

State Minister Sridhar Babu Launches Rs11 Crore Development Works in LB Nagar Constituency



““Indian Chronicle, Tandur(Feb,10)““State Minister Duddilla Sridhar Babu, along with Government Chief Whip in Legislative Council Dr. Patnam Mahender Reddy, and Congress Party In-charge Madhu Yashki Goud, inaugurated development projects worth ?11 crore across LB Nagar Constituency.”“Hastinapuram Division:“Construction of LB Nagar Circle & Ward Office Complex began with funds of ?5.95 crore.”“Vanastalipuram:“- Pipeline construction in Nagarjuna Colony — ?2.76 crore“- Pipeline construction in Srinivasapuram Colony — ?1.87 crore“- BT Road construction from Sushma Theatre to Rythu Bazar & Guruvar Road (Ward 15) — ?62 lakh“- Beauty Road construction near Police Station in MIG Colony — ?62 lakh“- CC Road construction in Christian Colony — ?39.50 lakh“- CC Road construction near Ganesh Temple (Ward 15) — ?19.50 lakh“- Road construction in Vanasthalihills Colony — ?19.80 lakh“All works launched by:“- Dr. Patnam Mahender Reddy (Govt Chief Whip, MLC)“- Minister Duddilla Sridhar Babu (IT, Industries & Legislative Affairs)“- MLC Dayanand“- Congress In-charge Madhu Yashki Goud.



Civil Rights Association Extends Support to Nationwide General Strike on February 12

“NARRA SRINIVAS REDDY (NSR), Medchal - Malkajgiri Staff Reporter, February 10, (INDIAN CHRONICLE):“The Telangana Civil Rights Association has announced its support to the nationwide general strike scheduled to be held on February 12, protesting against what it termed as anti-labour policies of the central government. Speaking to reporters on Tuesday at the Kapra Tahsildar Office, Civil Rights Association State President Professor Gaddam Laxman, Unorganised Workers Federation State General Secretary Sudagani Kumar, and Praja Desabhaktha Movement State General Secretary G. Chandramouli expressed solidarity with the strike. Addressing the media, Laxman called upon workers across the country to unite and fight for their rights. He stated that workers in India had secured several hard-earned rights through prolonged struggles since the British era, and alleged that the central government was attempting to dilute these rights by undermining 29 labour laws. He expressed concern over attempts to privatise welfare schemes under the Welfare Board and demanded protection of workers' rights. He strongly opposed Government Order No. 12, which hands over natural death insurance schemes to private insurance companies, and demanded its immediate withdrawal, insisting that the scheme should continue to be implemented directly by the government as per the earlier system. Laxman also criticised the Electricity Amendment Bill, 2025, stating that it would have adverse effects on the agriculture sector and negatively impact farmers, workers, the middle class, and the general public. He further warned that the proposed replacement of the rural employment guarantee scheme with a new programme could severely affect rural livelihoods. Calling for mass participation in the February 12 general strike, Laxman urged workers, farmers, agricultural labourers, students, intellectuals, and the general public to join the protest and put pressure on the central government to withdraw its anti-people policies.



Woman Missing in Kushaiguda Police Station Limits

“NARRA SRINIVAS REDDY (NSR), Medchal - Malkajgiri Staff Reporter, February 10, (INDIAN CHRONICLE):“According to the police, a 19-year-old woman, S. Pavani, has gone missing from the limits of Kushaiguda Police Station. Based on a complaint lodged by her mother, Renuka, a resident of Indira Nagar, HB Colony, Moula Ali, Pavani left home for work at around 8:00 AM on February 9, 2026. At about 6:00 PM, Pavani called her mother and informed her that she would be returning home late. Later, at around 8:00 PM, she again contacted her mother and said that she was at a bus stop and would reach home shortly. After that, when her mother tried calling her again, Pavani's mobile phone was switched off. Despite searching all possible and related places, her whereabouts could not be traced. Based on Renuka's complaint, the police have registered a case and taken up investigation.



