

BJP Slams Congress Leaders Over Alleged Disrespect to Vande Mataram

“Effigies of Congress Leaders Burnt in Khammam” Khammam, August 17: Indian Chronicle “The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) has strongly criticised the alleged conduct of senior Congress leaders towards the national song ‘Vande Mataram’. Alleging that Sonia Gandhi, Rahul Gandhi and AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge had insulted Vande Mataram, BJP workers organised a protest in Khammam city under the leadership of the party’s Yuva Morcha. “The protest was held on Monday at Gandhi Chowk, near the statue of Mahatma Gandhi, under the leadership of BJP Khammam district president Nelluri Koteswara Rao. BJP leaders expressed strong resentment over what they described as disrespect towards a song that symbolises national sentiments. “BJP leaders said Vande Mataram was not merely a song but a sentiment deeply rooted in the hearts of Indians and a source of inspiration for numerous freedom fighters during the freedom struggle. They alleged that disrespecting the song amounted to insulting the sentiments of the people of the country. “As part of the protest, the BJP workers burnt effigies of senior Congress leaders at Gandhi Chowk to express their opposition. Later, the BJP leaders and workers collectively sang Vande Mataram and expressed their patriotism. “Speaking on the occasion, BJP district president Nelluri Koteswara Rao alleged that the Congress was undermining the sacrifices of freedom fighters who laid down their lives for the country. He demanded that the Congress leadership, particularly Sonia Gandhi, Rahul Gandhi and Mallikarjun Kharge, tender an unconditional apology to the people for allegedly disrespecting Vande Mataram. “He made it clear that the BJP would not compromise on issues concerning national interests and patriotism. He criticised the Congress for allegedly acting in a manner that undermined patriotic sentiments despite being a responsible opposition party. “Koteswara Rao warned that if the Congress leaders did not issue a public apology, the BJP would intensify its protests across the district and expose what he described as the Congress party’s stand on national issues before the people. “District General Secretary Gutta Venkateshwarlu, Nakirekanti Veerabhadram, Pammi Anitha, District Treasurer Konatham Lakshminarayana, Mahila Morcha District President Manda Saraswathi, Allika Anjaiah, Yuva Morcha District President Shasanala Sairam, Kotamarthi Sudarshan, Marutineni



Veerabhadra Prasad, Dukupart i Ravinder, Deekonda Shyam, Pittala Venkata Narasayya, Mrityunjaya Rao, Danakula Venkatanarayana, Ankitha Paparao, Palepu Ramu and Jagili Ramana, among others, participated in the protest. “A large number of BJP leaders, workers and supporters also took part in the programme and raised slogans against the Congress party.

Devotees pour milk in the potta on the first Monday of Nagula Panchami Shravan month in Sri Pachala Kattasomeswara Swamy movement

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau Indian Chronicle August 17):- Devotees pour milk in the potta on the first Monday of Nagula Panchami Shravan month in Sri Pachala Kattasomeswara Swamy temple “On Monday, devotees offered their plants to the twin Nagas in the temple premises of Sri Pachala Katta Swamy temple by pouring milk in the potta and performing Rao Ketu puja under the auspices of the temple’s chief priest Kappaganthula Nagaraju Sharma

. Temple committee chairman Kolluri Raju said that all arrangements have been made to ensure that the devotees do not face any inconvenience and all facilities have been provided to the devotees. He said that the Maha Annadana program was successfully organized with the participation of a large number of devotees. Temple committee priests Kappaganthula Praveen Sharma, directors Kaliya Swathi Nagaraju, Bachhu Raju, Dargai Devender, Taduri Balaraju, Bonthala Sanjeeva, Nara Shankar devotees and others participated in the program.



R&R Commissioner Shiva Kumar Naidu inspects Baswapur Reservoir and rehabilitation village alongside project officials

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau, Indian Chronicle, August 17): Acting on the directives of Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy and the suggestions of Bhuvanagiri MLA Kumbha Anil Kumar Reddy, R&R Commissioner Shiva Kumar Naidu inspected the Baswapur Reservoir and the development works at the new



BN Thimmapuram R&R colony on Monday. He was accompanied by Yadadri Bhuvanagiri Additional Collector (Revenue) Venkat Reddy, the Superintending Engineers (SE) of the Irrigation and Panchayat Raj departments, RDO Krishna Reddy, MRO Jaganmohan Prasad, and BN Thimmapuram Sarpanch Edla Venkat Reddy.

