mugged woods and glass bottles.

Shri. Suneel Anchipaka, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman was personally present and participated in the cleanliness

drive. The Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman interacted with the team members and reiterated that people will have to shun this notion that keeping clean their surroundings is somebody else's job and not theirs. The people need to understand that if they can cause litter, they will have to clean it also. Right to health is very closely linked to clean environment and every individual is responsible to protect each other's human rights.

The District Administration aims for organizing such cleanliness drives, periodically, mainly at

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State Vice President BJP Takes up Issues of Swaraj and Shaheed Dweep with Chief Secretary

Port Blair, Nov. 30: The State Vice President, BJP, Shri. M Vinod has written to the Chief Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration highlighting the problems of the residents, farmers as well as the hoteliers of Swaraj Dweep and Shaheed Dweep.

Vinod mentioned about the issue of day long power cuts which is affecting the residents, farmers, hoteliers and other entrepreneurs of Shaheed Dweep and Swaraj Dweep. He said that taxes are being paid and electricity bills are being paid on time, but still people

have to face such day long power cuts, which is extremely disappointing.

He also raised the issue of irregular supply of fertilisers, urea and pesticides to the farmers of Swaraj Deep and Shaheed Dweep through agriculture department.

Raising the issue of poor internet connectivity at Shaheed Dweep, Vinod informed through his letter that BSNL has tried to improve internet connectivity, but private players like Airtel has completely failed in providing better internet connectivity.

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MFTL Provides Analysis of Food Samples at the Door Step of General Public

Port Blair, Nov. 30: The Mobile Food Testing Laboratory (MFTL) of Food Safety Department conducts regular visits at various areas of South Andaman District for carrying out analysis of food samples at the door step of general public. During the past three months about 146 food samples including milk and milk products, drinking water, fishes & other food samples were tested through MFTL and Rs.10350/- has been collected as analysis fee.

In addition to this, the MFTL also conducted



awareness programmes and training programmes on safe & hygienic food, good hygiene practices and good manufacturing practices etc. During the past three months, 51 awareness programmes were organized and altogether 536 Food Business

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Lt. Governor's Message on World Aids Day

World AIDS Day is observed every year on 1st of December. We unite to show support for people living with HIV and to remember those who have lost their lives due to AIDS-related illnesses.

World is unable to end AIDS even after 40 years, since the first case was reported, not because of lack of knowledge or tools, but because of economic, social, cultural and legal inequalities existing in the society and also the intricate structural difference of the virus that obstruct in prevention and treatment.

This year, COVID-19 has demonstrated that, during a pandemic, 'no one is safe until everyone is safe'. Leaving people behind is not an option if we are to succeed. Health is interlinked with other critical issues, such as reducing inequality, human rights, gender equality, social protection and economic growth. This year's theme 'End inequalities, End AIDS, End pandemics', highlights the urgent need to end the inequalities that drive AIDS and other pandemics around the world. It's time for bold action to end inequalities in societies and to ensure the right to health for all.

The campaign against AIDS is the task of all of us - young and old, government, community organizations and civil society. We have to work together for humanity as a whole against this epidemic.

I call upon all stakeholders to co-operate with A&N AIDS Control Society for prevention and control of HIV infection in these beautiful islands.

Admiral D K Joshi
PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.)
Lieutenant Governor
Andaman & Nicobar Islands &
Vice Chairman, Islands Development Agency

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*Life has no Remote Control. Get up
and Change it Yourself.*

Questionable Criterion

The questions raised by the Supreme Court of India about the criteria for identifying the 'Economically Weaker Sections' (EWS) for the purpose of granting reservation are quite apposite. Faced with sharp questions that it could not answer satisfactorily, the Union government has obtained time to reconsider the criteria, especially the income norm that only those from a family with annual income less than ₹8 lakh can avail of the 10% reservation earmarked for the EWS category. It is now a settled principle that quantifiable data or proof of a detailed study are required to justify any category of reservation, as well as the norms that determine which section gets it and which does not. In this backdrop, it is logical that the Court would want to know whether there was any study before the Centre prescribed the norms for identifying EWS beneficiaries based on indicators of economic disadvantage. The enquiry by the three-judge Bench is necessarily circumscribed by the fact that the validity of the 103rd Constitution Amendment, through which the EWS quota was introduced in 2019, is before a Constitution Bench. In the ongoing proceedings, the Bench is considering the validity of the 27% quota for Other Backward Classes (OBC) and 10% for Economically Weaker Sections introduced for admission to the All-India Quota (AIQ) of seats in medical admissions throughout the country. It has clarified that it is not examining any policy issue, but wants to determine if constitutional requirements have been complied with.