Government Staff Granted Paid Leave to Cast Votes in Municipal Elections

““Indian Chronicle (Taj Khan), February 10, “In view of the second General Municipal Elections, a special casual leave has been granted to government employees who are registered voters within the municipal limits to enable them to



participate in the polling process scheduled for February 11. “District Election Officer and Collector K. Haritha announced in an official statement that eligible employees may avail themselves of the special leave on polling day and exercise their right to vote. “She urged all qualified government staff to make effective use of the opportunity and actively participate in the democratic process.

Extensive Service Activities Held in Kapra Division on the Occasion of Gogikar Shivakumar's Birthday

“NARRA SRINIVAS REDDY (NSR), Medchal - Malkajgiri Staff Reporter, February 10, (INDIAN CHRONICLE):“Service activities organized on the occa-



sion of the birthday of Gogikar Shivakumar, a BRS leader from Kapra Division known for his continued involvement in public service, were conducted successfully across the division. As part of the programme, sarees were distributed to 300 beneficiaries in Gandhinagar, 400 beneficiaries near the Kapra MRO office, and another 300 beneficiaries at the Vampeguda Colony Community Hall. The initiatives received a positive response from the public. Former corporator Kotha Ramarao, State Dynamic Leader Somashekar Reddy, Kapra Division president Naveen Goud, Uppal minority leader Badruddin, TRS leader Ragi Etla Krishna (Kittu), along with other leaders and committee members, participated in the programmes. Speaking on the occasion, Gogikar Shivakumar said that he was happy to celebrate his birthday through service-oriented activities that benefit the public and stated that he would continue to work consistently for the welfare of the people of Kapra Division in the future.



Elections should be conducted responsibly.

“Appropriate measures should be taken to ensure that voters do not face any inconvenience.”Bhadradri Kothagudem District Collector Jitesh V. Patel“Aswaraopet, February 10: District Collector Jitesh V Patil informed the



officials that the first-ever municipal elections in Aswaraopet of Bhadradri Kothagudem district should be conducted smoothly. He said that everyone should conduct the elections responsibly. He inspected the arrangements and spoke to the polling staff. He advised the officials to carefully examine the materials provided for the conduct of the elections in advance. He wanted the elections to be conducted without any inconvenience to the voters at the polling stations. After the polling is over, it was advised that the polling booths and materials should be handled in a calm manner at the counting center until they are handed over. District Collector Jitesh V Patel, Municipal Commissioner B Nagaraju, MPDO Apparao, CI Nagaraju Reddy and officials and others participated in this program.

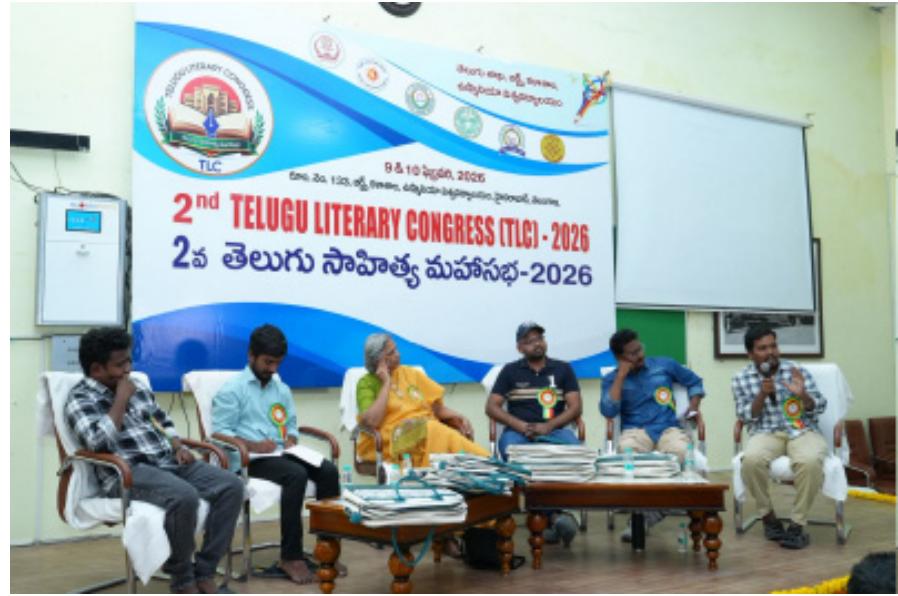
“Ensure Smooth Poll Conduct — Double-check Checklist” District Election Officer & Collector Prateek Jain

