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Revanth Woos UK Mayors for Telangana Investments



Revanth pitches Telangana as Global investment destination



Hyderabad, Oct 14: Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy said the Telangana government was committed to positioning the youngest State in the country as a leading destination for global investments, with an ambitious target of transforming it into a $1-trillion economy by 2034 and a $3-trillion economy by 2047.

Participating in a global summit organised by the SAMAKHYA Chamber of Commerce here on Wednesday, the Chief Minister outlined the key objectives of the Telangana Rising: 2047 Vision Document, highlighting the government's plan to develop the State through three designated regions — CURE, PURE and RARE.

"Our goal is to transform Telangana into a $1-trillion economy by 2034 and a $3-trillion economy by 2047. To achieve this, we have envisaged a development strategy based on three zones: CURE, PURE and RARE," he said.

Explaining the regional development strategy, Revanth Reddy said the CURE region, covering the area within the Outer Ring Road (ORR), would be developed as a hub for IT, services, cutting-edge technologies and innovation.

The PURE region, between the ORR and the Regional Ring Road (RRR), would focus on manufacturing, industrial parks and logistics, while the RARE region Rural Agriculture Region Economy would promote agriculture, food processing, agro-based industries and rural employment, he said.

The Chief Minister said the government aimed to increase Telangana's contribution to India's GDP from the present 5 per cent to 10 per cent by attracting investments and accelerating economic growth.

Noting that India would complete 100 years of Independence in 2047, he said Prime Minister Narendra Modi was working towards the goal of a Viksit Bharat (Developed India) by that year.

Revanth Reddy emphasised that cooperation among States was essential to achieving the Centre's development goals. "Our main focus is on development, and politics should be confined to election time," he said.

Appealing to investors to partner with the government in realising the Telangana Rising vision, he assured them of the necessary support and protection for their investments through investor-friendly policies. He also called upon local entrepreneurs to become active partners in the State's new industrial policy. Observing that investors from the region had largely focused on providing services to corporate companies, he urged them to expand their ambitions and build globally competitive businesses.

The Chief Minister commended the organisers for holding the event to encourage the growth and development of the younger generation.

Referring to the Munnuru Kapu community, he said its members had excelled in diverse fields, including cinema and politics, with many achieving significant success and serving as role models.

He urged the Chamber of Commerce to document the achievements and success stories of members of the community and pass them on to the younger generation as a source of inspiration.

Bhatti: ₹1.64 lakh crore reaches people in 3 years



Hyderabad, Oct 14: Asserting that every family in Telangana has directly benefited from the people's government, Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka revealed that the State has transferred ₹1,64,431 crore directly into people's bank accounts over the past three years.

Challenging political opponents to dispute the statistics, the Deputy Chief Minister stated that the administration maintains total transparency and stands ready for a detailed debate on public expenditure. Every available rupee is being channeled into planned welfare and regional growth, he added. Bhatti Vikramarka made these remarks on Wednesday while addressing a public meeting after laying the foundation stone for a 220/33 kV substation at Mannanur in the Achampet Assembly constituency. During the visit, he also launched development works worth ₹74.82 crore for the constituency.

Highlighting broader infrastructure initiatives, the Deputy Chief Minister announced that the government has allocated ₹90,000 crore for statewide road construction. Moving forward, district-specific blueprints will be crafted leveraging local natural resources, rivers, mineral wealth, and human capital. He further emphasised the government's vision to develop Achampet into a premier transport and tourism hub to generate employment opportunities for local youth.

Providing statistics on the reach of state welfare, Bhatti Vikramarka noted that out of 1.15 crore families across Telangana, approximately 1.06 crore are actively benefiting from various government welfare programmes.

Indiramma houses by next Dasara: Sridhar Babu



Hyderabad, Oct14: Ranga Reddy district in-charge Minister Duddilla Sridhar Babu has assured that all Indiramma houses sanctioned in the first phase will be completed within a year and handed over to beneficiaries by the next Dasara.

Stating that the delays in house construction witnessed during the previous government would not be repeated, the Minister said the present government was committed to ensuring that poor families received their own homes within the stipulated timeframe. Sridhar Babu was speaking on Wednesday at the foundation-laying ceremony for Indiramma houses sanctioned to 480 beneficiaries at Pocharam in Ghatkesar mandal. Revenue and Housing Minister Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy, local MP Eatala Rajender, Medchal MLA Mallareddy and MLC Patnam Mahender Reddy, among others, attended the programme.

The Minister assured that essential infrastructure, including roads, drinking water facilities and lifts, would be provided to the Indiramma Towers within the stipulated deadline. Recalling the welfare initiatives launched soon after the government assumed office, Sridhar Babu said the Congress government had fulfilled its promises by implementing free electricity for households consuming up to 200 units a month and distributing six kilograms of fine-quality rice per person to white ration cardholders. The Minister said the government was constructing Indiramma houses within the respective constituencies of eligible beneficiaries, enabling homeless poor families to secure permanent housing in their own areas.

He emphasised that the houses were being built on highly valuable land, offering beneficiaries a substantial asset. Sridhar Babu stressed that the allocation of houses was being carried out in a completely transparent manner through a lottery system, eliminating human intervention and ensuring fairness in the selection of beneficiaries.

Don't create inter-district discord over irrigation projects: Gutha



Hyderabad, Oct 14: Legislative Council Chairman Gutha Sukhender Reddy on Wednesday expressed strong concern over attempts by certain political elements to create regional friction between districts, warning that such discord would severely harm Telangana's broader interests. Speaking informally to media representatives at his camp office here, Sukhender Reddy clarified that both the Palamuru-Rangareddy and Dindi lift irrigation schemes were designed with a unified goal to bring fertility and guaranteed irrigation water to Mahabubnagar and Nalgonda districts.

Highlighting recent Cabinet decisions aimed at expediting pending works, he noted that the government had approved the allocation of 1.5 TMC per day from the Edulla reservoir for Palamuru and 0.5 TMC for the Dindi project.

Gutha Sukhender Reddy termed it "inappropriate" that some groups were politicising this allocation to incite regional sentiment among the people of Mahabubnagar.

Alleging that unnecessary controversies were being cooked up to pressure Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy, the Council Chairman explained that diverting water directly from Narlapur would entail massive extra expenditure, cause delays, and risk environmental and statutory clearances. "Technical viability, financial implications, and execution timelines must be the primary criteria when taking up irrigation projects," Sukhender Reddy emphasised, calling on all stakeholders to safeguard the unity and regional harmony of Telangana.

Vivek calls for affordable, clean energy for all



Hyderabad, Oct 14: Minister for SHAKTI and Mines Dr. Vivek Venkataswamy has stressed the need to ensure access to affordable and clean energy for all and promote renewable energy sources to achieve sustainable development.

He emphasised that clean energy solutions, including solar power, should adhere to quality and safety standards. Speaking as the chief guest at the World Standards Day–2026 programme organised by the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) at a hotel in Hyderabad on Wednesday, the Minister said this year's focus, in line with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 7, was on ensuring access to affordable and clean energy for all. Calling for coordinated efforts by industries, governments and educational

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Sridhar Babu invites investors to Telangana Global Rising Summit



Hyderabad, Oct 14: Minister for IT and Industries D. Sridhar Babu has invited industrialists, investors and innovators to participate in the Telangana Global Rising Summit 2026, scheduled to be held from December 7 to 9, and explore investment opportunities in the State. Speaking at the Samakhya Global Business Meet–2026, organised by

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Bathukamma celebrated with grandeur at Telangana Secretariat



Hyderabad, Oct 14 : Bathukamma festivities were celebrated on a grand scale at the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat on Wednesday. Minister for Panchayat Raj and Women and Child Welfare Seethakka attended the celebrations, organised by the Secretariat Women Employees' Association, as the chief guest. Addressing the gathering, the Minister said Telangana had a unique tradition of worshipping flowers, which was not found elsewhere in the country. She congratulated the women employees of the Secretariat for organising the festival in a grand manner. Seethakka observed that Secretariat employees played a crucial role in the State's development and the implementation of welfare programmes. Women employees and officials of the Secretariat, along with their family members, participated in the celebrations.

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the Samakhya Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, the Minister said Telangana aimed to become a $3 trillion economy by 2047 under its Telangana Rising Vision.

He said the government was focusing on balanced regional development, promoting new industries and creating a business-friendly environment to attract investments and generate employment. While further strengthening Hyderabad's position as a major IT and technology hub, the government was also encouraging manufacturing and agro-based industries in other parts of the State to ensure wider economic growth, he said.

The Minister identified IT, pharmaceuticals, life sciences, artificial intelligence, aerospace, defence and advanced manufacturing as key sectors with significant potential to drive the State's economic growth. Sridhar Babu called upon industry leaders to attend the Telangana Global Rising Summit, explore opportunities to invest and expand their businesses in the State, and partner with the government in achieving the Telangana Rising Vision.

The summit is expected to bring together investors, industrialists and innovators to discuss investment opportunities and engage with the State's development priorities.

Vivek calls for affordable, clean energy for all

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institutions, Vivek Venkataswamy urged all stakeholders to work together to improve energy efficiency and promote eco-friendly technologies for a sustainable future. He said efforts were also being made to encourage industries to adopt solar power, including the installation of solar panels on building rooftops. He also encouraged people to use solar lights in their homes and gardens.