Speaking afterwards, the R&R Commissioner stated that the inspection was conducted in compliance with the Chief Minister's orders. He informed the BN Thimmapuram Sarpanch, in the presence of villagers, that compensation for the R&R houses in BN Thimmapuram would be released within two or three days. This action followed repeated representations regarding the Thimmapuram compensation made by Bhuvanagiri MLA Kumbha Anil Kumar Reddy to Chief Minister Revanth Reddy and Deputy Chief Minister Bhatti Vikramarka; in response, the Chief Minister dispatched the R&R Commissioner and a team of government officials to the Baswapur Reservoir and R&R colony site. Former Bhongir Single Window Chairman Edla Sathi Reddy, Single Window Director Udutha Anjaneyulu, former Deputy Sarpanch Edla Darshan Reddy, Ravula Nandu, Danthuri Narasimha, Vallandas Gandayya, Mora Narsireddy, Nakirekanti Sudhakar, Nakirekanti Ramu, ward members, and villagers participated in this program.

Make Auto Drivers' Strike a Success, Says AITUC Leader B.G. Clement Demand for Welfare Board for Auto Workers



“Khammam, August 15: Indian Chronicle”AITUC State leader B.G. Clement appealed to auto workers and the public to make the indefinite strike by auto workers, scheduled to begin on August 23, a success. He alleged that the State and Central governments were adopting a discriminatory attitude towards auto workers and were failing to implement welfare schemes for their benefit. “An all-party trade unions joint meeting was held on Monday at Giriprasad Bhavan at the CPI office in Khammam, under the chairmanship of Auto Workers Union general secretary Peraboina Mohan Rao. “Speaking as the chief guest, Clement said the Congress government had promised to establish a welfare board for auto workers after coming to power, but nearly three years had passed without the promise being fulfilled. “He alleged that the government had also promised to provide ₹12,000 annually to auto workers under the Indiramma Bharosa scheme, but the issue had not been pursued even after nearly two-and-a-half years. “Clement said free bus services and the growing use of various transport applications were seriously affecting the livelihoods of auto drivers and forcing many workers into financial difficulties. “He demanded that the Central Government immediately take steps to regulate or withdraw services such as Rapido, Uber and Ola and establish a welfare board for motor workers. He stated that the strike would continue until the problems of auto workers were resolved. “CPI State Council member Mohammed Salam said the CPI would extend all possible support to auto workers in their struggle. “AITUC Auto Workers Union leaders Ravula Srinivasa Rao, Sheikh Rafi Ahmed and Vemula Venkateshwarlu; INTUC leaders Palvantha Krishna, Saidulu and S.K. Saleem; BRTU leaders Sheikh Sattar Miya, Jilla Srinivasa Rao and S.K. Jani; and CITU leader Daravath Ramdas attended the meeting. “[10:25 PM, 8/17/2026] +91 96187 88997: End

BJP State Vice-President B. Karthika Chandra Reddy's Birthday Celebrated



“Indian chronicle, Secunderabad, August 17 :” The birthday of BJP State vice-president and former Hyderabad Mayor B. Karthika Chandra Reddy was celebrated with enthusiasm at her residence in Tarnaka on Monday. BJP leaders, party workers, prominent personalities and supporters turned up in large numbers to extend their greetings. “Rajya Sabha member Dr. K. Laxman, former Governor Bandaru Dattatreya, BJP State president N. Ramachandra Rao, former MP Boora Narsaiah Goud, former MLA Chintala Ramachandra Reddy, BJP State general secretary Gautham Rao, vice-presidents Kolli Madhavi and Kalyan Naik, and State secretaries Bandaru Vijayalakshmi, Ravi and Baddam Maipal Reddy were among those present. “BJP Mahila Morcha State president Shilpa Reddy, ST Morcha president Ravi Naik, Malkajgiri district president Bharat Goud, former corporators Ravichari, Amrutha and Uma Ramesh, besides several State executive committee members, senior party leaders and prominent leaders from Secunderabad, also attended the celebrations. “The leaders recalled Ms. Karthika Chandra Reddy's contribution to the development of Hyderabad during her tenure as Mayor and expressed their wish that she would continue her public service with greater vigour in the years ahead. “Party workers and supporters from Tarnaka and neighbouring areas also participated in the celebrations and conveyed their birthday wishes. Ms. Karthika Chandra Reddy thanked everyone who attended the celebrations and conveyed their greetings.

Awareness and Timely Testing Essential for HIV and STIs: Collector Divakar T.S.