“Indian Chronicle, Tandur, Babar (Feb,10)“District Election Officer and Collector Prateek Jain urged all officials assigned duties for the municipal elections on Wednesday to act with utmost care and precision. “On Tuesday, he inspected the Distribution Centre set up at St. Mark’s Jubilee School within Tandur Municipal limits in Vikarabad district. “Accompanied by officials, he toured the field-level arrangements, reviewed the distribution of election materials, and visited the school-based distribution centre to verify materials handed over to polling officers.” He instructed officials: “117 polling stations set up for 36 wards — ensure all required materials are sorted per polling station and kept ready.” Ballot papers and boxes must be carefully checked and packed.” Officers must



reach polling stations from distribution centre and reconfirm voting arrangements onsite. “Key directives:“ Prevent double voting — take strict precautions. “Ensure smooth movement of staff — arrange dedicated transport routes.” Provide breakfast and lunch to polling staff.” Guarantee uninterrupted power supply — 24-hour electricity ensured. “Report any deficiencies immediately.” Ensure availability of drinking water, lighting, parking space — no inconvenience to voters or staff.” He directed officers to supervise bus departures strictly route-wise.” “Present at the inspection: - DRO Mangilal- Municipal Commissioner Madhusudan Reddy- Tahsildar Tarasingh- Other concerned officials

Telugu Is a Living, Nectarous Language: OU Telugu Literary Congress Showcases Global Efforts



““Indian Chronicle OU February 10:Telugu is not a dead language but a vibrant, nectarous one, affirmed delegates from across the world at the Second Telugu Literary Congress organized by the Department of Telugu, Osmania University. On the second day of the congress, held at the Arts College, scholars and cultural representatives participated in seminars that highlighted the vitality and global reach of the Telugu language.”“In Room No. 121, a seminar on “Efforts and Guidance for the Spread of the Telugu Language in India and Abroad” was chaired by Padma Vibhushan awardee Sanjeeva Narasimha. Speakers from different countries shared their experiences of promoting Telugu culture and literature abroad. Jaya Peesapati from Hong Kong explained how Telugu festivals are celebrated there, with children being taught dance, music, and instruments, alongside the continuation of the Telugu Badi (Telugu School) program. Guduru Srinivas from New York spoke about the Telugu Literary Association’s contributions, including teaching poetry and light music compositions. Kalvala Vishweshwar highlighted that the Global Telangana Association has expanded activities to 30 countries, noting that Telugu is spoken in nearly 100 nations. Vijaya from Australia shared that Telugu programs are conducted every Saturday, where children learn the Mahabharata and Bhagavatam, and also participate in radio broadcasts. Ganesh Thottipudi from Germany emphasized their efforts in making C. P. Brown’s Telugu grammar accessible and developing tools for language learning, noting that Telugu continues to thrive among families abroad across three to four generations.”“Other speakers, including Vadlamani Durga, Jandhyala Kishore, and Sharath Babu, stressed the importance of instilling love for Telugu from childhood. Contributions also came from Murthy Remilla, Velmula Krishnarao, Narasimhulu Marathi, ISRO retired scientist Jayakrishna Kishore, Nannaya University Professor K. V. N. D. Prasad, Sagili Sudharani, and several others, who collectively underscored the enduring relevance of Telugu language and literature.”“Another seminar, chaired by Professor Y. Reddy Shyamala, focused on “Use of Science and Technology Tools in Telugu Language Research.” She emphasized the importance of leveraging modern technology to strengthen Telugu studies. Dr. Jhansi Udomu spoke about online Telugu teaching, while Sirikonda Narasimha Raju discussed methods to promote Telugu expression. Rehmanuddin Shaikh addressed technological advancements and their application in Telugu, and Dasari Karuna highlighted the role of science and technology in Telugu research.”“Meanwhile, in Room No. 133, discussions centered on contemporary literary trends. A seminar on “Social Media Likes, Shares, and Viral Literature” featured insights from Raji Kanna, Charan Parimi, Amrit Raj, and Satvika. Another session on “Young Writers’ Literature – Direction and Destination” saw contributions from Sai Vamshi, Shivashankar, Uday, Ramu Verla, Venkatanarayana, and Vimala. The topic “What We Expect from Senior Writers” was addressed by Danda Venkata Ramulu, Balu Agnivesh, Hathi Ram, and Dharani, who reflected on the evolving relationship between senior and emerging writers.”“The congress thus highlighted not only the global presence of Telugu but also the collective responsibility of communities, scholars, and writers to preserve and promote the language through cultural activities, education, technology, and literature.