TPCC plans massive public meeting against SIR after Dasara

Hyderabad, Oct 14 : The Congress will organise a march involving two lakh people and a massive public meeting in Hyderabad after Dasara to oppose the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) process and demand the resignation of Chief Election Commissioner Gyanesh Kumar, Telangana Pradesh Congress Committee (TPCC) president Mahesh Kumar Goud announced on Wednesday. He said the Congress high command had decided to organise public meetings in two southern States where the party was in power. Speaking informally to reporters at Gandhi Bhavan in Nampally, Mahesh Kumar Goud strongly condemned BJP leaders for making what he termed baseless and cheap allegations against Congress leader Rahul Gandhi over the alleged insult of women journalists.

Questioning the Centre's approach, he asked how the government could suppress the democratic right to protest. He said the Congress would support anyone fighting against the BJP, which he described as a communal party, while the Congress and the INDIA bloc continued their respective political battles. On the RTC elections, Mahesh Kumar Goud said elections had not been held in the organisation for the past 15 years and that the Congress government had therefore conducted them. He asserted that the party remained committed to the welfare of RTC employees, irrespective of the election outcome.

Mahesh Kumar Goud said the Congress was making serious efforts to win the upcoming graduate constituency elections. A meeting with Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy to discuss the elections would be held on October 23, with Ministers, MLAs and MLCs attending, he added.

UK Mayors meet Revanth to explore investment opportunities





Hyderabad, Oct 14: A delegation of mayors from the United Kingdom met Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy at the MCR HRD Institute in Hyderabad on Wednesday to explore investment opportunities in Telangana and discuss ways to strengthen trade and commercial ties between the UK and the State. The discussions covered potential areas of mutual cooperation, including healthcare, digital technology, defence, aerospace, technical textiles, skills development, research and manufacturing. Representatives of the UK-India Business Council and the British Deputy High Commission attended the meeting, along with Minister for IT and Industries D. Sridhar Babu, Chief Secretary Sanjay Jaju, Chief Minister's Adviser K. Ramakrishna Rao and other senior officials.

Art plays key role in strengthening India-Japan ties





Hyderabad, Oct 14: Arts and culture play a vital role in strengthening bonds of friendship between the people of different countries, Minister for SHAKTI and Mines Dr. Vivek Venkataswamy said. The Minister on Wednesday visited a special art exhibition jointly organised by renowned Indian artist Venkat Gaddam and noted Japanese artist Hiroko Takayama at the State Art Gallery in Hyderabad.

He viewed the paintings, textile artworks and other exhibits, and congratulated the artists on their creative efforts. Vivek Venkataswamy appreciated the artists for showcasing Indo-Japanese friendship through art and promoting cultural ties by bringing the artistic traditions of the two countries onto a common platform.

He said it was encouraging that similar exhibitions had recently been organised in Hiroshima and Miyoshi in Japan to promote Indo-Japanese art and culture. The Minister also lauded Venkat Gaddam for displaying exceptional artistic talent from an early age. His achievement in securing a place in the Guinness Book of Records at the age of six testified to his remarkable talent, he said.

The exhibition features paintings, textile artworks and poetry that have been attracting visitors. The Minister urged art enthusiasts to visit the exhibition and appreciate the creativity of the artists.

IDBI Bank restructuring to strengthen banking ecosystem



New Delhi, Oct 14 : Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman on Wednesday said the government's decision to strategically restructure IDBI Bank reflects India's continued commitment to economic reforms and financial sector transformation. In a post on social media platform X, FM Sitharaman said the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs' (CCEA) approval of the restructuring was achieved under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and would pave the way for the bank's next phase of growth through foreign direct investment while the government retains a minority stake. "Propelled by Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visionary leadership, India's reform trajectory reaches another milestone today with the CCEA's approval of IDBI Bank's strategic restructuring," the minister noted. She stated that after supporting the lender's turnaround over the years, the government is now enabling fresh growth opportunities by facilitating the induction of a strategic investor. According to the minister, the move will strengthen the banking ecosystem and help banking services in India move closer to global benchmarks. "Having supported the bank's recovery, we are now enabling its next phase of growth through the infusion of Foreign Direct Investment while retaining a minority stake. This will not only strengthen the banking ecosystem but also help banking services surpass global benchmarks. It reinforces that India's growth story is strong, its economy is resilient, and the government's commitment to reform is unwavering," FM Sitharaman noted. The CCEA earlier approved the sale of a 60.72 per cent stake in IDBI Bank to Canada Inc., a subsidiary of Fairfax Financial Holdings, for Rs 52,878 crore. The transaction includes the sale of 30.48 per cent stake held by the Government of India and 30.24 per cent stake owned by Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC). Following the transaction, the government will retain a 15 per cent stake, while LIC will continue to hold 19 per cent in the bank. FM Sitharaman described the deal as a "strategic restructuring" rather than a strategic disinvestment -- highlighting that both the government and LIC will remain shareholders in the lender after the transaction is completed.

Nine-month-old boy dies after bottle cap lodges in throat



Hyderabad, Oct 14 : A nine-month-old boy died after a drinking water bottle cap got lodged in his throat at Ootkur mandal headquarters in Narayanpet district.

According to local residents, Aryavar dhan, son of Lakshman and Gayatri of Devi Nagar in Ootkur, was playing at home on October 12 when he put a water bottle into his mouth. The cap got stuck in his throat, causing him distress.

His family members managed to remove the cap with their fingers, but the attempt reportedly caused a severe injury to the infant's throat. His condition deteriorated the following day, prompting his parents to take him to the Narayanpet District Hospital. As his condition worsened, he was shifted to the Mahabubnagar District Hospital, where he died on Wednesday while undergoing treatment. The death of their only son left the parents inconsolable.

Two construction workers found dead in agricultural well

Hyderabad, Oct 14: The bodies of two construction workers were found in an agricultural well on the outskirts of Chintakunta village in Kathalapur mandal of Jagtial district on Wednesday. According to police, the deceased were identified as Anand (23) and Sanjeev (22), natives of Vinukonda village in Guntur district of Andhra Pradesh. Both were working as construction labourers.

The two youths reportedly arrived on a motorcycle on the outskirts of Chintakunta village on Tuesday night. They are suspected to have accidentally slipped into the well while sitting on its edge and drowned.

Locals who noticed the bodies alerted the police. Kathalapur Sub-Inspector Ravikiran visited the spot, registered a case and launched an investigation.

No Uncontested Seats in Local Body Polls

Tadepalli, Oct 14 : With Andhra Pradesh State Election Commission on Wednesday announcing the schedule for local body elections, YSR Congress Party State Coordinator Sajjala Ramakrishna Reddy said no seat should go uncontested.

He directed Parliament and Assembly constituency observers to remain in the field until the process is completed and ensure full support to party candidates from nominations to polling and counting. As directed by YSRCP President Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy, no local body seat should go uncontested due to the absence of a YSRCP candidate, he said.

Addressing a teleconference with observers and coordination teams, he said the compressed election schedule requires candidate selection, documentation, nominations and campaign preparations to proceed simultaneously.

Observers must remain available round-the-clock for the next 15 to 20 days, resolve coordination issues and connect candidates with legal, media, digital and organisational teams. Candidates should apply immediately for caste certificates, No-Dues certificates and other mandatory documents, while delays must be reported to the central office for legal intervention where necessary, he said.



Sajjala asked candidates to file nominations early and document any obstruction, police intervention or administrative irregularity through video evidence.

BUSINESS

Jio Platforms IPO Set to Be India's Biggest, Price Band at ₹1,065–₹1,119



Reliance Industries on Wednesday announced a price band of Rs 1,065 to Rs 1,119 per share for the upcoming initial public offering (IPO) of its digital services subsidiary, Jio Platforms Limited (JPL). At the upper end of the price band, Jio Platforms' Rs 30,213 crore public issue is set to become India's largest IPO by issue size, surpassing Hyundai Motor India's Rs 27,870 crore offering in 2024.

The other major IPOs include the National Stock Exchange of India (NSE) at Rs 22,562 crore in 2026, Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) at Rs 20,557 crore in 2022, One 97 Communications (Paytm) at Rs 18,300 crore in 2021, and Tata Capital at Rs 15,512 crore in 2025.

Jio's proposed issue would exceed Hyundai's record by Rs 2,343 crore, based on the upper price band. In a regulatory filing dated October 14, Reliance Industries said the IPO committee of Jio Platforms' board had approved the price band, employee discount and minimum bid lot for the public offering. The announcement came hours after Jio Platforms filed its Red Herring Prospectus (RHP). The IPO is scheduled to open for subscription on October 21 and close on October 23, 2026.

According to the filing, the floor price has been fixed at Rs 1,065 per equity share, while the cap price stands at Rs 1,119. Investors will have to bid for a minimum of 12 equity shares and in multiples of 12 shares thereafter. Each equity share has a face value of Rs 10.

At the upper price band of Rs 1,119, retail investors will need at least Rs 13,428 to apply for one lot. At the lower end of the price band, the minimum investment works out to Rs 12,780. Based on the proposed issue size of 27 crore equity shares, the IPO would raise Rs 30,213 crore at the upper price band and Rs 28,755 crore at the lower end.

Reliance Industries also announced a discount of Rs 54 per equity share for eligible employees applying under the employee reservation portion. "The IPO Committee of the Board of Directors of JPL, at its meeting held today, October 14, 2026, has approved the Price Band, Employee Discount, and Minimum Bid Lot for the IPO," the company said in its exchange filing. The filing specified the employee discount as "A discount of ₹54 per equity share for Eligible Employees bidding under the Employee Reservation Portion."

SEBI extends IPO issue size relaxation until March 2027



The move comes as companies and merchant bankers seek greater flexibility in determining IPO sizes amid changing market conditions.

