



Amit Shah to lay foundation stone for Rs 379 crore flyovers in Ahmedabad

Ahmedabad: Union Home Minister Amit Shah will lay the foundation stone on Sunday for two major flyover projects in Ahmedabad's western region, marking a significant step in the city's urban infrastructure development. The Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) has announced that the Rs 379 crore initiative aims to decongest key traffic corridors and improve daily commute efficiency for lakhs of residents. The two flyovers - one along the Law Garden - CN Vidyalaya route and another parallel to the Chimanbhai Patel Bridge - are scheduled to be completed within 34 months. According to AMC Standing Committee Chairman Devang Dani, these projects are designed to address growing traffic challenges in some of the city's busiest zones. The 770-metre Law Garden flyover, estimated at Rs 142.02 crore, will ease movement across Panchwati Crossroads, Ambawadi Circle, and CN Vidyalaya, benefiting over 1.5 lakh commuters daily. The larger project, a Rs 237.32 crore three-tier



overpass near Chimanbhai Patel Bridge, will span nearly 2,000 metres and connect to Subhash Bridge. The Indian Railways will construct the section over the railway tracks, while AMC will develop the rest, including space beneath the flyover for civic utility. Ahmedabad alone has seen the launch of several major flyovers, including recent projects like the Law Garden-CN Vidyalaya and Chimanbhai Patel Bridge extensions, worth a combined Rs 379 crore, Dani

said. These flyovers are designed to ease traffic at high-density junctions and are expected to benefit over 1.5 lakh daily commuters. In Surat, the civic body has invested heavily in multi-level flyovers and corridor development to address chronic traffic bottlenecks, especially near industrial zones and railway crossings. Vadodara and Rajkot have also implemented strategic flyovers to streamline intra-city travel and reduce commute times. Many of these projects are funded through a mix of state government allocations, municipal budgets, and assistance from central schemes. Many of Gujarat's flyover projects are financed through a combination of state infrastructure funds, municipal budgets, and central government schemes like AMRUT and Smart Cities Mission. Technical partnerships with firms such as L&T, Afcons, and ICON have brought advanced engineering solutions, including pre-cast segmental construction and noise-reducing surfaces.

Former MLA Vallabhaneni Vamsi Remanded in Another Case

Vallabhaneni Vamsi, a leader of the YSR Congress Party and former MLA for Gannavaram, has been remanded again by the Nuzvidu court in connection with the distribution of fake house titles in Bapulapadu. The police executed a PT warrant and arrested Vamsi before presenting him in court, where he has been remanded for a period of 14 days until the 29th of this month. His close associate, Olupalli Mohan Ranga Rao, has also been remanded alongside him. Vamsi currently faces a total of eight cases, having been granted bail or anticipatory bail in five of them. A ruling on the attack case at the Gannavaram TDP office is expected to be announced today. However, Vamsi has yet to secure bail in the Bapulapadu fake house title case as well as in a newly registered mining case. His legal troubles date back to a kidnapping charge for which he was arrested on February 13 of this year. In total, he has already served 93 days as a remanded prisoner. As it stands, he will remain in custody until he secures bail in his latest cases.



Supreme Court Denies Anticipatory Bail to Kakani Govardhan Reddy Over Illegal Mining Case



In a significant development, the Supreme Court of India has denied anticipatory bail to Kakani Govardhan Reddy, a former minister in Andhra Pradesh and leader of the YSR Congress Party, in connection with an illegal quartz mining case. The case against Reddy was initiated at the Podalakur police station in February and includes allegations of illegal quartz mining, transportation, and the unlawful use of explosives. Currently, Reddy is reportedly absconding, raising concerns and generating extensive discussion across the state. The Supreme Court's decision is expected to have considerable repercussions in political circles as Kakani Govardhan Reddy's legal troubles unfold.

