

“Don't take rest after your first victory because if you fail in second, more lips are waiting to say that your first victory was JUST LUCK.”
- Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam



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Things to Know

Q1. What is INS Kohassa?
Ans. India Naval Air Station under the Andaman and Nicobar Command of the Indian Armed Forces.

Q2. Who is the Commander-in-Chief of Andaman Nicobar Command?
Ans. Lieutenant general Ajay Singh

Q3. Who is the current Chief of Defence Staff(CDS)?
Ans. Lieutenant General Anil Chauhan

Q4. Who is the Chief of Air Staff?
Ans. Vivek Ram Chaudhary

Q5. Who is the lone recipient of 'Padma Bhushan' from Andaman nicobar islands?
Ans. Shanti Teresa Lakra is an Indian Medical nurse and healthcare professional, known for her services to Onge tribe in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, in the aftermath of the Tsunami of 2004.

Q1. भारत के चुनाव आयुक्त कौन हैं और उन्हें कब नियुक्त किया गया था?
Ans. राजीव कुमार (15 मई 2022)

Q2. 90वीं इंटरपोल महासभा का आयोजन कहाँ और कब हुआ था और इसका उद्घाटन किसने किया था?
Ans. प्रगति मैदान (नई दिल्ली) 18 से 21 अक्टूबर 2022 तक प्रधानमंत्री श्री नरेन्द्र मोदी

Q3. स्वदेशी विमान वाहक आईएनएस विक्रान्त को कब और किसके द्वारा कमीशन किया गया था?
Ans. 2 सितंबर, 2022 प्रधानमंत्री श्री नरेन्द्र मोदी कोचि में

Q4. संविधान के किस संशोधन को लघु संविधान के नाम से जाना जाता है?
Ans. 42वाँ

Q5. 36वें राष्ट्रीय खेलों का आयोजन कहाँ हुआ था और पदक तालिका में कौन शीर्ष पर रहा?
Ans. गुजरात, (29 सितंबर से 12 अक्टूबर 2022)

Q1. अंडमान निकोबार द्वीप समूह में कितनी आदिवासी जनजातियाँ हैं? उनके नाम दो
Ans. 6, ग्रेट अंडमानी, जरावा, ओंगे, शोम्पेन, सेरिनलीज, निकोबारी

Q2. यूपीएससी के वर्तमान अध्यक्ष कौन हैं?
Ans. डॉ. मनोज सोनी (05.04.2022-27.06.2023)

Q3. महात्मा गांधी समुद्री राष्ट्रीय उद्यान कहाँ स्थित है?
Ans. वंडूर

Q4. अंडमान निकोबार द्वीप समूह का राजकीय पशु कौन सा है?
Ans. दुर्गोम

Q5. देश में कितने राज्य और केंद्र शासित प्रदेश हैं
Ans. 28 राज्य और 8 केंद्र शासित प्रदेश

Q1. देश का सबसे बड़ा चावल उत्पादक राज्य कौन सा है?
Ans. पश्चिम बंगाल

Q2. इस वर्ष दादा साहेब फाल्के पुरस्कार किसे मिला?
Ans. आशा पारेख, 30 सितंबर 2022

Q3. अंडमान निकोबार पुलिस का युथ एक्सट्रैड कौन है?
Ans. डेविड बेकहम

Q4. माउंट हैरियट का वर्तमान नाम क्या है?
Ans. मणिपुर पर्वत (Mount Manipur)

Q5. अंडमान निकोबार द्वीप समूह में लालजी वे बीच कहाँ है?
Ans. लॉग आईलैंड

Taxpayers money flowing down the drain



Port Blair, January 18 : The vessel Sindhu which arrived here recently from Chennai had only 190 passengers on board. It is much less than half of its capacity. It is a total waste of taxpayers money. Even a ferry from Port Blair to Swaraj Dweep will be sailing with more than 190 passengers. Instead of wasting such a state of the art vessel on the mainland route, it will be better if this vessel is put for a regular trip to the southern group of islands once in a week. Considering

the fact that apart from Sindhu and Nalanda, none of the ships in the DSS fleet are in excellent condition to cater to the demand of commuters of the southern group, there needs to be a rethinking on the current strategy. Moreover, heavy subsidy on passenger tickets to the mainland sector is a burden on the administration. If you add the fuel charge, salary of crew and Port charges, it is a wasteful expenditure. Vessels to the mainland sector should only be scheduled during the

period when the airport is closed. If the schedule is published in advance then the chances of occupancy increases. In any case the vessel should not be allowed to sail out of port with less than half of its capacity. That also, when local inhabitants of the southern group are begging for quality vessels for commuting between islands. An intervention from the Chief Secretary can save some taxpayers money which is otherwise pumped through the drain.