““India Fights HIV & STI” Campaign Poster Unveiled”“QR Code Facility Available for Confidential Self-Assessment”“Free and Confidential Assistance Through National AIDS Helpline 1097”“Khammam, August 17: Indian Chronicle”“District Collector Divakar T.S. urged people to create awareness about HIV and sexually transmitted infections (STIs) and undergo timely testing whenever there are doubts or concerns regarding their health.”“As part of the “India Fights HIV & STI” campaign aimed at creating awareness among the public and encouraging timely testing, District Collector Divakar T.S., along with Additional Collectors Dr. P. Sreeja and P. Srinivasa Reddy, unveiled the campaign poster at the Collectorate conference hall on Monday.”“Speaking on the occasion, Collector Divakar T.S. advised people who have any doubts or concerns related to HIV or STIs not to delay seeking information about their health status. Those who require testing should undergo it at the appropriate time and obtain necessary treatment and healthcare services as advised by medical professionals.”“Confidential Self-Assessment Through QR Code”“The Collector said that a digital self-assessment facility for HIV and STI-related risks has been made available as part of the Break Free campaign under the National AIDS Control Organisation (NACO).”“People can scan the QR code displayed on the official campaign poster using their mobile phone camera and confidentially answer simple questions related to their health and possible risk of infection. The self-assessment can help users access information on preventive measures, health guidance, nearby testing centres and other healthcare services, as appropriate.”“He urged people to make use of the facility without hesitation or stigma.”“Services Through National AIDS Helpline 1097”“Officials stated that people seeking information, guidance or assistance regarding HIV and STIs can contact the National Toll-Free AIDS Helpline 1097. The service provides free and confidential information and guidance.”“The Collector directed



the concerned departments to undertake extensive awareness campaigns to dispel myths and fears surrounding HIV and STIs and promote accurate health information among the public.”“District Medical and Health Officer Dr. Rama Rao, DCHS Dr. Rajasekhar, medical officers, district officials and staff attended the poster unveiling programme.

Elderly Woman Alleges She Was Thrown Out of Her Home Without Food

We Will Not Send Our Children to School if This Teacher Continues

16 petitions received at Prajavani; 8 resolved immediately



““Khammam, Nelakondapalli, August 17: Indian Chronicle”“An elderly woman approached the authorities during the Prajavani programme, alleging that her family members were enjoying her property but had failed to provide her with food and had driven her out of the house. Several petitions concerning various public grievances were received during the Prajavani programme held at the Mandal Parishad office in Nelakondapalli on Monday.”“The programme was conducted under the chairmanship of MPDO M. Yarraiah. A total of 16 petitions were received, of which eight were resolved immediately by the officials.”“Seethamma, an elderly woman from Chennaram village, alleged that her family members had taken possession of her two acres of land and were enjoying the property while refusing to provide her with food. She appealed to the authorities to intervene and ensure justice.”“Meanwhile, parents from



Konayigudem village complained about the alleged behaviour of the headmistress of the local school, Lalitha Kumari. They alleged that she was behaving rudely towards parents and was negligent when parents questioned her about school-related issues. They further alleged that she had physically assaulted students.”“The parents also alleged that students were being taken to village functions for meals and that proper teaching was not being provided. They claimed that the headmistress was frequently absent from school and was allegedly showing negligence towards education.”“The parents warned that if the teacher was not transferred, they would stop sending their children to the school and would instead enrol them in private schools.”“Parents including Boddu Prameela, Upender and Cherukupalli Rajesh submitted the complaint to the authorities.”“Tahsildar Ram Prasad, Mandal Education Officer B. Chalapathi Rao and other officials participated in the programme.

BMS Raises the Battle Cry for Workers' Rights

Minimum wage should be increased to Rs 30,000

EPF and ESI wage ceilings should be doubled



“Khammam, August 17: Indian Chronicle” “The Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh (BMS) has been continuously fighting for workers’ welfare, social security, better wages, job security and protection of workers’ rights, said BMS Khammam district president Gorantla Narayana and secretary Yarlagadda Raghava Rao.” “Demanding the immediate resolution of workers’ legitimate issues, the BMS organised a Demands Day Dharna at the R&B Guest House in Khammam on Monday. Later, the leaders submitted a memorandum containing various workers’ demands to the District Collector.” “The leaders said that workers play a crucial role in the economic development of the country and that the nation’s economic progress can be strengthened only when the living standards of workers improve. They stressed the need to provide workers with dignified wages, social security and financial protection in old age in accor-