Development Is Possible Only with BJP BJP to Take Charge in the Municipality

– MBC Chairman & District Committee Member Ravindra Sagar



“Nacharam, Indian Chronicle, February 10:” MBC Chairman and BJP District Committee Member Ravindra Sagar stated that development is possible only with the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP). In view of the upcoming municipal elections, he urged the people to recognize this fact and ensure the victory of the BJP. “He said that the Central Government has recently introduced several welfare schemes for the poor and for women, and the credit for these initiatives goes to the BJP government and Prime Minister Narendra Modi. “He alleged that in the state, both the Congress and BJP parties have failed to implement the promises they made, instead working solely to advance their party agendas. He appealed to the voters to decisively defeat these two parties in the municipal elections and give a resounding mandate to the BJP.

Niloufer Expands Its Culinary Footprint with the Launch of Niloufer Chath in Hyderabad

Hyderabad: Niloufer, one of Hyderabad's most iconic and trusted food brands, successfully launched Niloufer Chath, its latest culinary destination at Road No. 12, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad. The grand launch, held at a picturesque rooftop venue, was attended by dignitaries, food lovers, and patrons of the brand.

Niloufer Chath marks a refined evolution of North Indian vegetarian cuisine, bringing together thoughtfully curated flavours, elegant presentation, and a contemporary dining ambience. Moving beyond traditional chath and comfort classics, the restaurant blends nostalgia with modern sensibilities, redefining how vegetarian food is perceived and experienced in the city.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Anumula Babu Rao, Founder and Chairman, Cafe Niloufer, said, “Niloufer Chath is a natural extension of our journey and our commitment to quality and trust. While Niloufer has always been close to the hearts of Hyderabadi, this new venture allows us to present vegetarian cuisine in a more elevated, experience-driven format, without losing the soul of our flavours.”

Mr. Anumula Shashank, Managing Director, Cafe Niloufer, added, “With Niloufer Chath, our focus has been on creating a destination that combines taste, ambience, and innovation. The rooftop setting, curated menu, and contemporary presentation reflect our vision to set new benchmarks in the vegetarian dining space while staying rooted in Niloufer's legacy.”

The rooftop location adds a distinct lifestyle dimension to the experience, positioning Niloufer Chath as a vibrant culinary and social destination



for families, professionals, and young diners alike

Addressing the gathering, Mr. Danam Nagender, MLA, said, “Niloufer has long been a symbol of consistency and quality in Hyderabad. The launch of

Niloufer Chath showcases how a legacy brand can innovate while staying true to its roots, enriching the city's evolving food culture.”