Hon'ble Member of Parliament Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma called on Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt Governor, A&N Islands and Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency today at Raj Niwas. Discussed investments in excess of Rs. 90,000/- Crores during last 5 years in mega Infrastructure/ Tourism/Hospitality/Connectivity projects in Andaman & Nicobar Islands and recent decision by Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Government of India, to float Expression of Interest by end January 2023 for International Container Transshipment Terminal (ICTT) to bring in investment of Rs. 17,000/- Crores.

Member of Parliament requests Hon'ble Lt. Governor to take up matter with the Ministry of Shipping to give preference to Andaman Ships for Annual Survey in Mainland Dockyards

The Member of Parliament of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Shri. Kuldeep Rai Sharma called on the Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Andaman and Nicobar Islands yesterday and took up some important issues of these Islands. Among other crucial issues, he requested the Hon'ble Lt. Governor to take up this matter of shortage of ship for Southern Group of Islands with the Ministry of Shipping to give preference to Andaman Ships for Annual Survey in Mainland Dockyards so that the turnaround timing of the ship after Annual Survey is reduced to minimum and round the year at least 50% of

the ships are available for Hut Bay and Nicobar District as shipping is the lifeline of Andaman and Nicobar Islands. He informed the Hon'ble Lt. Governor that there is a shortage of ships for Car Nicobar, Kamorta and Great Nicobar Islands. He said that at present only MV Bharat Seema is available for Car Nicobar sailing while only MV Nalanda is available for sailing for Kamorta and Great Nicobar. The Member of Parliament added that presently there are eight ships for inter-islands sector viz MV Sentinel, MV Chowra, MV Campbell Bay, MV Nalanda, MV Sindhu, MV Kalighat,

MV Bharat Seema and MV Dering but out of these eight ships only three ships are presently operational and sadly out of these three operational ships, the MV Dering cannot be sent to Nicobar District. He pointed out that when ships from Andaman go for Annual Survey, the ships have to wait for several weeks for dry-dock works, which causes delay in repair of ships and due to which Islanders suffer. He added that as summer vacation is nearing there is a need to keep more ships seaworthy for catering to the needs of a large number of passengers.

Blood Donation Camp organized as part of Police Raising Week observance at Fire Service HQ

Port Blair, Jan. 17 The A & N Police Fire Service as part of the ongoing Police Raising Week, 2023 observance, organised a Voluntary Blood Donation Camp at Fire Service (HQs) today. 43 volunteers of A & N Police including Police Radio, IRBn and Fire Service participated in the Blood Donation camp with the aim to serve the general public. It is pertinent to mention that 7 donors were from general public.

Shri S.K.Jain, IPS IGP (L&O) inaugurated the Blood Donation Camp in the presence of Smti Varsha Sharma, SSP (Fire), Shri Sandeep, DySP (Fire) & other



Fire Unit Officers. He appreciated the donors as every 'Blood Donor is a Life Saver'.

The programme was

organized in coordination with Dr. Shahina Mustaqim, Medical Officer (I/C), Blood Bank, GB Pant Hospital, Port

Blair and officials of A&N AIDS Control Society.

Another step towards transparency efficiency and accountability

Foreign Flag Vessel Clearance System made fully online by A&N Administration

Port Blair, Jan. 17 : Andaman and Nicobar Administration has launched a Web-based Clearance of Foreign Flag Vessel visiting A&N Islands in August, 2022. The Port Clearance System (PCS) <https://pcs.andaman.gov.in> provides a platform to all the registered agents to submit their requests online for berthing of the vessels in advance alongwith all the required documents of the visiting Foreign

Flag Vessel.