PM Modi, HM Shah wish Sikkim on statehood day; praise its beauty, rich culture and sustainable development

New Delhi: On the occasion of Sikkim's Statehood Day, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday, extended his greetings to the people of the state, praising its serene beauty, rich cultural traditions and industrious people. "Warm greetings to the people of Sikkim on their Statehood Day! This year, the occasion is even more special as we mark the 50th anniversary of Sikkim's statehood! Sikkim is associated with serene beauty, rich cultural traditions and industrious people. It has made strides in diverse sectors. May the people of this beautiful state continue to prosper," PM Modi wrote in a post on X. Union Home Minister Amit Shah also extended his heartfelt wishes to the people of Sikkim. Taking to social media platform X, Shah wrote, "On Sikkim Day, extending my best wishes to sisters and brothers of Sikkim. Cradled in the Himalayas, Sikkim has set benchmarks of excellence in organic agriculture and tourism with the hard work and hospitality of its people. Praying for the state's continued prosperity." Sikkim, India's second smallest state, was granted full statehood on May 16, 1975, and has since



emerged as a leader in sustainable development and eco-friendly initiatives. Joining in the celebration, Union Minister and BJP National President J.P. Nadda also conveyed his greetings through a post on X. "My heartfelt greetings to all my brothers and sisters of Sikkim on their Statehood Day. Sikkim is not only gifted with breathtaking scenic beauty but also home to hardworking and dedicated people who are contributing to the nation's progress. May Sikkim continue to script new chapters of success, and may its people be blessed with good health, happiness and prosperity," he wrote. Union

Minister Piyush Goyal, also shared his warm wishes. He highlighted Sikkim's achievements in sustainable development and tourism, stating, "Warm greetings to my sisters and brothers from Sikkim on their Statehood Day. Known for its scenic beauty, rich cultural heritage, and vibrant tourism sector, Sikkim has made remarkable strides in sustainable development initiatives over the years. Wishing the people of Sikkim continued progress and prosperity." Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma marked the occasion with a message emphasising the state's environmental and social progress. "To our sisters and brothers in Sikkim, I send my best wishes on the golden jubilee of your Statehood. Nestled amidst lush greenery and affectionate people, the State has positioned itself as a model of sustainable development. Prayers for its continued growth and prosperity," he posted on X. As Sikkim celebrates its 50th year of statehood, leaders across the nation have applauded its path-breaking achievements in sustainability, ecotourism, and organic farming reaffirming its status as a model state in India's developmental journey.

Pakistan's Response to India's Operation Sindoor: A Shift in Military Strategy

Pakistan's strategies and missiles failed against India when the latter launched Operation Sindoor last week. Pakistan is in a state of shock as India was able to hit its target with utmost precision, damaging its airbases, drones, missiles and even its air jets. Experts say India's attack on Pakistan's economy is an irreparable blow. India displayed the strength of its Made-in-India missiles. The Indian airstrikes launched 24 missiles in 25 minutes, causing a tremor. These strikes are still a mystery to the Pakistan Army. The world also praised India's accuracy on the

battlefield. Amid this chaos, it seems like Pakistan has decided to be more cautious. Reports suggest the Pakistan Army is considering moving its general headquarters from Chaklala in Rawalpindi to Islamabad because of the recent strikes. Satellite images show that at least two military transport vehicles were damaged in the airstrikes. Pakistan was alerted after the roofs of a warehouse and fuel trucks were destroyed. The wreckage is visible near the runway in the images. Pakistan is considering moving its operational base from Chaklala in



Rawalpindi to Islamabad. It is also being said that Pakistan is thinking about relocating the Nur Khan Air Base, which is only 10

km from Islamabad. The Nur Khan base houses transport squadrons, fueling units, and an Air Force College. The current

Nur Khan Air Base is located near the Pakistan Army's Strategic Planning Division Headquarters, which manages Pakistan's nuclear weapons. Pakistan is said to have up to 170 nuclear weapons across the country. India's BrahMos missiles can target about 11 air bases in Pakistan. This is a major concern for Pakistan. Because of this, Pakistan seems to be quickly planning to move its army headquarters. Meanwhile, with the declaration of Balochistan's liberation, Pakistan is expected to be more vigilant in its defense.

BRS leaders criticize the Tirupatis family in paternalism ...