Ms. Gadwal Vijayalakshmi, Mayor of Hyderabad, remarked, “Hyderabad

continues to emerge as a dynamic food capital, and initiatives like Niloufer Chath add great value to the city. The focus on vegetarian cuisine in a premium, modern format is both timely and commendable.”

Anuv Jain Delivers A Soulful Evening In Hyderabad As Part Of The India Leg Of The Dastakhat World Tour



Hyderabad

Hyderabad played host to an evening filled with emotion and shared nostalgia as singer-songwriter Anuv Jain brought the India leg of his Dastakhat World Tour to a packed house in the city. Produced and promoted by Team Innovation and TribeVibe Entertainment, the show assembled thousands of avid music lovers and longtime fans for an intimate yet stirring live experience, setting the tone for Jain's most ambitious musical journey to date.

From the moment he stepped on stage, the atmosphere transformed into one of quiet reflection and heartfelt connection. Staying true to his signature minimalism and evocative storytelling, Anuv Jain delivered a thoughtfully curated setlist featuring fan favourites including 'Baarishein', 'Alag Aasmaan', 'Husn', 'Jo Tum Mere Ho', 'Afsos' and 'Arz Kiya Hai'. Each performance was met with emotional sing-alongs, a testament to the robust bond he enjoys with his listeners across India.

The Hyderabad showcase stood out for its stripped-back elegance and immersive production allowing the music and lyrics to take centre stage. As lights dimmed and melodies swelled, the venue echoed with stories of love, heartbreak and healing, turning the night into a deeply personal experience for fans across generations.

Anuv Jain states, "Hyderabad, what a crowd! What a show! I swear I wasn't

lying when I said I couldn't hear myself! Thousands of you screaming every word. One of my favourite shows ever!"

Shoven Shah, Founder & CEO, TribeVibe Entertainment states, "Anuv Jain's artistry is a defining force in contemporary Indian music, expanding what independent voices can achieve. With Dastakhat, we're curating an experience that brings together connection, sincerity and scale allowing large audiences to feel part of an intimate conversation. Our focus is on creating moments where creativity and community intersect and supporting this milestone reflects our belief in the future of Indian music."

Mohit Bijlani, Founder, Team Innovation states, "Anuv Jain is selling out arenas all across India and solidifying his status as one of India's most loved Indian independent music talents. Hyderabad just proved how there's a huge market for the genre even in the Southern markets with a record breaking turnout..."

The Dastakhat World Tour stands as a celebration of music, emotion and cultural exchange — a testament to Jain's ability to weave sincerity into every note. Fans can look forward to a series of unforgettable performances coupled with top notch production, as he continues to push creative boundaries and foster deeper connections with audiences across continents.

Qualcomm Reinforcing India's Key Role in Global Engineering Operations



Hyderabad

Qualcomm Technologies, Inc. today announced the successful tape-out of its 2nm semiconductor design, marking a significant moment in advanced semiconductor design and reinforcing the company's deep commitment to supporting India's rapidly expanding semiconductor ecosystem. This achievement reflects the strength of Qualcomm's Global engineering capabilities collaboratively with engineering development centers in Bengaluru, Chennai, and Hyderabad, representing one of the company's most advanced and skilled development footprints globally, as well as its largest engineering workforce outside the United States.

The milestone underscores India's emergence as a critical hub for cutting-edge semiconductor development and showcases Qualcomm's long-term investment in building and accelerating the nation's semiconductor landscape.

The milestone was recently showcased at the Qualcomm Bengaluru facility during the visit of Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hon'ble Union Minister of Railways, Information & Broadcasting, and Electronics & IT. His presence emphasized India's growing importance in global semiconductor innovation and Qualcomm's pivotal role in driving this momentum forward, reflecting the government's sustained, eco-

system driven push to strengthen domestic chip design capabilities and nurture an indigenous semiconductor talent pipeline.