The Portal developed in line with the Hon'ble Prime Minister's vision for improving the 'Ease of Doing Business' is faceless and fully paperless. The objective of creating this Portal is to bring in transparency and efficiency. The Chief Secretary A&N Administration, Shri Keshav Chandra, IAS immediately on joining the Administration during August, 2022 had inau-

gurated this Portal. The last part of the approval in Home Department was being done through e-office since then. Now, even this part of approval on e-office will not be required. This development will further reduce the time period and make the system more transparent, efficient and accountable.

Thus, the method of obtaining NOC on file has been fully done away with. With this, the re-

quest would be approved online and e-NOC with QR would be generated. The agents and applicants can now download the e-NOC from the Portal. A mobile app is also being developed for usage by the Port Users which will provide further convenience to the end users. UT Administration is committed for an accountable and transparent Administration.

State Level Mock Disaster Management Exercise on Earthquake and Tsunami to held on Feb. 9

Port Blair, Jan.17 : The A&N Administration in coordination with National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), MHA, GoI, New Delhi will be conducting a State Level

Mock Disaster Management Exercise on Earthquake and Tsunami on 9th February, 2023 in the Islands involving all stakeholders including ANC, Coast Guard, NDRE, PRIs, Schools/

Colleges and Media. In this regard, an Orientation & Coordination Conference in VC Mode will be held on Jan. 31 in which all stakeholders/Line Departments at the UT Level, District

Level and other relevant stakeholders will participate. This will be followed by Table Top Exercise (TTE) at Port Blair (Physical) on Feb.7, 2023.

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संपादकीय

देश-दुनिया में कोरोना का खतरा: चीन में कोरोना पाबंदी हटी तो 5 लाख लोगों ने की आवाजही, भारत के 16 राज्यों से नहीं आए मामले

चीन में 8 जनवरी को जीरो कोविड पोलिसी खत्म होने के बाद से देश से आने-जाने वाले लोगों की संख्या 5 लाख पार कर चुकी है। जो कोविड पोलिसी लागू होने के पहले वाले समय से 48% ज्यादा है। चीन के नेशनल इमिग्रेशन एडमिनिस्ट्रेशन ने इसकी जानकारी दी है।

इधर, भारत में मंगलवार को जारी किए गए हेल्थ मिनिस्ट्री के आंकड़ों के मुताबिक, देश में कोरोना के कुल 89 नए मामले सामने आए हैं। जो 2020 के बाद पिछले 2 सालों में सबसे कम हैं। इसके बाद देश में कुल एक्टिव मामलों की संख्या 2035 हो गई है। दिल्ली समेत 16 राज्यों में मंगलवार को कोरोना का एक भी नया मामला दर्ज नहीं किया गया। ग्राफिक से जानिए भारत में क्या है कोरोना की स्थिति...

बिल एंड मेलिंडा गेट्स फाउंडेशन ने की भारत की तारीफ

16 जनवरी को भारत ने कोरोना वैक्सीनेशन के दो साल पूरे किए हैं। इस पर मंगलवार को बिल एंड मेलिंडा गेट्स फाउंडेशन के ब्लू मार्क सुजमान ने भारत की तारीफ की है। उन्होंने कहा कि कोरोना महामारी से निपटने के मामले में भारत ग्लोबल उदाहरण पेश किया है। जिस तरह से भारत ने 220 करोड़ लोगों को वैक्सीन लगाई और इसके लिए पोर्टल बनाए इससे दूसरे देशों को सीखने की जरूरत है।

वहीं, भारत की हेल्थ मिनिस्ट्री ने कहा कि कोविड वैक्सीन के साइड इफेक्ट को लेकर छप

रही मीडिया रिपोर्ट्स में कोई सच्चाई नहीं है। मंत्रालय ने प्लट के तज् के जवाब का खंडन किया है। इसमें कहा गया था कि कोरोना वैक्सीन के कई साइड इफेक्ट हो सकते हैं। दुनिया में कोरोना का हाल



यह तस्वीर बीजिंग के इंटरनेशनल एयरपोर्ट की है। इसमें लोग चीन में एंट्री के लिए इंतजार में खड़े दिख रहे हैं।