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Recently, Sakshi senior journalist Tirupatis father, Marepalli Anjaiah, has been known. Anjaiah Nagar Retail Vegetable Market Chairman Makkala Satyanarayana, BRS BC Cell President Balaraj and Nagesh Mudiraj have criticized the family members at their residence in the headquarters of Mahabubnagar district. gave courage to the Tirupatis family. paid homage to the Marepalli Anjaiah film.

Pipeline Cleaning Tasks in the 15th Division Viharika Colony...

Bandari Ravinder, senior leaders of the Congress party inspected the site



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In view of the upcoming rainy season, senior leaders of the Congress party, Bandari Ravinder, examined the mission of mud and garbage by the mission to make the water easier from the main pipeline in the 15th Division Viharika Colony Road No. 4 under the Peerzadiguda Municipal Corporation Drainage before the start of the rainy season. Cleaning the main pipelines will be free of trouble for the colonists and the authorities have been asked to take relief measures in all colonies

Nara Lokesh lays stone for Renew Power Complex in Anantapur

Minister Nara Lokesh announced that the state is witnessing a surge in large-scale industries following the formation of the coalition government, attributing this growth to Chief Minister Chandrababu Naidu's influential brand. Lokesh officiated the ground-breaking ceremony for the Renew Power Complex located in Bethapalli, Guthi Mandal, Anantapur district, which will be established on 2,300 acres at an investment of ₹22,000 crores. Speaking at the event, Lokesh pledged to create 10,000 jobs through the Renew Power Complex in Rayalaseema, reaffirming his commitment made in the election manifesto to provide 2 million jobs for the unemployed youth across the state. He highlighted that the electricity generated from this project would not only meet the local needs but also contribute to the nation's energy requirements, while also aiming to reduce electricity tariffs through such initiatives. Additionally, Lokesh announced plans to establish a High Court bench in Kurnool and criticised the previous government for failing to maintain road infrastructure and attract investment. He noted that significant companies, including Tata Energy and TCS, are currently investing in the region. Furthermore, he revealed that 16,000 teaching positions would be filled next month through the Direct Recruitment Test (DSC)



Tungaturthi Ravis received Sevaratna award

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Tungaturthi Ravi, born in a normal middle -class family, is a human service msn and establishes the RV Foundation with the intention of establishing the RV Foundation with the intention of setting up free medical camps,



blood donation camps, books for orphaned children, and the construction of the flood victims, the flood victims, the flood victims. The distribution of essential commodities at the time, Tungaturthi Ravi is an ideal for many people

who are conducting social service activities like sports competitions for young people. Tungaturthi Ravi recognized the community services and honored the Tungaturthi Ravi with the Seva Ratna award at the

Nataraj Academy 17th Anniversary Celebrations. Former Telangana state SC Chairman Errolla Srinivas participated in the event under the auspices of Nataraj Academy and Akshathi Foundation at the main auditorium of Hyderabad. Speaking on the occasion, Tungaturthi Ravi said that the award was more excited for the Nataraja Academy, who was honored with the Seva Ratna Award, and said that we should help the four of us and our own social responsibility. Members of the Nataraj Academy of the program organizers of the program Artists, doctors and others participated.

AGM, EAST COAST RAILWAY, INTERACTS WITH STAFF AND OFFICERS AT VISAKHAPATNAM



Shri Mohes Kumar Behera, Additional General Manager (AGM) of East Coast Railway, conducted an inspection at Visakhapatnam today and participated in the Biennial General Body Meeting (BGM) of the All India Guards Council (AIGC) held at the Railway Institute, Visakhapatnam. He was accompanied by Shri Lalit Bohra, Divisional Railway Manager. During his visit, Shri Mohes Kumar Behera engaged in significant interactions with staff, Train Managers (Guards), and officers. In his address, he emphasized the paramount importance of safety, security, and enhanced passenger amenities. He urged all the staff & Officers to work diligently towards

reducing passenger complaints by addressing issues promptly and efficiently. While interacting with the Train Managers, AGM Shri MK Behera highlighted their critical roles and responsibilities, and encouraged open discussion regarding their grievances, suggestions, and any support required from the administration. He assured them of the administrations commitment to providing a conducive work environment. In his meeting with officers, AGM advocated for the implementation of good governance and robust administrative practices. He stressed the need to focus on cleanliness, freight loading, safe train operations, and track maintenance.