Shri Amitesh Kumar Sinha, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & IT and CEO, India Semiconductor Mission said, "India's Semiconductor Mission is progressing with strong momentum, supported by a strengthening design ecosystem and sustained industry participation. Investments in advanced engineering and R&D capabilities are important to building long-term semiconductor capacity in the country. Qualcomm's long-term commitment to India reflects the growing depth of India's semiconductor design ecosystem and contributes to India's broader ambition of becoming a globally competitive hub for semiconductor innovation."

"This achievement is a testament to the strength and depth of our engineering teams in India" said Srini Maddali, Senior Vice President, Engineering, Qualcomm India Private Limited. "Working closely with global program and architecture teams on advanced semiconductor design requires the very best talent, and our India teams consistently deliver at a global standard. We collaborate closely with multiple stakeholders in India and around the world, who are driving ambitious digital transformation journeys. India continues to be integral part to our global engineering roadmap, and this milestone reflects the exceptional capability and impact of our engineering workforce here".

Sunburn Holi Weekend 2026 to bring Holi hues and high energy beats with KSHMR's 5-city tour

Hyderabad

Sunburn Holi Weekend has long been synonymous with music, colour and celebration for EDM fans across India. This festive season, EDM prodigy KSHMR takes centre stage, splashing his signature sound across a five-city tour, produced and promoted by Sunburn, Asia's Premier Electronic Dance Music (EDM) platform.

Sunburn Holi Weekend 2026 ft. KSHMR will kick off in Mumbai on March 3rd, 2026, featuring a special performance by DJ Chetas, followed by Chennai on March 4th, 2026, Bengaluru on March 6th, 2026, Bhubaneswar on March 7th, 2026 and Hyderabad on March 8th, 2026. The tour marks a significant milestone with KSHMR making his debut performance in Bhubaneswar, bringing his globally acclaimed experience to the city for the very first time. Tickets are available exclusively on BookMyShow, India's leading entertainment destination.

Niles Hollowell-Dhar, better known as KSHMR, rose from producing hip-hop and pop hits, including anthems 'Like A G6', to becoming one of dance music's most celebrated figures with chart-topping tracks including 'Secrets' with Tiësto and 'Kids' featuring MKLA. His hits also include 'Bad', 'My Best Life' and 'Power'. With 10 Beatport #1s, DJ Mag's Best Live Act award, his own Dharma Worldwide label and the influential Sounds of KSHMR packs, KSHMR continues to shape global music and headline the world's biggest stages.

A long-standing favourite with fans in India, KSHMR's association with Sunburn runs deep, also creating the Sunburn Festival 2024 anthem with OTIOT ft. KEL titled 'Khoye Yahaan'. He has played a defining role in shaping the evolution of electronic music culture in India. His shows are known for their immersive storytelling, emotional depth and cinematic scale, transforming stages into experiences that go far beyond music.

Talking about the Sunburn Holi Weekend, KSHMR commented, "India has shaped my music in more ways than people realise, so coming for Sunburn Holi Weekend feels especially full-circle. Holi is a festival that celebrates colour, rhythm and shared emotion - the same elements that run through my sound. Taking this experience across



five cities allows me to express that connection more deeply and I'm excited to celebrate this with fans through my music."

Karan Singh, CEO, Sunburn, added, "Over the years, Sunburn Holi Weekend has evolved into a marker on the cultural calendar for music lovers across India - a time when audiences

come together to celebrate sound, colour and shared experiences. 2026 is no different and bringing KSHMR into this moment feels especially organic. His music carries a rare balance of global electronic sensibilities and deeply rooted Indian influences, making him a natural fit for a festival as expressive and spirited as Holi. This five-city tour reflects

both the scale of anticipation around Sunburn Holi Weekend and our continued intent to take meaningful, world-class electronic music experiences to audiences across the country. It is these thoughtfully curated moments, where music, culture and emotion intersect, that continue to define what Sunburn stands for."