The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has extended its relaxation allowing companies to revise the fresh issue size of their initial public offerings (IPOs) by up to 50% without filing fresh draft offer documents. The concession will remain available for IPOs opening on or before March 31, 2027, the Association of Investment Bankers of India (AIBI) said.

The extension gives companies more flexibility to adjust their fundraising plans in response to changing business requirements and market conditions without restarting the draft filing process. The earlier relaxation was valid until September 30, 2026.

Under the regular framework, a change of more than 20% in the estimated fresh issue size requires a company to file fresh draft offer documents. The relaxation allows revisions of up to 50%, subject to specified conditions.

The move comes as companies and merchant bankers seek greater flexibility in determining IPO sizes amid changing market conditions.

SEBI first introduced the concession in April 2026 following market uncertainty linked to the West Asia conflict.

However, companies must retain the main objects of the issue and adequately justify any revision. Lead managers must conduct due diligence, update the relevant sections of the draft red herring prospectus and publicly disclose an addendum informing investors of the changes.

The relaxation applies only to the fresh issue component of an IPO, through which a company raises capital for its business. It does not cover the offer-for-sale component, under which existing shareholders sell their shares.

Mahavir Lunawat, founder of Pantomath Financial Services Group and chairman of AIBI, said IPO sizes may need to change with evolving business needs and market conditions. The relaxation, he said, reduces procedural hurdles and improves efficiency in the IPO process.

AIBI cited fundraising of ₹94,649 crore during the July–September quarter, comprising ₹90,482 crore raised through 69 mainboard IPOs and ₹4,167 crore through 92 SME IPOs. These figures represent total IPO proceeds and are not limited to fresh issues or funds directly attributable to the relaxation.

The latest extension is separate from SEBI's earlier one-time extension of IPO observation letters. That measure allowed letters due to expire between April 1 and September 30, 2026, to remain valid until September 30, 2026. The current relaxation concerns revisions to fresh issue size and does not extend the validity of observation letters.

ED Seizes ₹2,032 Crore Assets of Anil Ambani



Reliance Power under ED scanner: Rs 2,032 crore seized over alleged FEMA violations

The Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Wednesday said it has seized assets worth Rs 2,032.81 crore belonging to Anil Ambani-led Reliance Power Limited (RPL) under the Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA).

The agency said the seized assets include bank balances of Reliance Power and its shareholding in Sasan Power Limited.

"These assets are equivalent in value to the foreign exchange held outside India in contravention of Section 4 of FEMA," the probe agency said in a statement.

CBI registers FIR against Reliance Capital & Anil Ambani over ₹2,684-crore LIC loss

Reliance Power shares fall 2% as ED seizes Sasan Power shares worth Rs 2,027 crore

The action is linked to alleged foreign exchange violations involving overseas investments, transactions through British Virgin Islands entities, and funds routed through Mauritius. The investigation began after the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) provided information about write-offs and provisions aggregating Rs 2,101.46 crore recorded in Reliance Power's books. These were linked to overseas investments and advances made to companies in the British Virgin Islands (BVI) and Cayman Islands.

The ED conducted searches under FEMA between March 6 and March 8, 2026, during which it said several incriminating documents were seized and statements of multiple individuals were recorded.

How the overseas transactions allegedly worked

According to the agency, Reliance Natural Resources Limited (RNRL), which subsequently merged with Reliance Power, raised $300 million through Foreign Currency Convertible Bonds in 2006.

Of this amount, $275 million was invested in its wholly owned Singapore subsidiary, Reliance Natural Resources (Singapore) Pte Ltd (RNRL-S). The ED alleged that RNRL-S deposited these funds with Deutsche Bank (Suisse) SA in Geneva. The deposits were subsequently used as collateral for loans extended to entities incorporated in the British Virgin Islands. The agency said its investigation found that these BVI entities were controlled and managed from India by the Reliance Anil Ambani Group through front persons acting on the group's directions.

ED flags alleged round-tripping

The ED alleged that the loan proceeds were used for various purposes, including temporarily routing funds back into India through foreign entities based in Mauritius.

"Further investigation has revealed that the loan proceeds were utilised for varied purposes, including temporary round-tripping of funds into India through foreign entities based in Mauritius. The funds were utilised for the benefit of the Reliance Anil Ambani Group and parties outside India." The investigation also found that the BVI entities failed to repay the loans extended by Deutsche Bank. As part of an alleged cover-up, the ED said documents were fabricated to show that RNRL-S and Indonesian subsidiaries of Reliance Power had provided advances to the BVI entities for apparently genuine business purposes.

The agency alleged that these documents were backdated and prepared to present the transactions as legitimate business dealings.

The seizure has been carried out under Section 37A of FEMA, which allows authorities to seize assets in India equivalent to the value of foreign exchange allegedly held abroad in contravention of the law.

Keemo Paul's Five-For Sinks India as West Indies Level Series



Hyderabad: Keemo Paul produced a match-winning five-wicket haul to wreck India's chase after Shai Hope's stunning hundred, as the West Indies secured a 24-run victory in the fourth T20 International here on Wednesday to force a series decider in Bengaluru.

Paul returned figures of 4-0-41-5, claiming his second five-wicket haul in T20 internationals, after his 5/15 against Bangladesh in Dhaka in 2018. His decisive spell helped the visitors defend a formidable total of 247/3, built around Hope's unbeaten century, and level the five-match series at 2-2. India ended at 223 all out in 19.3 overs. India made an explosive start to the chase, with Sanju Samson taking the attack to the West Indies bowlers. The opener smashed 56 off just 23 balls, striking six fours and four sixes as the hosts raced to 60 without loss in four overs.

Samson reached his half-century in just 20 deliveries, but Paul turned the contest in the fifth over by removing the opener and Ishan Kishan in quick succession. Samson was caught by Shimron Hetmyer, while Kishan departed for six off three balls, leaving India at 69/2. Shreyas Iyer attempted to steady the innings but fell for 16 off 11 balls to Shamar Springer. Abhishek Sharma, who struck three fours and a six in his 29 off 24 deliveries, also failed to convert his start into a substantial contribution. Gudakesh Motie then delivered a crucial double strike in the 12th over, dismissing Abhishek and Naman Dhir, who was stumped for a golden duck. Motie finished with figures of 2-0-13-2, leaving India struggling at 132/5 and firmly shifting the pressure on the home side. Tilak Varma and Nitish Kumar Reddy mounted a spirited counterattack to revive India's hopes. The pair added 59 runs off just 26 balls, with Tilak striking 43 off 25 deliveries and Reddy smashing 41 off 20 balls.

Reddy took on Shamar Joseph in the 16th over, collecting a four and two sixes in a 21-run over that brought India to 189/5. With the required rate still within reach, the partnership briefly threatened to turn the game around. Romario Shepherd broke the stand in the 17th over, dismissing Tilak with Rovman Powell taking the catch. Paul then returned to dismantle the lower order, removing Reddy and Prince Yadav in successive deliveries before Axar Patel fell for three, completing his five-wicket haul and leaving India's chase in disarray.

India's resistance ended in 19.4 overs. Arshdeep Singh, who made five off four balls, was struck on the left bicep by a sharp short delivery from Joseph in the final over. After receiving attention, he left the field, with the scorecard recording him as retired out.

Earlier, Hope produced a breathtaking unbeaten 102 off 50 balls to power the West Indies to 247/3 after India elected to bowl. He completed his century with a six off the final delivery of the innings, recording his third T20 International hundred and second century of the series. Hope was particularly severe during the powerplay, as the West Indies raced to 79/1 in the first six overs, their joint-highest powerplay total against India in T20Is. The visitors brought up 100 in 7.4 overs, matching the fastest team century against India in the format. Sherfane Rutherford provided the finishing flourish with an unbeaten 49 off 26 balls, adding 91 runs with Hope in just 43 deliveries. Shimron Hetmyer contributed 33 off 12 balls, while Rovman Powell made 24 off 17.

India struggled to contain the onslaught, with Mayank Yadav and Arshdeep Singh conceding 52 runs apiece. The West Indies struck 17 sixes and benefited from 17 extras to post a commanding total, setting up a winner-takes-all contest in Bengaluru on Saturday.

SPORTS

Yuvraj Singh Targets Winning Culture at Delhi Capitals



A day after being named assistant and batting coach of Delhi Capitals, former India all-rounder Yuvraj Singh has set clear targets for his first season instilling a culture at the franchise and claiming the title in the upcoming Indian Premier League (IPL) 2027. As he prepares to embark on his first formal coaching assignment, the star all-rounder says he wants to achieve with Delhi Capitals build a team that believes in itself, competes under pressure and has the conviction to win the championship. Yuvraj returns to the Delhi franchise with a renewed purpose, joining hands with Sourav Ganguly, Head Coach of Delhi Capitals, with whom he shares a long-standing relationship dating back to the early years of his international career.

Revealing how the opportunity came about, Yuvraj said, "Dada told me, 'Would you be my assistant?' And I was like, 'I've been your assistant for the last 25 years, so I'll probably be doing the same job!' I was very happy to do it.

I've been building myself up over the last three to four years for this opportunity."

Free Cancer Screening Camp Organized by Satya Sai Organizations on the 24th (Saturday)



Telangana Essence Reporter Avvari Venkateswara Sarma, LB Nagar, Hyderabad, October 14: Desharaju Rammohan, the Convener of the Badangpet Samiti, announced that a free cancer screening camp is being organized on Saturday, the 24th of this month, under the auspices of the Satya Sai Seva Samstha. He stated that the camp is being conducted free of charge in collaboration with MNJ Cancer Hospital at the PP Reddy Retirement Homes on RCI Road, Mallapur village, Badangpet. Emphasizing that early detection is the key to cancer prevention, Rammohan urged the public to make use of the services offered at this free screening camp.