Shri MK Behera also advised officers to prioritize infrastructural development to meet the targets set by the Railway Board. He called for the preparation of comprehensive action plans to overcome challenges through effective planning and teamwork. Shri MK Behera AGM in his motivating address to all staff and officers advocated to with their full potential and to work collectively towards achieving set targets, thereby contributing to the progress and betterment of the nation. ADRM Operations Shri Manoj Kumar Sahoo, ADRM Infra Shri E Santharam and branch officers of various departments were present in the meeting held at DRM Office.



Brahmotsavas at Sri Venkateswara Swamy Temple in Ramnagar, Hyderabad

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The Brahmotsavas were held at the Ramnagar Division Venkateswara Swamy Temple in Musheerabad constituency. Musheerabad legislators participated in the special puja of the Muta Gopal and visited them. Afterwards, the MLA was covered with shawl and pilgrimage under the auspices of the temple committee. In the puja of these Brahmotsavas BRS state youth leaders Muta Jai Simha, temple EO Annapurna, local division president Shankar Mudiraj, secretary



Damodar Reddy, BRS senior leaders Mudikonda Murali, Indrasena Reddy, Goka Naveen, Media

Incharg Gupta, Amar, Sai Chanikya Reddy and others participated.

Bandla Ganesh Meets Chandrababu Naidu, Shares Special Moment

Bandla Ganesh is a well-known person in the Telugu film world. He is often known for uttering fun and bold things in public. Recently, he spoke about a time when Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister Chandrababu Naidu helped him. Ganesh said he had a problem for five years, and Chandrababu fixed it in just a few minutes. Ganesh called him a kind and helpful leader. Today, Ganesh met Chandrababu in person. They had a happy meeting. Chandrababu gave Ganesh a warm hug. It was a special moment for Ganesh. A photo of their meeting is now popular on social media. Many people are sharing it online.



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HUMAN RELATIONS!

What days have come!
Never expected days!
Friendly relations come down!
Cordial relations not seen!
Alas! Even parental relations disappearing!

Selfishness grow more and more!
Monetary calculations play main role!
Past connections are forgotten!
Encircled thoughts born in mind!
As if alighted from heaven!

Joint families remained as stories!
No sharing of feelings with near and dear!
Aloofness became modern life style!
Never think that a man is social animal!
Even in animals we find courtesy and unity in need!



Why do we pay a deaf ear to elders advice?
Who can guarantee all the time in our favour only?
A day will certainly come, you need others help!
Nobody stand beside us for rescue!
What you sow is reap, is law of life!

After all we are human beings, better to maintain minimum relations for the sake of future generations safety!

Composed by:
B. Satyanarayana Rao,
(Ba. Sa. Raa.)
Vijayawada.

Pawan Kalyan prays for strength to armed forces, calls for national unity



Andhra Pradesh Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan has expressed his deep concern over the recent terrorist attack in Pahalgam, Jammu and Kashmir, describing it as a tragedy that has shaken the entire nation. Taking to social media platform X, Kalyan announced that under the banner of his party, Jana Sena, prayers representing all faiths are being offered for national security. In his statement, Kalyan expressed gratitude towards the Indian armed forces, who he credited with demonstrating remarkable courage through Operation Sindoor. This operation aims to dismantle terrorist networks in Pakistan and Pakistan-occupied Kashmir, as well as countering the support provided by the Pakistan Army. He extended his sincere thanks to the security personnel, whom he described as a protective shield for the country. Highlighting an ongoing efforts to unify various communities, Kalyan revealed that all-faith prayers are being held at multiple temples, mosques, and churches, including the six Shasta Shanmukha temples of Devasena Subrahmanya Swamy in Tamil Nadu, four temples in Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh, Indrakeeladri Durgamma temple, and Arasavalli Sri Suryanarayana Swamy temple. He acknowledged the efforts of Jana Sena leaders and supporters in organising these prayers and especially thanked those from diverse religions who participated. Kalyan urged all citizens to unite in solidarity to protect India's sovereignty and eradicate terrorism, calling for a shared commitment to national unity.

छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज ने कभी अंधविश्वास से काम नहीं लिए। कोई ज्योतिषी के या अन्य कोई मांत्रिक, तांत्रिकों के शरण नहीं गए। क्या उनका जीवन हमारे लिए उत्तम आदर्श नहीं है? ... (शकील उवाचा -361)



धर्म की दृष्टि में ज्ञान को बहुत ही महत्व है। अज्ञानी हर तरह के अंधविश्वास में अपने आपको जखड़ लेता है। अज्ञानी द्वारा ईश्वर में रखी श्रद्धा याने विश्वास भी कोई काम की नहीं होती जबकि ज्ञानी का विश्वास बहुत ही अर्थपूर्ण होता है। जिस तरह ईश्वर में विश्वास रखते हैं और जो ईश्वर में विश्वास नहीं रखते एक समान नहीं हो सकते वैसे ही जिनके पास ज्ञान है और जिनके पास ज्ञान नहीं है कभी यह दोनो समान नहीं हो सकते।

पवित्र कुरान, अध्याय क्रमांक 39, सुराह अज जुमर, आयत क्रमांक 09 में पैगंबर साहब (स्व.) से लोगों से एक सरल सवाल करने को कहने की बात आई है, कहा गया है के, "(ऐ रसूल स्व.) तुम पूछो तो कि भला कहीं जानने वाले लोग और नाजानने वाले लोग बराबर हो सकते हैं? (मगर) नसीहतो इबरत (उपदेश और पाठ) तो बस अक्लमंद ही लोग मानते हैं।" याने भले ही लोग दिखने में सभी समान नजर आते हो लेकिन यह हो ही नहीं सकता के ज्ञानी और अज्ञानी एक समान हो।

कोई भी ज्ञानी और जागा हुआ व्यक्ति कभी अंध. विश्वास में अपने आपको बर्बाद नहीं करता। सच्चे संतो ने पाखंडी ज्योतिषों के विरोध में अच्छी मुहिम चलाई है। झूठे ज्योतिषी, पाखंडी, मांत्रिक और तांत्रिकों की चालबाजी के बारे में जनता को होशियार किए हैं। इन संतो से यह ढोंगी बहुत चिढ़ते थे और उन्हें पसंद नहीं करते थे। और न ही संतो ने इन ढोंगियों को कभी पसंद किए।

जगद्गुरु संत तुकाराम महाराज कहते हैं के, 'सां. गो जाणती शकून। भूत भविष्य वर्तमान।। त्यांचा आम्हाशी कंटाळा। पाहो नावडती डोळा।।' (जगतगुरु संत तुकाराम गाथा) इसका मतलब होता है के कुछ ज्योतिषी भूत, भविष्य और वर्तमान के लिए शुभ संकेत बताते हैं। लेकिन हम उन लोगों से बेज़ार हो चुके हैं, थक चुके हैं और हम उन्हें अपनी आँखों से देखना भी पसंद नहीं करते।

अंधविश्वासी बनकर ज्योतिषी, मांत्रिक, तांत्रिकों की चक्कर में जो लोग रहते हैं ऐसे लोग छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज का इतिहास पढ़ना चाहिए। छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज की लड़ाई किसी व्यक्तिगत लाभ के लिए नहीं थी बल्कि बहुजन समाज के लाभ के लिए थी। स्वराज की आवश्यकता इसलिए थी ताकि वे लोग, जिन्हें सभी मानवाधिकारों से वंचित रखा गया था उनको वह अधिकार मिल सके और वह सभी लोग सम्मान के साथ अपना जीवन बिता सकें। यह संस्कार उन्हें राजमाता जीजाबाई ने दिए थे जिनको आचरण में लाकर छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज ने इतिहास रच दिया।

छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज ने प्रजा की मानसिकता में परिवर्तन लाकर राजनीतिक, धार्मिक, सामाजिक और सांस्कृतिक क्षेत्रों की गुलामी की प्रथा को तोड़ा। स्वराज्य के माध्यम से समानता और बंधुत्व की स्थापना हुई। यह सभी कार्य करते समय छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज ने कभी अंधविश्वास से काम नहीं लिए। कोई ज्योतिषी के या अन्य कोई मांत्रिक, तांत्रिकों के शरण में नहीं गए। न ही किसी देवी या देवताओं को पशुबली दिए। क्या उनका जीवन हमारे लिए उत्तम आदर्श नहीं है?