The income criterion is undoubtedly an anomalous aspect of the EWS quota. An annual income of ₹8 lakh is the limit beyond which an OBC family would fall under the 'creamy layer' and will be denied reservation. The same income figure is being used as the ceiling for identifying EWS. The moot question is whether those who do not face the impediments that come with social and educational backwardness can be equated with those who do. However, the current proceeding will only decide the validity of OBC and EWS reservation in admissions under the AIQ. It must be noted that the introduction of OBC quota in AIQ only brings the admission norms in line with prevailing policy. OBC reservation is applicable to admissions done separately by the Union and State governments in their respective medical institutions, but it was not implemented all these years for all-India quota seats. This pool is formed by the surrender of 15% of undergraduate seats and 50% of PG seats by the States. The absence of OBC quota in this category was an anomaly that has now been rectified. The larger issue that remains is whether reservation can be treated as a poverty alleviation measure and those not well-off but belonging to socially advanced communities can be given a share of the reservation pie. The Constitution Bench should resolve this question early.

BOB'S BANTER

BY ROBERT CLEMENTS



A Blood Red Rose..!

It was with a weak hello she answered the phone. "Rosy!" I asked, "May I write about you?"

"What's there to write about me Bob?" she asked, a smile in same feeble voice.

"Plenty!" I said, and my mind went to the magnificent pots she coloured and which I said I would help her sell, "Why should I pay so much?" a customer had asked me after he had seen the pot, "Because It's not just a painting on a pot!" I said, "That pot holds the story of a beautiful, strong woman, standing tall and resolute, smiling and telling the world, "I do not want to become dependent on others! I will move forward with determination and paint a path for others to follow! That others may look on what I craft and realize they can do anything they decide to if they have the will!"

"There are many women like that!" said the customer.

"Not many with rheumatoid arthritis!" I whisper, "in which every stroke has been done with excruciating pain, a triumph of determination, when each splash of colour speaks of victory over agony, joy over sadness, firm resolve over depression!"

Tears flood my eyes, as I remember her, a young girl, a beauty to behold when she'd got married to a friend of mine, and then rheumatoid arthritis began its tale of dastardly destruction, and I'd watched same pretty face contorting in agony as she

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tried to serve tea when I'd visited their house, and later seen her bent, making painful effort to stand straight, walk tall as the disease tried to bend her in submission.

"With all that, she painted this?" asks the customer

"Yes!" I say proudly

And suddenly to him the pot is a work of art, priceless, more than a Hussein or Picasso, a red rose, blossoming out, strong and vibrant, telling the world that even in the midst of adversity, pain and discomfort, a rose can bloom.

"How difficult was it Rosy?" I asked once.

"I trained my hands to hold the brushes firm, it was painful, especially when they had to learn to squeeze out the paints. At first my art was all blobs and muddles, then one day through all those smudges I saw something forming! Bob you should have seen me when the picture was finished!"

"I had to keep her from falling," chuckled her husband, my friend, "She was shaking with joy, and I thought to myself, 'my Rosy has blossomed!'"

I hear the sounds of moaning, people giving up for loss of a job, sickness, death of a loved one or broken relationship and I hear her voice, "What's there to write about me Bob?"

"Plenty!" I say, "That despite disappointment, dejection and despair, a rose can bloom, not a wall flower, nor a pale pink, paper printout, but a blood red rose..!"

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public places, keeping in tune with the spirit of "Swachh Bharat Mission" and thus, motivating others to inculcate the habit and culture of cleanliness. District Administration further appeals to all civil societies to participate and promote such cleanliness drives in their campaigns to contribute in the journey of cleaning and become a part of the Swachh Bharat Mission for improving access to safe and accessible green public spaces.

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The Mind's Eye

HAVE PATIENCE



**RAJYOGI
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Patience is one of those virtues that can transform a moment of high anxiety into quiet relaxation.