Bathukamma celebrations in Kuravi!

Former Minister Satyavati Rathod and state women leaders participated





Mahabubabad District Correspondent Telangana Essence October The Bathukamma festival, a symbol of Telangana culture and traditions, and a testament to the self-respect of women, will be held in Kuravi, Mahabubabad district today (Wednesday). The fifth day of Bathukamma celebrations was organized in a traditional and enthusiastic atmosphere The Bathukamma celebrations were held at the shrine of Sri Veerabhadraswamy, a consort of Bhadrakali Sametha, Kuravi in Dornakal constituency. The special attraction of the celebrations was former minister and BRS Party State General Secretary Smt. Satyavati Rathod and state women leaders participated in these celebrations held at the ZP High School grounds in Kuravi in the evening.

Darshan of the Swami in the morning.. followed by Bathukamma Perpu

As part of the program, the state women leaders visited Sri Veerabhadraswamy, a consort of Bhadrakali Sametha, Kuravi at 10:30 am. Later, Bathukamma was named at the residence of former BRS Party president of Mahabubabad district, Smt. Maloth Kavitha and participated in the celebrations In the evening, the fifth day of Bathukamma celebrations held at the ZP High School grounds were played with women The festival was celebrated with beautiful Bathukammas decorated with traditional flowers. Women participated in large numbers and added more charm to the celebrations. A large number of BRS party leaders attended as Satyavati Rathod called for them to come in advance.

To make the Bathukamma celebrations a success, BRS party leaders, public representatives, party ranks, activists, women and BRS family members participated in large numbers along with their families. The Bathukamma festival, which reflects the culture and traditions of Telangana, was celebrated with unity and joy.

Program details:

- Date: 14-10-2026, Wednesday
- Time: 5:30 pm
- Venue: ZP High School Grounds, Kuravi

Satyavati Rathod expressed her gratitude for the large number of women and party ranks participating in these celebrations, which were organized to highlight the grandeur of the Bathukamma festival and making it a success.

Awareness Programme on Red Gram Crop Management Held at Menur Rythu Vedika



Kamareddy, Telangana Essense October 13 (Rachurwar subhash) Correspondent.. An awareness programme on Red Gram WRG-97 crop was held today at Menur Rythu Vedika. KVK Rudrur Scientist Sri Indu Dhar Reddy explained plant protection measures in Red Gram crop supplied during Vanakalam and distributed neem oil for spraying. Mandal Agriculture Officer Raju explained Yasangi crop management practices, seed subsidy details and El Nino impact. Village Sarpanch Ashok Patel, Upa Sarpanch, AEO Vishal Goud and farmers participated.

Police raids in Buddharam!

- 20 liter Gudumba seized.. 300 liter ginger ale tank destroyed
- 32 vehicles without proper documents and number plates seized.. Police awareness to the public

Mahabubabad District Telangana Essence October : Police conducted extensive inspections in Buddharam village of Garla mandal of Mahabubabad district. In addition to curbing the illegal manufacture and sale of Gudumba, a community contact program was undertaken with the aim of maintaining law and order in the village. During the inspections conducted on this occasion, 20 liter Gudumba was seized and 300 liter ginger ale tank kept ready for Gudumba was destroyed. Also, 32 bikes and autos without proper documents and number plates were identified and seized.

Inspections under the leadership of CI Ravinder

Garla-Bayyaram CI Ravinder, along with Garla SI Sai Kumar and Bayyaram SI Prashant, conducted inspections in Buddharam village along with police personnel. They inspected the areas where illegal Gudumba was being made and destroyed the ginger root used for making Gudumba. The police took steps to curb the illegal manufacture and sale of liquor.

Be vigilant about cybercrimes

After the inspections, the police made the people of the village aware of various issues. They were advised to be vigilant and not fall prey to the frauds of cybercriminals. They were advised to be careful about phone calls from unknown people and suspicious links.

Stay away from marijuana and intoxicants

The police advised the youth to stay away from marijuana and other intoxicants. They explained that the use of intoxicants is not only harmful to personal life but also to families and society. They asked the villagers to cooperate by providing information to the police when suspicious activities are detected.

Crime control with CCTV cameras

The police said that installing CCTV cameras at every house and shop is very useful for controlling crimes and maintaining law and order in





the village. They said that if the people cooperate with the police, crime control will be more effective. Through these inspections conducted in Buddharam village, it became clear that the police are continuing to monitor illegal construction. They informed through this program that the police are ready to take legal action against those involved in illegal activities.

First step for water conservation yagna in Manukota!

- Announcement of donation of Rs. 25,116 for construction of 108 inkudu gunthals
- Environmentalist who came forward with the aim of increasing groundwater.. Locals desire it to become a public movement

Mullangi Mohan Reddy Telangana Essence Mahabubabad District Correspondent October : The water conservation yagna to be undertaken in Mahabubabad (Manukota) with the aim of providing water security for future generations has received an initial response. It is noteworthy that an environmentalist has come forward to donate Rs. 25,116 in support of the resolve to construct 108 inkudu gunthals during the month of Kartik and absorb rainwater into the ground. The fact that someone has voluntarily come forward to provide funds for water conservation is encouraging this program.

In the current situation, conservation of groundwater and proper use of rainwater are very necessary. If the water that falls during the rainy season is absorbed into the ground as much as possible, it will help increase the groundwater level and improve the availability of water in boreholes and wells. With this idea, the Sri Vasavi Seva Trust has come forward to construct 108 Inkudu Gunthals in Manukottai, which has become a priority towards environmental protection.

A good idea is the beginning of change!

An environmental lover who immediately announced a donation of Rs. 25,116 after learning about the Inkudu Gunthal construction program is an inspiring development for others. This step sends the message that if everyone contributes their part to programs that benefit the society, it will be easier to achieve the goals. Many are of the opinion that the idea of recognizing the seriousness of the water problem and becoming partners in finding solutions to it is commendable.

It should become a public movement!

The construction of 108 indus pits is not just a program undertaken by an organization, but a water conservation movement that is being carried out with the participation of all the people of Mahabubabad. There is a need to give priority to the construction of indus pits in government offices, schools, and other institutions as well as in private homes. Those who prioritize environmental protection suggest that steps should be taken to infuse rainwater into the ground using scientific methods wherever possible, instead of letting it go wastefully into the canals. For this program to be successful, not only the public but also public representatives, politicians, businessmen, voluntary organizations, and donors should also be partners. If those who can contribute at low cost in terms of cement, gravel, sand, gravel, digging of pits, mason services, and transportation come forward, there will be a chance to reduce the construction cost and reach the goal.

Public representatives and donors should help

Locals are hoping that public representatives and political leaders will take the initiative to expand this water conservation initiative that started in Manukota and reach every ward in the town. In addition to helping to build Inkudu Guntals where necessary, creating awareness among the people, monitoring the quality of the constructions, and taking steps for their maintenance can bring lasting benefits to the program. The organizers hope that if the donation announced by one person becomes an inspiration to others and more donors come forward, the goal of 108 Inkudu Guntals will be realized. It is necessary for everyone to protect nature, save water, and increase groundwater.

Our associations related to Mahabubabad Walkers Traffic Club Rotary Club Lines Club Sports are calling.

One step forward.. Hundreds of people need to be inspired. The goal of 108 Inkudu Guntals must be fulfilled. The water conservation program that begins in Manukota becomes a public movement, and the aspiration of the town's residents is to provide water security for future generations.

Gudumba and belt shops should be closed immediately!

- Youth health should be protected.. An iron fist should be put on illegal liquor trade
- Government should take comprehensive action to protect public health: BSP District President L. Vijay Kant

Mahabubabad, District Telangana Essence October : Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP) Mahbubabad District President L. Vijay Kant has demanded that the government immediately stop the manufacture and sale of Gudumba, illegal liquor trade and unlicensed belt shops in Mahbubabad district. He urged the government to formulate and implement a comprehensive action plan to protect public health and keep the youth away from alcohol. Vijay Kant participated in a peaceful protest program organized in front of the Mahabubabad District Collectorate on Monday under the chairmanship of Dornakal Assembly President Botla Praveen Kumar. He urged the relevant departments to take stricter action to control Gudumba and illegal liquor sale in the district.

Poor families are being ruined by alcohol addiction

Vijay Kant expressed concern that families from poor and weaker sections are facing many social and economic problems due to alcohol abuse. He said that alcohol consumption is especially dangerous for the health, standard of living and financial conditions of people living in rural areas and tribal areas.

He said that youth addicted to alcohol are not only facing health problems but also have a chance of damaging the financial situation of the family. He said that problems like conflicts in families, increasing financial difficulties and hindrance in children's education will arise. He expressed his concern that if the head of the family dies prematurely, the wife and children will have to face many difficulties.

Youth should be kept away from alcohol

BSP leaders suggested that awareness programs should be organized at the village level keeping in mind the future of the youth. He asked that schools, colleges, youth associations, women's associations and gram panchayats be involved and the ills caused by alcohol consumption should be explained to the people.Instead of blaming or insulting those suffering from alcohol addiction, they should be provided with medical treatment, counseling and rehabilitation services through government hospitals.

At the same time, they asked for the necessary social welfare assistance to be provided to the women and children of the affected families.