dance with the rising cost of living.” “The BMS demanded that the minimum monthly wage for workers be fixed at ₹30,000. It also demanded that the ESI wage ceiling be increased from the existing ₹21,000 to ₹42,000, and the EPF wage ceiling from ₹15,000 to ₹30,000.” “The organisation further demanded that the wage ceiling for bonus eligibility be increased from ₹7,000 to ₹18,000, and the bonus eligibility limit from ₹21,000 to ₹42,000.” “The BMS leaders demanded that the minimum pension for workers be increased to ₹7,500, along with dearness allowance and medical facilities. They also demanded implementation of equal pay for equal work for contract workers, along with job security and statutory rights.” “They called for the removal of anti-worker provisions and effective implementation of labour laws to safeguard workers’ rights.” “The BMS also demanded that the gratuity ceiling be

increased to ₹40 lakh and that the banking sector implement a five-day working week. The leaders said social security systems such as EPF and ESI are crucial for workers’ future and urged the government to increase the existing ceilings so that more workers can benefit from these schemes.” “The leaders said an end should be put to practices in which the services of contract workers are utilised while their rights are ignored. They termed it unjust to employ workers without providing equal pay for equal work, job security and social security.

“BMS district president Gorantla Narayana and secretary Yarlagadda Raghava Rao said workers’ problems should not be viewed merely as wage-related issues, but as matters concerning the livelihood security of workers’ families, social justice and the country’s economic progress. They urged the Central Government to positively con-

sider the workers’ demands and resolve them at the earliest.” “They also appealed to the district administration to take immediate action on issues falling within its jurisdiction and to bring matters concerning the State and Central Governments to the attention of the respective authorities.” “Reiterating the BMS principle of “Nation’s Interest – Industry’s Interest – Workers’ Interest,” the leaders said the organisation would continue its struggle for workers’ rights, dignity, welfare and social security. They stated that democratic movements would be intensified until the legitimate demands of workers are addressed.” “BMS district vice-presidents Thodupunuri Ravinder, Rayala Seethaiah and Thota Punna Rao, organising secretary Venugopal Rao, joint secretaries Kamini Venkateswara Rao, Mikkilineni Sunil, Karthik, Madhavi, Naresh, Naveen and others participated in the dharna.

Bonalu Jathara Held Grandly at Pochamma Muthyalamma Temple Bonalu is a symbol of Telangana's culture: Mekala Sarangapani

“Indian Chronicle,” Secunderabad, August 17 : “The Bonalu Jathara was celebrated with great devotion and fervour at the Pochamma Muthyalamma Temple in Sitaphalmandi Division on Sunday. A large number of devotees thronged the temple, offered Bonalu and performed special prayers seeking the blessings of the deities. “BJP District General Secretary and contested MLA Mekala Sarangapani visited the temple on the occasion and performed special pujas and abhishekam to Goddess Pochamma and Muthyalamma. He later offered prayers seeking the blessings of the goddesses for the well-being, good health and prosperity of all



people. “Sarangapani said that the Bonalu festival is a symbol of Telangana's rich culture and traditions. He wished that, with the blessings of the goddesses, people would lead peaceful and prosperous lives and every family would progress. “Devotees offered Bonalu with devotion and fulfilled their vows. The temple premises witnessed a festive atmosphere with the arrival of a large number of devotees. “BJP senior leaders Samrat Mallikarjun, Kranthigiri, Chander, Mutha Ganesh, Saidatthu and Sriramulu, among others, participated in the special puja programme. Temple organisers and devotees welcomed the leaders.

DMHO Conducts Surprise Inspections at Private Medical Establishments in Khammam

“Khammam, August 17: Indian Chronicle” “The District Medical and Health Officer (DMHO), Dr. D. Rama Rao, conducted surprise inspections at private medical establishments in Khammam district, including Madhavi Clinic, Srinivasa Nagar, Dr. Health Homoeopathy and Mitra Diagnostic Centre. “During the inspections, officials examined the medical services being provided, details of doctors and staff, patient records, registration certificates, fire safety arrangements, biomedical waste management, storage of medicines, laboratory facilities and other relevant records. “The DMHO directed the managements of the establishments to strictly comply with the Clinical Establishments Act and all other rules and standards prescribed by the government. He stressed the need to provide quality medical services, transparent treatment, a clean environment and proper maintenance of all required records for the safety and well-being of patients. “The managements were instructed to submit the necessary details regarding the observations made during the inspections. Dr. Rama Rao made it clear that appropriate legal action would be taken if any violations of the prescribed rules were found. “He further directed all private hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, diagnostic centres and other medical establishments in the district to strictly follow government regulations and give the highest priority to patient safety and quality healthcare services. — District Medical & Health Officer, “Khammam District

Government Must Clarify Its Stand on Journalists' House Sites TWJF Urges Immediate Resolution of Journalists' Issues