जापान

जापान टुडे की रिपोर्ट के मुताबिक, मंगलवार (17 जनवरी) को वहां 1 लाख 26 हजार 989 मामले दर्ज किए गए। राजधानी टोक्यो में कोरोना के मामलों की संख्या 4,433 से बढ़कर 11,120 हो गई है। मामले सामने आए। मौत का आंकड़ा 357 रहा। जापान और साउथ कोरिया के नागरिकों पर बैन के बाद अब चीन के कुछ लोगों को देश में आने की छूट दी जाएगी। उनके लिए वीजा के नियमों में ढील की है।

अमेरिका

इधर, अमेरिका की हेल्थ अथोरिटीज फाइजर की नई वैक्सीन से बुजुर्गों को स्ट्रोक आने के आरोपों की जांच कर रही है। हालांकि, वहां के सेंटर फोर डिजीज कंट्रोल ने बताया है कि उनके डेटाबेस में अभी तक ऐसे किसी मामले को दर्ज नहीं किया गया है। जिसके चलते अभी वैक्सीनेशन के प्रोसेस में कोई बदलाव नहीं किया जाएगा।

दुनिया में कोरोना के मामले

कोरोना worldometer के मुताबिक, दुनिया में अब तक 67 करोड़ 17 लाख 51 हजार 193 मामले सामने आ चुके हैं। 11 जनवरी 2020 को चीन के वुहान में 61 साल के बुजुर्ग की मौत हुई थी। ये दुनिया में कोरोना से होने वाली पहली मौत थी। इसके बाद मौत का सिलसिला बढ़ने लगा। अब तक 67 लाख 32 हजार 532 मौतें हो चुकी हैं।

इन देशों ने चीन के यात्रियों पर लगाया प्रतिबंध

चीन से आने वाले यात्रियों पर स्वीडन, जर्मनी, मलेशिया, कतर, बेल्जियम, ऑस्ट्रेलिया, कनाडा, मोरक्को, फ्रांस, ब्रिटेन, स्पेन, अमेरिका, जापान, इजराइल, भारत, इटली और साउथ कोरिया ने प्रतिबंध लगाए हैं। यहां चीन से आने वाले यात्रियों को नेगेटिव को. रोग रिपोर्ट दिखानी होगी। मोरक्को ने तो चीन के यात्रियों को बैन ही कर दिया है। ताइवान ने भी चीन से आने वालों के लिए कोविड टेस्टिंग कंपलसरी की है। पाकिस्तान और फिलीपींस भी मॉनिटरिंग कर रहे हैं। थाईलैंड और न्यूजीलैंड ने कोई भी प्रतिबंध लगाने से मना कर दिया है।



राज्यों में कोरोना की स्थिति

राज्य	नए केस	एक्टिव केस
केरल	32	404
कर्नाटक	24	123
महाराष्ट्र	10	15
दिल्ली	0	10
तमिलनाडु	7	58

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Shri Ajoy Bairagi, State President, BJP, A&N Islands and Shri Vishal Jolly, National Executive Member, BJP Met Mananiya Nitin Gadgari ji,

Minister of Road Transport and Highways of India at New Delhi and discussed about the extremely pathetic condition of NH-4 in North and Middle Andaman District and Construction of Chatam-Bambooflat Bridge.

The leaders also submitted a detailed letter along with photographs showing the condition of the road to the Honble Minister.

Media fraternity expresses gratitude to Chief Secretary for allotment of media room Greater interaction between local government and media stressed



Port Blair, Jan. 17: The media fraternity here has expressed their sincere gratitude to the Chief Secretary, Mr. Kashav Chandra for allotment of the media room to the media persons. At a simple function on Tuesday, the Chief Editor, The Andaman Express (Hindi) and Municipal Councillor, Ward No-8, Smt Laxmi Ganeshan inaugurated the media room at Directorate of Information Publicity & Tourism. The media room was allotted to the local Journalists during the period of former Lt Governor, Late I. P Gupta. However,