A clear policy should be announced on Gudumba and illegal liquor

Vijay Kant demanded that the Telangana Chief Minister Anumula Revanth Reddy-led government should announce a clear policy on the control of Gudumba, illegal liquor sales and





unauthorized belt shops and take immediate action. He also made a political demand that the Chief Minister resign in protest of the government's stance on this issue. He clarified that protecting the health of the people, curbing the illegal liquor trade and protecting the future of the youth are the main responsibilities of the government.

Strict action should be taken against illegal liquor sales

BSP leaders have urged Mahabubabad District Collector, District Magistrate Sneha Shabarish IAS, Excise, Police and Medical and Health Department officials to work in coordination to curb the illegal liquor trade.

Major Ganja Seizure at Hyderabad Airport

DRI Officials Seize 7.75 Kg of Hydroponic Ganja Worth Rs. 2.71 Crore

Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI) officials seized 7.75 kg of hydroponic ganja, valued at Rs. 2.71 crore, at Hyderabad airport on Wednesday. The officials detained an Indian passenger arriving from Bangkok.

During an inspection of the passenger's baggage, officials discovered that the drugs had been concealed inside an electric geyser.

Upon opening the appliance, they found a total of 73 packets of ganja hidden inside.

The officials seized the contraband under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act and arrested the passenger under the same Act.

Officials said an investigation is underway to determine the origin of the contraband and identify whether any other individuals were involved in the smuggling operation.

Strong measures should be taken to control crime

- Night patrols should be intensified.. Priority should be given to resolving pending cases
District SP Dr. Shabarish, IPS





Mullangi Mohan Reddy Telangana Essence Mahabubabad, District Correspondent October Mahabubabad District SP Dr. Shabarish, IPS has ordered police officers to take strong measures to control crime and maintain law and order in the district. In a crime review meeting held with district police officers, the officers were given directions on crime prevention, resolution of pending cases, curbing illegal trafficking of ganja, cracking of theft cases, implementation of traffic rules and other issues. He made it clear that in addition to providing better police services to the people, preventive measures should be taken to prevent crimes from happening.

The SP suggested that night patrols should be intensified in the district and continuous surveillance should be maintained in areas where crimes are likely to occur, main roads and places with low traffic. Giving priority to visible policing, he ordered the police to be available at the field level and to thoroughly monitor the movements of suspicious persons and vehicles. He said that preventive policing should be strengthened and villages should be visited regularly, meetings should be held with the locals and their problems should be known. He said that the activities of people who have committed crimes in the past should be monitored within the limits of the law, and that preventive security measures should be taken by identifying problematic areas.

The SP ordered strict action against the illegal trafficking, sale and consumption of ganja. He suggested that surveillance should be increased on the supply routes of ganja and suspected areas and cordon and search operations should be conducted where necessary. He said that the progress of the investigation of NDPS cases should be reviewed and specific action should be taken to resolve pending cases. He said that the youth should be made aware of the ill effects of drugs.

He ordered that special measures should be taken to quickly identify and arrest the accused in theft cases and recover the stolen property. He suggested that special attention should be paid to long-pending and unsolved cases, and that the process of collecting evidence, interrogating witnesses, and identifying the accused should be expedited. He said that justice should be done to the victims by using technology and scientific evidence. The SP ordered that the investigation of missing cases should be expedited, and that steps should be taken as per the provisions of the law as soon as the complaint is received and a comprehensive investigation should be conducted to identify the whereabouts of the victims. He suggested that immediate response should be given to missing cases involving women and children, and that technical evidence and available information should be used. He clarified that pending cases, arrest pendency, and pending issues related to the PD Act should be reviewed and the legal process should be expedited.

He instructed the police officers to make strong security arrangements with advance planning so that the installation of Durga Mata idols, worship programs, and immersion ceremonies in the district take place peacefully. He suggested that coordination meetings be held with the organizers of the festival and appropriate arrangements should be made for immersion routes, traffic control, and crowd management.





He said that special surveillance should be set up in sensitive areas and that people should be vigilant to prevent any untoward incidents.

The SP ordered that drunk and drive checks should be conducted continuously on those who drive after consuming alcohol, and action should be taken against those who violate traffic rules through e-challans. He said that the rules should be strictly implemented by creating awareness on the use of helmets and seat belts. He suggested that surveillance should be increased on illegal liquor sales, unauthorized storage, and those who supply liquor against the rules, and steps should be taken to prevent the sale of liquor and tobacco products to minors. He said that the court orders and government regulations in force regarding the sale of liquor near highways should be implemented in coordination with the relevant departments.

The SP suggested that people in villages and remote areas should be made aware of cyber crimes, the safety of women and children, the side effects of drugs, and the prevention of road accidents. He said that information received from the public should be given priority and steps should be taken to solve problems and that people should perform their duties transparently so that public trust in the police increases. The SP made it clear that every police officer should act responsibly in crime control and maintaining law and order, and should work with specific goals to resolve pending cases without neglecting their duties and provide better services to the people.

Collector Directs Gram Panchayats to Provide Daily Employment to 60 Labourers



Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar subhash Correspondent... District Collector Ashish Sangwan directed officials to provide employment to an average of 60 labourers per day in every Gram Panchayat and achieve set targets in MGNREGS implementation. He held a review meeting on implementation of rural employment guarantee scheme, labour mobilization, appointment of Mates, 90 days wage employment to Indiramma houses beneficiaries and preparation of new estimates for second phase Indiramma houses.

He said employment works should be started in all Gram Panchayats and habitations to ensure continuous employment to job-seeking families. Officials and field staff should maintain punctuality, APOs, Engineering Consultants and Technical Assistants should attend duties by 8 am and visit work sites, while Field Assistants and Mates should join by 7 am to mobilize labourers. He said special focus should be on mandals with low attendance, performance of lagging mandals should be reviewed, and MPDOs and APOs should tour field to monitor mobilization daily.

He said efficient Mates should be identified and registered in all Gram Panchayats and their performance monitored continuously.

He directed special attention to providing 90 days wage employment to Indiramma houses beneficiaries and expediting preparation of new estimates for second phase sanctioned houses in coordination with Housing and Rural Development departments.

DRDO Damodar Reddy, Housing Officer Vijay Paul Reddy, DPO Murali, CEO Chander and concerned officials participated.

TPCC SC Cell State General Secretary Gullani Sailu Meets AICC President Mallikarjun Kharge



Kamareddy, Oct, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar subhash Correspondent ... TPCC SC Cell State General Secretary Gullani Sailu met AICC President and Leader of Opposition in Rajya Sabha Sri Mallikarjun Kharge in Delhi and sought his blessings.

Kharge appreciated Sailu for actively participating in Congress party's 'March for Democracy' and 'Vote Chori' protest programmes in Delhi. He advised Sailu to participate more actively in programmes undertaken by Congress party for protection of democracy and constitutional values and work with discipline and dedication for strengthening the party.

Special training on preparatory work for Census-2027 Phase II

Comprehensive information is the foundation of national development: Additional Collector K. Anil Kumar



Mahabubabad, District Telangana Essence October Comprehensive information is very crucial for national development and census data will be the foundation for the development plans formulated by governments in the future, said Mahabubabad District Additional Collector (Revenue) and Additional Principal Census Officer K. Anil Kumar. A two-day special training program was organized for census clerks and technical assistants on the preparatory work required for the conduct of Population Enumeration-Phase II of Census-2027 at the conference hall of Mahabubabad District Collectorate on October 13 and 14.

This training program was undertaken on the orders of District Principal Census Officer and Collector Sneha Shabarish and as per the instructions of the government. The officials provided comprehensive understanding on the arrangements to be made before the census, the duties and responsibilities of the staff. In particular, the staff were provided with full training on the self-enumeration process regarding questions 1 to 40 in the census questionnaire.

The officials stated that Census-2027 is a major program to be undertaken across the country with utmost priority and the participation of every citizen is key in this. They suggested that accuracy, transparency and regularity should be followed in the collection of census details. They explained that it would be possible to formulate future government development and welfare program plans based on the information collected. District Census Officer, CPO Valluri Srinivasa Rao, District In-charge Aadepu Vinay, SI Grade-II Guguloth Raju participated in this program as Junior Executive Trainers. They provided various suggestions and advice to Census Clerks, Technical Assistants and Mandal Enumerators on the performance of their duties. On this occasion, it was suggested that all the relevant officials should work in coordination to conduct the Census-2027 process effectively and successfully and that they should carry out the responsibilities entrusted to them without any mistakes.

MLA Devireddy Sudheer Reddy Inspects Kapra Cheruvu Area

MLA Sudheer Reddy Reviews Development Works Alongside Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato



Telangana Essence Reporter Avvari Venkateswara Sarma, LB Nagar, Hyderabad, October 14: LB Nagar MLA Devi reddy Sudheer Reddy, along with Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato, inspected the Kapra Cheruvu area in Hariharapuram Colony under BN Reddy Nagar Division on Wednesday to review the ongoing development works. Earlier, ₹5 crore had been sanctioned for the construction of the Kapra Cheruvu outlet. The works are currently underway from Kummarikunta to Millennium Colony. A further ₹7 crore is proposed to be sanctioned for the stretch from Millennium Colony to Kapra Cheruvu. During the inspection, MLA Sudheer Reddy toured the surrounding areas along with Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato and requested the sanction of an additional ₹7 crore to complete the remaining works.Once the Kapra Cheruvu outlet construction is completed, several downstream colonies, including Satavahana Nagar, Sai Garden, Gandhi Nagar, Gandhi Nagar South, Snehamayi Nagar, Akhilandeshwari Nagar, PVR Colony and Sama Nagar, along with other nearby colonies, will be protected from flooding.