-डॉ. मोहम्मदशकील ताजमोहम्मद जाफरी (शकील मंवर), मंवर, पुणे (महाराष्ट्र) भारत

Whispers Across the Ages

(Today is International Telecommunication Day)

It began with sparks, in a quiet hall in Paris, 1865 when wires first learned to carry human thought, lightning trapped in copper veins, messages galloping over poles like horses in a storm. Then came the click-clack of Morse, a language of dots and dashes, a whisper through silence, crossing Oceans on cables beneath the sleeping Sea.

The telephone rang a miracle in a cradle of brass and wood, a mother hearing her son from towns away, words now voices, distance now dialogue.

Satellites rose like silver moons, orbiting with purpose, casting invisible bridges between continents, between lovers across time zones.

The fax hummed and chirped, television flashed moving Worlds into living rooms, and then, a glowing box on every desk the Internet, the digital storm.

From bulky radios to tiny smartphones, communication now fits in a palm,



a Universe trapped in glass, where a message typed in Delhi appears in seconds in Detroit, where a video call melts miles into nothing but a heart-beat.

And what lies ahead? Thought-to-thought transfer, perhaps—telepathy by technology. Language dissolved, cultures linked in pulses of light. Quantum whispers, AI diplomats, dreams uploaded and decoded in labs glowing beneath the Stars.

A child in a village talks to an astronaut on Mars. A farmers field pings a Satellite for rain updates and soil health. A doctor operates from continents away through robotic arms and fiber veins.

Today, we remember how far weve come, and how near weve brought every voice, every Soul, in this ever-shrinking, ever-speaking World.

- Smt. Latha Murthy

Rains likely across Telangana for four days

Hyderabad: Moderate rains are likely across Telangana for the next four days, the India Meteorological Department (IMD) has forecast. Heavy to very heavy rains are likely at isolated places on Friday and Saturday under the impact of upper air cyclonic circulation. For Hyderabad and neighbourhood, the IMD has forecast light to moderate rain or thundershowers accompanied by gusty winds (40-50 kmph) for the next two days. Hyderabad and its surroundings, and other parts of Telangana, received light to moderate rains on the intervening night of Thursday and Friday. The overnight rains brought down temperatures, providing relief from the heat. According to the Telangana State Development Planning Society (TSDPS), Langar Houz in Hyderabad received maximum rainfall of 58 mm, followed by Rajendranagar, which received 57.3 mm. The Setwin Training Centre in Bahadurpura received 46 mm of rainfall, the Kishanbagh Government High School, Bahadurpura received 43 mm of rainfall, Gayatri Nagar in Quthbullapur received 41.5 mm, Shaikpet received 34.5 mm, and South Hastinapuram, LB Nagar



received 31.3 mm. IMD forecast says heavy rains accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning, and gusty winds (50-60 kmph) very likely to occur at isolated places in Nirmal, Nizamabad, Vikarabad, Sangareddy, Medak, Kamareddy, Mahabubnagar, Nagarkurnool, Wanaparthy, Narayanpet, and Jogulamba Gadwal districts. The IMD has issued an orange alert for Jagtial, Rajanna Sirsilla, Karimnagar, Peddapalli, Rangareddy, Hyderabad, and Medchal Malkajigiri districts. Yellow alert has been issued for Adilabad, KomaramBheem Asifabad, Mancherla, Mahabubabad, Warangal, Hanamkonda, Jangaon, Siddipet, Yadadri Bhuvangiri, Jayashankar Bhupalapally, Mulugu,

Bhadradi Kothagudem, Khammam, Nalgonda, and Suryapet districts. According to the IMD, the southwest monsoon has further advanced into some parts of southeast Arabian Sea, Maldives & Comorin area, and some more parts of south Bay of Bengal, Andaman Islands, and Andaman Sea. Conditions are favourable for its further advance of southwest monsoon over some more parts of south Arabian Sea, Maldives & Comorin area, south Bay of Bengal, remaining parts of Andaman Islands and Andaman Sea, and some parts of central Bay of Bengal during next 3-4 days. The Southwest monsoon is expected to reach the Kerala coast by the end of the month, coming four days earlier than anticipated.