during the period of Covid-19, the room was taken back by the IP&T department for performing Covid-19 related activities. For a long time, the media persons have been requesting authorities in the IP&T to provide the media room to local Journalists so that they can organize meetings and discuss various media related activities. Finally, a media team met the Chief Secretary, Mr. Keshav Chandra and requested him for allotment of the media room to the local Journalists. The Chief Secretary immediately

directed the Secretary (IP&T) for allotment of the media room to the media persons within a period of 5 days. As per the direction of the Chief Secretary, the media room was handed over to the local media persons. Sharing his thoughts, the Chief Editor, The Andaman Express, Mr. K Ganeshan also expressed gratitude to the Chief Secretary. He also expressed his gratitude to the Secretary, IP&T and Director (IP&T) for their cooperation and support to the local media here. Mr. Ganeshan underscored the need

for greater interaction between government departments and media so that achievements of various government departments can be disseminated through the media. Mr. Ganeshan informed that earlier the media room was provided with facilities like TV, Internet and computer for the use of Journalists. He informed that he will take up these issues with the IP&T authorities. Mr. Vijay Kumar Roy, Editor-in-Chief, The Echo of India and Mr. Yadagiri, General Secretary, A&N Media Federation also spoke on the occasion.

Fostering culture of entrepreneurship among youth; National Startup Day observed at IGNOU



Port Blair, Jan. 17 As part of Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Ministry of Education (MOE), Government of India and National Centre for Innovations in Distance Education (NCIDE) Campaign, IGNOU, Regional Cen-

tre, Port Blair observed National Startup Day-2023 yesterday, to foster the culture of entrepreneurship among youth. Dr. N. Rajvel, Head of the Department, PG Department of Commerce, JNRM was the chief guest on the occasion.

In his address, he elaborated on the significance of the day and urged the gathering to take up startup for future endeavor. He stated that the Startup Day aims to engage startup ecosystem stakeholders across to encourage the spir-

it of entrepreneurship and innovation in India. Earlier, Dr. RVR Murthy, Regional Director welcomed the gathering, a press release from IGNOU said.

NSUI State President demands the Administration for Construction of the College Canteen at the ITI Campus, Port Blair

The State President of National Students' Union of India A&N Islands Mr. M.A Sajid has requested the Administration in Constructing of the College Canteen at the ITI Campus, Port Blair.

In his letter addressed to the Chief Sec-

retary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, he said that the Students of ITI are covering a long distance from rural areas at morning hours to reach the College Campus to facilitate their proper well being health and Studies. Whereas with an establishment of the Canteen

in the College Campus might help the students to balance them equivalently. He stated that most of the ITI Students feel that to have a College Canteen in the Campus as the students get tired and hungry at morning and afternoon hours and it would be an immense help by the Col-

lege Management in providing Canteen facilities to the Students Commuting from long distances. Furthermore, Mr. Sajid has requested the Administration to make proper plans and arrangements in providing food and nourishment facilities inside the College Campus.

UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF PRIME MINISTER, SHRI NARENDRA MODI, AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV IS AN INITIATIVE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TO CELEBRATE AND COMMEMORATE 75 YEARS OF INDEPENDENCE AND THE GLORIOUS HISTORY OF INDIA'S PEOPLE, CULTURE AND ACHIEVEMENTS

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF UNION HOME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF COOPERATION, SHRI AMIT SHAH IS CELEBRATING AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV ICONIC EVENTS WEEK FROM JAN.17 TO 23, 2023 TO COMMEMORATE 75 YEARS OF INDIA'S INDEPENDENCE & NETAJI SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE'S 126TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

PRIME MINISTER WILL VIRTUALLY INAUGURATE A MODEL OF THE PROPOSED MEMORIAL IN HONOUR OF NETAJI SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE TO BE SET UP AT NETAJI SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE ISLAND & NAMING OF 21 ISLANDS OF A&N IN THE NAME OF PVC WINNERS ON JAN. 23

SHRI AMIT SHAH WILL BE THE CHIEF GUEST AT A GRAND CULMINATION EVENT TO BE HELD IN PORT BLAIR ON JAN.23

New Delhi/Port Blair, Jan.17 : Under the leadership of Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav is an initiative of the Government of India to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of independence and the glorious history of India's people, culture and achievements. Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi in his speech on the occasion of the 75th Independence Day, had called upon all Indians to take pride in their heritage and legacy. India has a rich and glorious history, which is replete with stories of unprecedented bravery, valour, sacrifice, penance, wars and victories of our heroes. One of such great son of Mother India was Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose whose contributions to the independence movement has inspired generations of Indians and inculcates a sense of pride amongst the countrymen.