Keeping in view the hardships faced by residents during the rainy season, the MLA urged the Zonal Commissioner to complete the works before the onset of the next monsoon.Responding to the request, Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato stated that the proposal had already been submitted and assured that the works would be completed at the earliest.BN Reddy Nagar Division BRS president Katika Reddy Aravinda Reddy, Anil Chowdary, Raghavender Rao, Pogula Rambabu, Sandeep, and presidents and executive committee members of several colonies participated in the programme.

Review on Utilization of SC Special Development Funds



Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar Subhash Correspondent.. A review meeting on utilization of SC Special Development Fund (SCSDF) was held under the chairmanship of District Collector Ashish Sangwan with concerned department officials. The meeting reviewed budget release under SCSDF, expenditure incurred so far, fund utilization, implementation and progress of programmes taken up through various departments. Department-wise fund allocation and expenditure details were examined and progress of development programmes discussed. Additional Collector (Revenue) Victor, Training Collector Ravi Teja, DPO Raghunandan, DEO Mallikarjun, Fisheries Officer Layak Moinuddin, DPO Murali, DRDO Damodar Reddy, Horticulture Officer Jyothi, District SC Development Officer Venkatesh and concerned officials participated.

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Kuravi Veerabhadraswamy Temple witnessed two factions in BRS!

Separate leaders and activists from Satyavati Rathod and Redya Nayak factions attended Bathukamma celebrations - Separate meetings continued till the arrival of district leaders





Mullangi Mohan Reddy Telangana Essence Maha bhubabad District : Two factions in the BRS party appeared separately during Bathukamma celebrations at Sri Veera bhadraswamy Temple in Kuravi, Mahabu babad district. While arrangements were made at the temple to welcome the state women leadership, the presence of leaders and activists from former minister Satyavati Rathod and Redya Nayak factions in separate groups became a topic of discussion. As state-level women leaders are expected to attend the programs organized in Mahabubabad and Kuravi as part of the Bathukamma celebrations, BRS State General Secretary and former Dornakal MLA Redya Nayak has called for the participation of women and party workers in large numbers in the district. With this, followers of the respective leaders flocked to the program from their respective communities.

Satyavati Rathod and Redya Nayak reached the temple before the state leadership arrived, as the leaders and workers of the communities were different, and an interesting discussion took place within the party ranks. In this context, it is reported that former MP Kavitha, who was there, called the two leaders to sit together and talk. However, those who were present at the time say that the way Redya Nayak responded surprised the workers there.

However, by the time the state leadership arrived, the leaders of both communities appeared to be together and participated in the puja programs. However, the earlier appearance of different factions has led to a discussion on the internal situation of the party.

It seems that the workers are watching these developments with interest, especially in the context of who will get the Dornakal constituency ticket. What will be the coordination between the party leaders in the coming days? Will the two factions work together? Questions are being expressed in the party ranks. However, the official response of the relevant leaders on these developments is yet to be known.

Farmers Advised to Cultivate ID Crops





Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar subhash Correspondent... Mandal Agriculture Officer Raju inspected red gram, cotton and paddy crops cultivated in Vanakalam in Dostpally, Khandeballur and Jukkal villages in Jukkal mandal today. He advised farmers to take up ID crops for Yasangi cultivation in view of El Nino effect.

Dostpally Sarpanch Maruthi, Khandeballur Sarpanch Krishna, AEOs Namdev, Roopa and farmers participated.

Lottery draw for 2B bar license in Kesamudram Municipality

Allotment process under the supervision of the Collector on October 16

Mahabubabad, October 14: The draw for the allotment of 2B bar license in the newly proposed Kesamudram Municipality in Mahabubabad district will be held on the 16th of this month through lottery, said District Prohibition and Excise Officer Karamchand. The process will be held at 10 am in room 29 on the ground floor of the IDOC office conference hall in Mahabubabad under the supervision of the District Collector and Magistrate.

The officer advised eligible applicants to appear at 9.30 am on the same day with the necessary identity documents and entry passes. He said that the lottery will be conducted in a transparent manner in accordance with government rules and guidelines. Applicants are requested to follow the instructions of the officials and cooperate so that the draw process runs smoothly.

MLC Takkellapalli Ravinder Rao stands by NHM employees

- Employees should be regularized immediately.. Full job security should be provided
- Solidarity for NHM employees' initiation camp in Mahabubabad

Mahabubabad District Telangana Essence October : MLC Takkellapalli Ravinder Rao demanded that the government immediately regularize the doctors, nurses and other staff who have been serving under the National Health Mission (NHM) for years and provide them with full job security. He visited the initiation camp of NHM doctors and employees who are agitating for their just demands in the Mahabubabad district center and expressed solidarity.

Speaking on the occasion, MLC Takkellapalli Ravinder Rao said that NHM doctors and staff are playing a key role in providing better medical services to the people in rural and remote areas. He said that the services of those who are implementing government health programs at the field level and continuously working to protect public health are very important.

Providing services without job security is a concern

The MLC said that NHM employees who have been on duty for many years are providing medical services to the people day and night without minimum job security. He said that it is not right that the staff who are constantly working to protect the health of the people should be worried about their future. He asked the government to recognize their services and do due justice without ignoring the problems of the employees. He suggested that the government should take steps so that doctors, nurses and other staff perform their duties with peace of mind, not with uncertainty about job security. He said that the welfare of the employees should be prioritized and their problems should be resolved with sincerity.

A clear policy should be announced on regularization

Stating that the efforts of NHM staff are crucial for the success of various health programs being implemented by the government, MLC Ravinder Rao asked for a positive consideration of their fair demands. He demanded that a clear policy be announced on the regularization of long-serving employees and immediate steps be taken to provide job security. Expressing solidarity with the struggle of NHM employees, he said that there is a need to bring their problems to the attention of the government. Former Municipal Vice Chairman Marneni Venkanna, Jeripotula Venkanna Goud, Raghu, Edla Venu, Nageswara Rao, Linganna and other key leaders of the BRS party participated in the program.





LB Nagar MLA Reinspects Mansoorabad Dumping Yard





MLA visits the site with Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato; residents demand a permanent solution to foul odour and waste disposal

Telangana Essence Reporter Avvari Venkateswara Sarma, LB Nagar, Hyderabad, October 14: LB Nagar MLA Devireddy Sudheer Reddy, accompanied by LB Nagar Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato, inspected the dumping yard area in Mansoorabad on Wednesday. Residents of several surrounding colonies joined the MLA and the Zonal Commissioner during the visit.

Residents complained that the dumping yard was emitting a foul smell every day and urged the authorities to take immediate measures to prevent the odour. They expressed concern that waste materials, grease and sewage from the dumping yard were causing severe inconvenience to people living in nearby colonies. They said the problem became particularly serious during rainfall, when the accumulated waste and contaminated water produced an unbearable stench. Residents also expressed concern that senior citizens aged above 60 could face respiratory problems due to the foul smell. They demanded that the concerned officials respond immediately, take steps to control the odour and find a permanent solution to the dumping yard problem.

Residents also informed the MLA and the Zonal Commissioner that vehicles were dumping waste on the roadside every night. Speaking on the occasion, MLA Sudheer Reddy recalled that a stormwater drain had been constructed in the area at a cost of ₹6 crore. He said he had earlier received complaints that tankers from various locations were bringing waste chemicals and discharging them at the dumping yard. Following these complaints, he had taken up the issue with the officials concerned and arranged for the installation of CCTV cameras.

He added that several lorries involved in illegal waste dumping had been identified and hefty fines had been imposed. He further recalled that he had contacted officials from HYDRAA, GHMC, the Forest Department and HYLA to arrange tankers for the immediate removal of stagnant wastewater from the area. He said strict action was being taken against those dumping animal carcasses and other waste materials. Sudheer Reddy said monitoring had been strengthened to prevent foul odours in the area and that officials had arranged motors to remove the stagnant wastewater. He also stated that chemical and fertiliser godowns and mechanical sheds in the Auto Nagar industrial area had been inspected, and legal action had been initiated against those discharging waste materials and chemicals through drainage channels.

He added that a watchman had previously been appointed to monitor the area and that sewage treatment plants (STPs) had also been constructed. Approximately 90 per cent of the works had been completed so far, he said. The MLA urged the Zonal Commissioner to take strict measures to prevent further waste dumping at the site. He suggested that vehicles found dumping waste during the night should be seized or subjected to heavy penalties, stating that such action could help reduce the problem considerably. Responding to the concerns, Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato assured the MLA and residents that the issues raised would be considered and appropriate action would be taken. He said vehicles arriving at the site during the night would be monitored and assured that steps would be taken to prevent roadside dumping in the coming days.

Former corporator Vitthal Reddy, Tanguturi Nagaraju, Jakkidi Raghuveer Reddy, Santosh Gupta, Ravi, Balaraju and presidents of colonies affected by the dumping yard, among others, participated in the programme.

DSFI protests over JNTU hostel deposits



Protest in front of Principal's Chamber.. Finally, an inquiry committee has been formed

Mahabubabad: District Correspondent Telangana Essence October Mahabubabad DSFI leaders staged a protest in front of the Principal's Chamber, alleging that no action has been taken for three days on the issue of hostel deposits of students in JNTU College. In this protest organized under the auspices of DSFI State Secretary Keloth Saikumar and State Leader Gugulothu Surya Prakash, the leaders expressed their anger that the management is being negligent on the problems of the students.They questioned why Principal Balaram Nayak is keeping silent on the issue of hostel deposits and whether the management is not responsible for accounting for the students' money. Stating that there are doubts about the role of the principal in this matter, they demanded a thorough investigation from all angles and bringing the facts to light. In the wake of the DSFI leaders' agitation, the management has formed an inquiry committee, it was said.