Divine hype unleashed: 'Kannappa' builds buzz with epic comic series finale



Dynamic Star Vishnu Manchu's magnum opus Kannappa is charging ahead toward its grand worldwide release on June 27th, and the buzz is reaching a fever pitch. After an electrifying promotional tour across the USA, the makers have now dropped the final piece of an exciting pre-release campaign—a three-part comic book series that dives deep into the legendary tale of Kannappa. The latest and final episode of the comic series reveals the poignant journey of Thinnadu, a hunter who once dismissed divinity, only to undergo a powerful transformation into a fierce devotee of Lord Shiva. This emotionally charged chapter captures Thinnadu's spiritual evolution, portraying themes of unwavering faith, sacrifice, and destined devotion with stunning animated visuals that have left fans awestruck. The overwhelming reception for the first two episodes set the stage, but this finale has truly struck a chord, blending myth, emotion, and artistry. The top-tier animation is not just eye candy—it's a teaser of the visual grandeur that awaits audiences in the film version. With such rich storytelling and immersive visuals, Kannappa is shaping up to be more than just a film—it's a cultural spectacle. The team even postponed the release to June 27 to perfect its VFX, ensuring a breathtaking cinematic journey. As anticipation soars, fans now eagerly count down the days to witness Kannappa's divine saga on the silver screen. Get ready for a visual and spiritual odyssey like no other!

Samantha Ruth Prabhu and Raj Nidimoru Spark Relationship Rumors



Actress Samantha Ruth Prabhu and director Raj Nidimoru made headlines after Samantha shared a photo of them together on a flight. This led to rumors that the two are romantically involved and might even be planning to move in together. Reports say they are looking for a new home. Their bond grew after working together on Citadel. Raj, who divorced Shyamali in 2022, is said to have found love with Samantha after they worked together. There were also rumors about Raj having a child, but these have been proven false. The girl in the photo with him was actually co-director Krishna DK's daughter. Samantha's manager denied the relationship rumors, calling them just speculation in an interview with Hindustan Times. Samantha had earlier thanked her fans for supporting her Telugu film Subham and shared her excitement about working with Raj and DK on the spy series Citadel: Honey Bunny opposite Varun Dhawan. The series is available on Amazon Prime. Samantha and Raj are also working together on a new web series called Rakht Brahmand.

Monika Panwar opens up about her journey, missed call with Aamir Khan, and intense filming experiences

Monika Panwar, known for her roles in Khauf, Jamtara: Sabka Number Ayega, and Gaanth: Chapter One: Jamnaa Paar, was recently celebrated as an IMDb Breakout Star, having secured a top spot on their Popular Indian Celebrities list, peaking at number two. In a candid chat for IMDb's exclusive Burning Questions segment, Panwar reflected on pivotal moments in her career—from drama school days to a memorable encounter with Bollywood icon Aamir Khan. Recalling her early days at the National School of Drama, she described the institution as an almost otherworldly space. "As soon as you walk through the gates, the place exudes a kind of rebellious, creative energy," she said. "It feels like



you're meant to build, break, and recreate." One of her standout stories from the interview was about an unexpected message from Aamir Khan after he watched her in Jamtara. Initially convinced it was a prank, she responded dismissively. "When I realised it was actually him, I was free at the time but told him to call the next day at 2 p.m. That

was a huge mistake. I spent the whole night overthinking it. If someone like Aamir Khan reaches out, you shouldn't wait—just speak right away," she admitted. Their eventual conversation, she shared, was well worth the wait. Panwar also delved into the physical and emotional demands of filming Khauf, especially the climactic eighth episode. "There