It's a proven fact that patience and wisdom walk hand in hand. Patience is one of those virtues that can transform a moment of high anxiety into quiet relaxation. In the presence of a patient person we are surrounded by an aura of calm as we are pulled into the tranquil light of their unhurriedness. While most people might admit to being impatient in some area of their life, not many know how to free themselves from their quickening anxieties. Many, if not most, would probably say that they would rather not be so impatient, that they want to be more patient, but the only problem is they want it now! So how do we create patience? Being patient is a creative process. The first step in this process is to admit and acknowledge that our impatient trait is entirely our own creation. Since we have created and sustained the impatient 'habit', so we can create and sustain habit of patience too. And like all our other creations, this process also begins on the screen of our mind, where we conceive, believe and achieve patience 'in rehearsal', before we step onto the stage of daily life. The moment we accept everyone and everything, without any resistance, we are able to embrace life in its totality, as it is. Our peace and our acceptance are like two primary colours which, when mixed together, create contentment. We cannot be patient unless we are content with our self and with the world, in the present. This also requires the practise of constantly being in present. Only then will all attempts to escape into the future or hide in the past, would come to an end, bringing a new dawn in our life.

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State Vice President BJP Takes up Issues of Swaraj and Shaheed Dweep with Chief Secretary

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Among the other issues raised was restoration of Rangat - Shaheed Dweep - Swaraj Dweep - Port Blair boat services just like in the Pre-COVID times for the convenience of the general public.

Mr. M Vinod informed the Chief Secretary that tourism, farming and allied activities are the main source of income of the residents of Swaraj Dweep and Shaheed Dweep. He requested the Chief Secretary to intervene

in the issues for the benefit of the residents, farmers and hoteliers of Swaraj Dweep and Shaheed Dweep.

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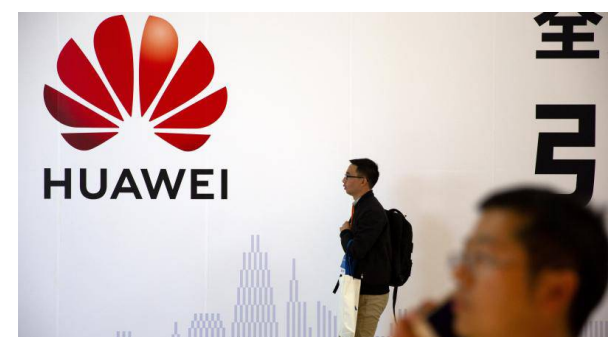
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Health, Science /Tech

Huawei Watch D to come with blood pressure monitoring feature



Shenzhen: Huawei is soon going to launch a new smartwatch and it's going to come with a pretty rare health feature. The tech giant has received certification for a wearable that will be able to monitor blood pressure.

Leaksters found a promo image of the device dubbed Huawei Watch D and immediately posted it on Weibo. It is expected to release at the end of December, reported GSM Arena.

The product is in its final stages of testing, and reportedly the accuracy rate is really good. The Watch D will be one of the few wearables to measure blood pressure, and it will also be unique in Huawei's wearable portfolio with its design.

All other watches of the company have either a circular face with two buttons or a rectangular touch screen with one fairly neat button on the right-hand side.

The Watch D already obtained a certificate as a State Drug Administration Class II medical device, but it may take a while until Huawei obtains the required approval in other countries.



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The Directorate of RD&PRI, A&N Administration had conducted competitive written examination for filling up the vacant posts of Extension Officer and Panchayat Secretary on 07.11.2021.

The list of qualified candidates in the order of merit has been uploaded in the web portal of the A&N Administration i.e. <https://www.andaman.gov.in> for information of the candidates.

The candidates will be selected based on the category wise merit list subject to verification of all requisite documents and fulfilling all the eligibility criteria or conditions. The selection of the candidate is liable to be cancelled by the Competent Authority at any stage, if it is found that he/she does not fulfil any of eligibility criteria or conditions or if he/she does not belong to the category claimed or if he/she has concealed or given incorrect information.

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Nodal Officer(Recruitment)

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Operators (FBOs) and general public attended these programmes. Similarly, 06 training programmes for food manufacturers were conducted with the participation of 94 Nos. of food business employees. Every month the MFTL visits

various places as per the monthly schedule programme to carry out the above activities.

The Commissioner Food Safety, A&N Islands/Dy. Commissioner, South Andaman District has requested general public to avail the facilities of MFTL at their door step and if

required, suspicious food samples can be tested. Further any queries/complaints regarding adulteration of food items can be made at contact numbers 03192-236168 or District Office control room toll free No. 1070.