“TWJF Leaders Meet Minister Ponguleti Srinivas Reddy” “Khammam August 17: Indian Chronicle” “The Telangana Working Journalists Federation (TWJF) has demanded that the state government clearly announce its policy on the allotment of house sites to journalists. Federation leaders said it was not appropriate to delay the allotment of house sites to eligible journalists citing the Supreme Court judgment as a reason. “On Monday, TWJF State President Mamidi Somaiah and General Secretary Tanneeru Srinivas, along with other leaders, met Ponguleti Srinivas Reddy, Minister for Information & Public Relations, Revenue and Housing, at the Secretariat. They held detailed discussions on various issues faced by journalists and submitted a memorandum containing several demands. “Accreditation for Cable and IP News Channels” “The TWJF leaders urged the government to immediately issue accreditation cards to all eligible cable television news channels operating in the state. They also requested the government to extend accreditation facilities to Internet Protocol (IP)-based news channels. “They appealed to the minister to take steps to provide four accreditation cards at the district level and 12 at the state level for cable news channels. “Health Cards for All Eligible Journalists” “The federation leaders brought to the minister's notice the difficulties being faced by journalists with regard to health cards, despite accreditation cards being issued to them. “They requested the government to provide health cards to all eligible journalists on par with government employees and ensure free medical treatment at private and corporate hospitals. “House Sites for All Eligible Journalists” “The TWJF leaders urged the government to explore all possible legal avenues and take steps to allot house sites to all eligible journalists, irrespective of the Supreme Court judgment. “They



also requested that the families of journalists who died while on duty or due to other reasons be considered under the scheme. The leaders further appealed to the government to identify journalists who played a significant role in the Telangana movement and provide them with special assistance and welfare measures. “Clear Pending Advertisement Bills” “The federation demanded immediate payment of government advertisement bills pending for the past two years to small and medium-sized newspapers. “They also requested the government to include small and medium newspapers in the government advertisement empanelment system and extend necessary support for their continued survival. “Pension for Retired Journalists” “The TWJF demanded the introduction and implementation of a special pension scheme for senior and retired journalists. “The federation also requested the government to issue a special Government Order (GO) providing free education in private schools and colleges for the children of journalists, irrespective of their level of education. “In addition, the leaders demanded free life insurance coverage for all journalists and urged the government to introduce a scheme providing ?10 lakh insurance compensation to the family of a journalist in the event of their death. “Minister Assures Positive Action” “The federation leaders said that Minister Ponguleti Srinivas Reddy assured them that the issues raised by journalists would be examined positively and that necessary steps would be taken to resolve them at the earliest. “Those who met the minister included TWJF National Council Member Kuncham Srinivas, Hyderabad District Convener V. Ravikumar, Co-Conveners R. Srinivas Goud and S. Ravikumar, among others.

Sri Pochamma Maisamma Temple Hosts Odi Biyyam and Annadanam

Indian Chronicle, Secunderabad, August 17 :“The Odi Biyyam and Annadanam (food distribution) programme was held at Sri Pochamma Maisamma Temple in Ambanagar with devotion and enthusiasm. The programme was organised under the leadership of Ambanagar President Konda Kishore Goud. “Former Ward Member Manda Jagan, Executive Member Ajay, Vallapu Narasimha, Krishna Reddy, Rampanthini Ramesh, General Secretary Vinod Kumar, Samudrala Raju, Vice-President Manda Murali, Rambathini Narsing Rao, Joint Secretary Racha Shankaraiah, Gabbeta Raju, Organiser Vallapu Murali, Uday Goud, Gabbeta Venkatesh, Treasurer Rajesh Goud and others participated in the programme.

BRS alleges ‘conspiracy’ to stall Kalyana Lakshmi, Shaadi Mubarak schemes

Former MLC Naradasu Lakshman Rao demands statutory backing for the welfare programmes; party cadres stage protest in Karimnagar.

Karimnagar August 17 (Correspondent): Former BRS MLC Naradasu Lakshman Rao has alleged that the Congress government was attempting to undermine the Kalyana Lakshmi and Shaadi Mubarak schemes as it was unable to fulfil its electoral promise of providing a tola of gold to brides.

Mr. Lakshman Rao was speaking at a protest organised by BRS cadres at Telangana Chowk here on Monday. The demonstration was held following a call given by the BRS State leadership and under the directions of former Minister and Karimnagar MLA Gangula Kamalakar. The protest was led by city BRS president Challa Harishankar.