were intense stunts with harnesses, and one scene in thick sludge was particularly grueling. It wasn't emotionally draining, but physically, I just wanted it to be over." To recover after such heavy scenes, she prefers solitude. "I don't talk to anyone, not even on the way back to the hotel. I need to stay quiet and recharge before the next day." When asked about future aspirations, Panwar named three directors she dreams of working with—Aamir Khan (in any capacity), Lijo Jose Pellissery, and Payal Kapadia. She also expressed a strong desire to share the screen with acclaimed actor Fahadh Faasil. Panwar's grounded reflections and creative drive make it clear why she's rapidly rising in India's entertainment landscape.

Ashwin Babu's medical thriller 'Vachinavadu Gautham' teaser unveiled

Young and dynamic actor Ashwin Babu is back, this time with an intriguing medical thriller titled Vachinavadu Gautham. Directed by debutant Mamidala M.R. Krishna, the film is being produced on a grand scale by T. Ganapathi Reddy under Arunasree Entertainments, with Pravalika Yogi as co-producer. The recently released teaser was launched by music sensation SS Thaman and acclaimed director Shailesh Kolanu, and it has already started generating buzz among fans and industry circles alike. The teaser opens with a powerful voice-over by actor Manchu Manoj, setting a gripping and intense tone: "When Dharma goes astray... when no incarnation comes... Gautham is the one who comes." Ashwin Babu's portrayal of Gautham is intense and shrouded in mystery, with his commanding screen presence and gripping action shots captivating audiences. The emotional depth and unique concept teased in the visuals suggest a different approach from routine thrillers. Director Krishna's fresh narrative style and M.N. Bal Reddy's striking cinematography elevate the visuals, while Gaura Hari's background score intensifies the teaser's impact. The team's technical finesse and the high production



values are evident throughout the teaser. At the event, Thaman praised the team and shared his emotional bond with Ashwin, calling him a "God gift." Ashwin, in turn, expressed gratitude to the entire cast and crew, thanking Manoj for his powerful voice-over and hailing Thaman's support. Director Shailesh Kolanu lauded the teaser and said the film promises a "wow factor" audiences look for. Actress Rhea, who plays the female lead, shared her excitement, praising the film's concept and Ashwin as a co-star. Director Krishna credited Ashwin's belief and the

team's effort for the teaser's strong impact. Producer Ganapathi Reddy, along with veteran voices like KS Rama Rao and KL Damodar Prasad, expressed confidence in the film's success and emphasized the strong teamwork and uncompromised production quality. Vachinavadu Gautham promises a thrilling ride that blends emotional intensity with action, backed by strong performances and a refreshing storyline. With the teaser setting high expectations, the film is gearing up to make a solid mark in theaters.

Actor Ravi Mohan opens up amid personal turmoil, denies allegations

In a candid and heartfelt statement, Tamil actor Ravi Mohan has addressed the ongoing personal controversies following his separation from wife Aarti, with whom he shares two children, Aarav and Ayaan. The couple, married since 2009, has been publicly exchanging accusations of emotional abuse since their split earlier this year. Recently, Aarti accused Ravi Mohan of being an absentee father on social media, prompting a strong response from the actor. In his official note, Ravi expressed pain over their private matters being debated in the public eye, calling it "deeply traumat-



ic." He emphasized that his silence was "not a weakness but survival," and insisted that his integrity has been unfairly questioned. Ravi Mohan revealed the hardships he

endured, stating he was a survivor of "years of physical, mental, financial and emotional abuse," and described how isolation kept him from seeing his own parents. He explained

that walking away from the marriage was a difficult but necessary choice to save himself from an "unlivable" situation. Addressing rumors about his relationship with Keneesha Francis, Ravi clarified that she started as a friend and later became a vital source of support. He urged respect for Keneesha both personally and professionally, denying that she had any role in his divorce. "No one can be a home-wrecker or destroy my life," he asserted. Ravi Mohan's note reflects a man standing firm amid personal storms, determined to defend his truth with dignity and resilience.