The DSFI leaders demanded that a thorough inquiry be conducted against the data entry operator Ravinder and the principal Balaram Naik, and if found guilty, a cheating case be registered and legal action be taken. They made it clear that delay in the name of inquiry will not be tolerated.

They demanded that a transparent inquiry be conducted in the hostel deposit matter, those responsible be identified, and justice be done to the students. DSFI Mahabubabad district leaders Surabhi Sai, Mukesh, Salman, Gautam, Virat, Avula Navdeep, Mani, Ajay and others, as well as students, participated in this agitation.

MPDO Visits Govt Hospital in Madnoor





Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar Subhash Correspondent... MPDO Sailu visited the Government Hospital at Madnoor mandal headquarters in Kamareddy district on Tuesday. On the occasion, he enquired about the issues with Doctor Anand Jadhav. He lauded that it is the best hospital in Kamareddy district. He said Madnoor hospital is the only hospital after Kamareddy where family planning operations are being conducted in the district.

Paralegal volunteers should be involved in eradicating forced labour!

- Brick kilns and market yards should be monitored
- Victims should be supported..
Illegal activities should be identified and information should be provided: District Legal Services Authority Secretary Swati Murari



Mahabubabad, District Telangana Essence October : Mahbubabad District Legal Services Authority Secretary and Senior Civil Judge Swati Murari has called on paralegal volunteers to work actively to completely eradicate the forced labour system in the society. She suggested that illegal activities like forced labour should be continuously monitored in brick kilns, market yards and other workplaces in the district and that information should be provided to the Legal Services Authority as soon as such incidents are identified.

She held a special meeting on Wednesday as part of the effective implementation of the forced labour eradication scheme prepared by the Telangana State Legal Services Authority in Mahabubabad district. On this occasion, the objectives of the scheme, the responsibilities of paralegal volunteers in the eradication of forced labour, and the legal assistance to be provided to the victims were explained.

Need for continuous surveillance on forced labour

In the wake of the detection of forced labour in brick kilns in Nizamabad and Nalgonda districts a few months ago, the judge stated that there is a need to be vigilant about such incidents. He said that paralegal volunteers should play a key role in detecting illegal acts such as exploitation of labor and forced labour. He suggested that paralegal volunteers, who are in constant contact with the people in rural areas, should focus on the workplaces under their jurisdiction. He asked them to provide information to the relevant authorities to eradicate social ills such as forced labour and child labor, and to do their best to ensure that justice is served to the victims.

People should be made aware of the laws

Swathi Murari said that one of the main responsibilities of paralegal volunteers is to make people aware of the laws. She suggested that victims of forced labor should be given courage and informed about the available legal aid services in situations where they cannot come forward due to fear. She hoped that paralegal volunteers would act as a bridge between the victims and the District Legal Services Authority. She called for bringing any incidents related to forced labor or child labor anywhere in the society to the attention of the agency without ignoring them.

She clarified on this occasion that it is very important for the Legal Services Authority and paralegal volunteers to work in coordination to build a society free of forced labor. Panel lawyers and paralegal volunteers from Mahabu babad district participated in this meeting.

MGNREGS Social Audit Held in Jukkal



Kamareddy, Telangana Essense October, 14 Rachurwar subhash correspondent.. The MGNREGS social audit programme was held on Wednesday at Jukkal Mandal Parishad office under the chairmanship of APD Kutumba Rao. Field Assistants and Secretaries of all villages in the mandal attended. The audit team read out the details of the audit conducted over the past week in the social audit. Audit was conducted for works done from March 1, 2025 to March 30, 2026. The audit team brought several issues to the notice of officials.

It is notable that not a single Sarpanch attended the social audit. MPDO Srinivas, MPO Ramu, APO Tulasi Ram, EC Swamy Das and five audit team officials participated.

PIC Committee Approves 54 Agenda Items

- Notices Issued to Branch Officials with Low Recovery
-Dist Collector Prateek Jain
(J.Srinivas Reddy)

Sangareddy District Correspondent: District Collector Prateek Jain instructed officials to ensure the delivery of improved services to farmers and account holders through cooperative banks in the district. He directed them to focus specifically on increasing loan recoveries and deposits, in addition to sanctioning necessary loans to farmers in a timely manner. On Wednesday, the PIC (Person-in-Charge) meeting and the District-Level Monitoring and Review Committee meeting were held at the District Cooperative Central Bank Limited office in Sangareddy, presided over by District Collector and PIC Chairman Prateek Jain. The committee approved 54 agenda items during the meeting. Subsequently, the Collector reviewed various aspects, including bank operations, services provided to farmers, loan sanctions, loan recoveries, and deposit mobilization. Speaking on the occasion, the Collector urged officials to work in coordination to achieve the bank's set targets. He emphasized the timely provision of crop loans and other credit facilities to eligible farmers in accordance with regulations. He also advised formulating a specific action plan to boost deposits and ensuring that banking services are delivered to farmers and account holders in a simple and transparent manner.Bank's financial status, business transactions, and progress toward achieving targets be reviewed regularly. He emphasized the need to act responsibly while strictly adhering to government guidelines and bank regulations. The Collector urged officials to work collectively to strengthen the cooperative sector, prioritizing the financial interests of farmers alongside the bank's growth.



He directed that notices seeking an explanation be issued to officials of the Ramayampet, Sangareddy Local Branch, Jharasangam, Shankarampet, and Siddipet-2 branches, where recovery rates were low. DCCB CEO M.Suresh, NABARD DDM M.V. Krishnateja, General Managers K.Janardhan and G.Srinivas, DGMs K.Chandrashekhar Reddy and M. Ramesh, AGMs G. Yadagiri, G.Srinivas, K. Venkatesham, L. Sangames hwar, and A.Kondal Reddy, among otherspar-ticipated in the meeting.

Coordinated Efforts Needed to Prevent HIV, AIDS



Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar subhash correspondent... Dr. Rakesh Gupta, Director of National AIDS Control Organization and Additional Secretary to Central Government, suggested that concerned departments should work in coordination for prevention and early detection of HIV and AIDS, necessary medical tests for pregnant women and to create awareness among public. District Collector Ashish Sangwan participated from his office at Collectorate in a video conference held on Wednesday. On the occasion, measures to be taken for control of HIV and AIDS in the district, importance of tests, availability of health services, field-level monitoring and other issues were reviewed. He suggested that every pregnant woman should be tested for HIV, Syphilis and Hepatitis-B as per prescribed guidelines and counseling and appropriate medical services should be provided to those in need. He said confidentiality of test results should be maintained and those in need should be provided with further tests and treatment.He suggested conducting extensive awareness programmes on HIV and AIDS in villages, towns, educational institutions and workplaces and providing correct information to public on disease spread, prevention methods, tests and treatment services.

He said awareness should be created to remove myths, fears and discrimination about the disease.

He said medical officers, health staff and officials of concerned departments should work in coordination and monitor implementation of programmes in all concerned health institutions including Primary Health Centres. He suggested recording details of programmes conducted, tests and linkages to further medical services and submitting reports as per prescribed guidelines. Appeal to Public District Medical and Health Department officials suggested that public should not fall prey to myths about HIV and AIDS and should know correct information and avail tests, counseling and medical services at nearby Government Health Centres when needed. They appealed to treat people living with HIV with dignity without discriminating.



Special Voter Enrollment Camps on Oct 15, 16: Collector

Kamareddy, Telangana Essense October, 14 Rachurwar Subhash Correspondent.. District Collector Ashish Sangwan said that special voter enrollment camps will be conducted in all polling centres in Kamareddy district on October 15 and 16. He was speaking at a meeting held with representatives of recognized political parties on Wednesday regarding the Special Summary Revision of Electoral Rolls - 2026 (SSR-2026).

He explained to the representatives of political parties about issuance of notices related to electoral roll revision in the district and reviewed the progress of verification.

Speaking on the occasion, the Collector suggested that all eligible citizens whose names are not in the draft electoral rolls should utilize these special camps and enroll as voters. He said those who have attained eligibility for voting should apply through prescribed Form-6.

Claims and objections received regarding voter enrollment and revision in electoral rolls will be examined as per rules and action will be taken to include every eligible voter in the rolls. He directed officials to work in coordination to ensure voting rights for all eligible citizens in the electoral process.

Pocharam Srinivas Reddy Inaugurates Rs. 12 Crore 30-Bed Hospital in Varni



Kamareddy, Telangana Essense October, 14 Rachurwar subhash Correspondent.. Telangana Government Advisor for Agriculture Pocharam Srinivas Reddy inaugurated the new building of the 30-bed Community Health Centre (CHC) constructed at a cost of Rs. 12 crore at Varni Mandal headquarters in Nizamabad District. He participated in the pooja programme and Vastu Pooja organized on the occasion of the inauguration and also joined the Bathukamma celebrations along with doctors and nursing staff.

Speaking at the meeting held on the occasion, Pocharam Srinivas Reddy said the State Government is constructing Government hospitals on par with private hospitals and appointing doctors. He said the Government's objective will be fulfilled only when doctors provide better medical services to patients. He wished that all people should live happily, peacefully and healthily without diseases.

TG Agros former Chairman Kasula Balaraj said this 30-bed hospital with modern facilities will be highly useful for the people of Varni and surrounding villages and better medical services will now be accessible. DCHS Srinivas Prasad, DMHO Rajashree, District Medical Officers, local public representatives, hospital staff and others participated.