The Ministry of Home Affairs under the guidance of Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah is celebrating Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav Iconic Events Week from 17th to 23rd January, 2023, to celebrate 75 years of India's Independence. The events will be organized on the theme of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's life and his contribution to the freedom struggle. Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah will be the Chief Guest at a grand culmination event to be held in Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands on the 23rd of January, 2023.

The events will be organized in collaboration with the Central Armed Police Forces and Central Police Organizations, the Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration, and the State Governments of Manipur, Nagaland, Gujarat, Odisha and West Bengal at locations which are related to Netaji's life and work. In Manipur, the events were held at Manipukhri, Keithlmanbi, Kangvai, Moirang and Nambol today. In Nagaland, it will be held at Ruzazho and Chesezu Villages, Kohima on 18th January, in Gujarat at Haripura, Bardoli, and Surat on 19th January, in Odisha at Cuttack on 20th January and in West Bengal event will be organized in Kolkata on 21st January, 2023. An array of activities celebrating Netaji's immense contribution to India's freedom struggle have been planned to be held throughout the week at these locations.

In the spirit of Jan Bhagidari, the programmes have been designed to promote large scale public involvement in all the events, so that the citizens can take inspiration from our national heroes and carry forward the great ideals that they stood for.

A grand mega event will be organized at Port Blair in Andaman & Nicobar Islands, where Netaji hoisted the Tricolour on 30.12.1943 for the first time on the Indian soil, much before India attained Independence. The Ministry of Home Affairs' Iconic Events Week is an ode to the life and contributions of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose in the India's struggle for freedom. It is a remembrance of his high ideals and a moment for all the country to draw inspiration from lives of our freedom fighters.



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The Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi will virtually inaugurate a model of the proposed Memorial dedicated in honour of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose to be set up at Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Island, A&N Islands on Jan. 23 at 11 am. This will be followed by a short video showcasing the proposed memorial to be set up at NSCB Island. Thereafter, Hon'ble Prime Minister will also announce the naming of 21 Islands of Andaman and Nicobar in the name of Param Veer Chakra Awardees. A short video on the naming of 21 Islands of Andaman & Nicobar will be screened. A live video message of family members of Param Veer Chakra winners expressing gratitude for the initiative taken by Govt. in naming of the Islands in their memory will also be screened. This event will be live screened in a function to be held in the Auditorium of DBRAIT, Port Blair. The Hon'ble Union Home and Cooperation Minister, Shri Amit Shah will attend the live screening programme and address the gathering at DBRAIT, Port Blair. Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi will virtually address the nation.

Stadium on 23.01.2023 at 5 pm. Hon'ble Union Home and Cooperation Minister, Shri Amit Shah will be the chief guest on the occasion. Admiral DK Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt Governor, A&N Islands & Vice Chairman, Islands Development Agency will also grace the occasion. A video film on the events organized as part of the birth anniversary celebration of Netaji Subash Chandra Bose in five cities in the country will be screened. The evening will be followed by performance by renowned singers and artists with their live band. The other highlights of the evening includes presentation of a dance ballet on the life of Netaji choreographed by eminent Choreographer Ms. Tanusree Shankar and various dance performances.

Meanwhile, as part of the event, a Kavi Samelan by renowned poets will be organized at National Memorial Cellular Jail on 21.01.2023 from 5 pm to 7 pm. On the same day, Naval Band will perform at Marina Park, from 7 pm to 7.30 pm followed by

Classical Dance performance from 7.30 pm to 9 pm at the same venue. On Jan. 22, Naval Band and MARCOS mock drill show will be held from 3 pm to 3.45 pm at Marina Park. This will be followed by Surya Kiran Aerobatic Team (SKAT) display from 3.45 to 4.15 pm and Music Show from 4.15 pm to 6.15 pm at Marina Park. Surya Kiran Aerobatic Team (SKAT) display will also be held on Jan. 23 from 4 pm to 4.30 pm at Marina Park.



Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt Governor, A&N Islands and Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency launched the book "Exam Warriors" detailing how to approach exams with a positive mindset & a solid plan, authored by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi today at Raj Niwas in the presence of Chief Secretary, Shri Keshav Chandra, Director General of Police, Shri Neeraj Thakur and other Senior officials of Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Andaman & Nicobar Police and Andaman & Nicobar Forest.



Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt Governor, A&N Islands and Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency reviewed the preparations for the forthcoming Iconic events to be organized to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav with particular emphasis on 126th Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose on 23rd January, 2023 in A&N Islands.

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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

Port Blair, dated the 12th January, 2023
OFFICE ORDER NO.122

The following Lower Grade Clerk under Amalgamated Clerical Cadre of Andaman & Nicobar Administration while serving at various offices of Andaman & Nicobar Administration has been unauthorisedly prolonged wilful absence from their duty since the date noted against each to till date. In-spite of this office notice No. 45-640/2022-PW dated 14.12.2022; they neither reported for duty nor sent any intimation with valid genuine supporting documents regarding their unauthorized prolonged willful absence from duty till date.

Sl. No	Name	Date of Birth	Attached with	Unauthorise absent since
01	02	03	04	05
01	Shri.V.Logidasan	15.03.1965	Executive Engineer (Rural) Ele Deptt. North Andaman, Diglipur	15.01.2001
02	Shri.J.Nirmal Kumar	04.05.1969	Deputy Commissioner(N), Car Nicobar.	20.02.1994
03	Shri.C.Baiju	28.05.1966	Assistant Engineer, ISSD, Kolkata	03.09.2006
04	Shri.Derick	05.04.1964	Executive Engineer, Construction Division, APWD,Car Nicobar.	13.09.2000
05	Shri.Paul Agustin	04.05.1971	Divisional Forest Officer (ND), Campbell Bay	01.09.2008
06	Smti.Magdalene	12.11.1969	Executive Engineer, (ND)Ele Deptt , Kamorta	Since 2007
07	Smti.Barkha	20.07.1978	M.S., G.B.Pant Hospital Port Blair	17.03. 2010
08	Shri.M.A.Javed	25.05.1979	Executive Engineer, Construction Division, APWD, Car Nicobar.	01.11.2012

Now therefore, in exercise of the power conferred under the sub-Rule (2) of Rule 12 of CCS (Leave) Rules, 1972 read with A & N Administration's order No.2388 dated 02.11.2021 and the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Personnel and Training, New Delhi Notification No.13026/2/2010-Estt (L) dated 29th March 2012, the aforesaid Lower Grade Clerk are deemed to have resigned from the post with immediate effect.

This issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.
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(A.Yesu Raj)
Assistant Secretary (PerL.)
(F.No. 45-640/2022-PW)

AT HOME FUNCTION HELD AT POLICE LINE CULMINATING CELEBRATION OF POLICE RAISING WEEK



The A & N Police is organising week long programme from 16th to 23rd January, 2023 celebrating Police Raising Week. On 18th January, 2023 an "At Home Function" was organized at Police Lines, in which Admiral D K Joshi, PYSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM (Retd.), Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, graced the occasion along with Hon'ble Justice Subhasis Dasgupta & Hon'ble Justice Saugata Bhattacharya (Calcutta High Court Circuit Bench at Port Blair).

Lt. Gen Ajai Singh, AVSM, Commander-in-Chief of A & N Islands, Shri Keshav Chandra, IAS, Chief Secretary, A & N Administration and other dignitaries from A&N Administration, Armed Forces, Member of Electronic & Print media were also present. Sh Neeraj Thakur, Director General of Police, ANI welcomed all the guests. The history of A&N Police dates back to the year

1875, when an organized police force was established in Andaman & Nicobar Islands to deal with crime and criminals. In the year 1924, the Civil Police Force was formed as a separate branch under the control of a Commandant. After Independence, it on 16th January, 1953 Mr. Naushirwan Feroz Sauntook, the first IPS officer took over the charge of the Superintendent of Police from Shri M. Macfarland. Since, then this day is celebrated every year as the "Raising Day" of Andaman & Nicobar Police.