ANCA to Organise Open Chess Tournament 2021 on 12th Dec.

Port Blair, Nov. 30: The Andaman Nicobar Chess Association (ANCA) will be organizing an open Chess Tournament 2021 on 12th December 2021 at Dairy Farm Community Hall, Ward No. 14 in association with Seventh Day Adventist Church, Dairy Farm.

Interested players may register their names along with an Entry fee @ Rs. 250/- at Chess Academy Dairy

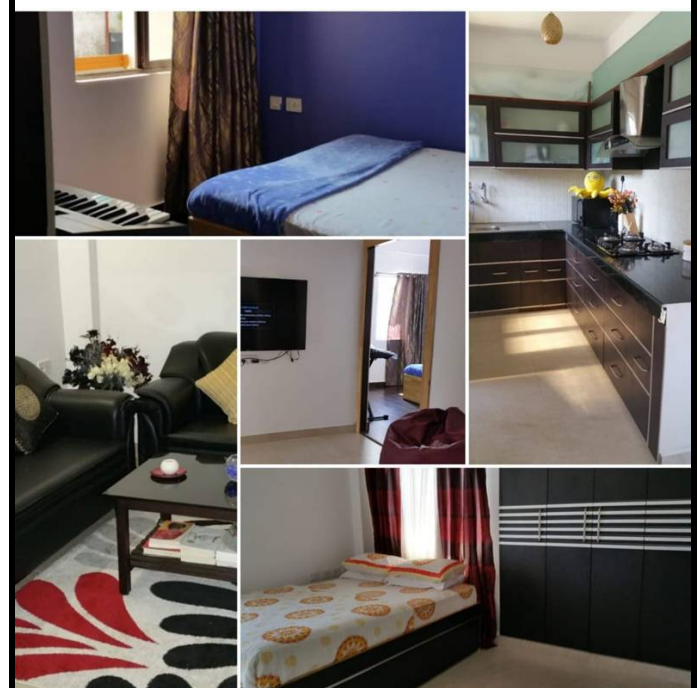
Farm Community Hall, between 4.00 pm to 6.00 pm from Tuesday to Friday. The Last date for submission of entries is 10.12.2021, 6.00 pm.

Please note, players who have registered with All India Chess Federation (AICF) will only be allowed to participate in the tournament. Players who are yet to register/renew with AICF for the year 2021-

22 are requested to complete the same at the earliest by visiting: <https://prs.aicf.in/>

For Entries and more details please contact General Secretary ANCA @ 9434293379 or Mrs. Sudha, Office Asst. ANCA @ 95319 27472 or email@anchessassociation@gmail.com or visit www.anchessassociation.com

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Scholarships for Andaman Chronicle

Scholarship Name 1: Rolls-Royce Unnati COVID Scholarship for Women in STEM 2021

Description: Rolls-Royce India Private Limited invites applications from girl students who are pursuing graduation (general and professional) courses in STEM. The scholarship is meant to support students who have lost their primary earning family member/s due to COVID-19.

Eligibility: Open for Indian girls who are currently pursuing graduation (general and professional) courses in STEM, who have lost their parent(s)/earning family member/s due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Annual family income of the applicants must be less than INR 6,00,000 (6 lakh) from all sources.

Prizes & Rewards: Fixed one-time scholarship of INR 25,000

Last Date to Apply: 31-12-2021

Application mode: Online applications only

Short Url: www.b4s.in/ac/RRUS1

Scholarship Name 2: ICAR-IARI CSIR Junior/Senior Research Fellowship 2021

Description: ICAR-IARI CSIR Junior/Senior Research Fellowship 2021 is a research opportunity offered to graduate/postgraduate degree holders. The selected candidate is required to work on a project entitled - "Assessment of Old and New Wheat Varieties for Genetic Variability in Quality Traits and Their Relationship with Pizza, Extruded and Baked Product Making".

Eligibility: The fellowship is open for candidates who are 28 years of age (JRF) and 32 years of age (SRF) and have a BS 4 years programme/Integrated BS-MS/M.Sc./B.Tech. (Biotech) or equivalent degree with 55% marks and passing of NET/GATE test (such candidates will be considered for JRF), OR an M.Sc., BTech (Biotech), or equivalent degree, and at least two years of post-M.Sc., B.Tech. (Biotech) research experience, OR an M.Tech. (Biotech) or equivalent degree in Biotechnology (for SRF).