Mr. Lakshman Rao alleged that the government had, “from behind the scenes”, facilitated the filing of a case in the High Court and failed to take adequate steps to protect the two welfare schemes after a stay order was issued.

Seeks legal backing

The BRS leaders alleged that although the government had been given four weeks to file its counter in the case, it failed to respond within the stipulated period. They further alleged that the government subsequently sought another four weeks but did not act on the matter, resulting in the continuation of the legal uncertainty surrounding the schemes.

Mr. Lakshman Rao demanded that the government appoint competent legal experts and take immediate steps to provide statutory backing to Kalyana Lakshmi and Shaadi Mubarak.

He also demanded that a special Bill be introduced in the forthcoming Assembly session to provide legal backing to the schemes. Failure to do so would prompt the BRS to launch a State-wide agitation, he warned.

BRS city president Challa Harishankar and former Library Organisation chairman Ponnani Anil Kumar also criticised the government’s handling of the issue.

A large number of BRS leaders, corporators, former corporators, youth and minority wing leaders, activists and women cadres participated in the protest and raised slogans against the government.



Public Grievances to be Resolved Promptly After Field-Level Verification

“Mancherla, August 17(indian chronicle)“District Collector Kumar Deepak said that applications received through the Prajavani grievance programme would be thoroughly verified at the field level and steps would be taken for their speedy resolution. “The Collector, along with Additional Collectors P. Chandraiah and V. Ramulu, District Revenue Officer Mothiram and Trainee Deputy Collector Mohammed Vilayat Ali, attended the Prajavani programme held at the Integrated District Offices Complex in Naspur on Monday and received applications from the public. “Several citizens submitted petitions seeking assistance on housing, land disputes, irrigation, agricultural power connections and sanitation issues. Among them, Lingampalli Lakshmi of Gandhinagar in Kyathanpalli requested a double-bedroom house, stating that she was earning her livelihood as a daily wage worker. “Mogili Mallaiah of Vempalli village in Hajipur mandal sought intervention over an alleged dispute concerning his inherited land. Peddaboyin Shyamalatha, Sarpanch of Mala Gurujala village in Bellampalli mandal, requested immediate assistance for repairing the irrigation structure to support farmers in the village. “Gavvala Rajamani and Perugu Tirupathi of Thimmapur village in Laxetipet mandal submitted separate petitions seeking free electricity connections for cultivation on their patta lands. “Oruganti Narasamma of Andalam-ma Colony in Mancherla town sought removal of a dumping yard located near her house, alleging that mosquitoes and flies were causing health problems. “Bhagyalakshmi of Srirampur Colony in Naspur mandal requested sanction of an Indiramma house. “The Collector directed the concerned officials to conduct a detailed field-level examination of every application received through Prajavani and take necessary steps for early resolution. “He also urged people to make use of the Prajavani programme being conducted at the mandal level at the offices of the Mandal Parishad Development Officers. “Officials concerned and others participated in the programme.

Spot Admissions to Gurukul Schools

“Mancherla, August 17(indian chronicle)“Spot admission counselling will be conducted on August 20 to fill vacancies from Class V to Class IX in nine Telangana Social Welfare Gurukul schools in the district for the academic year 2026–27, District Collector Kumar Deepak said. “The vacancies are available in five boys’ and four girls’ Gurukul schools under various community/caste categories. Only students who appeared for the VTG CET/BLV CET–2026 entrance examination are eligible to apply. “Special priority will be given to orphan and semi-orphan students. Eligible students should appear in person at the Integrated District Offices Complex, Naspur, between 10 AM and 12 noon on August 20. “The merit list will be prepared after 2 PM. Vacancies will be filled as per the prescribed rules and based on the merit order in the VTG CET/BLV CET–2026 rank card after giving priority to eligible orphan and semi-orphan students. “Applicants should bring the VTG CET/BLV CET–2026 rank card, caste/community certificate, bonafide certificate, orphan/semi-orphan documents and other relevant certificates. “The Collector urged eligible students to make use of the opportunity.

Applications received in Prajavani should be resolved quickly without any pending issues:- Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Collector Anurag Jayanti

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau.. Indian Chronicle.. August 17):- District Collector Anurag Jayanti said that applications received in Prajavani should be resolved quickly without any pending issues. On Monday, at a Prajavani program held at the Collectorate Conference Hall, the District Collector along with Additional Collector of Local Bodies Bhaskar Rao received 102 applications from people of various areas. The concerned officials should examine and resolve the applications received in Prajavani from time to time without any pending issues. “It was informed that 66 applications were received from the Revenue Department, 7 from the Municipality, 6 from the Survey Lands, 4 from the Special Deputy Unit, 3 from the Rural Development Department, 2 from the SC Development Department, 2 from the Irrigation Department, 2 from the Housing Department, 2 from the Education Department, 2 from the DLPO Department, 2 from the BC Welfare Department, 1 from the Medical and Health Department, 1 from the Handloom and Textiles Department, 1 from the Employment Generation Department, 1 from the District Welfare Department, and 1 from the Zilla Parishad Department.