Hon'ble Lt. Governor greeted the police personnel and lauded the effort of the entire police force in making the islands crime free. He appreciated the work of all the ranks of the A & N Police who were putting day and night for the safety and security of the citizens of A & N Islands. During the occasion the Brass and Pipe Band of A & N Police played euphonious music.

PRADHAN MANTRI TB MUKT BHARAT ABHIYAAN AT GOVT. SSS, BHATUBASTI, GARACHARMA, WANDOOR



Port Blair, Jan. 18 : Under National TB Elimination programme (NTEP) the State TB Unit, Port Blair organized awareness programmes on TB & Community Support to TB Patients-Ni-kshay Mitra (Donor) under Pradhan Mantri TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyaan at Govt. Senior. Secondary School, Bhatubasti, Govt. Senior Secondary School, Garacharma and Govt. Middle School, Wandoor with the objective to provide additional nutrition support to TB patient and augment community involvement to eliminate TB by 2025.

Shri Tapan Kumar Ray, IEC Officer, spoke

in detail about the transmission, clinical manifestation, prevention and control of TB, TB/HIV Co-infection, the ill-effect of alcoholism and smoking particularly in relation to the treatment of TB. He also informed about the incentives given to the patient during the treatment under Ni-kshay Poshan Yojna and about Nikshay Mitra (Donor) under Pradhan Mantri TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyaan and requested the Teachers to come forward and become Ni-kshay Mitras and make this Abhiyaan a success. The gathering was also urged to propagate the message in the community.

Island Tourist Vessels operating from Aberdeen Jetty (RGWSC) to various tourist spot will be diverted

Port Blair, Jan. 18 : In view of the Republic Day Celebration on 26.01.2023, the movement of all Island Tourist Vessels operating from Aberdeen Jetty (RGWSC) to various tourist spot will be diverted as per details below:

DATE	PROGRAMME	SCHEDULE
24.01.2023	Full Dress Rehearsal for Republic Day Programme on 26.01.2023	All vessels to be shifted to Junglighat on 23.01.2023 by 1700 hrs and operate from Junglighat to North Bay.
26.01.2023	Republic Day Celebration of 26.01.2023	All vessels to be shifted to Junglighat on 25.01.2023 by 1700 hrs and operate from Junglighat to North Bay.
27.01.2023	Full Dress Rehearsal for Beating the Retreat.	All vessels to be shifted to Junglighat on 26.01.2023 by 1700 hrs and operate from Junglighat to North Bay.
29.01.2023	Beating the Retreat programme	All vessel to be shifted to Junglighat on 28.01.2023 by 1700 hrs and operate from Junglighat to North Bay.

However, operation of IV Tourist boats from Rajiv Gandhi Water Sports complex to Netaji Subash Chandra Bose Island and North Bay shall be permitted on 25th & 28th upto 1600 hrs and thereafter normal operation will be restored from 30.01.2023.

All owners of Jetski have also been directed to park their Jetskis at their designated place on the above date and time as no water sports activity will be permitted from RGWSC as per schedule above due to security consideration.

JOINING HANDS AND SAVING HANDS, A BLOOD DONATION CAMP ORGANISED AT FIRE SERVICE HEAD QUARTERS



Going by the saying that the gift of blood is a gift to someone's life. The A & N Police Fire Service during the on-going Police Raising week, 2023

organised a "Voluntary Blood donation camp" at Fire Service (HQs) on 17/01/23. 43 volunteers of A & N Police including Police Radio, IRBn and

Fire Service participated in the Blood Donation camp with the aim to serve the general public. It is pertinent to mention that 07 donors were from Gen-



eral Public. The program was organised in coordination with Dr. Shahina Mustaqim, Medical Officer (I/C), Blood Bank, GB Pant Hospital, Port

Blair and officials of A & N AIDS Control Society. Shri S.K.Jain, IPS IGP (L&O) inaugurated the blood donation camp in presence of Smti Varsha

Sharma, SSP (Fire), Shri Sandeep DySP(Fire) & other Fire Unit Officers. He appreciated the donors as every Blood Donor is a Life Saver.