Mamata Banerjee condemns the arrest of CJP leaders



Mamata Banerjee condemns the arrest of CJP leaders Kolkata, Oct 14 : Former West Bengal Chief Minister, Mamata Banerjee, on Wednesday condemned the arrest of Cockroach Janata Party (CJP) leaders Saurav Das and Ashutosh Ranka on charges of trespassing at Jantar Mantar in New Delhi and also committed to always side with the CJP's movement. "We, and many generations before us, have fought strongly for our democratic rights. We must continue to do so. I strongly condemn the arrest of Ashutosh and Saurav of the CJP. These moments are about us all, pledging and standing up to fight unitedly to protect our great democracy. This is an attempt to intimidate and silence an entire generation. This is unacceptable. We must never surrender our constitutional rights," said the former Chief Minister in a social media message. She also claimed that the "murder of democracy" was happening in many parts of the country. "14,000 of our people in Bengal are facing the brunt of police and political atrocities. A government that has forgotten that 'it is of the people, by the people, for the people' is nearing its end. To the millions of young people, I say: Your Didi is with you - today and forever! Let us stand together and save our Mother India," she said. Mamata Banerjee and her nephew, Abhishek Banerjee, were in the national capital recently to take part in the CJP movement demanding the resignation of the Chief Election Commissioner, Gyanesh Kumar. Delhi Police had already banned protest demonstrations at New Delhi's Jantar Mantar. However, on the very next day after the ban was imposed, a total of 14 CJP supporters, including Ashutosh and Saurav, climbed the wall of Jantar Mantar and entered the premises. They were carrying the Tricolour and were initially detained, but the Delhi Police arrested them late on Tuesday. Ashutosh, Saurabh and others were produced before the court of an executive magistrate on Wednesday and were remanded to five-day judicial custody. They have been sent to Tihar Jail.

MLA Thota Thanks All for LKR Bathukamma Celebrations' Grand Success



Kamareddy, October, 14 (Telangana Essence) Rachurwar subhash Correspondent..MLA Thota Lakshmi Kantha Rao extended his heartfelt thanks to every woman, women employees, Congress party leaders, workers and everyone who made the LKR Bathukamma celebrations held in Jukkal yesterday a grand success. He said the love, affection, support and cooperation extended by all is unforgettable. He said it is a matter of great joy to celebrate Bathukamma festival, which is a symbol of Telangana culture and traditions, on such a grand scale. He once again expressed special gratitude to everyone who worked for the success of the programme.

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Rashmika Mandanna: Everyone's Crush!

Rashmika Mandanna has won the hearts of millions of fans with her beauty, acting and friendly nature. Now, the actress has impressed everyone with a kind act. She has announced that she will support 400 families by taking care of their grocery expenses. Her decision has received attention because she wants to help people and encourage others to do the same. Rashmika shared this news on social media. She explained that she wanted to help families save money on their daily needs. She plans to support 400 families at a time for three months. She will continue this initiative over the next year. Rashmika revealed that she had helped people in the past but had not spoken about those efforts publicly. She usually kept such activities private because she felt that her team and a few close people knowing about them was enough. However, she decided to share this initiative because she wanted to inspire her fans.

The actress hopes that the families can use the money they save on groceries to plan their futures better. She also asked her followers to help others in whatever way they can. Also Read - Don't Sleep Teaser: Psyhological visual epic "Even a small act of kindness can change a person's life, and it doesn't have to be big. Let's all start with something small!" she wrote. Rashmika also said that the happiness of the families made all her struggles worthwhile. She added, "And trust me all these smiles are worth every sleepless nights, the injuries, the struggles, the pain the tears the everything that I've gone had to go through over the last working years. This is priceless!!" Meanwhile, Rashmika is preparing for the release of Ranabaali, which stars Vijay Deverakonda alongside her. Directed by Rahul Sankrityan, the film will release in theatres on October 16.

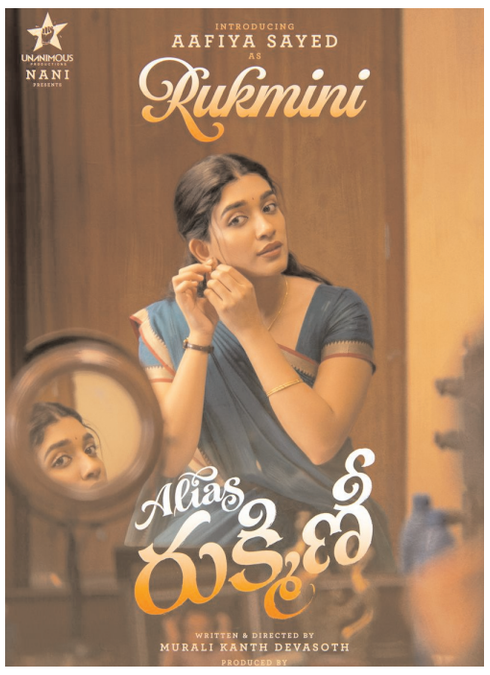


BSS Haindava Teaser: Goosebumps Visuals and Concept

Bellamkonda Sreenivas is choosing intriguing scripts and he joined hands with director Ludheer Byreddy for an intriguing fresh mythological mystical actioner, Haindava.
The movie is produced by Mahesh Chandu on a massive scale and the makers have unveiled the teaser of the film locking 27th November release.
The teaser showcases Bellamkonda Sreenivas as an atheist who questions every belief in God. We see him investigating smuggling of figurines from an ancient temple in a village. He starts to interfere in all their activities, but temple priest strongly believes in the prophecy of Lord Vishnu going out of the temple to stop a catastrophe. Bellamkonda Sreenivas is incredible and his screen presence is exceptional in the film. His performance as an atheist and submission to the character are praise-worthy. Ludheer's vision in presenting Lord Vishnu and the frames involving VFX,



avatars of Vishnu and magic are crafted brilliantly. Teaser doesn't reveal the entire story but gives us glimpses of strong moments that would give goosebumps while watching on screen. Sam CS background score works perfectly to elevate each scene and the fresh concept in an action based mystery raises further curiosity. Haindava looks like a sureshot winner from the teaser.



Rukmini leaves a lasting impression

Nithiin, instantly made a great impression on audiences increasing anticipation, with announcement glimpse as Krishna, from his Alias Rukmini. Interestingly, Nani is presenting this Murali Kanth Devasoth directorial with Deepthi Ganta as producer. Now, the makers revealed Rukmini, leading lady Aafia Sayed glimpse. We see Rukmini as a strict school teacher, remarked as Devil, Hitler and Homework Police by her students.
She doesn't scold them immediately but signs her name on the drawing placed on notice board leaving everyone stunned. It looks like she enjoys being strict.
Aafia Sayed looks perfect and her performance leaves an impact and positive impression.
Besides Nithiin, she looks perfect and Murali Kanth's story leaves audiences anticipating for more about the story of Krishna and Rukmini. With interesting premise, the romantic movie, Alias Rukmini is set to release on 4th December, all over. Vijai Bulganin is scoring music for the film.

Prabhas Never Fails to Surprise Heroines

Prabhas is one of the biggest stars in Indian cinema. Apart from his films and acting, he is also known for his kind nature and love for food. The actor shares a good bond with his co-stars and often makes them feel special with thoughtful gifts and delicious meals. When it comes to surprising heroines, Prabhas is always one step ahead. Prabhas is currently working on Fauzi directed by Hanu Raghavapudi. Actress Imanvi is making her Telugu film debut with this movie. On October 13, she celebrated her birthday, and Prabhas made the occasion special by sending her a grand feast.
The meal included several non-vegetarian dishes and sweets. Imanvi shared pictures and videos of the food on social media. She also thanked Prabhas for the special treat. Her post expressed how the food had





made her feel happy and satisfied. The pictures quickly caught the attention of fans, who loved Prabhas's thoughtful gesture. Prabhas has surprised his co-stars on several occasions in the past. During the time associated with The Raja Saab, actress Riddhi spoke about receiving a saree as a gift from Prabhas. Prabhas is known for his friendly nature on film sets. Many actors who have worked with him have spoken about his hospitality and his love for sharing food.

Where Are Mahesh Babu and Rajamouli Going, Leaving Varanasi Behind

Superstar Mahesh Babu and director SS Rajamouli are busy with their upcoming film Varanasi. The film has created huge excitement among fans. Now, reports about their recent movements have become a topic of discussion among movie lovers.
Mahesh Babu has reportedly completed his recent work while Rajamouli has left for the USA. SS Rajamouli is working hard to complete Varanasi on time. The film stars Mahesh Babu, Priyanka Chopra and Prithviraj Sukumaran in important roles. The movie is being made on a grand scale. It is expected to reach audiences in several languages and markets.
According to reports, Rajamouli has travelled to the USA to attend a wedding in his family. The director has been working continuously on the film. He has now taken a short break to spend time with his family and attend the special occasion. His family members are also currently in the USA. Rajamouli is expected to return to Hyderabad within a week. After coming back, he will focus on the remaining work for Varanasi. The team is planning to complete the pending shooting work before November. The director wants to finish the project without affecting its planned release schedule.



Meanwhile Mahesh Babu has also reportedly completed his recent work and is taking a break. However, there is no confirmed information about his current location or travel plans. Fans are curious to know when they will be back to concentrate on Varanasi.
The makers are planning to release Varanasi on April 7, 2027. The team is also working on the film's pos -production. Rajamouli reportedly wants to complete most of these works before the end of February 2027. The film's promotions are expected to begin in March 2027. So within that Rajamouli may rejoin the works of film and could complete all the work.

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