Prizes & Rewards: Up to INR 35,000 per month plus 24% HRA

Last Date to Apply: 15-12-2021

Application mode: Online applications only

Short Url: www.b4s.in/ac/JSR4

Scholarship Name 3: Kotak Shiksha Nidhi

Description: Kotak Shiksha Nidhi invites applications from school and college students who have lost a primary earning member of their family due to COVID-19, for continuity of their education from Class 1st to diploma and graduation level courses.

Eligibility: Loss of both parents

Loss of one of the parents

Loss of primary earning member of the family (other than parents)

Applicants must be school or college going students aged between age 6 to 22 years i.e., class 1 to diploma or graduation course

Prizes & Rewards: Terms and Conditions Apply. Selection and the quantum of assistance under Kotak Shiksha Nidhi will be based on fulfilment of the eligibility criteria and will be at the discretion of Kotak Education Foundation.

Last Date to Apply: 31-03-2022

Application mode: Online applications only

Short Url: www.b4s.in/ac/KSFA1

Courtesy - buddy4study.com

District Child Protection Unit SA conducts Awareness Program on Promotion of Legal Adoption

Port Blair, Nov. 30: The District Child Protection Unit, South Andaman under District Administration conducted an awareness program on Adoption focusing on International Adoption Month of the year 2021, based on the Theme "Promotion of Legal Adoption".

The program was organized in collaboration with the Block Development Office, Ferrargunj on 30th November 2021 at Shore Point Gram Panchayat.

The participants of the program were sensitized on the Adoption Regulation of Central Adoption Regulation Authority which promulgates that all the Adoption whether Prospective Adoptive Parent/ Relative Adoption/ Step Parent Adoption shall be registered in CARINGS. The gathering was also informed



in detail about the procedures, Do's & Don'ts of Adoption.

Members of the Child Welfare Committee were also present in the meeting and interacted with the participants. The Team sensitized the participants for surrendering children who can be restored through legal adoption

rather than giving away the children to the needy without following any legal process.

District Administration, South Andaman ensures to support and lend every possible help to the persons intending for adoption and conduct such programs to create awareness on the said topic from time to time.

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PBGKR Sponsors Travel Jerseys for A&N Football Team Heading to Participate in Santhosh Trophy



Port Blair, Nov. 30: In yet another philanthropic gesture, the Port Blair Guru Ki Rasoi (PBGKR) has volunteered to sponsor the travel jerseys of A&N Islands Football team participating in Santhosh Trophy at Kerala. The PBGKR has also sponsored the air travel for

two young talents of the islands to participate in the tournament.

Shri Mandeep Grewal, President, PBGKR on behalf of the NGO has greeted the team and hoped that the boys will make us proud by showing their scintillating performance in the tournament.

Vaccination Drive in A&N Islands

Port Blair, Nov. 30: As per data available, a total of 5,53,514 beneficiaries have been vaccinated so far in A&N Islands, out of the target beneficiaries of 2,81,603 (approx.). A total of 1,75,770 eligible people in the age group of 18 to 44 years have been vaccinated till date. A total of 2347 people were vaccinated today in A&N Islands.

1932 beneficiaries were vaccinated in South

Andaman District, out of which 121 beneficiaries were in the age group of 18-44 years. Similarly, 395 beneficiaries were vaccinated in North & Middle Andaman District out of which 9 beneficiaries were in the age group of 18-44. 20 beneficiaries were vaccinated in Nicobar District out of which 3 beneficiaries were in the age group of 18-44.

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SPORTS

China Concerned About Omicron Effect on Beijing Winter Games

Beijing, Nov. 30: China says the Omicron variant of the coronavirus is a concern for organisers of the Beijing Winter Olympics but it remains confident the games will be held as scheduled in February.

The new variant is the latest challenge facing the games, which have taken criticism over the lack of natural snow in the Chinese capital, the country's human rights record, and tennis star Peng Shuai's recent accusations of sexual assault against a former top leader of the ruling Communist Party.

At a daily briefing on November 30, Foreign Ministry spokesperson Zhao Lijian said Omicron would "certainly bring some challenges in terms of prevention and control". "I'm fully confident that the Winter Olympics will be held as scheduled, smoothly and successfully," Zhao said, citing China's experience in largely controlling widespread infections since the pandemic began in the central city of Wuhan in late 2019.