The fight won't stop until the funds are released..

BRS is clear..

Kalyanlaxmi, Shadi Mubarak pending funds should be released immediately

..“August 17. Venkatapuram. Indian Chronicle.” “At the call of BRS Party Working President, Shri KtR, a huge protest event was held in Venkatapuram constituency of Mulugu district as part of the state-wide protests organized by BRS party against anti-public policies of the State Government.” “Party leaders and activists, led by BRS Mandal President Gampa Rambabu, protested on the national road wearing black badges and making statements against the government. The memo was later presented to the official at the MRO office in Mandala.” “On this occasion, the BRS leaders said.. Kalyanlakshmi demanded that the High Court stay on Shadi Mubarak's plans be immediately vacated and



funds for around 1.5 lakh pending applications should be released immediately. The government is right to be reckless when it comes to welfare schemes that support poor, middle-class families.” “He asked for the immediate release of pending funds so that every eligible family can benefit from Kalyanlakshmi and Shadi Mubarak schemes. He warned that if the delay in release of funds continues, more worry programs will be undertaken statewide.” “The leaders have made it clear that the BRS party will constantly fight on the side of the people to solve public problems.” “The event was attended by BRS senior leaders Chidem Ravikumar, Velpuri Lakshminarayana, Mancharla Nageshwararao, Batta Nagender, Gaddam Vivek, Ponganti Krishnaravao, Youth President Nani, Rajesh, Shantamoorthi, Begga Sambhivarao, Sarpanchs Adilakshmi, Ompati as well as a large number of BRS leaders and activists.

Hari University to Host Orientation Day on August 18

“Hyderabad, August 17 (Indian Chronicle) : Hari University will conduct its Orientation Day programme on August 18. Prof. Dr. V. Balakista Reddy, Chairman of the Telangana State Council of Higher Education (TGCH), will attend the event as the chief guest. Prof. Dr. Balakista Reddy is an expert in international, aviation and space law. He has served as Vice-Chancellor and Registrar of NALSAR University of Law and as Dean of the School of Law at Mahindra University. He holds an LL.M. from Osmania University and an M.Phil. and Ph.D. from Jawaharlal Nehru University. With more than 25 years of experience in teaching and research, he has made significant contributions to the field of legal education. The university authorities said the Orientation Day aims to provide guidance and inspiration to students as they begin their academic journey.”



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“Tarnaka, August 17 (INDIAN CHRONICLE):” “Osmania University has organized National Space Day (NSD) 2026 in collaboration with National Remote Sensing Centre, ISRO on 14th August 2026. This program is also associated with IETE, IEEE, Institution of Engineers, Telangana State Centre and Electronics club. The Program was inaugurated by Honourable Vice Chancellor, Osmania University Prof. Kumar Molugaram. The Guest of Honour for this program is Dr. R. Srinivas, Head, SPOD, NRSC Jeedimetla, ISRO. This is the 3rd in series of conduct of NSD, by Dept of ECE, UCE, OU. This program is attended by Prof. P. Chandrasekar, Principal, UCE, OU and Prof. P. Naveen Kumar, Head, Dept. of ECE, UCE, OU. There were various ISRO scale models of Space launchers, satellites, posters, Moon 3D and Earth 3D globes, were displayed for the students and participants. Also, the ISRO's Space on Wheels bus was also displayed at OU. In this bus, various current and future space technological scale models and ISRO missions were also exhibited. Also, various competitions such as Slogan writing competition, painting, Teaching and Non teaching competitions were organized. Many students from Schools and Colleges have participated in this Outreach program.” “Speaking on this occasion, the Honourable VC, OU, Prof. Kumar, has informed that, ISRO is doing excellent work and commendable works have been carried out. He has visited the Space on Wheels bus and appreciated the exhibits of all ISRO current and future missions such as the scale