China maintains some of the world's strictest anti-virus travel



restrictions and has said it will not allow overseas spectators at the games. Athletes, staff and journalists will be confined to bubbles for the duration of the competition, which will take place at three far-flung locations in downtown Beijing, its suburb of Yanqing, and neighbouring Hebei province.

Along with logistical and health concerns, China faces the prospect that the U.S. and other Western democracies will decline to send government officials to

the games in protest over China's treatment of Turkic Muslim Uyghurs and other minority groups, along with civil society and human rights activists.

Politicians, the WTA and leading tennis players have also raised concerns about the safety of three-time Olympian and former top-ranked doubles player Peng, who publicly accused Zhang Gaoli, a former member of the party's Politburo Standing Committee of coercing her into sex three years ago.

South Africa Promises Secure Bio-bubble for Team India; Appreciates BCCI for Continuing 'A' Tour

Johannesburg, Nov. 30: South Africa's Foreign Ministry has said that a "full bio-secure environment" will be created for the Indian cricket team when it lands in Johannesburg for a highly-anticipated series next month and lauded the BCCI for not pulling out its 'A' team despite the panic caused by the discovery of a new COVID-19 variant.

India A will start their second unofficial Test against South Africa A in Bloemfontein on Tuesday, staying put in the country despite the global trepidation that has followed the Omicron variant's discovery.

The Indian senior team will compete in three Tests starting December 17, followed by as many ODIs and four T20 Internationals.

Virat Kohli and his men are scheduled to land in Johannesburg by December 9 but



there have been some concerns about the tour due to the Omicron variant's discovery in the region which has led to travel restrictions by several countries.

"South Africa will take all precautions necessary to ensure the health and safety of the Indian teams. A full Bio-secure environment will be established around both the South African and Indian 'A' Teams as well as the two National Teams," the Department of International Relations and Cooperation (DIRCO), which is the country's Foreign Ministry, stated.

"India's decision to show solidarity by choosing to continue with the tour of the

Indian 'A' Team stands in contrast with a number of countries who have decided to close their borders and to restrict travel from Southern African....," it added.

The Ministry said that the South African government has expressed its appreciation to the BCCI for allowing the tour to continue and "for not letting travel restrictions negatively impact on international sports". The first India-South Africa Test will be played at Johannesburg, followed by the second match at Centurion (December 26) and the third match at Cape Town (January 3).

"The tour of the Indian National Team marks the 30th anniversary of South Africa's readmission to international cricket." In 1991, India had become the first country to host a South African team after the country was banned from international cricket in 1970 by the International Cricket Council (ICC) due to the then South African government's apartheid policy.

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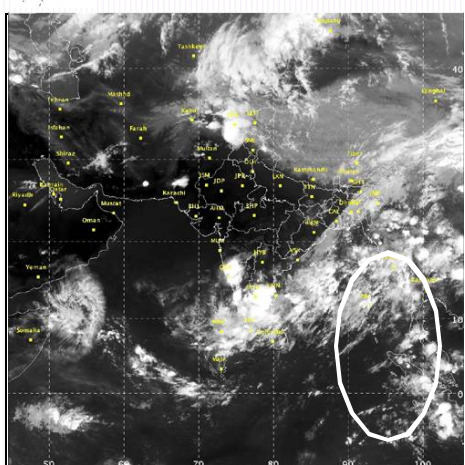
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State Control Room:	03192- 238880 (Tele-Fax), 1070 (Helpline).
District Control Room:	03192-238881
EOC (Campbell Bay):	03193-264020
EOC (Kamorta):	03193-263222
EOC (N&M):	03192-262960
EOC (Hut Bay):	03192-284014



Weather



Max. Temp: 31.5 °C	Min.: 24.3 °C
Relative Humidity: 0830 Hrs: 74%	1730 Hrs: 77%
Sunrise: 0524 Hrs.	Sunset: 1653 Hrs.
Rainfall upto 0830 Hrs (Last 24 Hrs.):	000.0 mm
Rainfall upto 1730 Hrs (Last 24 Hrs.):	000.0 mm
Total Rainfall: (From Jan 1, 2020 till date):	3363.1 mm

Forecast

Light to Moderate Rainfall likely over Port Blair.
Partly cloudy sky. Maximum and Minimum
temperature will be around 30°C and 24°C
respectively on Wednesday 01/12/2021

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