models of New Generation Launch Vehicle, Gaganyaan, Bharat Antariksh station, Chandrayaan 4 etc. He has also appreciated the efforts of NRSC, Outreach Jeedimetla, ISRO and Dept of ECE, UCE, OU in their continuous efforts, in creating the awareness in the Indian Space Science and Space Technologies. The Guest of Honour Dr. R. Srinivas from ISRO has given awareness about the important and remarkable achievements of ISRO and also, he has provided information to students related to opportunities in ISRO. He provided information to students related to NRSC, outreach facility for Industrial visits and the facilities available at the NRSC, outreach, Jeedimetla, for Industrial visits. The Principal has informed that, the Dept of ECE, UCE, OU is doing good research work in various areas of Space technologies. Prof. P. Naveen Kumar, the Head of the Dept of ECE, OU, has informed that, the OU has MoU with NRSC, ISRO and for the past few years, many seminars, workshops, outreach programs, skill development programs are conducted and trained the manpower, in collaboration with ISRO, IEEE etc. In the Valedictory program the Chief Guest - Chairman, Institution of Engineers, Telangana State Center, Prof. Ramana Naik and Guest of Honour, Prof. Krishnanaiah, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, OU, have distributed the certificates and prizes to all the winners in various competitions at both School and College levels.

ITL Anchors its Next Global R&D Chapter in Greater Noida with Landmark 25-Acre Agricultural Innovation Hub, Inspired by CM Yogi Adityanath Ji's Progressive Vision

Hyderabad: International Tractors Limited (ITL), India's No.1 tractor export brand and the owner of flagship brand Sonalika Tractors, is all set to establish a new 25 acre Global Research & Development Centre in Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh. The development follows a meeting between Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh, Shri Yogi Adityanath Ji with ITL's Management in Lucknow. The new proposed Global R&D Centre by ITL is envisioned as a global advanced engineering hub for building future-ready technologies and farmer-centric innovation. The new greenfield facility represents a natural progression of ITL's three-decade journey of transforming agriculture through its 'Jeetne ka DUM'. The meeting centred on ITL's vision for its next phase of agricultural innovation and how the brand is aligned with Uttar Pradesh's growing role as a destination for technology-led industrial investment. This new facility will further strengthen ITL's capabilities to create a powerful ecosystem where engineering expertise is combined with insights from farmers to develop agri solutions tailored as per Indian & global market needs. The new centre is also expected to contribute to the state's broader innovation ecosystem through high-value engineering, skill development, employment generation and technology-led industrial advancement, marking a significant step in the company's long-term innovation roadmap for the state. Mr. Raman Mittal, Joint Managing Director, International Tractors Limited, said, "It was an honour to meet Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh, Shri Yogi Adityanath Ji, and share our vision for ITL's new 25-acre Global R&D Facility in Greater Noida, UP."



TribeVibe Entertainment and Alphonso Studios announce the return of Navratri Utsav with the undisputed Queen of Garba: Falguni Pathak, for nine unforgettable nights in Mumbai

Hyderabad: "Every Navratri, one name becomes synonymous with the spirit of the season: Falguni Pathak. For almost four decades, she has been the unmistakable voice of the festival, bringing generations together through music and tradition, year after year. This October, produced and promoted by TribeVibe Entertainment and Alphonso Studios, Navratri Utsav 2026 returns to Mumbai as India's biggest and premium Navratri celebration. Taking place from October 11th to 19th, 2026, at the Jio World Convention Centre, the nine-night spectacle will once again see the undisputed Queen of Garba, Falguni Pathak, perform live every single night, making it the country's definitive and immersive Navratri experience under one roof. "An exclusive pre-sale of tickets will go live for consumers who purchased tickets to last year's edition on Tuesday, August 12th at 12:00 PM IST. General On-Sale of tickets will go live on Thursday, August 13th, 2026 at 1:00 PM exclusively on BookMyShow. "Speaking on the return of Navratri Utsav, Falguni Pathak said, "Navratri has always been more than a festival for me, it is an emotion that brings people together through music, devotion and celebration. Every year, it is incredibly special to see generations come together to sing, dance and create memories that last a lifetime. I am truly blessed and excited to return for Navratri Utsav 2026 at the Jio World Convention Centre, a venue that allows us to celebrate on an even grander scale, without interruptions. There is nothing quite like sharing these nine nights with thousands of people who come together for the same joy, energy and tradition. I can't wait to celebrate with everyone once again." "Shoven Shah, Founder & CEO, TribeVibe Entertainment, added, "Navratri Utsav was envisioned as an experience that honours the essence of India's most loved festival while elevating it through world class production and execution. Together with Alphonso Studios, we are proud to bring back an event that has become a landmark celebration for audiences across generations. With Falguni Pathak performing live across all nine nights in a premium indoor setting, Navratri Utsav 2026 will once again deliver an experience unlike any other."

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